

Maritzburg College SPORTS RESULTS

Weekly Sport Round-Up 13-14 October 2018

Maritzburg College - winning performances for Canoeists, Athletes, Basketball and Waterpolo teams

This weekend, it was the College canoeists who provided an excellent performance as well as our basketball and waterpolo teams, and our athletes. Unfortunately, due to the poor weather, a number of cricket fixtures as well as outdoor basketball matches had to be cancelled.



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Canoeing

On Saturday, Maritzburg College hosted the final event of the Capital Caterers Inter-Schools League. A revised course from previous years saw the paddlers racing a shorter and more intense Enduro on Camps Drift. The relay-style event comprised team of two doubles fighting it out for line honours and the overall series title.

The Maritzburg College A team, made up of D. Evans, S. Little, J. Giddings and B. Lawson went stroke for stroke with the Michaelhouse A team. A solid final lap and smoothly executed portage by Giddings and Lawson gifted Evans and Little a slender lead going into the end sprint, where they took the victory, and ensured that College brought home the Graeme Pope-Ellis Trophy for the winning boys team in the Inter-schools Canoe Challenge.

Summary of results

Under 18

1st - Maritzburg College A

7th – Maritzburg College C

8th - Maritzburg College B

Under 16

4th - Maritzburg College B

6th Maritzburg College A

Under 14

4th - Maritzburg College A

In the CAPITOL CATERERS - KAYAK CENTRE INTERSCHOOLS OVERALL SERIES PRIZES

Under 18

1st - D. Evans

2nd – J. Giddings

3rd – S. Little

Under 14

2nd – G Cooke

In the SCHOOLS DEVELOPMENT CLUB PRIZE for accumulated points for every paddler, Maritzburg College finished in 2nd place



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Basketball

College's basketball teams played Hilton on the weekend, and although the outdoor games had to be cancelled due to rain, a number of indoor games continued. Our first team enjoyed a great win beating Hilton 61-41, and there were victories for most of our other teams. Our 2nd team lost 19-31, while the 3rd team won 41-27, 4th team won 20-16, 5th team won 19-18, 6th team won 24-21 and 7th team won 26-15. Other results showed the U15B team winning 29-17, U15A losing narrowly 21-26, U15D winning 29-28, U15E winning 16-15, U14A winning 31-14, and U14B winning 32-16

Athletics

College had some excellent individual performances at the Grey College/Oranjemeisies invitation Athletics meeting held in Bloemfontein, which saw 20 schools from all over South Africa participating.

Neo Mosebi won a bronze medal in the B14 100m, as well as winning a gold in the B14 200m event. Oliver Higgins won a silver medal in the B15 800m event and an excellent 1st place and gold medal in the B15 1500m

Willian Pretorius finished 4th in the B15 300m hurdles race and 4th in the 300m event Ndabesinhle Ndlovu came 6th in B16 100m and 7th in B16 200m races. Bryn Emms took 1st place and a gold medal in the B16 high jump

Waterpolo

This weekend was the Waterpolo Top 10 competition at Kings Park. College's 1st team finished in well-deserved 4th place overall, beating Reddam (7-0), Michaelhouse (6-2) and Kearsney (4-3), but losing to Glenwood, Hilton and Westville. The U15 team progressed to the final and finished in an excellent 2nd place, beating Michaelhouse (8-7) and Kearsney (9-2) and Hilton (5-4) before losing to Clifton. The U14 team also had a good tournament and finished in 7th place overall.