



CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

CSSA PRIMARY STATE NETBALL GALA DAY RULES

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- All schools must bring 1 scorer per team which can be a reserve player or a parent
- Scorers must sit with scorers from the opposing team.
- Scorers will score their own team's game.
- Winning team should bring score sheet to the control tower,
- PLEASE LEAVE THE SCORING CLIPBOARD AND PEN IN THE MIDDLE OF THE COURT
- Courts will be numbered according to the map – please see the attached map.
- At the end of the rounds, schools can check the results (which will be written up), to find out whether they have made it into a quarter final, semi-finals and grand final.
- Please bring all equipment from school (ball & bibs) for each team.
- Please bring your own first aid kit. There will also be a first aid person in attendance
- All jewellery must be removed before students take the court to play, as well as nails checked.
- Although only the top 2 teams from each pool proceed through to quarter-finals, teams who do not make quarter finals will play in minor finals.
- Junior teams are from Year 3 and 4.
- Senior teams are from Year 5 and 6.
- Open Mixed Teams:
 - Maximum 3 boys on the court at any time
 - Boys must play in a different third of the court ie. GK/C/GA
- Teams of up to a maximum of 10 players.
- No 'netta' rules. Standard netball rules.
- Size 5 ball for both Junior and Senior teams
- Each team is to provide a match ball (size 5) and a set of bibs.
- Schools are required to assist with setting up post protectors on their courts when they arrive.
- As games finish for Quarter final/Minor placings, schools need to bring in post protectors

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- Each game will consist of 2 x 10 minute halves with a 3 min break between halves There will be a 7 minute break between games so teams will need to quickly move to next court.
- If teams arrive late to their games, 1 point will be awarded to the other team for every minute you are late. Umpires will time this from when the hooter goes.
- After 'pool' matches, the top 2 teams from each pool will proceed to quarter-finals. (See draw)
- 3 points will be awarded for a win. 1 point will be awarded for a draw.
- At the end of the "rounds", if two teams are tied, then the team rankings will depend on:
 - The team that won the corresponding game between those two schools
 - Goals against.
 - If these are still equal then the team that scored the most goals will be ranked higher.
- In quarter finals, semi finals and grand final matches, if there is a draw, then there will be 2 minutes added on. If teams are still tied after this time, the game will continue until one team goes ahead by 2 goals.
- There will be no injury time (until the grand final game). If a player gets injured, normal substitutions can be made. The team must be ready to resume play within 2 minutes.
- The blood rule applies where a player can be substituted for a short period (players must leave the court to be fixed up and can return at the next centre).

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