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Co-curricular Sports and Activities Captaincy Application

The positions of Co-curricular Sports and Activities Captains are senior roles within the student leadership structure, open to students in Years 11 and 12 in 2027. These roles are designed for students who demonstrate a strong interest and active involvement in the co-curricular program, and who consistently display outstanding leadership qualities within the College community.

Responsibilities

As a Co-Curricular Captain, students are be expected to always be a positive role model and active contributors to the co-curricular program. Some of the responsibilities of a captain may include:

- Represent the College at events, such as the TAS Sports Dinner and Rally Round Assembly
- Help promote and encourage student involvement in your sport/activity
- Recruit students and players for teams and groups
- Assist with promoting, organising or supporting events, including awareness rounds, finals, presentations, etc.
- Meet with Co-ordinators and the Head of Sport and Activities when required
- Communicate with Co-ordinators, coaches, and students in your area
- Contribute to College publications and assemblies
- Support training sessions, competitions, and other events

Selection Criteria

Candidates should be active and positive participants in the co-curricular program, and should demonstrate strong communication, organisational and interpersonal skills.

Applicants should also be able to respond to the following:

1. Engagement: how have you shown leadership and commitment in your sport/activity and within the wider co-curricular program?

2. Vision: what strengths, ideas, or goals would you bring to this role to help grow and support your sport/activity?

Application Process and Timeline

1. Students complete an online Co-Curricular Captaincy Application form, available here. *(due end of Week 3, Term 4)*
2. Applications are reviewed by Co-ordinators and relevant coaches.
3. Shortlisted candidates may be invited to an interview *(Weeks 6 & 7, Term 4)*.
4. In consultation with Co-ordinators, the Head of Sport and Activities will submit recommendations to the Deputy Principal – Head of Secondary, for review by the Executive Leadership Team.
5. The Principal will make the final decision, confirmed with the Head of Sport and Activities.
6. Applicants are informed of outcomes *(Week 8, Term 4).*
7. Captains will be formally presented at the first Co-Curricular Principal's Assembly of the following year.

While the College is committed to maximising opportunities for student leadership positions, students are welcome to apply for multiple roles.

Applications are due by **5:00pm, Friday 23 October 2026.**

If you have any questions, please contact the Head of Sport & Activities, Mrs Julie Maroske, at jmaroske@jpc.qld.edu.au.