

TUESDAY 14 MAY

APS SPORT – PINK ROUND

Last Wednesday, BGS boys participated in the APS Primary Sport **Pink Round**. Boys wore pink sweatbands and socks with the aim to promote awareness and raise money to provide support for families affected by Breast Cancer.

To raise money for the Australian Breast Cancer Network, we are asking all Year 5 and 6 families to support this worthy cause by making a donation of \$10 or more. Please click on the following link to make this donation via Try Booking - [Click here](#) to donate.

Families willing to donate more than \$10 simply just purchase multiple tickets. Families from boys in Prep-Year 4 are most welcome to make a donation if they wish.

APS SPORT REPORTS – WEDNESDAY 8 MAY

6A Volleyball

The 6A volleyball team played Burke Hall at the BGS gym this week. After a great performance last week against Scotch we were looking forward to a bit more of a competitive game. We certainly got this from Burke Hall and they pushed us all the way in the sets played. We played well in the first set, but after that our serving became inconsistent and our communication wasn't good. We ended up winning 2 sets to 1, but there are certainly aspects of our game we need to improve on. It was great to see our boys encouraging the opposition and their sportsmanship was on show throughout the game!

By Rishi Mahendranathan



5A Volleyball

5A Volleyball had a bye this week, but here is there round 1 match report:

The 5A volleyball team had a lot of fun. It was a super close match. The first set was very nerve racking being the first APS game for all of us. Caulfield Grammar won the first set 25- 23. The second set was even harder than the first one. The end score was 25-21, again to Caulfield Grammar. Two sets down, we had a team chat. We talked about what we were doing correct and what we needed to improve on. The third set was our best of the game. We played together like we have being playing together the entire term. We ended up winning that exciting set 25-17. We entered the fourth set nervously. Unfortunately for us, we were out played again by Caulfield Grammar losing 14 - 25. Even though we lost, we showed excellent sportsmanship and tried our best. Game one for the 5A volleyball team was absolutely a fantastic experience.

By Matheus Judah



6A Footy

The 6A footy team played a cracking match on Wednesday at APS. We played against Burke Hall at the Xavier Senior Campus. We had to drive on a bus for about 40 minutes and the boys were really looking to lift their game after last week's match. When we got to the ground, everybody was pumped up. The siren sounded and we were off to a good start getting most of the centre clearances. At quarter time we were ahead of Xavier by a bit. Our coach, Mr Fensling, talked to us all about the lowlights and the highlights of that quarter. From my position I could see that everyone tried really hard in the first quarter. The second quarter was pretty similar in terms of the play. Again I could see everyone trying their best when the ball came to them. One thing that was an advantage to their team was a player that was literally as tall as a giraffe, that no backman could spoil or ruckman could win a hit out against. At the end of the second quarter Mr Fensling gave us some more tips and also things that we did really well.

Our game got cut a bit short as we only played 3 quarters so that we could get on the bus for the trip home. At the start of the third quarter Xavier kicked some goals to get in front of us. How we responded to those goals was really well done as we were hard at the ball and giving 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th efforts to win possession. Although we didn't score any more goals I was proud of our team's effort in the last 10 minutes. Unfortunately we came just short, though I think that everyone in the team gave of their best and held their heads high after the match.

By Ollie Sutherland

5B Footy

The day was dry as a Desert. "A good way to start off the game," I thought to myself. Burke Hall arrived a few minutes after us, and after a quick debriefing by our coach, Mr Stephens, we were on the field. It was a good fair game. The team played really well, especially in the second half where we really showed that we were a team. Our efforts didn't get us the win though, the scores were Brighton Grammar School 22, defeated by Burke Hall 55.

5/6 Cross Country

On Wednesday afternoon Cross Country ventured out to Haileybury – Berwick for our weekly meet. It was quite damp underfoot as there had been significantly more rain falling in Berwick than in Brighton. A downpour as the 11 Year old race began ensured that everyone was wide awake as they took to the course. Eli Botha running in the lead group, was involved in a great battle with two Scotch boys and a Carey boy. In the run to the finish line the other 3 boys edged out Eli as he finished a gallant fourth. In the 12-13 Year race, Will Rattray was the first BGS boy across the finish line. All boys were glad to change out of their wet running clothes as they finished their race and returned to the warm bus for the trip back to school.



APS SPORT FIXTURE - WEDNESDAY 15 MAY

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>OPPONENT/S</u>	<u>VENUE</u>	<u>DEPART BGS/ARRIVE BGS</u>	<u>BUS</u>
6A Footy	St Kevin's	BGS - Crowther Oval	Red Square 1.00pm	
6B Footy				
5A Footy	Burke Hall	Xavier College - Senior Campus, Chapel Oval, 135 Barkers Road, Kew	12.40pm/3.30pm	1
5B Footy	St Kevin's	Hurlingham Park, Oval 2 - 577 Nepean Highway, East Brighton	12.50pm/3.20pm	2
6A Volleyball	St Kevin's	St Kevin's Senior School, Wilding Centre Courts, Moonga Road, Toorak	12.50pm/3.20pm	3
6B Volleyball	Carey - Kew	BGS Gym, Court 1	Red Square 1.00pm	
6C Volleyball	Carey - Kew	BGS Gym, Court 2	Red Square 1.00pm	
5A Volleyball	Burke Hall	Xavier College - Senior Campus, Sports Centre, 135 Barkers Road, Kew	12.40pm/3.30pm	1
5B Volleyball	Caulfield – Wheelers Hill	BGS Gym, Court 3	Red Square 1.00pm	
5C Volleyball	Carey - Donvale	BGS Gym, Court 4	Red Square 1.00pm	
5/6 Cross Country	HOST: Xavier	Dendy Park - Brighton East	12.55pm/3.20pm	4