SCHOOL SPORT AUSTRALIA

GAMES

SOFTBALL
EVENT PROGRAM

NEWCASTLE, NEW SOUTH WALES 2026

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

School Sport Australia respectfully acknowledges the Wurundjeri Woi-Wurrung people, one of the 5 clans that make up the Kulin Nation, the Traditional Owners of the lands on which School Sport Australia Games 05 will take place.

School Sport Australia recognises their enduring connection to the land, seas, and waterways, which have always been places of community, culture and education.

We pay our respects to their ancestors and Elders past and present, and extend our acknowledgement and respect to all Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people.

SCHOOL SPORT AUSTRALIA STUDENT PLEDGE

On behalf of all the students at the School Sport Australia Games 2026 in the city of Newcastle, New South Wales , together we aspire to achieve our highest level of personal performance and conduct. We promise:

• To represent our teams with pride
• To co-operate with all officials
• To respect and abide by the rules that govern these Championships in the best traditions ofthe sport
• And, above all, enjoy ourselves.

Note: All information accurate at the time of publishing

OFFICIALS' INFORMATION

SCHOOL SPORT AUSTRALIA	
Role	**Name**
President	Graeme Jennings
Executive Officer	Phil Reeves
Events Manager	Andrew Comley
Communications Officer	Zoee Forder

ORGANISING COMMITTEE	
Role	**Name**
National Sport Advisor	Merril Lloyd
Championship Convenor	Susan Brasier
Umpire-in-Chief	David Crowe

STUDENT OFFICIALS

STATE	FIRST NAME	SURNAME	SCHOOL NAME
NSW	Amber	McRae	Glenwood High School
NSW	Sarah	Lowe	Hills Adventist College
NSW	Chloe	Farrar	Warners Bay High School
NSW	Harry	White	Wollondilly Anglican College
QLD	Archie	Kearton	St Edmund's College
QLD	Alexander	Murphy	Springfield Central State High School

COMPETING TEAMS

Australian Capital Territory (ACT)	**New South Wales (NSW)**
Queensland (QLD)	**South Australia (SA)**
Victoria (VIC)	

VENUE

Newcastle District Softball Association Stevenson Park	62/78 Stevenson Ave, Mayfield West NSW 2304

SCHEDULE

Sports/Date	24/10	25/10	26/10	27/10	28/10	29/10	30/10
Basketball							
Cricket							
Football (Soccer)							
Golf							
Hockey							
Softball							
Touch Football							

Legend

- Team Arrival Day
- Opening Ceremony (combined)
- Day of Competition
- Championship Team Experience
- Final competition day and Closing Ceremony (each sport separate)

GRAEME JENNINGS

President of SSA

President's Welcome – School Sport Australia Games 05

On behalf of the Board of School Sport Australia, it is my great pleasure to welcome all students, team officials, families and supporters to the 2026 School Sport Australia Games 05 in Newcastle, NSW.

The School Sport Australia Games provide exceptional student experiences through representative school sport, bringing together seven sports in one city to celebrate excellence, teamwork and the pride of representing your state or territory. Being selected to compete at these Games is a significant achievement and recognition of your commitment, talent and dedication. I encourage every student to embrace this opportunity, compete with integrity and make the most of every experience both on and off the field of play.

School Sport Australia sincerely thanks the City of Newcastle for its generous support and assistance in making these Games possible. We particularly want to thank their cooperation in providing or sourcing the venues to make the games possible. A big thank you to all the clubs, associations and staff for being such wonderful hosts and providing their facilities.

We also acknowledge and thank our valued partners—Struddys, HART Sport and WinkiPop Media —for their ongoing commitment to representative school sport and to creating outstanding experiences for our students.

Finally, thank you to our member bodies, host organisers, officials, volunteers, coaches and managers whose dedication ensures the continued success of these Games.

Congratulations to every student selected to participate. Represent your state or territory with pride, respect your fellow competitors and officials, and enjoy what promises to be an unforgettable School Sport Australia Games experience.

Graeme Jennings
President, School Sport Australia

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COUNCILLOR GAVIN MORRIS

Lord Mayor- City of Newcastle

Welcome from the City of Newcastle

On behalf of the City of Newcastle and our community, I am delighted to welcome you to the 2026 School Sport Australia Games.

It is a privilege for our city to host this prestigious national event, bringing together talented young athletes, their families and supporters from across Australia. The Games are a celebration of talent, determination and sportsmanship, and we are proud that Newcastle has been chosen to host such an inspiring event.

Newcastle has a proud sporting culture and a strong commitment to supporting young people to achieve their best. Our community has produced world-class athletes, including Belinda Clark (Cricket), Emily Van Egmond (Football - Soccer) and Nathan Green (Golf).

We are thrilled that participants will have the opportunity to compete at our outstanding sporting facilities while also experiencing everything our vibrant city has to offer.

From our beautiful coastline and beaches to our rich history, culture and welcoming community, we hope you take the opportunity to explore Newcastle and enjoy your time in our city.

To all students, congratulations on being selected to represent your state or territory.

Reaching this level is a wonderful achievement, and you should be incredibly proud of the dedication and commitment that has brought you here. You are an inspiration to your peers, both on and off the sporting field.

I also extend my thanks to School Sport Australia, and the many volunteers, officials, coaches, supporters and sponsors whose efforts make these Games possible.

We wish you every success throughout the Games and hope you create wonderful memories during your time in Newcastle. We look forward to welcoming you and hope you will return again to explore even more of our wonderful city.

Welcome, enjoy, and good luck!

GAVIN MORRIS

Gavin Morris.

LORD MAYOR & COUNCILLOR, CITY OF NEWCASTLE

City of Newcastle

MERRIL LLOYD

National Sports Advisor - Welcome

It is with great pride and pleasure that I welcome our student athletes, coaches, managers, umpires, officials, families and supporters to Newcastle for the 2026 School Sport Australia Softball National Championships.

There is something truly special about a national championship. It brings together young athletes from across Australia, united by their passion for softball, their commitment to excellence and the honour of representing their state or territory. It is where preparation meets opportunity, determination is tested, friendships are formed and memories are created that will last a lifetime.

For every athlete who steps onto the diamond, this moment represents an achievement worth celebrating. Behind every representative uniform are countless hours of training, personal sacrifices, challenges overcome and the unwavering encouragement of those who have supported the journey. Selection is an achievement in itself, but what truly defines an athlete is how they embrace the opportunity that follows.

Throughout these championships, we will witness outstanding skill, fierce competition and moments of individual brilliance. However, the greatest achievements will not always be reflected on the scoreboard. They will be found in the courage to persevere when challenged, the willingness to put teammates before personal success, the respect shown to opponents and officials, and the character displayed in both victory and defeat.

Championships may be remembered for the teams that win, but their true legacy lies in the people they help shape.
This is the enduring value of school sport. Through competition, young people discover their capabilities, develop resilience, build confidence and learn lessons that extend far beyond the sporting arena. School Sport Australia provides a pathway that not only nurtures sporting talent but also develops the qualities of leadership, integrity, teamwork and respect that will serve our students throughout their lives.

The success of a national championship is never the achievement of one individual or organisation. I extend my sincere appreciation to School Sport Australia, School Sport New South Wales, the championship organising committee, the local softball community and the dedicated volunteers who have contributed their time, expertise and energy to bringing this event together. I also acknowledge the commitment of our coaches, managers, umpires and technical officials, whose professionalism and passion continue to strengthen the foundations of school softball across Australia.

To the families and supporters, your contribution deserves special recognition. Behind every young athlete is a network of people who have encouraged their ambitions, celebrated their achievements and supported them through challenges. Your commitment makes opportunities such as these possible.

To our athletes, I encourage you to make the most of every moment. Compete with intensity, play with integrity and wear your representative colours with pride. Challenge yourself, encourage your teammates, respect your opponents and appreciate the privilege of being part of a national championship.

Most importantly, remember that while medals recognise achievement, it is your attitude, character and the way you conduct yourself that will leave the greatest impression.

Be proud of where you have come from, give everything to the opportunity before you, and leave these championships knowing you have represented yourself, your team and your state or territory with distinction.

As we gather in Newcastle, let us celebrate not only the talent and competitive spirit of our young athletes, but also the shared values and connections that make the Australian school sport community so special.

I wish every team a safe, successful and memorable championship. May the competition be spirited, the friendships enduring and the experiences unforgettable.

Merril Lloyd
School Sport Australia
National Softball Advisor

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CODES OF CONDUCT

School Sport Australia offers the sporting ideals of fairness, honesty and integrity which are central to the code of practice for students, officials, parents and spectators.

Players' Code of Conduct

- Play by the rules with respect, integrity, fairness and be a good sport.
- Be modest in victory and gracious in defeat.
- Control your conduct and behaviour on and off the field.
- Play for enjoyment and learn to value honest effort, skilled performance, and improvement.
- Strive for personal excellence and work hard for your team as well as yourself.
- Do not use bad language or make derogatory remarks.
- Treat your opponent with respect, this being the way you would like to be treated.
- Accept and respect all officials' decisions and always communicate in a positive manner.
- Show respect and acknowledge your opposition and the event officials at the conclusion d of each game.
- Adhere to all School Education Policies regarding appropriate conduct and behaviour.

Officials Code of Conduct

- Ensure that all students within your responsibility have fair and equitable opportunities for participation and development of their individual and team skills.
- Adopt a student-centered focus on all planning, decision making and evaluation.
- Ensure everyone involved, including parents and spectators, understand their responsibilities regarding fair play and appropriate conduct.
- Encourage a positive attitude towards school sport.
    - ✔️ emphasise fun and enjoyment.
    - ✔️ encourage both teams.
    - ✔️ set a good example.
    - ✔️ encourage the pursuit of personal excellence.
    - ✔️ teach students to be respectful towards officials and opponents.
    - ✔️ addressing and encouraging positive conduct of students
- Be consistent, respectful, and helpful toward all participants.
- Ensure that the appropriate Risk Management Plans and Procedures are adhered to.
- Adhere to their respective Education Department Policies regarding appropriate conduct.

Parents and Spectators Code of Conduct

- Demonstrate appropriate conduct throughout the event including displaying good sportsmanship.
- Be respectful in communication remembering students play for enjoyment.
- Encourage honest effort, skilled performance and team loyalty.
- Support skilled performances and team play.
- Do not interfere with the conduct of any championships.
- Adhere to the respective Education Department Policies regarding appropriate conduct.
- Event officials are not to be approached – Team Officials should be the first point of contact.

Inappropriate Conduct whilst on the SSA event site, includes, but is not confined to:

- Having or consuming alcohol
- Having or using non-prescribed illegal drugs or illicit substances
- Smoking
- Vaping
- Sexual activities and harassment
- Criminal offences including vandalism
- Use of abusive language including swearing or abusing others
- Physical violence to others
- Harassment, bullying or vilification toward others including the use of social media.
- Unethical behaviour / Poor sportsmanship or cheating
- Disregarding State / Territory team guidelines
- Refusing to comply with instructions.

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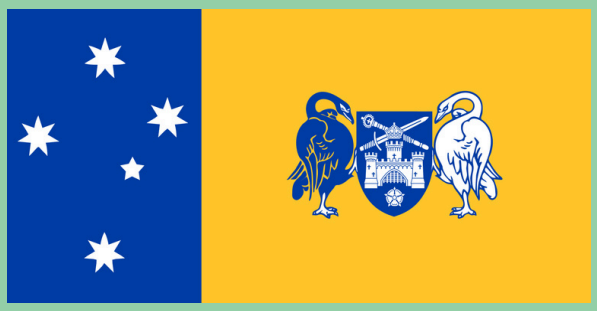
CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRAM

Competing Teams	
12 Years and Under Boys	**12 Years and Under Girls**
Australian Capital Territory (ACT)	Australian Capital Territory (ACT)
New South Wales (NSW)	New South Wales (NSW)
Queensland (QLD)	Queensland (QLD)
South Australia (SA)	South Australia (SA)
Victoria (VIC)	Victoria (VIC)

Sunday, 25 October	**Opening Ceremony and Games Festival**			
Monday, 26 October		**Boys**		**Girls**	
		Diamond #1	**Diamond #5**	**Diamond #2**	**Diamond #3**
	9:00am	NSW v VIC	QLD v ACT	NSW v SA	VIC v QLD
		BYE: SA		*BYE: ACT*	
	11:00am	VIC v SA	ACT v NSW	NSW v QLD	ACT v SA
		BYE: QLD		*BYE: VIC*	
Tuesday, 27 October	9:00am	QLD v NSW	SA v ACT	VIC v NSW	ACT v QLD
		BYE: VIC		*BYE: SA*	
	11:00am	ACT v VIC	SA v QLD	NSW v ACT	SA v VIC
		BYE: NSW		*BYE: QLD*	
	1:30pm	SA v NSW	QLD v VIC	VIC v ACT	QLD v SA
		BYE: ACT		*BYE: NSW*	
Wednesday, 28 October	**Championship Team Experience Day**			
Thursday, 29 October	9:00am	VIC v ACT	QLD v SA	SA v NSW	QLD v VIC
		BYE: NSW		*BYE: ACT*	
	11:00am	NSW v ACT	SA v VIC	ACT v VIC	SA v QLD
		BYE: QLD		*BYE: NSW*	
	1:30pm	VIC v NSW	ACT v QLD	QLD v NSW	SA v ACT
		BYE: SA		*BYE: VIC*	
Friday, 30 October	9:00am	NSW v QLD	ACT v SA	VIC v SA	ACT v NSW
		BYE: VIC		*BYE: QLD*	
	11:00am	NSW v SA	VIC v QLD	NSW v VIC	QLD v ACT
		BYE: ACT		*BYE: SA*	
	Closing Ceremony (approx. 1:00pm)			

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY



BOYS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
3	Beau	Hardy	Marist College Canberra
4	Ryan	Williams	Holy Spirit Primary School
11	Hudson	Linton-Smith	Mount Rogers Primary School
13	William	Childs	St Edmund' College Canberra
17	Ted	Sheehan	Maribyrnong Primary School
19	Spencer	Hallam	Holy Spirit Primary School
23	Archer	Kirkpatrick	Holy Spirit Primary School
24	Brody	Kimber	Harrison School
28	Grayson	Clark	Fraser Primary School
32	Thomas	Williams	Holy Spirit Primary School
33	Cameron	Maxwell	St Francis Xavier College
67	Jack	Folkard	Macquarie Primary School
99	Dylan	Tregilgas	Charnwood-Dunlop School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Boys Coach	Emma	Housden	Maribyrnong Primary School
Boys Manager	Deb	Sayers	Macgregor Primary School

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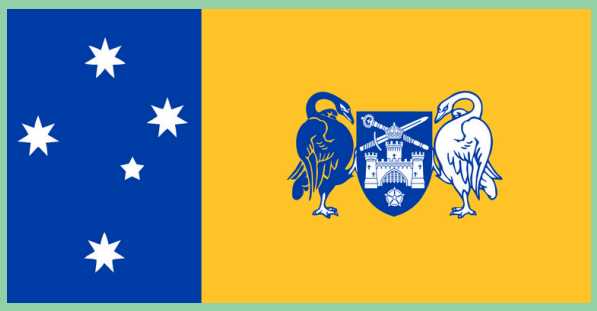
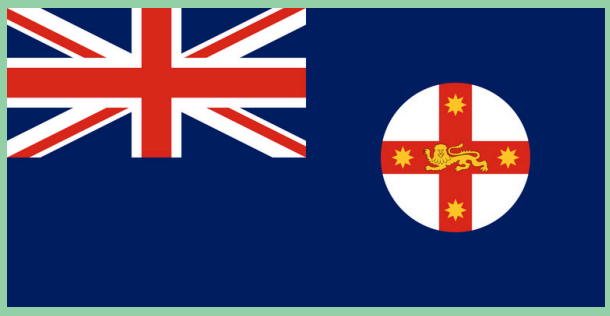


GIRLS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
1	Scarlet	Best	Lyneham Primary School
2	Reese	Byrne	Calwell High School
3	Macy	Kirkpatrick	Holy Spirit Primary School
5	Gemma	Farmer	Margaret Hendry School
6	Emily	Goolagong	Sts Peter & Paul Primary School
7	Zoey	Robinson	Radford College
8	Hannah	Jones	Wanniassa Hills Primary School
9	Scarlett	Miller	Holy Spirit Primary School
10	Luna	Wilkinson-Shore	Yarralumla Primary School
11	Eloise	Williams	St Clare's College
15	Quinn	Tomlinson	Shirley Smith High School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Girls Coach	Benjamin	Slater	
Girls Manager	Kate	Greeney	Gungahlin College

NEW SOUTH WALES



BOYS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
	Alexi	Fils-Aime	Shire Christian School
	Bailey	Khodaverdian	Toukley Public School
	Elijah	Kunzle	Nepean Christian School
	Henry	Blacklow	Orange Public School
	Hudson	Castillo	St Josephs Catholic Primary School
	Hunter	De Jesus	Ruse Public School
	Jude	McAlister	Macarthur Anglican School
	Liandro	Lopez	Thomas Hassall Anglican College
	Logan	Mills	Orange Public School
	Mason	Chamberlain	West Pymble Public School
	Oscar	Crellen	Orange Public School
	Samuel	Thompson	Manly West Public School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Boys Coach	Bree	Trim	St John the Baptist Primary School
Boys Manager	Breanna	Evans	Thomas Hassall Anglican College

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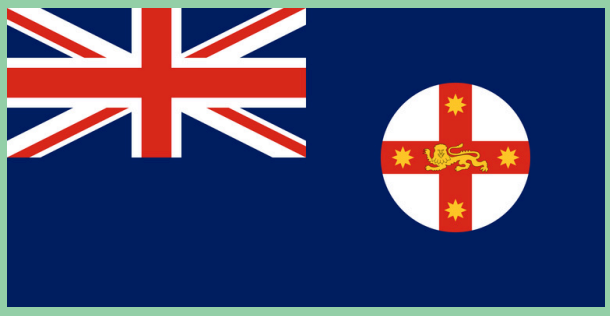
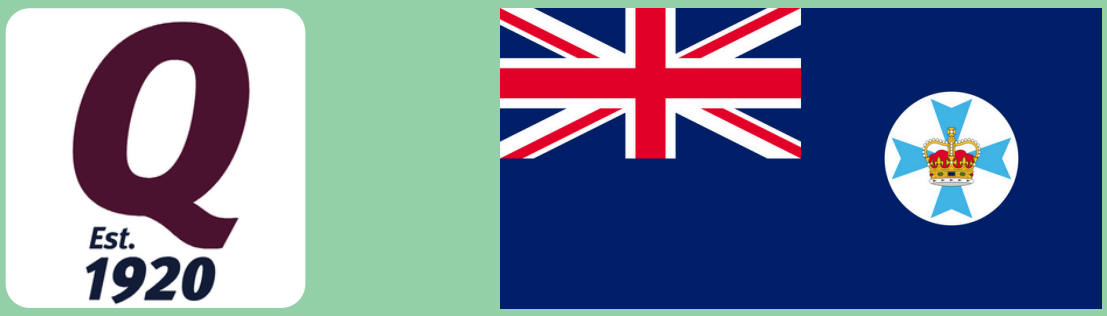


GIRLS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
	Abbey	Stott	Roseville Public School
	Aria	Stewart	Bligh Park Public School
	Arianna	Zhang	St Luke's Grammar School
	Eloise	Collins	St Luke's Grammar School
	Hannah	Mildwater	St Luke's Grammar School
	Harlowla	Rennie	Mona Vale Public School
	Kayley	Duroy	Walters Road Public School
	Kiara	Cimino	Narraweena Public School
	Lilia	Araki	Artarmon Public School
	Nikieta	Rajeevan	Shelley Public School
	Taylor	Lynch	St Christopher's Catholic Primary School
	Zara	Thomas	Ingleburn Public School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Girls Coach	Dylan	Crisp	St Mary's Catholic School Georges Hall
Girls Manager	Melanie	Currie	Brunswick Heads Public School

QUEENSLAND



BOYS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
1	Eli	Van De Griendt	Alexandra Hills High School
2	Ethan	Yates	Brightwater State School
3	Atticus	McDonald	Indooroopilly State High School
4	George	Cross	Mundubbera State College
5	Henry	Haimotu	Griffin State School
6	Joshua	Koeppe	Toowomba Grammar Junior College
7	Cormac	O'Flaherty	Gladstone State High School
8	Matthew	Fogg	St Eugene College
9	Maddox	Lyons	Marshall Road State School
10	Yuki	Kobayashi	Brisbane Boys College
11	Madden	Harding	Kallangur State School
12	Noah	Dean	Cordina State School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Boys Coach	Tracey	Stanieg	Hermit Park State School
Boys A/Coach	Brooke	Roza	Bellmere State School
Boys Manager	Caitlin	Wilesmith	Cleveland State School
Boys Statistician	Tania	Fanning	Kin Kora State School

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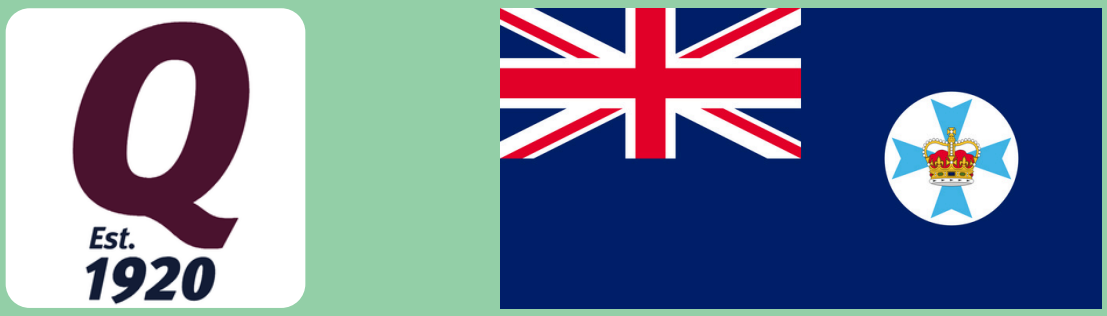

GIRLS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
1	Maddison	Thorburn	Everton Park State School
2	Laycee	Anderson	Ipswich State High School
3	Dani-Maree	Baker	Kirwan State School
4	Sage	Davey	Redland Bay State School
5	Madelyn	Dillon	Pioneer State High School
6	Bella	Johnson	Riverside Christian College
7	Mia	Lesa	Mount Warren Park State School
8	Ava	Neden	Queens Beach State School
9	Jemma	Condran	Aspley State High School
10	Chloe	Reis	Holy Spirit College
11	Gypsy	Guthrie	Scarborough State School
12	Kesha	Tanzer	Mundubbera State College
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Girls Coach	Matthew	Harrison	Hermit Park State School
Girls A/Coach	Allison	Vance	Paluma Environmental Education Centre
Girls Manager	Nicola	Moores	Woorabinda State School
Girls Statistician	Fiona	Goffer	Community

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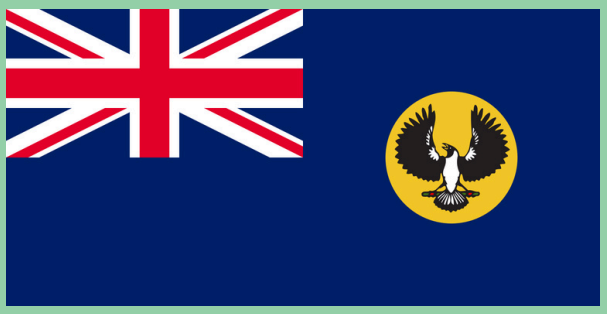

BOYS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
3	Kade	Grund	Pimpala Primary School
5	Isaac	Nielsen	St Francis School
6	Eddy	Dawson	West Lakes Shore Primary School
7	Taylor	Marsh	Woodcroft Primary School
9	Miles	Johnston	West Lakes Shore Primary School
13	Dylan	Carter	Seaton High School
16	James	Harrington	Cabra Dominican College
49	Drew	Costa	Grange Primary School
55	Thomas	Flood	West Lakes Shore Primary School
67	Austin	Flint	St Michaels College Primary Campus
72	Ari	Lewis	St John the Baptist Catholic School
83	Lukasz	Wloch	Xavier College
88	Isaac	Alderdice	Belair Primary School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Boys Coach	Anthony	Worden	Plympton Primary School
Boys Manager	Kylie	Verhagen	

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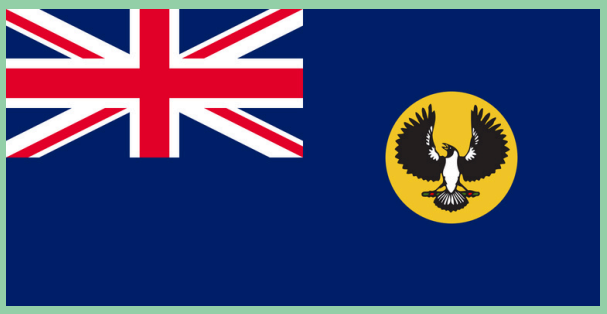

GIRLS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
8	Zara	Hadzie-Fendic	North Haven Primary School
10	Emilee	Gough	Dominican School
11	Imogen	Wadham	Pulteney Grammar School
12	Sadie	Deer	Mitcham Girls High School
14	Rena	Bradshaw	Westminster School
18	Aryia	Beazley	Xavier College
32	Darcy	McLean	Scotch College
61	Ariana	Badman	Trinity College South
72	Anavieve	Taylor	Highgate School
81	Madeline	Clarke	North Adelaide Primary School
91	Marley	Hinrichs-Wing	Craigburn Primary School
94	Addison	Wain	Ridgehaven Primary School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Girls Coach	Lynette	Callaghan	Northfield Primary School
Girls Manager	Rowena	Trevaskis	

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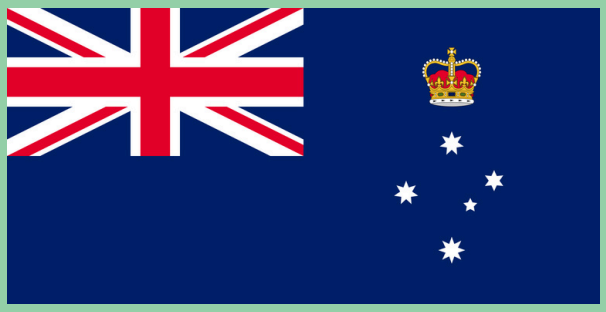

BOYS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
1	Xavier	Silom	St Paul's School
2	Lucas	Giles	Montmorency Primary School
3	Oscar	Allen	Old Orchard PrimarySchool
4	Jonty	Buys	Eltham College
14	Oliver	Johns	Manifold Heights Primary School
16	Ryan	Hardy	Baxter Primary School
21	Lewis	Watt-Sinclair	Rangeview Primary School
22	William	Loveridge	Kyneton Primary School
25	Christopher	Lygris	Coatesville Primary School
27	Arhea	Hall	Rosanna Golf Links Primary School
31	Cooper	Hayle	Aspendale Primary School
49	Lachlan	Gardner	Macclesfield Primary School
59	James	Gilland	Rangeview Primary School
65	Aiden	Jeffree	Kingswood Primary School
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Boys Coach	Deborah	Ainslie	Westbourne Grammar School
Boys A/Coach	Lilia	Greene	
Boys Manager	Tony	Goodwin	

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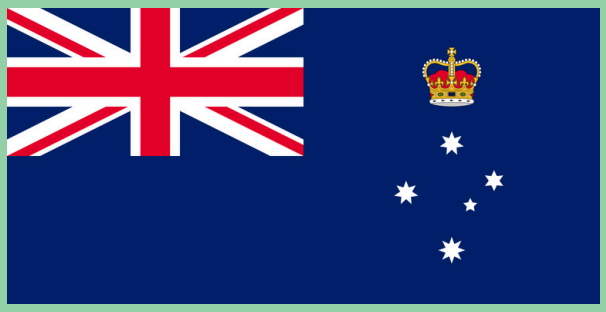


GIRLS TEAM			
#	**First Name**	**Surname**	**School**
3	Jennifer	Xing	Presbyterian Ladies' College
5	Rylee	McMillan	Bass Valley Primary School
10	Hannah	Rynberk	Park Ridge Primary School
12	Aria	Tangohau	Bass Valley Primary School
14	Khloe	Barnsley-McLean	Somerville Primary School
21	Ellie	Kovacevic	Bass Valley Primary School
22	Kalani	Knapp	Bass Valley Primary School
27	Chelsea	Chambers	Newhaven College
29	Amber	Mau	Rangeview Primary School
30	Zoey	Ung	St John Vianney's School
33	Emily	DeVItt	Viewbank Primary School
34	Edeline	Sheard	Templestowe College
Role	**First Name**	**Surname**	**Organisation**
Girls Coach	Danielle	Rigg	
Girls A/Coach	Aleisha	Dakin	Overnewton Anglican Community College
Girls Manager	Andrea	Mansfield	Lynbrook PS
Student A/Coach	Madison	Dakin-Telford	

CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM EXPERIENCE

Venue: Newcastle City Hall
Location: 289 King Street, Newcastle NSW 2300, Australia
Date: Wednesday, 28 October 2026

Students will enjoy an educational Championship Team Experience at the iconic Newcastle City Concert Hall.

The experience includes:
Over a 90 minute period, students will participate in a series of 4 interactive workshops delivered by field experts from the University of Newcastle. These workshops include the following areas:
Strong, Safe and Ready to Play | Fuel for Performance
Mentally Fit to Play | Every Player Leads

Duration:
Approximately 1.5 hours

Arrival
Arrive 20 minutes before your allocated session time.
Meet your Team Officials on the East Side of Newcastle City Hall, in the Wheeler Plaza precint.

Departure
Teams will exit the Newcastle City Hall via the main entrance/exit under the supervision of their Team Officials.

Team Officials
Team Officials are asked to:
Supervise and support students throughout the Experience.
Monitor student wellbeing and behaviour.
Liaise with SSA staff if assistance is required.

Detailed operational information has been provided to Team Officials separately.

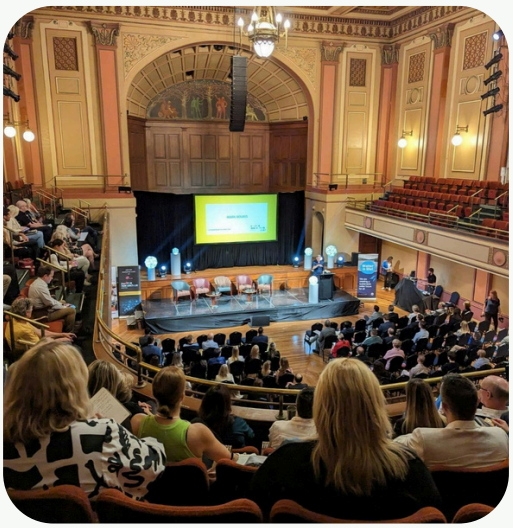
CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM EXPERIENCE

Group Information

Students and Team Officials will participate in the Championship Team Experience according to their allocated session group.

Softball teams have been allocated as follows:

Session	State	Team
8:30am – 10:00am	ACT	Boys
	VIC	Girls
10:30am – 12:00pm	ACT	Girls
	VIC	Boys
12:30pm – 2:00pm	NSW	Boys
2:30pm – 4:00pm	NSW	Girls
	QLD	Boys
	QLD	Girls
	SA	Boys
	SA	Girls



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LIVE STREAMING

SSATV, School Sport Australia's dedicated live-streaming platform, will once again broadcast SSAG 05 competition matches and events throughout the competition.

All participating students and Student Officials will receive individual access to SSATV coverage for their Championship. Please use the link below to watch games live and stay up to date with all the action.

SSAG05 MERCHANDISE

School Sport Australia is pleased to continue its partnership with Struddys as the official merchandise supplier for the SSA Games 05 in Newcastle, New South Wales.

Struddys will attend the Games with merchandise available for purchase at the Opening Ceremony and selected sporting venues.

Supporters can also purchase merchandise online before, during, and after the Games via the link below:

Struddys Online SSA Merchandise Store

Any merchandise purchased online prior to the Game can be collected from any Games Merchandise Tent.

Merchandise Schedule		
Date	**Sport / Event**	**Venue**
Sunday, 25 October	Opening Ceremony & Games Festival	No. 2 Sports Ground
Monday, 26 October	Touch Football	Newcastle City Touch Association
Tuesday, 27 October	Basketball	Newcastle Basketball Association
Wednesday, 28 October	Championship Team Experience	Newcastle City Hall
Thursday, 29 October	Softball	Newcastle District Softball Association
Friday, 30 October	Hockey	Newcastle International Hockey Centre

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HISTORY - PAST CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS - BOYS

Year	Venue	Winner	Runner Up
2024	Cairns, QLD	Queensland	New South Wales
2023	Adelaide, SA	New South Wales	South Australia
2022	Werribee, VIC	Queensland	New South Wales
2021	*****No Championships due to Covid Pandemic*****		
2020	*****No Championships due to Covid Pandemic*****		
2019	Bankstown, NSW	New South Wales	Queensland
2018	Canberra, ACT	New South Wales	Queensland
2017	Adelaide – PSG, SA	Queensland	New South Wales
2016	Werribee, VIC	** Joint winners ** New South Wales & Queensland	
2015	Adelaide – PSG, SA	New South Wales	Queensland
2014	Toowoomba, QLD	New South Wales	Queensland
2013	Blacktown, NSW	New South Wales	Queensland
2012	Hawker, ACT	** Joint winners ** New South Wales & Queensland	
2011	Melbourne, VIC	** Joint winners ** New South Wales & Queensland	
2010	Adelaide, SA	Queensland	New South Wales
2009	Brisbane, QLD	New South Wales	Australian Capital Territory
2008	Sydney, NSW	Victoria	
2007	Canberra, ACT	Australian Capital Territory	Victoria
2006	Melbourne, VIC	New South Wales	
2005	Adelaide, SA	New South Wales	
2004	Brisbane, QLD	New South Wales	

HISTORY - PAST CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS GIRLS

Year	Venue	Winner	Runner Up
2024	Cairns, QLD	Queensland	South Australia
2023	Adelaide, SA	Queensland	South Australia
2022	Werribee, VIC	New South Wales	Queensland
2021	*****No Championships due to Covid Pandemic*****		
2020	*****No Championships due to Covid Pandemic*****		
2019	Bankstown, NSW	New South Wales	Queensland
2018	Canberra, ACT	New South Wales	Queensland
2017	Adelaide – PSG, SA	New South Wales	Victoria
2016	Werribee, VIC	New South Wales & Queensland	
2015	Adelaide – PSG, SA	New South Wales & South Australia	
Year	Venue	Winner	Runner Up
2014	Toowoomba, QLD	New South Wales	Queensland
2013	Blacktown, NSW	New South Wales	Queensland & NSW Invitational
2012	Hawker, ACT	Australian Capital Territory	New South Wales
2011	Melbourne, VIC	New South Wales	Australian Capital Territory
2010	Adelaide, SA	New South Wales & Queensland	
2009	Brisbane, QLD	New South Wales	Queensland
2008	Sydney, NSW	New South Wales	
2007	Canberra, ACT	New South Wales	South Australia
2006	Melbourne, VIC	New South Wales	
2005	Adelaide, SA	New South Wales	
2004	Brisbane, QLD	New South Wales	
2003	Sydney, NSW	** Joint winners ** New South Wales & Queensland	
2002		Queensland	
2001		New South Wales	
2000	Adelaide, SA	** No winners awarded **	
1999	Melbourne, VIC	** No winners awarded **	
1998	Brisbane, QLD	New South Wales	
1997	Sydney, NSW	** Joint winners ** New South Wales & Queensland	
1996	Brisbane, QLD	Queensland	
1995	**** No Event Held ****		
1994	**** No Event Held ****		

HISTORY - PAST CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS GIRLS

Year	Venue	Winner
1993	Melbourne, VIC	Queensland
1992	Canberra, ACT	New South Wales
1991	Sydney. NSW	Queensland
1989		Queensland
1988	Adelaide, SA	Queensland
1987	Sydney, NSW	New South Wales
1986		New South Wales
1985		Queensland
1984		New South Wales & Queensland
1983		Queensland
1982		New South Wales
1981	Brisbane, QLD	Queensland
1980		Queensland
1979		Australian Capital Territory
1978		Queensland
1977		South Australia
1976		Queensland
1975		Queensland
1974		New South Wales
1973		Queensland
1972		Queensland

SSA 12 AND UNDER GIRLS SOFTBALL T I THOMPSON TROPHY 2017

3rd Place	Victoria
2nd Place	Queensland
1st Place	New South Wales

SSA 12 AND UNDER BOYS SOFTBALL NEVILLE WAGNER SHIELD 2017

3rd Place	Victoria
2nd Place	New South Wales
1st Place	Queensland

SERVICE AWARDS - SOFTBALL

Year	Name	State
Tony Black	VIC	2025
Roslyn Rowland	NSW	2024
Kate Greeney	ACT	2019
Susan Brasier	NSW	2018
Katheryn Stuart	NSW	2018
Gary Ogg	QLD	2016
Matthew Harrison	QLD	2016
Trish Fox	NSW	2016
Tracey Staneig	QLD	2014
Chris Gent	SA	2014
Chris Currie	ACT	2014
Debra Sayers	ACT	2013
Joan Medhurst	SA	2009
Dianne Phillips	QLD	2009
Andrea Thwaites	VIC	2008
Cathie Elsworth	NSW	2008
Jenny Murch	ACT	2008
Vicki Reeve	ACT	2007
Stuart Landis	QLD	2007
Sue Brandenburg	NSW	2007

SOFTBALL PLAYERS WHO PLAYED ELITE SPORT

Name	Gender	State
Natalie Ward	F	NSW
Brooke Wilkins	F	NSW
Natalie Titcume	F	NSW
Stacey Porter	F	NSW
Kaia Parnaby	F	NSW
Rachel Lack	F	NSW
Michelle Cox	F	NSW
Gabrielle Plain	F	NSW
Tarni Stepto	F	NSW
Kandra Lamb	F	NSW
Shannon Keevers	F	NSW
Clare Warwick	F	ACT
Justine Smethurst	F	VIC
Joyce Lester OAM	F	QLD
Tanya Harding	F	QLD
Kylie Cronk	F	QLD
Jade Wall	F	QLD
Stacey McManus	F	NSW
Vanessa Stokes	F	SA
Brooke Spence	F	QLD
Kirsten Pike	F	QLD
Jack Besgrove	M	NSW
Ashlee (Ash) Goffer	M	QLD
Cameron White	M	QLD
Lincoln Walk	M	QLD
Matthew Harrow	M	ACT
Layton Reid	M	QLD
Thomas (Tom) McCarroll	M	QLD
James Allen	M	QLD
Alex Duncalfe	M	QLD
Mason Malkoun	M	NSW
Cameron Baxter	M	NSW

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SCHOOL SPORT AUSTRALIA CHAMPIONSHIPS FEEDBACK

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New South Wales School Sport Unit	Hunter School Sport Association	Newcastle Basketball Association
Newcastle District Cricket Association	Newcastle District Cricket Umpires Association	Newcastle Olympic Football Club
Lambton Jaffas Football Club	Charlestown Golf Club and Driving Range	Newcastle International Hockey Centre
Newcastle District Softball Association	Football Northern New South Wales	Golf New South Wales
Hockey New South Wales	Softball Australia	Touch Football Australia