



CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

CSSA Primary State Basketball Gala Day 2024 Junior Yrs 3/4 Girls & Boys

DATE: Monday 18 November 2024

VENUE: Penrith Valley Regional Sports Centre: Cambridge Park
Herbert Street, Cambridge Park NSW 2747

START TIME: 8:00am Team Manager Meeting
8:30am Games commence

Cost: \$170 per team + GST

The cost covers court hire of an indoor stadium, trophies for the winning and runner up teams, referees and first aid officer.

Schools will be invoiced at the end of Term 4: CSSA Sports Account T4 2024
based on entries as of Monday 4 November 2024
Late withdrawals AFTER this date WILL BE charged the entry fee

Divisions: Junior Girls: Girls in years 3 or 4 only (unless otherwise approved by
Junior Boys: Boys in years 3 or 4 only Executive Officer)

**Schools DO NOT have to qualify through a zone gala day.
The State Basketball Gala Day is open to all schools**

Maximum 20 team entries per division

Entries close: Monday 4 November 2024

Team Size: Teams are to be made up of ten (10) players or less for the tournament

Scorers: Each team will need to provide 1 scorer on the day. There needs to be one scorer from each team scoring and both need to sit together to score.

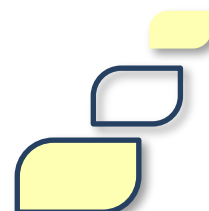
Referees: Qualified referees will be provided for ALL games.
1 referee per round game, 2 referees for semi's & finals games

1st Aid: Each school is responsible for their own basic first aid on the day.
A First aid officer will be there to attend to any major incidents.

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Format/Draw: Draws will be emailed out to participating schools by Monday 4 November 2024

Requirements: Each team is required to supply their own balls + a set of singlets per team. Students must have a number on their basketball shirts. The only alternative is to write in text of the number on their arms. Students need to be recognised by number to help the refs identify fouls.

Each team is to provide their own match ball - **Size 5** **NEW RULING**

Each team **MUST** have a team manager who is responsible for them throughout the day (parents are OK if appointed by their school).

Team managers and players must be aware of the CSSA Code of Conduct and CSSA Discipline & Disputes Policy.

Reminders:

☆ No jewellery (no taping) no watches or Fitbits

☆ No braids or plaits

☆ Teaching staff **must write names on scoresheets 30 minutes before their game** - teams are losing playing time due to this not being done until game time. There isn't enough wriggle room to be generous with this.

☆ **No bouncing basketballs in the foyer! (Special request)**

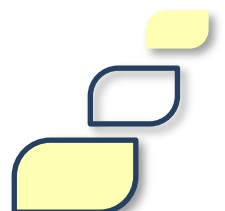
☆ The colour of the lines on the court are **WHITE**. Students get very confused as the courts are multiple coloured lines

☆ Coaches should encourage man to man defence - **NO triple teaming one player. FIBA rules state man to man defends until under 15s.** This is to encourage the fundamentals of the sport be taught

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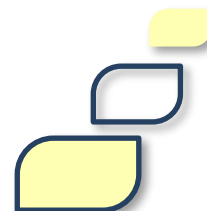


CSSA Primary State Basketball Gala Day Rules 2024

Please make sure that coaches and players are aware of normal basketball rules.

1. Teams are to be made up of ten **(10)** players or less for the tournament
2. Match ball – **Size 5** for all primary school aged players
3. **2 x 12min halves, 1min half time. 5mins between games – TBC see final DRAW**
4. Schools **late to start** the game will have a 2 points per minute recorded against them. At half time they forfeit.
5. No timeouts in round games/play-offs because of shorter game time.
6. **The last minute will be fully timed in semi finals & finals games only if the score is 6 points or less.**
7. In the event of a draw at the completion of the Semis and Grand Final game, 3 minute extra time will be played with the last minute fully timed. If still a draw after extra time, play continues with **Golden Point** to decide winner.
8. Games start with a jump ball then direction arrows are used to determine possession of the ball.
9. **Personal & Team Fouls for all games including semis & finals**
 - 4 personal fouls **per game** = withdrawal from game
 - 5 team fouls per half – bonus shots on the 6th and subsequent fouls.
10. Zone defence is not allowed.
11. The Cross Court rule **WILL NOT** apply for Yr 3/4
12. The Cross Court rule **WILL** apply for Yr 5/6
13. The 3 second Key rule **WILL NOT** apply - although we do not play the **3 seconds in the key** rule, coaches are encouraged to play in the right spirit of the game and not have someone stay in the offensive end of the court. Referees will be instructed to speak to players or coaches if they are not returning to the defensive end of the court.
14. No three pointers.
15. All jewellery must be removed before students take the court to play. No braids or plaits in hair as they can whip other players in the face.
16. **ONLY** the team manager (teacher) may approach the organiser if there is a concern.
17. Any disputes will be settled by the disputes committee on the day. Disputes must be logged within 15 mins of the completion of the game.
18. CSSA code of conduct applies for players, coaches and spectators.

Mercy Rule (Round Games only): If a team is leading by **10 points**, the team leading **takes off one player** and defends from halfway. The player can return when the lead is less than 10 points. If the lead increases to 16 points the leading team takes off a 2nd player. The player can return when the lead is less than 16 points. The maximum number of players to be taken off is 2. ie. 3 players on the court.





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If **TWO teams** finish on equal points at the end of the round robin phase, the team to progress through will be determined by:

1. **Head to Head game played in the pool game**

If there is still no clear placing, then positions will be determined by:

2. Points Differential – Points/Goals For subtract Points/Goals Against
3. Points/Goals scored Against
4. Points/Goals scores For
5. Team that scored 1st in head to head game – *if recorded*
6. Coin Toss

If **THREE teams** finish on equal points at the end of the round robin phase, the team to progress through will be determined by:

1. **Points Differential** – Points/Goals For subtract Points/Goals Against

If there is still no clear placing, then positions will be determined by:

2. Head to Head game played in the pool game
3. Points/Goals scored Against
4. Points/Goals scores For
5. Team that scored 1st in head to head game – *if recorded*
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Points: Win = 3 points Draw = 2 points Loss = 1 point Forfeit = 0 points

Score Sheets Scoresheets are the official record of the game.
The winning team must return the score sheet to the results table.

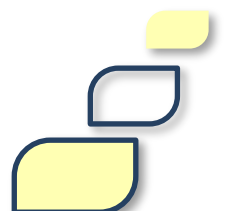
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On-line TEAM Registration

Please go to the following link for the on-line **TEAM** registration:

www.cssa.net.au/index.php/primary-term-4

Entries close Monday 4 November 2024

Late entries will not be accepted

CSSA does not provide Personal/Accident Insurance Cover

As a CSSA Member school we are aware that all teachers/parents/volunteers that we send to a carnival or sporting event have completed a "Working with Children" prohibited employment form.

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