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Introduction

Definition of CEA's (Curriculum Extension Activities)

An extra curricular activity is that which is defined as: *An educationally enriching activity sponsored by the school that requires the student to spend time outside of normal school hours, representing the school and/or contributing to the school community.*

Examples of such activities may be:

- School sport
- Active membership of Social Justice and/or community service groups such as Game Changers and MSol (Marist Solidarity)
- Drama productions, Bands, Ensembles/Choir, Debating, Public Speaking
- Assistance in the school's program, including umpiring, managing, scoring, etc.

Rationale

In accordance with the Vision Statement of the school, Sacred Heart College aims to holistically develop and educate young men and women. More than singularly educate the mind and the intellect, Sacred Heart aims to nurture the creative, physical and social abilities and talents of the students to enable them to reach their full potential which by implication, will contribute to the strength and vitality of the community.

Student participation in the sporting, cultural and artistic life of the school is congruent with the philosophy and principles of Sacred Heart College. In the area of sport, Sacred Heart is a member of several associations the main ones being the Sports Association for Adelaide Schools (SAAS), the SA Catholic Secondary School Girls Sports Association (SACSSGSA), and School Sport SA (SSSA) and subscribes to the high standards of competition and code of sportsmanship consistent with membership.

Aims

- To provide students with the opportunity to develop and display their talents and abilities beyond the normal school curriculum;
- To involve the College in student representative activities with other schools;
- To engage the College in local community activities and events.

Sports Participation Policy

- The College will provide, within its capacity to do so, quality facilities that enable students to participate meaningfully in their chosen pursuits.
- Students are expected to represent Sacred Heart in sports and activities for which they show proficiency and particularly in instances where they are involved in sporting/cultural pursuits in bodies external to the school. That means all students are expected to represent the school as their first priority and in preference to other clubs.
- Students will participate to the best of their ability in the extracurricular life of the school.
- When representing the College, students must abide by the SHC Code of Conduct as well as the code of conduct for that particular activity inclusive of SAAS, SACSSGSA, IGSSA and SSSA. Parents/Guardians and Staff will contribute in a positive way to assist students' development and growth as provided through the extracurricular program and in line with the SHC Code of Conduct.
- Appropriate uniforms and or presentation is required when representing the College. For further information on specific sporting uniform requirements please visit the College Uniform Requirements available via shc.sa.edu.au/enrolments/college-uniform-shop
- Students who nominate to participate in a particular activity are required to undertake complete involvement in all scheduled training and match fixtures. Students who nominate Summer sports are expected to participate in Terms 1 and 4 with Year 12 students only given exemption from Term 4. Students nominating Winter Sports are expected to fulfil obligations throughout Terms 2 and 3.
- Students are not able to change from one activity to another without permission of the Sports Coordinator.
- If a student is chosen to represent the College and cannot attend an event due to a legitimate reason, advance notice of at least 48 hours is required from the parent/guardian so that a replacement can be arranged.
- If a student contravenes this policy or the SHC code of conduct, an appropriate consequence will be incurred which is in accordance with the event.
- In extreme cases breaches may have a direct bearing on the student's enrolment. Parents will be notified of all such matters.
- Parents/Guardians requiring clarification of this policy should contact the Deputy Principal of Sacred Heart College.

Code of Conduct

As a Catholic College in the Marist tradition, Sacred Heart College places great emphasis on 'being Marist'. We use the Marist characteristics of **Presence**, **Family Spirit**, **Simplicity**, **In the Way of Mary** and **Love of Work** to define what constitutes appropriate conduct.

Presence

Competitors, coaches and spectators are Present in a way that shows they are committed to developing positive relationships. They are attentive to, and welcoming of others, while showing commitment and focus to their pursuits.

Competitors, coaches and spectators at SHC will:

- Share and celebrate their talents and for the benefit of the team and the College;
- Respect and adhere to the affiliated sporting associations' code of conduct which binds the competition being played;
- Be organised, suitably attired and ready to be involved;
- Have a positive presence to the team while on the bench or in a coaching or spectator role;
- Identify and be aware of the needs of others who may require assistance from time to time;
- Be open to feedback with a view towards personal improvement;
- Stay present in the game and respond positively and quickly to umpire, player or coach decisions;
- Acknowledge and thank opponents, officials and coaching staff.

Family Spirit

St Marcellin's last instruction to his followers was to interact with each other "as members of a loving family would intuitively do". Competitors, coaches and spectators at Sacred Heart College participate with the goal of realising this Family Spirit.

Competitors, coaches and spectators at SHC will:

- Value and accept all involved in the sporting competition;
- Be generous with praise and role model positive language when communicating with players, coaches, spectators and umpires;
- Show tolerance towards the performance levels of players and officials at all levels of competition and training;
- Acknowledge that individuals contribute to a 'team' and understand the importance of giving 100% to benefit the team;
- Understand that each person has a role and responsibility to uphold for the benefit of the team;
- Reconcile and react quickly and positively to umpire, player or coaching decisions.

Simplicity

As members of a Marist College, staff and students are asked to live with Simplicity such that their interactions are genuine and straightforward, undertaken without pretence or duplicity. Our chosen pursuits are done in the spirit of enjoyment and passion untainted by unnecessary pressure or judgement.

Competitors, coaches and spectators at SHC will:

- Admit to mistakes when they are made and accept responsibility for actions;
- Accept winning with modesty and losing with grace;
- Act with control and restraint in all circumstances and particularly when challenged;
- Respond impartially and honestly;
- Remember always that sport is played for fitness, camaraderie and enjoyment;
- Participate with passion and focus on effort and performance rather than outcome.

In the Way of Mary

Participants' day-to-day activities should be undertaken In the Way of Mary. Mary responded with 'yes' to the path God had chosen for her, and Competitors, coaches and spectators are encouraged to be open to God's plan for them in light of the gifts and talents they have.

Competitors, coaches and spectators at SHC will:

- Respond positively to adversity and demonstrate resilience when challenged;
- Demonstrate an ability to self reflect with a view to always improve;
- Listen and respond appropriately to others.
- Provide feedback in a sensitive and respectful manner;
- Be thankful and grateful to opponents, officials and support staff;
- Accept the role held within the team and do it to the best of ability;
- Exhibit high standards of sportsmanship and courtesy.

Love of Work

Competitors, coaches and spectators follow the example of the Marist Brothers, who built this College based on their Love of Work. This is manifested in the dedication and commitment that Participants show in their sporting endeavours, and coaches and spectators in turn, show towards their players.

Competitors, coaches and spectators at SHC will:

- Be reliable from week to week;
- Show dedication and commit fully to the training and match schedule;
- Find replacement personnel in circumstances when a commitment cannot be fulfilled;
- Prioritise the needs and interests of the College in all areas of involvement;
- Approach tasks with enthusiasm, endeavour and passion;
- Aspire to develop and grow in skill set and knowledge.

Additional sports information

Sporting association affiliation

Sacred Heart College is a member of the Sports Association for Adelaide Schools (SAAS), the South Australian Catholic Secondary Schools Girls Sports Association (SACSSGSA), and School Sport SA (SSSA), and subscribes to the high standards of competition and code of sportsmanship consistent with membership.

Expectations include but not limited to:

- Deliberate violence should never be used towards opponents;
- Verbal provocation of any sort is unacceptable;
- Players should not react with violence to any physical or verbal provocation;
- Use of bad language, whether directed at an umpire/ referee, another player or oneself, is unacceptable;
- Players are not to argue with an umpire/ referee or contest his/her decision. Any negative response towards an umpire's ruling is unacceptable;
- Immodest behaviour in victory or success, and manifestation of self-disgust at an error or failure are poor sportsmanship;
- Unfair or illegal tactics to gain an advantage should never be used.

Sacred Heart also nominate individuals and teams within the School Sport South Australia (SSSA) and Independent Girls Secondary Sport Association (IGSSA) for sports not covered by the SAAS and SACSSGSA.

Nominations

All students will be required to nominate the sports for which they wish to seek selection in the following year. This process is completed online via invitation from the College Sport Coordinators and takes place during Term 4.

As the number of teams entered in competitions is based on these nominations, students are obligated to commit to that sport/team for the season inclusive of all programmed trainings and match fixtures. Summer sports season: Terms 1 and 4. Winter sport season: Term 2 and 3. Students nominate for the whole season. **Year 12 students only may choose to only play Term 1 and not Term 4.

Students are reminded that they are to nominate in accordance with the College Sports Policy where all students are expected to represent the school as their first priority and in preference to other clubs.

Addition or deletion of a sport from the Sports Program

For the **addition** of a sport or the extension of a sport to another competition level, the following criteria will come under consideration:

- There must be enough students both interested in and proficient at the sport.
- The impact introducing the sport will have on other sports within the SHC Sport program.
- The sport, once commencing, must not draw significantly on the sports budget so as to detract from provision on other sports.
- Facilities, venues and appropriate personnel requirements for that sport.

For the **deletion** of a sport, the following criteria will come under consideration:

- Data that indicates a decline in student participation levels;
- A significant rise in costs associated with involvement in the sport.

Sport uniform

It is expected that all students who represent Sacred Heart College be attired according to the Sport Uniform Requirements.

All sporting uniforms are available for purchase through the College Uniform Shop located on Oaklands Road, Somerton Park. For all College Uniform details visit: www.shc.sa.edu.au/enrolments/college-uniform-shop/

* First XVIII Football players must wear full Winter school uniform to and from matches.

** First XI Cricket must wear College blazer and baggy blue cap to all matches.

Match cancellations

Where applicable, any match cancellations due to weather or forfeit will be communicated directly with student/player via email or other various mediums from the relevant Sports Coordinator.

Change of sport

It is not usually permitted for students to change sports once the season has begun.

If exceptional circumstances arise, parents are invited to contact the sports coordinator to discuss the particular situation.

Team selection

Where teams are entered to represent Sacred Heart College at a high level, including all A Grade and Firsts teams, it is appropriate to select based on ability. Coaching staff for each of these teams has the final say in selection of their teams and will determine game time for individuals based on the needs of the team at the time.

Open A and Firsts teams will be selected from Year 10–12 students at Marcellin Campus. Year 7–9 students will be considered for Middle A teams at Champagnat Campus. Champagnat students, on occasion, will be selected to fill senior teams in consultation with both Sport Coordinators at each campus. Under exceptional circumstances, Year 9 students may be considered for selection in Open A or First teams.

Where teams are entered to represent the College in grades other than A Grade, the emphasis is on improvement, enjoyment and equal opportunity. All players should be assured of game time on an equal basis, dependant on their continual commitment to the team training and matches.

It is not permitted for students to withdraw from a sport based on team selection.

Trials

Team selection will be subject to trial procedures relevant to each sport. Trials will take place independently at each campus.

During the trial period, there is to be no communication with members of the Selection Panel from players or parents regarding the trials. Communication can be made through the relevant Sport Coordinator.

Players are advised that selection following trials is not absolute and review of selection of players is ongoing during training sessions and matches and further player movement may occur under the guidelines of the affiliated Sporting Association.

Any appeal by an athlete regarding selection outcomes must be made in writing to the relevant Sport Coordinator within 48 hours of the announcement of the decision against which the appeal is made. The College will reply in writing within 7 days of any appeals made.

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Champagnat Campus (7–9) match and training details

Practice days will depend on coach and venue availability. Times and venues for matches will be determined by the draw released by the relevant association. Term 1 sports continue in Term 4.

Champagnat Girls Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Basketball (Year 7 – 9)	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Cricket	Limited training	T20 Statewide Knockout (during school time)	SSSA Statewide Knockout Draw
Tennis	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SACSSGSA Draw
Touch Football	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	City Touch Grounds, Greenhill Road
Volleyball (Year 7–9)	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Water Polo	No training	Thursday afternoons at various times	Pembroke School or SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre, Oaklands Park

Champagnat Girls Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Australian Rules Football–16–a–side	One training per week 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Friday afternoons at 4.00pm	Home and Away as determined by IGSSA/ SACSSGSA Draw
Netball	One training per week 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Soccer	One training per week 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA

Champagnat Boys Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Baseball (Term 4)	Limited training	Statewide Knockout Carnival (during school time)	SSSA State KO Draw
Cricket	One training per week 3.30pm - 4.45pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Tennis	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Year 7 Tennis Friday afternoons Year 8/9 Tennis Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Touch Football	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Wednesday afternoons 4.15pm - 6.00pm	City Touch Grounds, Greenhill Road
Volleyball	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Friday afternoons 4.15pm - 6.00pm	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Water Polo	Limited training	Thursday afternoons 4.00pm - 6.00pm	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Champagnat Boys Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Basketball	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Football	One training per week 3.30pm - 4.45pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Soccer	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Rugby	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Thursday afternoons 4.00pm - 5.00pm	SA Schools Rugby Union Draw

Champagnat Mixed Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Athletics	No training	SACSSGSA Carnival (Girls) Catholic Co-ed Secondary Schools Athletics Carnival Achilles Cup (Boys)	SA Athletics Stadium, Mile End
Badminton	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Cycling (Individual) (Term 1)	No training	Cycling Individual time trial Term 1 (during school time)	Adelaide Superdrome, Gepps Cross
Diving	No training	SSSA Diving Championships (during school time)	SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre
Golf	One training per week 7.20am - 8.20am	N/A	N/A
Surfing (Terms 1 – 3)	No training	SSSA Surfing Championships (during school time)	Middleton
Sailing	Monday afternoon 4.00 - 7.00pm (2/3 trainings per term)	Metropolitan Regattas State Championship Event	Training - Brighton & Seacliff Yacht Club Competition - Various locations
Swimming (Term 1)	No training	Wednesday competitions: 4.00–5.30pm SSSA Swimming Championships	Various venues
Triathlon (Term 4)	No training	SSSA Triathlon Championship (during school time)	West Lakes Canoe Club

Champagnat Mixed Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Cross Country	(Included in Athletics training)	SSSA State Championships (during school time)	Oakbank
Mountain Biking (Term 1 or 4)	No training	SSSA Mountain Biking Championships (during school time)	Various venues
Squash	One training per week 4.00pm - 5.00pm	Friday afternoons 4.00pm - 6.00pm	South Adelaide / Somerton Squash Centre
Table Tennis	One training per week	Friday afternoons 4.00pm - 6.00pm	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Marcellin Campus (10–12) match and training details

Practice days will depend on coach and venue availability. Times and venues for matches will be determined by the draw released by the relevant association. Term 1 sports continue in Term 4.

Marcellin Girls Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Athletics	Date advised in lead up to Carnivals	SACSSGSA Carnival Term 1 (During school time) Catholic Co-Ed Athletics Carnival	SA Athletics Stadium, Mile End
Basketball	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Tennis	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SACSSGSA Draw
Touch Football	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Volleyball	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Set venue for the season TBA
Water Polo	No training	Wednesday or Thursday afternoons (TBC)	SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre, Oaklands Park

Marcellin Girls Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Football	One training per week	Wednesday afternoons	Home and Away Fixtures
Netball	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Set Venue for the season TBA
Soccer	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Set Venue for the season TBA

Marcellin Boys Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Badminton	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Baseball	Limited training	Statewide Knockout Carnival Term 1 (During school time)	Home and Away as determined by SSSA State KO draw
Cricket (Senior)	Two trainings per week 3.40pm - 5.15pm	Saturday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Cricket (Year 10)	One training per week 3.40pm - 5.00pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Tennis	One training per week	Saturday morning	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Touch Football	One training per week	Wednesday afternoons	Touch SA playing fields, Greenhill Road
Volleyball	One training per week	Friday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Marcellin Boys Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Basketball (Open A)	One - two trainings per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Basketball	One trainings per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Football (1st & 2nd XVIII)	Two trainings per week 3.40pm - 5.15pm	Saturday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Football (3rd, 4th & 5th XVIII)	One training per week 3.40pm - 5.00pm	Saturday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Football (Year 10)	One training per week 3.40pm - 5.00pm	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Rugby Union	One training per week	Wednesday / Thursday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Soccer (First XI)	One training per week Monday 1.45pm - 3.00pm	Wednesday afternoon 4.15pm	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Marcellin Mixed Summer Sport (Terms 1 and 4)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Athletics	Limited Training	Achilles Cup Catholic Co-Ed Athletics Carnival	SA Athletics Stadium, Mile End
Badminton	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw
Cycling (Individual)	No training	Cycling Individual time trial Term 1 (During school time)	Adelaide Superdrome, Gepps Cross
Drive Tennis	One training per week	Saturday mornings	Memorial Drive, North Adelaide
Golf	No training	Depending on numbers, students participate in the SSSA Teams Cup and Individual Golf championships	Venue determined by SSSA draw
Surfing (Terms 1 – 3)	No training	Students participate in 2 surf competition days (During school time)	Middleton
Sailing	Monday afternoon 4.00 - 7.00pm (2/3 trainings per term)	Metropolitan Regattas State Championship Event	Training - Brighton & Seacliff Yacht Club Competition - Various locations
Swimming	No training	Wednesday competitions: 4.00–5.30pm A Grade SSSA Swimming championships	Wednesday competition - various venues SA Aquatic & Leisure Centre
Triathlon	No training	SSSA Triathlon Championship Term 1 (During school time)	West Lakes Canoe Club
Volleyball	One training per week	Friday afternoons	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Marcellin Mixed Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3)

Sport	Training details	Match details	Match venue
Cross Country	(Included in Athletics training)	Oakbank State Carnival	Various venues
Mountain Biking (Term 4)	No training	SSSA Mountain Biking Championships (During school time)	Various venues
Squash	One training per week	Friday afternoon	Somerton Squash Centre
Table Tennis	One training per week	Friday Afternoons 4.00pm - 6.00pm	Home and Away as determined by SAAS Draw

Training and match information

Sports training

- Sports trainings held before or after school are scheduled according to coach and venue availability.
- Students are expected to attend **all scheduled training sessions as part of their team commitment.**
- If a student is unable to attend a training/ game for any valid reason, they are required to communicate this absence with the relevant Sports Coordinator.
- Relevant Sport Coordinators may contact parents to validate reason for absence.
- Failure to correctly notify the Sport Coordinator regarding absence at training on a first occasion will result in a meeting with the relevant Sport Coordinator and disciplinary notification recorded on SEQTA. A second and/or subsequent offence will result in further disciplinary action in accordance with the College levels of intervention.
- Parents are asked to arrange external appointments at times that avoid disruption to team training sessions.
- Trainings are subject to cancellation as per the relevant Sports Associations' Extreme Weather Policy via www.shc.sa.edu.au/news-and-events/sports-fixtures-results

Match absence procedure

- It is the student/player's responsibility to seek match team selection and details on a weekly basis.
- Known absence from matches due to injury or exceptional circumstances must be communicated to the coach and relevant Sport Coordinator no later than the final training prior to the match. Where possible, more notice is preferable. Failure to correctly notify the relevant Sport Coordinator regarding match absence on a first occasion will result in a meeting with the relevant Sport Coordinator and disciplinary notification recorded on SEQTA. A second and/or subsequent offence will result in further disciplinary action in accordance with the College levels of intervention.
- Relevant Sport Coordinators may contact parents to validate reason for absence.
- If absent on a Friday due to illness or exceptional circumstances and unable to play, please notify both the Sports Coordinator and coach prior to 1pm.
- In line with the College policy, students are expected to participate in sports in which they show proficiency. Failure to make themselves available for selection, or indeed, failure to attend when selected, will result in consequences being issued.

Boarder Exeats

Boarder student-athletes selected in a SHC First or Open A team are expected to be available for selection during exeats. Individual circumstances are to be negotiated with the relevant Sport Coordinator.

All boarder student-athletes are to advise of their absence with the relevant Sport Coordinator and their coach one week prior to the exeat so that replacements can be organised.

Girls
Matches with the SACSSGSA are scheduled over exeat weekends for all girls sport.

Boys
A reduced number of teams are nominated to play on exeat weekends to account for boarder absences. This provision is made with consideration for player availability and to ensure we are able to fill all teams nominated.

On non-exeat weekends, when player rotation is applicable, the College endeavours to give priority selection to boarders, given that they are often unavailable on exeat weekends.

Transport

Mid week competitions
Travel to and from sporting competitions is the responsibility of the student and their families, unless deemed appropriate by the relevant Sport Coordinator to provide transport for that particular event and or match. Transport will be arranged for boarders **where possible**.

This will include the use of the College Coaster and College Hi-ace vehicles. On occasions where all SHC vehicles are in use, the College will seek alternative transport via Taxi or parental support.

Weekend sport
Travel to and from sporting competitions is the responsibility of the student and their families. Support will be provided for Boarders (see following information).

Boarders' transport
From time to time it is necessary for boarders' to travel to and from sport with parents of Students, Staff or Coaches. Parents of Boarders give consent for this via the signing of the **Transport Permission Form** distributed by the Boarding House.

Year 11 and 12 Boarders will often ask permission to travel to and from sport events with a Student. However, in order for a Boarder to travel to and from sporting or other venues in a Student's car, the following conditions must be adhered to:

- A parent must sign this form as permission;
- On each occasion that a Boarder is travelling in a student driven car, they must alert their dormitory Supervisor;
- The vehicle must not carry more than the legal number of passengers;
- The permission only holds for events that are held during daylight hours.

Marist and Knockout selection

Statewide Knockout (KO) competitions

Sacred Heart College enters numerous teams and individuals to represent the College in Statewide Knockout (KO) competitions. Nominations are submitted by the Sport Coordinator for our A Grade or Firsts teams where by the team's eligibility will be dependant on their weekly match success and/or their previous success in other events to gauge their performances. Eligibility for involvement is also conditional on staffing, finance, training attendance, attitude and amount of academic time to be missed.

Where Knockout competitions combine two year levels (for example: Year 7 and 8, or Year 9 and 10), the current A Grade teams will be considered for selection. For example, in a Year 7/8 Knockout competition, the students in both the 7A team and the 8A team will be considered to form the Knockout team.

In the event two or more players are perceived by the selection panel to be of even ability, preference will be given to the more senior student.

Coaching staff of knockout teams will determine game time for individuals based on needs of the team at the time.

Athletes selected in multiple teams are limited to representation in 2 Statewide KO representative commitments due to lesson time missed. Representation in more than 2 teams will require negotiation with the Head of Campus with consideration given to academic progress.

There is no cost incurred by students representing the College in KO teams. A student not selected in the Open A or First side may be eligible for selection on the basis of the following criteria:

- Students that represent SHC in an alternative sport that have commitments that clash with the sport under consideration, may be considered for selection in a KO team.
- Students must play a minimum of three matches for the College before being considered for KO sport. In the case of the previous point special consideration can be given.
- Students under a negotiated sports program plan that have met the expectations of the plan.

Students may not be granted approval to be involved should teaching staff express serious concerns about their capacity to catch up on missed lessons and academic work.

Students wishing to enter individual competitions are eligible to do so in line with the SSSA nomination guidelines. Nominations must be processed via the relevant Sport Coordinator. Consideration will be given to the same conditions as teams sports in relation to staffing, finance and academic time missed.

Marist Interstate Carnivals

As part of the Marist community, Sacred Heart College take part in Australian Marist Carnivals for Basketball, Netball and Cricket. The Open A or First squad selected in these sports will represent SHC in these Marist carnivals. The Boys and Girls Basketball teams travel together and compete in April, the Netball in June and the Cricket in December. There are travel costs associated with these carnivals.

In the event two or more players are perceived by the selection panel to be of even ability, preference will be given to the more senior student.

A student not selected in the Open A or First side may be eligible for selection on the basis of the following criteria:

- Students that represent SHC in an alternative sport that have commitments that clash with the sport under consideration, may be considered for selection in a Marist team.
- Students under a negotiated Sports program plan that have met the expectations of the plan.

Students may not be granted approval to be involved should teaching staff express serious concerns about their capacity to catch up on missed lessons and academic work.

Intercollegiate Exchange (Assumption College Kilmore, VIC)

As part of the Marist community, SHC have an annual exchange with Assumption College Kilmore in Victoria. Involvement in the exchange is a privilege and selection requires appropriate commitment to training in the lead up to the exchange as well as ALL programmed events during the exchange.

When SHC are the host school all students who are in a participating activity are expected to host a billet. The College believes that billeting is an integral component of Exchange weekends. It provides an opportunity for students to develop strong long lasting friendships with colleagues from other Marist schools. Please refer to the College Parent Handbook for further details and guidelines regarding billeting and the ACK Intercollegiate Exchange.

Participating teams include the First or Open A side for Basketball (Girls and Boys), Football (Girls and Boys), Netball, Soccer (Girls and Boys). Trials are held for the Athletics team (3 Girls and 3 Boys - 100m Sprint and 3×200m relay.)

In the event two or more players are perceived by the selection panel to be of even ability, preference may be given to the more senior student.

A student not selected in the Open A or First side may be eligible for selection on the basis of the following criteria:

- Students that represent SHC in an alternative sport that have commitments that clash with the sport under consideration, may be considered for selection in a Exchange team;
- Students under a negotiated Sports program plan that have met the expectations of the plan.

College maps – Champagnat

Champagnat Campus

1. Br Nello Visual Arts Centre
2. Maintenance Office
3. Technology Centre
4. Marist Hall
5. Champagnat Library
6. Rivat Science Centre
7. Stigwood Music Centre
8. Kavanagh Room
9. Staff Centre
10. Front Office
11. Health Care & Student Services
12. Marymount
13. Middle School
14. L'Hermitage
15. Good Samaritan Centre
16. La Valla Food Tech Centre
17. Main Oval (Cricket/Football/Soccer)
18. Courts (Netball/Tennis)
19. The Quad
20. Canteen
21. Heart's Village
22. St Joseph's Centre (Marist Hall Gymnasium, Function Centre)

P Parking Spaces

College maps – Marcellin

Marcellin Campus

1. **Main Oval** (Cricket/Football)
2. **Br Joseph McAteer Centre** (Gym, Function Centre & Sport Offices)
3. **La Valla House** (Girls Boarding House)
4. **Marian Wing** (Boys Boarding House)
5. **Br Denis Wright House** (Health Care Centre, Boys Boarding, Boarder Dining)
6. **Science Block**
7. **Champagnat Wing** (LEC, Heads of House, Careers & VET)
8. **Paringa Hall** (Reception)
9. **SACE/Logistics Coordinator Office, Canteen & Offices**
10. **Library/Technology**
11. **Art/Design**
12. **Marcellin Learning Centre**
13. **Chapel**
14. **Heart Lawn**
15. **Br Stephen Debourg Performing Arts Centre**
16. **Brother's Residence**
17. **Walter Park**
18. **Change Rooms** (Brighton Road)
19. **Netball/Tennis Courts** (Brighton Road)
20. **Brighton Road Oval** (Cricket/Football/Soccer)

P **Parking Spaces**

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