



Rugby Results

Team	Villa	Padua	Iona	SPLC/ATC	SPC	SLC	
6A Player of the Match	12 – 24 Will Hutchinson	20 – 0 Atticus Caesar	24 – 0 Charlie Barnett Will Hutchinson				
6B Player of the Match	24 – 12 Ethan Muspratt	15 – 17 Connor Head	12 – 10 Brasco Forrest Dermot Whitaker				
6C Player of the Match	5 – 17 Ethan Moody	10 – 5 Pat Easter	0 – 45 Ben Nolan				
6D Player of the Match	15 – 27 Henry Julicher	vs. Iona 6C 21 – 35 Fletcher Maddox					
5A Player of the Match	22 – 7 Archer Hardiker	5 – 0 Finn Beaver	10 – 0 Nathan Wright				
5B Player of the Match	19 – 22 Jimmy Sexton	7 – 24 Balthazar Caesar	17 – 14 Joaquin Santana				
5C Player of the Match	5 – 10 Sam Brown	31 – 15 Jackson Barden	29 – 12 Dom Rowe				
5D Player of the Match	10 – 35 Nick Bray	vs. Iona 34 – 26 Harry Maher	vs. SLC 70 – 22 Harry Lewis				

Around the Grounds

6A

The 6As started the game as they had finished the last, playing for each other, winning the contest and getting the ball to the “fancy boys” on the wings.

Tate Miles and Atticus Caesar laid the groundwork with tough runs through the middle. Charlie Barnett at #9 and Tom Cross at #10 directed the team brilliantly around the park, never allowing the Iona defensive line time to settle. Points came on the back of this with tries to Will Berry and Tate, Charlie and Will Hutchinson also scored tries showing the team how to play ‘eyes-up-football’.

The team -went into halftime with a comfortable 24-0 lead.

Starved of possession and on the back of a number of contentious penalties, the 6As momentum dropped off in the second half. The team spent the majority of the half in their defensive half, and even with the lack of ball and faced with a lot of hard work, the team’s defence held strong.

Back-to-back weeks of opposition shutouts is an impressive feat and something the boys will need to repeat next week when we face off against our Round 1 opponents, Villanova.

I am sure the boys will be up for the challenge.





6B

A brilliant come-from-behind victory saw the 6Bs finish in excellent fashion winning 12 - 10 in a hard-fought game. Although many decisions didn't go their way, the boys held their composure and defended their line again and again, frustrating their opponents. Brasco Forrest saved three tries in rock-solid cover defence and Dermot Whitaker's strength in the breakdown. Great game.

6C

The 6C's found very tough opposition out at Iona on Saturday, going down in a one-sided match. With so many new faces in the team this week the boys lacked cohesion in the first half. To their credit, the boys took up the half-time challenge to retain the ball when in possession and to make effective tackles. There were signs of improvement in the second half, but plenty to work on at training this week.

5A

Another tight game for our 5As. We dominated possession and territory however some errors at crucial times and boys running one out didn't help our chances of capitalizing on the possession. Again, we dominated the ruck, and the backs did well to get the ball to the wingers. Well done gents!

5B

The boys really dug in today and played some great rugby. It was a much tougher contest at the breakdown this week and the forwards stuck it to them and were able to secure some clean ball. It was great to get a win on the board and the boys deserved it. A few tries scored against the run of play kept the final score much closer but a great game all in all.

5C

The Marist boys continue to step up with their defence keeping Iona at bay for the majority of the game with only 2 late tries. The forwards were tremendous in the breakdown giving the backs enough room to use their speed. A great game of rugby with some awesome skills on display.

5D

A close first few minutes gave way to a dominant Marist performance, high quality attack from the boys with an equally strong aggression in the breakdowns gave Marist the majority of possession. Great game for the boys especially Harry Lewis who captained the 5Ds, scored a run-away try and converted 5 tries. Great game!

