

IONA COLLEGE



A Catholic Boys' College conducted by The Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate.

September 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Iona College sporting program is rich with opportunities for all students to be involved. Involvement in sport is a great way for your son to make friends and try new skills.

During Term 1 the sporting opportunities offered to our Year 7 boys are:

- AFL
- Volleyball
- Cricket
- Swimming and
- Sailing

Iona College is a member of the AIC (Associated Independent Colleges) and this is the platform we compete in our inter-school competitions. AIC competitions for AFL, volleyball and cricket are played on Saturday mornings during Term 1.

Year 7 Sport – Trial Day – Saturday 29 October 2022

A trial day will take place on **Saturday 29 October** at Iona. This trial day will assist us to select our AFL, volleyball and cricket teams.

Year 7/2023 students who attended our Orientation Day on Friday 2 September will have had the opportunity to trial for AFL, volleyball and cricket on this day. **All** students who would like to be considered for these teams are required to attend the trials on **Saturday 29 October**. This includes boys who trialled on Orientation Day.

Key information regarding this trial day are as follows:

AFL: (4 teams selected for year 7)
Date: Saturday 29 October 2022
Venue: Fuller Oval, Iona College
Time: 2.00pm – 3.30pm
Attire: Wear appropriate playing gear plus mouthguard.
Teacher in charge: Mr Anthony Bannerman bannermana@iona.qld.edu.au

Cricket: (Team numbers will depend on number of players)
Date: Saturday 29 October 2022
Venue: Iona College cricket nets on Sandy Camp Road
Time: 2.00pm – 3.30pm
Attire: Wear appropriate playing clothes
Equipment: Your own cricket equipment (including protection) is preferred. Students without any cricket equipment will be provided some for the trial. It is compulsory to bring your own box for batting.
Teacher in charge: Mr Sean Devlin devlins@iona.qld.edu.au

Volleyball: (4 teams selected for year 7)
Date: Saturday 29 October 2022
Venue: Provence Centre, Iona College
Time: 9.00am – 11.00am
Attire: Wear appropriate playing clothes and joggers.
Teacher in charge: Mrs Karen Otway otwayk@iona.qld.edu.au

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If you would like your son to attend these trials, please click on this link and complete the nomination form [AIC Sport Nomination Form 2023](#) to sign up and confirm his attendance by **Monday 24 October**.

If your son is unable to attend these trials, please ensure that you complete the sign on link and your son will remain on the trial lists.

Sailing

Families who have boys who are interested in sailing, please email Mr Gerard Vinen, sailing coordinator ionacollegesailing@gmail.com

Swimming

Swimming trial meets are held on Friday nights. Families of boys who are interested in competitive swimming are asked to send an email to express their interest to Mr Keith Harron, Head of Sport - harronk@iona.qld.edu.au by Thursday 15 September. Please include your son's competitive 50m freestyle time in this email.

We look forward to welcoming you to the Iona College community.

Yours in Sport

Mr. Keith Harron (Head of Sport)