



From the Principal The SBHS School Council

Thank You

Staff & Students

The Chair of the SBHS School Council, on behalf of the 15 Councillors present at the meeting of 11 August, asked me to convey the School Council's appreciation and thanks to all staff and students for their efforts during this difficult phase of the Covid-19 pandemic. I would like to extend my thanks and congratulations to all staff and students who have been so cheerfully resilient during this prolonged period of disruption and anxiety.

School Response to Community Covid-19 Concerns



The P & C President, Geoff Waring, passed on to me parental concerns in relation to our anti-virus protocols at school. Given the heightened anxiety in our school community this week, I am responding to each of them.

Request for compulsory masks, temperature checks, frequent hand sanitiser.

As yet, schools do not have a policy of compulsory mask-wearing. At High, we have issued every staff member with two washable face masks. We have encouraged them to wear a mask if they choose to do so. We ask that students wear masks on public transport to and from schools. We have supplied each staffroom and sport MICs with non-contact thermometers. Students have their temperatures taken before being allowed into examinations. All staff have access to PPE and sanitising products. Hand sanitiser stations are set up around the school.

In so far as PPE and cleaning products, the school has expended and continues to expend considerable funds, time and effort, to maintain hygiene and safety, way beyond what the Department of Education has required or been providing. We cannot mandate anything beyond the Department of Education guidelines.

A page on the school website explaining how SBHS is handling Covid-19.

A link has been provided on the school's website front page www.sbhs.nsw.edu.au

An email address for parents to ask questions.
Administration@sbhs.nsw.edu.au

A reminder to keep boys with symptoms at home and get them tested.

I would like to remind parents to abide by the Health Department protocols and if their sons are unwell keep them at home. If they are COVID symptomatic, get them tested and supply the school with a negative test result in writing before they return to school. If students are sent to sick bay with symptoms and after assessment by a First Aid Officer are told that they need to go home and to be tested for Coronavirus, on return to school they must report to the office with a negative test result certificate before they will be allowed back to class. To be safe, we recommend that a student should email a scanned copy of the certificate to absences@sbhs.nsw.edu.au prior to returning to school.



An FAQ answering questions like if boys have a sore throat, can they come to school? Can they come if they wear a mask? This could be added to the existing FAQ.

The school does not comment on Department of Health guidelines and protocols. Parents are advised to access NSW Government advice at:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>

We recommend that students download the NSW Schools Updates app.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/parents-and-carers/nsw-school-updates-app>

AAGPS SPORTS UPDATE – 18 August

The AAGPS Chairman, Mr Mark Ticehurst, in consultation with the GPS Headmasters' Standing Committee, wishes to provide the following update regarding GPS sporting programmes in 2020:

In light of the NSW Health correspondence "Minimising Risk of COVID-19 Transmission in NSW School Communities", dated 14 August 2020, and in the best interest of the safety and welfare of our staff, students, volunteers and the entire AAGPS community and our many family and friends, The GPS Headmasters' Standing Committee has announced that all AAGPS 2020 winter sport competitions and fixtures will be suspended effective immediately. The remainder of the 2020 calendar will remain as per scheduled, with schools permitted to conduct sporting activities within current Government health and safety guidelines in preparation for the re-commencement of AAGPS sporting fixtures when it is deemed safe and appropriate to do so.

The AAGPS acknowledges that advice and the current situation has and will continue to change rapidly. As the situation evolves, the AAGPS will continue to monitor, and act accordingly throughout the remainder of 2020.

For further information or clarification, please contact Mr Mark Ticehurst, AAGPS Chairman on 0427 990 761, or Mr Nigel Price, Executive Officer on 0497 012 143.

Dr K A Jaggar
Principal

Yearly Reports - Clearance Forms - Year 12

Clearance forms for report collection will be issued during the coming weeks. Please ensure outstanding payments and due book returns are received **before** the clearance form is printed.

Sharon Kearns
SAM

Photos, photos, photos



Summer Sports Photos: Available for Order

Summer Sports photos for 2019/20 season are captioned and ready for viewing/ordering

To view & purchase your photos go to

www.melbastudios.com.au

School Orders

Password: high





From the Canteen

New Items on Menu

Have you tried our Homemade Butter Chicken, Jimbo Roll or Chicken Drumsticks with veggies? These are new. Make sure you pre-order.

Our canteen managers Karen Barry & Eirini Kallia are constantly adding new items to our already extensive and reasonably priced menu - soup, salad, hot and cold rolls, sushi, wraps, sandwiches, burger, rice and pasta. All of these are made in-house daily and comply with Healthy Canteen guidelines.

Parent Volunteers

Open daily from 8.30am, High Canteen raises substantial funds for school projects each year. This is possible only due to the generosity of our parent volunteers, who form the backbone of school canteen.

**WE LOVE
OUR VOLUNTEERS**

Each day, 3-4 parent volunteers are required to help prepare our extensive menu. Parents also serve at canteen windows during recess & lunch. This greatly reduces our operating costs and allows canteen to revert all profits to P&C.

If you have a few hours to spare each month, please ring 9662 9350 or email canteen@sbhs.nsw.edu.au. Many hands make light work. Full training will be provided, and language is no barrier.

We would like to acknowledge the following volunteers for the last two weeks:

MON: Kim Xie, Lisa Fackender, Roman Luchko
TUE: Beer Kow, Kannas Pang, Anna Xu
WED: Rowena Dixon, Janet Lam
THUR: Jenny Jin, Lilang wang
FRI: Fiona Yang, Daisy Du, Usha Arvind

MON: Anita Bu, Tania Kuskoff
TUE: Kathy Cowan, Penny Shi, Katherine Khoo
WED: Joanne Wong, Eve Chan, Lynn Teo
THUR: Rosaline Perry, Min Y Lin, Shirley Dai
FRI: Kim Le & Cecilia Chan



Orders Preferred

Thank you to the all students who have been placing lunch and recess orders daily either in person or online.

There is still plenty of capacity for pre-orders and we strongly encourage more families to opt for this method. It will help reduce food waste and streamline operations.

Collecting Lunch Orders

Please do not forget to pick up your orders. A number of students are failing to turn up. Any uncollected items will be sold. Refund will not be provided unless there is a valid reason.



Cashless Options

We also encourage students to use Student TAG to purchase items. This will minimise cash handling.

Canteen Committee

We are looking for a few more parents to join the canteen committee (affiliate of SBHS P&C). Meetings are now online (second Friday of most months) and most of the work can be done remotely. Thanks to Ning Gong (Year 7 parent/Vice President), Fan Chen (Year 10 Parent/Treasurer), Lisa Fackender (Year 10 Parent/Secretary) & Cecilia Chan (Year 7 Parent/Volunteer Coordinator) who will replace outgoing members.

Usha Arvind

President Canteen Committee



NEEDED



Term 3 Music Performance Program

*1-1 private instrumental lessons have resumed, onsite at Sydney Boys High School

*The following small ensembles have commenced rehearsals:

- Guitar Ensemble (Monday 7.45am – 8.45am & Monday 3.30pm – 4.30pm, Room 202)
- Percussion Ensemble (Wednesday 3.20pm-4.20pm, Room 201)
- Senior Strings (Friday 7.45am-8.45am, Room 101)

Please note:

Students should not be participating in private instrumental lessons and/or ensembles when they are unwell and/or are exhibiting flu-like symptoms (cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, fever or runny nose)

*Parents and Guardians will not be allowed on school site

*All other ensembles (choir, concert band, stage bands orchestras) will be postponed until further notice

*Students are to bring their own musical instrument(s), equipment and accessories (e.g. guitar picks, valve oil, mallets, drum sticks, guitar leads etc.) These will NOT be loaned and/or supplied by the Music Department

Music Performance Program – CANVAS

Attention Music Ensemble Students: If you are in the Music Ensembles Program and have not yet received a Music Performance Program Canvas invitation, please email the Music Department: music@sbhs.nsw.edu.au

Music Storage Room

Students and parents are reminded that SBHS does not provide instrument insurance or cover. The Music Department will not take responsibility for loss or damage whether on or off the school property.

2020-2021 Parent/Guardian Music News and Future Notifications

All future music news and notifications will be transitioned to **SZapp** at the start of 2021. There are currently two communication methods for parents and guardians, please see the two options below.

Option #1: Please download **SZapp** from the Apple App Store or Google Play and subscribe to **MUSIC**. Installation guide is in High Notes

*Option #2: Please send the following details to music@sbhs.nsw.edu.au if you would like to receive emails regarding the Music Performance Program only (i.e. Music Events e.g. Music Camp, Concerts, Workshops, Music Committee Meetings etc.).

- Email Subject Line: Music Contact List
- Student Name
- Student Year
- 1 x Parent/Guardian Name
- 1 x Contact Email Address

*Please note Option 2 – Emails will no longer be sent to parents and guardians from 2021. Please consider downloading **SZapp** as soon as possible.

If you would like to be removed from the Parent/Guardian Music Contact List, please email music@sbhs.nsw.edu.au

Term 3 Music Calendar

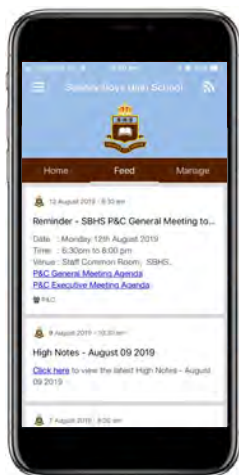
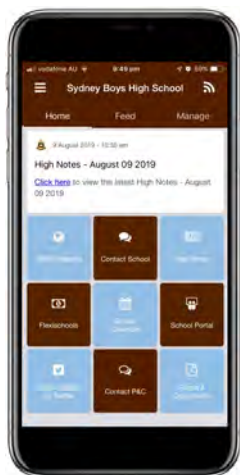
WEEK	DATE	TIME	EVENT	MUSIC STUDENTS INVOLVED
5B	Wed 19 August	12.10pm – 2.10pm	HSC Music 2 Aural & Musicology Trial Exam, Room 201	HSC Music 2 Students
6C	Tues 25 August	9.00am – 10.30am	HSC Music 1 Aural Trial Exam, Room 201	HSC Music 1 Students
8B-9C	TBC	TBC	HSC Music 1, 2 & Extension Practical Exams, Great Hall	HSC Music 1, 2 & Extension Students



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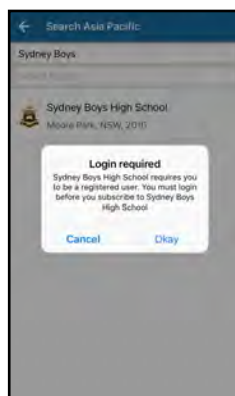
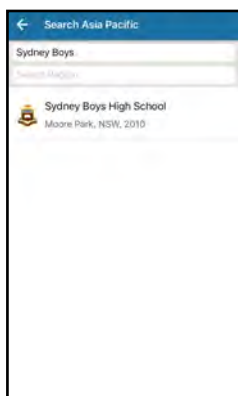
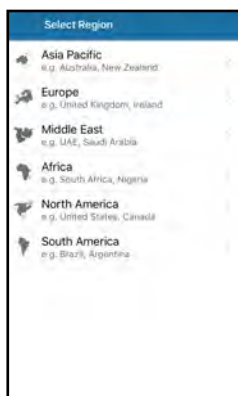
Download this App to be kept up to date with everything that is happening at **Sydney Boys High School**. It features School Calendar, School Newsletters, School Contacts, Documents, and Push Notification Alerts. Messages can be translated through the app into many different languages.

Installation Instructions



1. DOWNLOAD SZAPP

Search the App Store / Play Store for **SZapp**.
Download and install SZapp. **Install is Free.**

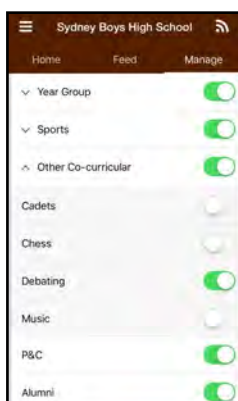
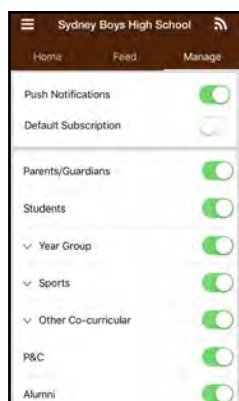


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Select Region: Asia Pacific
Sydney Boys High School

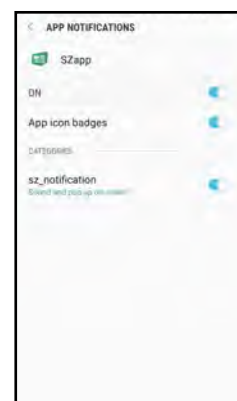
3. REGISTER A USER

You will need to register a user with your email or sign in with Google or Facebook.



4. MANAGE NOTIFICATIONS

Choose which group/s you would like to receive notifications from. Groups with arrows indicate that there are sub-groups which you can join.



5. CHECK SETTINGS FOR APP NOTIFICATIONS

Check your phone settings to allow for push notifications from SZapp.

For any further information see:

<http://www.schoolzineplus.com/app-faq>



**LASTING FRIENDSHIPS- HIGH SPIRIT-
PASSION – RESPECT -TEAMWORK
DISCIPLINE – INTEGRITY**

High Spirit
SBHS v Scots

Results

1st 5-41L

2nd 0-25L

3rd 5-70L

16As 5-22L

15As0-22L MOM Saxon G

14As 17-34L vs Kings

13As 41-17W vs Kings

MOM Naeer Nibras

1st XV

With injuries afflicting a few of our starters, we knew we had to work hard to compensate for our losses. Unfortunately, we were unable to achieve our desired results, conceding to a very disappointing loss. Much of our game was spent on the defending side, with a few lost possessions which severely threw us on the back foot. However, the few offensive plays we had were effective, capitalising on these opportunities to score a try. Ultimately, the game had alerted us about our need to maintain pressure on defence to reclaim possession, directly linked to our aerobic fitness. As a team, we will aim to improve our defence, to prevent future teams from easily spreading out wide.

Joshua Zhang (12R)



14As

The King's game started off with a bang. Christopher Santoso scored the first try. I am very proud of the defensive effort made by the boys this game. After another spectacular try scored by Santoso and this time converted by Harry Royal, King's came back with two tries. After half time we were poor winded with King's scoring another two tries. We regained our wind a bit after this to come back with yet another try by Santoso. However, in the end it was not enough to beat King's who won 34 – 17. It was still a fantastic effort by the boys with great improvements from the previous game, especially on the offensive end. And an especially spectacular performance from Christopher Santoso.

Aidan Wong (8M)

13As

After a two-week period with no games, the 13s were ready to go into their first proper AAGPS game. After a loss against St Andrews in a friendly trial, we were nervous but excited to play the Kings 13 Cs. We played exceptionally well, with a try in the first minute off the kick-off. By half time, we had already scored over 30 points. But at half time, we were asked to take some players off, as it wasn't fair. After every try we scored, 1 person went off. Soon, both props, a flanker, lock and a number eight were on the sideline. This left us with 4 forwards in scrums, with a couple of backs filling in for forwards, and in the lineouts, we had a flanker and a lock lifting up a winger.

Naeer Nibras, Boris Zhang and Oscar Chen were all excellent, Naeer scoring three tries in the first quarter, and Boris two. Oscar made some good tackles, and got into nearly every ruck. But with 4 forwards and the fly-half (who was sent off) watching from the sideline, Kings capitalised on our lack of players, scoring 3 tries at the end, but it wasn't enough. The final score was 41 – 17 to High.

Mitchell Roberts (7S)





SBHS Football Recap – Round 2 vs SCOTS

Saturday 15 August

This week marked the first game of the season for many of our teams. A fantastic day out on Saturday saw us achieve 11 wins and 4 draws from our 24 games played.

Congratulations to the 13B's and 13C's for winning their first ever GPS games. Special mention to Arko Mookherjee for scoring the games winning goal for the 13B's with the last kick of the match.

Some other notable performances included Andy Wang scoring two great goals from outside the box for the 14D's, Ryan Woo playing a stellar game for the 15A's, a hat-trick from Garry Liu in the 14C's, some great saves from Tariq Moollan (13C) and Eshaan Pathak (3rds) keeping a clean sheet and Arnav Bansal (2nds) and Charles Clay (1sts) for commanding the backline for opens.

A dominant display from our 2nd XI showed the great potential the squad has, despite the disappointing result. Joshua Suto slotted home our first goal of the season for the 1st XI, who put up a valiant fight right up until the final whistle.

Next week's fixtures will see our teams play against SHORE.

Sam Higgins
MIC Football



Football			
Team	Opponent	W/L/D	Result
1st	SCOTS	L	1-3
2nd	SCOTS	L	0-1
3rd	SCOTS	W	2-1
4th	SCOTS	W	1-0
5th	SCOTS	L	0-4
6th	SCOTS	D	0-0
7th	SCOTS	W	3-0
8th	SCOTS	W	8-0
16A	SCOTS	L	0-3
16B	SCOTS	L	1-2
16C	SCOTS	L	1-4
16D	SCOTS	D	2-2
16E	SCOTS		CANCELLED
16F	Trinity		CANCELLED
15A	KINGS	W	1-0
15B	SCOTS	D	2-2
15C	St Aloysius	W	1-0
15D	SCOTS	W	3-0
15E	St. Patrick's		CANCELLED
15F	-		CANCELLED
14A	SCOTS	L	0-2
14B	SCOTS	D	0-0
14C	SCOTS	W	6-1
14D	SCOTS	W	1-0
14E	Trinity		CANCELLED
14F	Trinity		CANCELLED
13A	SCOTS	L	0-1
13B	SCOTS	W	2-1
13C	SCOTS	W	3-0
13D	SCOTS	L	1-4



HIGH SAILING

Last Saturday was an important and rewarding session for our boys, giving us some crucial experience in light wind sailing in both a fleet and teams environment.

The morning's fleet racing against Scots and Cranbrook brought many notable results for our school. Despite the light conditions, we were able to fit in two races, and we maintained very strong positions in both. Arion Sclavenitis (11) took the 1st place position in the first race, and I won the second race. Jarrod Khaw (12) and Julian Alcorn (12) also held top three positions in both races.

In the afternoon we took part in a Teams racing training session. We refined our approach to the all-important start sequence, and practiced mark traps and penalties as well. This was a very rewarding session for those doing teams, and for the nine committed juniors who stayed back to practice their technique and boat speed.

Thank you again to our coaches Johanna and Hugo, our MIC Mr Cotton, and old boy Jack Vorgias for making sure things ran smoothly on Saturday.

Nicolas Palmer (12T)
1st Grade Vice Captain



Year 7 sailors in the optimist boats.



SBHS Fencing Report Saturday 15/08/2020 – NSWFA School Age Program – Team Competition Fixture 2:

Fencers:

SBHS Intermediate Foil Team:
(J. Pullinger, D. Johnsun, H. Lin, S. Zheng)

SBHS Senior Sabre Team:
(M. Lee, H. Guo, O. Shi, J. Ho)

SBHS Intermediate Sabre Team:
(E. Hong, S. Hui, D. Johnsun)

Senior Boys Sabre:
Newington B v SBHS: Victory 33 - 45

Intermediate Boys Sabre:
SBHS v Newington E: Victory 45 – 14
SBHS v Newington C: Victory 45 – 22

Intermediate Boys Foil:
SBHS v Newington C: Victory 45 – 26
Knox B v SBHS: SBHS Victory (Knox B forfeit)

U17 State Championship (Sabre)
On Sunday 16/08/2020
Congratulations to Yu Ming Lee (Year 10) who won Silver.

Please check the NSWFA website for full results and rankings once they have been updated:
<http://nswfencing.org.au>

Photos from the event and more information about our SBHS Fencing program can be found here:
<https://sbhsfencing.com>

Cindy Ho
SBHS Fencing Committee &
D. Huynh
MIC Fencing





**PHYSIOTHERAPIST SERVICE FOR
SYDNEY HIGH ATHLETES**

School Physio

**SBHS Gym Gallery
outside Room 901
School Term Mondays
7am-9am
Free of charge**

No need for an appointment
Priority given to 1st and 2nd Grade Athletes

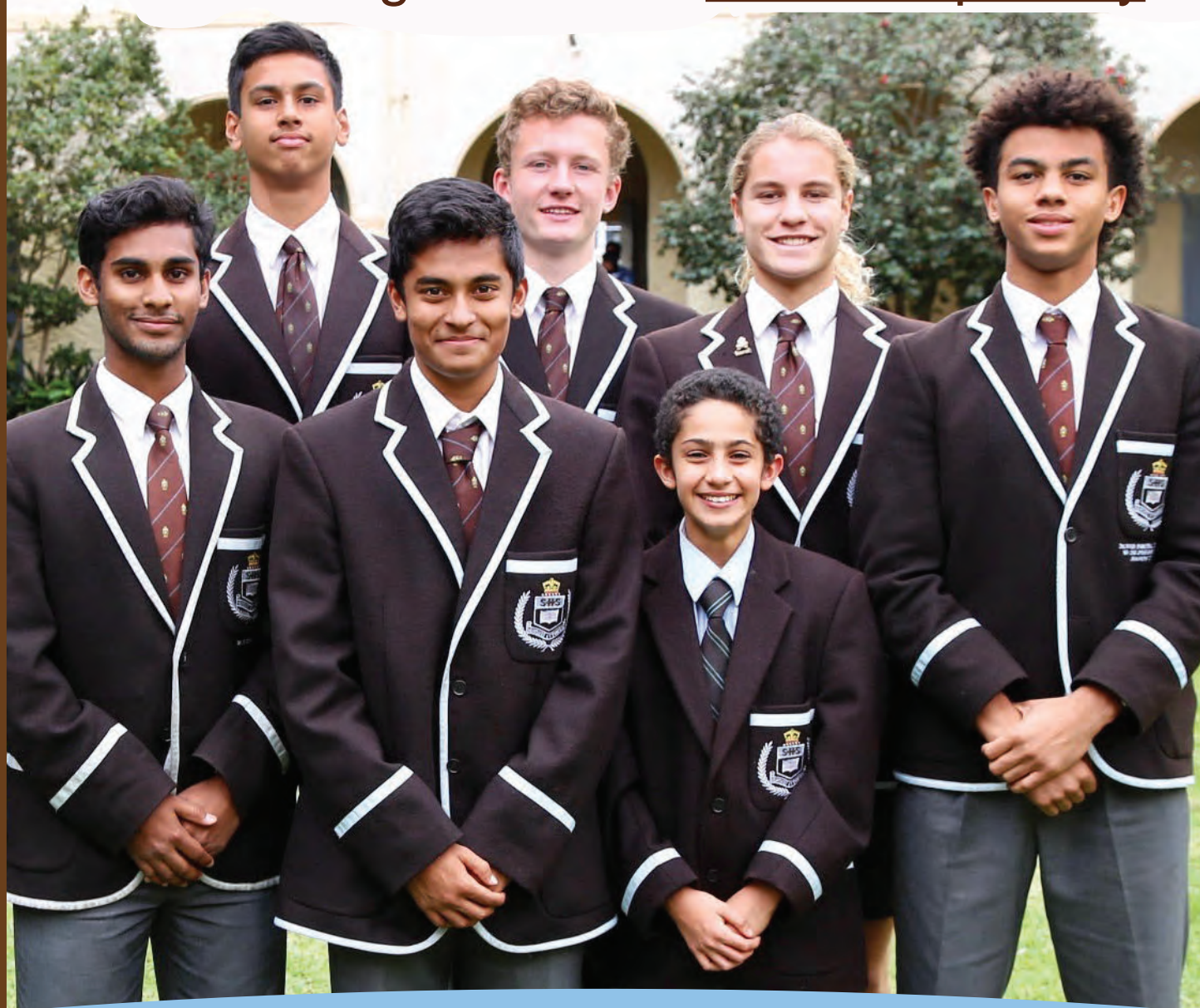


SYDNEY BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

Virtual Open Day

10 Sept 2020 4:30pm – 5:30pm

Register online sbhs.co/openday



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August/September 2020

21-08-2020

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6 C	24 Trial HSC Class tests: 10YHs-P2, 10MaA-P3, 10MaL-P3, 10ZHs-P4 Debating: PDC Round 1, SHS v FSHS, 09:00-12:00 Music: HSC Music 1, 2 + Extension Completion Submission Date (tbc) Water Polo: SE trials	25 Trial HSC Basketball: Year 7 House Competition, Saxby v Fairland, lunchtime	26 Trial HSC Literacy check-in assessment: Year 9, , P1	27 Trial HSC The Great Hall: Year 10 exam, Physics, 13:10-14:10	28 *** Trial HSC HSC Drama Practical examination, Room 204, 08:30-09:45 Morning collection: Daffodil Day, 07:30-09:00 Assembly: Wear it Purple Day, The Great Hall, 10:15-11:00 (9, 10, 11) Wear it Purple Day: Activities on the basketball courts at lunch time	29 Football: SHS v NC Rugby: SHS v TAS Cross Country: TBC Volleyball: TBC Fencing: 07:30-13:00, COLA Sailing: Scots Regatta	30 Tournament of minds
7 A	31 Photos Representatives (GPS, CHS etc), all Music Groups Class test: 8MaS-P2	1 Basketball: Year 7 House Competition, Rubie v Torrington, lunchtime	2 Class test: 10MaB-P3, 10MaS-P3 Room booking, Jnr Library, room 302, 16:30-20:30	3 Year 11 Meeting, The Great Hall, 09:55-10:20	4 Morning collection: Legacy Day Class test: 7MaE-P2 Year 12 Meeting re References, Great Hall, Period 3 Debating: SHS v SGS, The Great Hall	5 The Great Hall: room booking, 07:30-15:30 Football: SIC v SHS Rugby: SIC v SHS Cross Country: TBC Volleyball: TBC Fencing: 07:30-13:00, COLA	6 Fathers' Day
8 B	7 Prefect record reports to be submitted to W drive Prefects Year 8 meeting, selected locations, 09:55-10:20 Mufti/BBQ (Y8 community service) Music: HSC Practicals, Great Hall, room 201, 09:00-16:30	8 Year 11 Mathematics Yearly Examination, Great Hall, 09:00-11:00 Basketball: Year 7 House Competition, Fairland v McKay, lunchtime School Council Meeting, Board Room, 17:30-19:00 Parent Information Evening on Subject Acceleration for Year 10 2021, Zoom, 18:00-19:00	9 Winter Sports Photos, P1-3 Rugby: Oz Tag competition, Heffron park, 08:00-14:00 Elevate Education: Year 8, selected students, P1, junior library Rowing: Committee Meeting, zoom, 19:00 Room booking, Jnr Library, room 302, 16:30-20:30	10 Virtual Open Day, 16:30-17:30 Australian Intermediate Mathematics Olympiad (AIMO) (selected 7-10 students) (tbc) HSC: DT completion and hand in date	11 *** Co-curricular, Outdoor Education, Community and Leadership teams, Gifted and Talented to be submitted to W drive 2020 Record Reports P+C, OBU, School Foundation and Canteen Reports to be emailed to mayj@sbhs.nsw.edu.au Year 10 Meeting, Great Hall, subject selections, 10:20-10:35 Volleyball: NSW Schools	12 Chess: GPS Competition, Great Hall, 09:00-15:00 Football: SJC v SHS Rugby: SJC v SHS Cross Country: TBC Volleyball: TBC Fencing: 07:30-13:00, COLA	13
9 C	14 Year 11 study day HSC Visual Arts Body of Work Completion and Hand In Date Music: HSC Practicals, Great Hall, Room 201 P+C Executive Meeting, Zoom video conference, 17:00 P+C Meeting, Zoom video conference, 18:00	15 Year 11 Yearly Exams Music: HSC Practicals, Great Hall, room 201 Year 9 Meeting, Selected Locations, 09:55-10:20 Basketball: Year 7 House Competition, Grand Final, lunchtime Parent Information Evenings, Zoom, Year 9 2021, 18:00-19:00, Year 11 2021 19:00-20:30 Foundation meeting, 18:30-20:30	16 Year 11 Yearly Exams OC placement test, Great Hall, 08:00-13:00 Music: HSC Practicals, Great Hall, Room 201 Room booking, Jnr Library, room 302, 16:30-20:30	17 Year 11 Yearly Exams Music: HSC Practicals, Great Hall, Room 201	18 Year 11 Yearly Exams Years 7 vaccinations and Year 8 catch ups, room 801, 09:00-13:00 Volleyball: NSW Volleyball Schools Cup (teams tbc) OBU Event: Sports lunch (celebrating all sports), ATC Randwick, 11:30-17:00	19 Football: SGS v SHS Rugby: SGS v SHS Cross Country: TBC Volleyball: TBC Fencing: 07:30-13:00, COLA	20 Basketball: Annual Old Boys Game and Coach Co-ord day