



St Bernard's College Sports Department

Character

Attitude

Commitment

No

Excuses!

Weekly Sports Results 15th May – 21st May 2017

Hockey

1st XI played Wellington College 5 on Wednesday evening. The team continues to develop and once again had a comprehensive win. The boys are really playing as a team and sticking to plans put in place, which is seeing them play some excellent hockey.

St Bernard's College 9 (Justin Smith 4, Orban Waitaiki-Messenger 2, & Callum Arnot, Colin Angus & Josh Payne 1 each)
Wellington College 0



Basketball

A good week for our basketball teams producing 6 wins from 10 games.

It was the final grading game for our Senior teams, we now wait to see the grades they will be playing in.

Juniors have another week of grading games and while we may not be as strong as previous years we look forward to watching the development of these boys.

Our feature game is our Junior 3 team, who are the first Junior team to record a win this year. Excitement all around from the outset, as the starting line-up got the team off to a great start causing havoc on both ends, forcing turnovers and scoring at will.

Baskets were a plenty which enabled the coaches Bruce Tuuga and Whatukura Ratana to rotate the subs. St Pat's Stream eventually scored their first basket and they too started to hit their straps, but it was too late as Taylor Porter-Samuels was proving a handful for the opposition. Top game from Nesian Sydney and Brooklyn Loau and well supported by Titus Goh.

Intermediate:

Results: Red – won, Green – won

Juniors:

Results: St Bernard's 1 vs Paraparaumu 73-68 loss, St Bernard's 2 vs Naenae N/R, St Bernard's vs Silverstream 5, 43-26 win

Seniors:

Results: St Bernard's vs St Pat's Town 2, 67-51 win, St Bernard's 2 vs Aotea win, St Bernard's 3 vs HVHS 4 win, St Bernard's 4 vs HVHS 5, 85-24 loss.

Football

This Saturday's results were an improvement on last week. We picked up one victory and 3 losses. The two home games were exciting affairs.

The 1st XI lost 1-8 to St Pat's Town 2. Injuries, players not arriving on time and players out on extracurricular activities meant that we had to field 9 players. These players played with extreme pride and passion and the opposition had to work very hard for every goal. Every player wore the SBC crest with honour and our team work was brilliant.

The 2nd XI came up against a team of year 13 players with 4 years of combination behind them. We fought all game but their speed and rapid movement into space meant that we were always chasing them. We lost 2-8 but we didn't stop attacking and our two goals were very well taken.

The 3rd XI had their 2nd win with a 5-3 victory against Aotea 2. Our ball skills were very good and we constantly attacked the opposition.

The J1 bounced back nicely from last week's big loss with a 2-6 loss to Rongotai 2. Our defensive patterns were much better and we closed down the opposition quickly and efficiently. Hunter Locke continued with his extraordinary feat of having scored in every fixture. This team shows great heart and spirit and epitomises our pride and passion in wearing the blue and gold colours.

Rugby

The 1st XV played Porirua College on Saturday and drew 17 all. A tough fought battle with the winner to qualify for division 1. Unfortunately, Porirua scored 3 tries to our 2 and on this basis they move forward into division 1. The boys and coaching staff are very disappointed not to make division 1 but will be working hard to make a strong showing in the second division.

St Bernard's 17 (Usu Brown, Mika Alaifatu tries, Te Aorere Wanoa two conversions) Porirua College 17

The 2nd XV played Hutt Valley High School 2nd XV on Saturday. In the first half we put pressure on our opposition which forced errors, we were able to capitalise on and turn into points. In the second half we continued where we left off and came away with a 61-12 victory. We played extremely well throughout the game and look forward to continued success.

The under 65 team have won their second and final grading game against Scots College 32-7. The day was cold and wet, perfect for forward pack rugby. Scots opened the scoring with a converted try, we hit back quickly with a try in the corner. Despite an early yellow card the boys were unable to capitalise and went into half time trailing by 2. The second half saw a resurgent pack dominate possession and territory with the Patterson brothers and Colin Angus dominating play in the loose.

St Bernard's College 32 (Colin Angus 2, Gabriel Bush, Josh Patterson, Taiki Ranginui tries, Theo Van Ooyen conversion) Scots College 7

Judo

Congratulations to Daniel Lloyd who has recently competed in two competitions.

Wellington Open: Bronze in the Cadet Men Open division.

North Wellington Open: Gold in his Senior Men weight division, Gold in his Junior Men weight division, Bronze in his Cadet Men weight division, Bronze in the Cadet Men Open division.

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