MBBC Sport 2015

I am writing to outline some changes to our sport program which have been necessitated by the dissolution of the CIC sport competition. The Combined Independent Colleges (CIC) competition has existed for some 57 years and we have been a member since 2009. However, last year and this year respectively, the Headmasters of GPS and AIC schools decided to withdraw their schools from the CIC to take part in their own expanded Grade 5 – 12 competitions. This leaves MBBC without that avenue to provide competitive sport for its boys, being neither a GPS nor AIC school.

Having explored a range of options I am pleased to announce that we have developed a comprehensive sport program that provides boys with a number of opportunities to represent MBBC and enable them to experience the benefits and joy of competitive sport.

I am indebted to Mr Scott Emblen (Head of Sport) who has worked very hard to construct the following program.

There will be an opportunity to hear more about the program at an information evening at 6.00pm on Tuesday 28 October, (Lecture Theatre)

1. **Year round activities to continue**
   - Mountain Biking
   - Strength and Conditioning

2. **Competitions to continue**
   - Sailing Term 1 (Years 7 to 12) and Term 4 (Years 6 to 12).
   - Touch Football (Years 6/7) Term 4 Queensland all Schools Touch Football

3. **Supplementary draw to continue in the following sports.**
   - Term 1 – Cricket (Years 5 to 12) and Volleyball (Years 7 to 12)
   - Term 2 – Rugby Union (Years 5 to 12) and Soccer (Years 5 to 12)
   - Term 3 – Basketball (Years 5 to 12)
   - Term 4 – Basketball supplementary draw to continue for the first 3 weeks of term 4.
4. **Prep to Year 3 Sport**

Moreton Bay Boys College offers an Active After School Communities (AASC) sports program throughout the school year for boys in Prep to Year 3. Sports offered within the program are varied. A conscious decision has been made to provide students with exposure through the program to a wide range of activities. The AASC program is supported by the Federal Government through the Australian Sports Commission.

In addition to the AASC program MBBC has established partnerships with several organisations who run user pays skill development programs for boys in Prep to Year 4 at the MBBC campus. Programs include TFA soccer clinics, Rookies to Reds (QRU), and Auskick (QAFL).

5. **Greater Brisbane Conference**

MBBC will compete in the Swimming, Cross Country and Athletics championships in this sporting association.

6. **ISSA Gala Days**

MBBC will continue competing in the ISSA Gala Days each year in a range of team sports.

7. **Representative Sport pathways**

Boys will continue to access these pathways through the district and regional sports by nomination.

8. **Club Sports to be introduced / expanded in 2015**

Full details will be confirmed but information to date:
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<th>Sport</th>
<th>Competition</th>
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<tr>
<td>Cricket</td>
<td>Wynnum Manly Cricket Club (various venues)</td>
<td>Term 1</td>
<td>Saturdays</td>
<td>Flexible grading of teams in light of student capability and number of players available per age group. Caters for students from Year 4 to Year 12</td>
<td>Approximately $180 per player</td>
<td>Opportunity to also play in term 4.</td>
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<td>Volleyball</td>
<td>Redlands Volleyball (Plays out of Redlands College Sports Hall)</td>
<td>Term 1 plus first few weeks of term 2</td>
<td>Monday nights</td>
<td>Junior Grade – Year 7 to 9 “A” Grade – Year 10 to 12 Premier Grade – Open age players</td>
<td>$60 per player per season</td>
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<td>Basketball</td>
<td>Southern Districts Basketball (Carina)</td>
<td>Term 2 plus first 6 to 7 weeks of term 3</td>
<td>Under 11 and Under 13 play on Saturdays Under 15 / Under 17 / Under 19 play on Friday nights</td>
<td>Under 11 (boys turning 9 or 10 years of age) Under 13 (boys turning 11 or 12 years of age) Under 15 (boys turning 13 and 14 years of age) Under 17 (boys turning 15 and 16 years of age) Under 19 (boys turning 17 and 18 years of age)</td>
<td>Registration of approximately $80 per player. Match fees of $72 per team per game</td>
<td>An MBBC basketball club will be set up within this competition.</td>
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<td>Tennis</td>
<td>Wynnum Tennis Fixtures (Kitchener Park, Wynnum)</td>
<td>Term 3 and Term 4</td>
<td>Saturdays from 1:00pm to 5:30pm</td>
<td>Division 2 – average standard students Division 1 – competent standard students Pennants – high performing students</td>
<td>$50 registration per player. $13 per round</td>
<td>Minimum 4 players in a team.</td>
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<td>Touch</td>
<td>Brisbane Metropolitan Touch Association (Whites Hill Reserve - Carina)</td>
<td>Last few weeks of term 3 plus all of term 4</td>
<td>Friday nights. Where possible the following game times will be adhered to 10 and under – 4:50pm 12 and under – 5:40pm 14 and under – 6:30pm 16 and under – 7:20pm 18 and under – 8:10pm</td>
<td>10 and under 12 and under 14 and under 16 and under 18 and under</td>
<td>10 and under - $800 per team for the season All other teams $1000 per team for the season.</td>
<td>An MBBC touch club will be set up within this competition.</td>
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<td>Futsal</td>
<td>Gumdale Futsal – Gumdale State School (Run by Australian Futsal Association)</td>
<td>Last few weeks of term 3 plus all of term 4</td>
<td>Tuesday night – Under 8/9 Thursday night – Under 10/11 Under 14 Friday night – Under 12/13 Under 16</td>
<td>Gumdale Under 8/9 Under 10/11 Under 12/13 Under 14 Under 16 There may be an opportunity for 17 and 18 year old students to play in the Chandler Futsal competition at the Sleeman Sports Complex</td>
<td>To be confirmed but it is expected to be less than $180 per player per season.</td>
<td>Opportunity to also play in term 1</td>
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NB: All club competitions break for State School holidays.