



## Basketball – Results

Team	SLC	ATC	Villa	Padua	Iona	SPLC	SPC
<b>6A MVP</b>	23 – 28 Quinn Lovering	33 – 52 Ethan Taylor	Cancelled	30 – 26 Oliver Macready Connor Campbell	9 – 26 Coen Netzler	39 – 15 Charlie Cook Salem Tamer	28 – 38 Quinn Lovering
<b>6B MVP</b>	8 – 27 Miles McGregor	18 – 28 Cooper Hayes	Cancelled	19 – 12 Mikka Piipari	24 – 24 Nick Prendergast	48 – 2 Max McBride	8 – 35 Stanley Grellman
<b>6C MVP</b>	14 – 18 Alex Homer	11 – 35 Harry Cootes Tom Hammond	Cancelled	16 – 22 Harry Vickery Matt Henselien	22 – 17 Tom Hammond Rafa Gonsalves	Bye	12 – 32 Callum Curtin
<b>6 Gold MVP</b>	23 – 20 Finn Monkivitch	4 – 36 Marshall Hair	Cancelled	12 – 22 Joey Stirling Caleb Van Coevorden	26 – 25 Lucas Weir Isaac Mahoney	Bye	23 – 20 Fraser Ullman
<b>5A MVP</b>	15 – 40 Harry Cleary	15 – 40 Harry Cleary	Cancelled	15 – 75 Rocco Holmes	30 – 33 Harry Cleary	27 – 23 Billy Towers	19 – 10 Harry Cleary
<b>5B MVP</b>	12 – 18 Team Defence	46 – 7	Cancelled	19 – 12 Riley Keane	26 – 17	52 – 14 JD Cootes	17 – 10 Will Webster
<b>5C MVP</b>	17 – 17 Hamish Foxall	Villa 5C 8 – 14 Remi Sakzewski	Cancelled	13 – 15 Remi Sakzewski	21 – 14 Oliver Ve	Bye	22 – 6 Cormac Deady
<b>5 Gold MVP</b>	16 – 16 Ale Romano	Villa 5 Gold 14 – 16 Will Webster	Cancelled	21 – 9 Ewan Cahill	37 – 3 Ale Romano	Bye	31 – 2 Nick Steffens

## Basketball – Around the Grounds

### 6A

The 6A boys ended the season with a great game. Despite the loss, the effort displayed was exceptional, the team got to within 2 points at a few stages in the game. Although ending on a loss, the season was an incredible learning experience as the boys were pushed as a group at every training until they finally understood what it takes to win. With the tough training sessions, and the ups and downs that every boy experienced, the coaches are positive the boys will go into Year 7 knowing what it takes to represent the College at an A team standard. Huge congratulations to game MVP Quinn Lovering for leaving everything on the floor in the final game as well as other standouts; Ike Rowland, Salem Tamer and Ethan Taylor.

### 6B

The final game of the basketball season away to St Pat's the boys were eager to continue the red-hot form from last week. Unfortunately, this was not to be the case. The boys were slow out of the blocks and never really got going. The game finished 35 - 8 in favour of St Pat's which was probably a fair indication of the game. The boys battled hard right until the end, but it just wasn't their day.





## 6C

A loss to finish the season for the young men of the 6C Basketball Team. We were beaten by a team that had their fast break execution down to a fine art. It wasn't until the last quarter that we really managed to stop this, a quarter that funnily enough, we then actually won. Rafa Gonsalves was excellent in defence, managing to really unsettle a strong opposition attack. Harry Vickery showed his strength in rebounding, placing himself in good position under the basket. And MVP Callum Curtin had a strong game at both ends of the court, stealing a lot of ball in defence and putting himself in a good position for a fast break in offence. Thank you to the wonderful young men in this team for a great season. I hope to see you all back next year.

## 6 Gold

On the back of our win against Iona, the boys were very keen to come away with another win. A very rough and large opposition made the job a difficult one. St Pat's slowly grinded away at our large lead to level the scores in the third quarter. As always, the boys of 6 Gold never gave up and gained a two point lead within the last minutes and Lucas Weir under pressure secured the win with a free throw giving the boys a 23-20 victory. All the boys are to be congratulated on a season where wins were not abundant but sportsmanship and determination were.

Good luck to all playing basketball in high school!

---

## 5A

Full of confidence after a great win last week, the 5A basketball team were ready to finish their season with a win over St Pat's. After a pre-game meeting, the game plan was clear – move the ball on offence and get rebounds on defence. The boys were dominant from the get-go, running the fast break and working hard defensively to force their opponents into tough shots. The boys took almost double the shots that SPC did in the first half, they just couldn't get them to fall. Whilst it would have been easy to blame the outdoor hoops for their shooting woes, the boys came out more energised in the second half and made some aggressive attacking plays that physically and mentally exhausted the opposition. They eventually finished the game with a 14-point win.

As a coach it has been so rewarding to see the development of this team in what, for many of them, was their first season of competitive basketball. I look forward to watching them continue to develop throughout their time at the College. Well done boys!

## 5B

Another win on the back of very strong defence for the 5Bs. Team pressure and lots of rebounds kept a good St Pat's team on 0. Fairy tale ending with a triple on the buzz for JD Cootes. Thank you, boys, for a great season. Special thanks to Year 12 student and First V player James O'Hara for his help assisting coaching this great bunch of boys.

## 5C

Marist started the game strong with a greatly improved defensive effort, generating the majority of their points from turnovers and some good fast break offence. Pat's fought well throughout the game, however some good offence in the late stages of the game saw Marist complete a well-earned victory. The boys should be really proud of how they improved through the season and finished it off in fine form!!!

## 5 Gold

The Marist boys looked to follow up from their massive win last game with another quality performance and well did they deliver. The boys came out hot with great ball movement and shooting, which resulted in a big early lead and they never looked back. The boys played hard and with purpose throughout the entire game and should be commended for their efforts throughout the entire season and how much they have developed.

