



Maritzburg College

SPORTS RESULTS

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Sport Round-Up March Holidays 2019

Holiday Sporting Achievements

The holiday period was a busy for College with our boys competing across a range of sporting codes around the country including rugby, hockey, golf, athletics and canoe polo.

Rugby

College took 8 rugby teams on tour over the March school holidays. The 1st XV travelled to Kimberly to play Noord Kaap while our 2nd XV and U16A and B squads took part in the Margate Festival. The U15A side competed in the Francois Swart Affies tournament while the U15B team travelled to the Northwood rugby festival. Maritzburg College's U14A and U14B sides participated in the Fichardt Park Festival from 14 – 18 March. Overall results showed College winning an outstanding 20 of the 21 matches played and losing just one, and our teams are looking strong ahead of the winter season.

Summary of Results:

Played 21 matches, won 20 and lost 1

Team	Opponent	Score	Result
1ST	Noord Kaap	24-34	Loss
2ND	Dr Malan 1st	24-7	Win
	Standerton 1st	36-0	Win
	Frans DuToit 1st	38-6	Win
16A	KZN Dev A	53-0	Win
	KZN Clubs Quins	69-3	Win
	KZN Clubs	93-0	Win
16B	KZN Dev A	19-0	Win
	SKZN Clubs	53-7	Win
15A	Helpmekaar	27-21	Win
	Nelspruit	45-3	Win
	Kempton Park	55-0	Win
15B	KZN Dev	7-0	Win
	Sutherland U15A	47-0	Win
	Amanzimtoti U15A	41-3	Win
14A	Hentie Cilliers	62-0	Win
	Fichardt Park	55-12	Win
	Burgersdorp	62-3	Win
14B	HTS Louis Botha 14A	48-0	Win
	Stallions 14A	56-5	Win
	Voortrekker Beth	44-0	Win



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Hockey

Our U14, U16A and Open XI hockey teams took part in the Nomads festivals over the holidays. The U14 team travelled to Wynberg, while the U16A were based at KES and the 1st XI travelled to Pretoria Boys High school. Our U16B squad competed in the Jeppe Festival. In all the games played our boys performed well for early season games. Overall College teams played 20 matches, winning 12 and losing 8.

1st Team Nomads Festival (PBHS) – Played 5, Won 3, Lost 2

Grey College	lost 0-1
St Albans	won 2-1
Clifton	won 2-1
Wynberg	won 2-0
Grey PE	lost 1-2

16A Nomads Festival (KES) – Played 5, Won 4, Lost 1

St Johns	won 3-0
Wynberg	lost 0-2
St Albans	won 3-0
KES	won 3-0
Grey PE	won 4-0

14A Nomads Festival (Wynberg) – Played 5, Won 2, Lost 3

KES	won 3-1
Jeppe	lost 2-4
Wynberg	won 3-1
Rondebosh	lost 1-2
SACS	lost 0-5

16B Jeppe U15 Festival – Played 5, Won 3, Lost 2

Grey College 15A	won 3-1
KES 15A	lost 1-2
Jeppe 16B	lost 1-3
St Benedicts 15A	won 4-0
St Johns 15A	won 1-0



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Athletics

Three of our top Athletes took part in the SA School Championship from 21-23 March - Neo Mosebi, Ndabazinhle Ndlovu and Ntsikelelo Makanya. Neo Mosebi made the final of the 200m Boys U15 and placed 5th. His semi-final time of 22.79 was faster than the current U15 and U16 school records. The three boys also took part in the Boys U17 4x100m relay and placed 6th overall. Ntsikelelo Makanya took part in long jump and Ndabazinhle Ndlovu in the 100m and 200m but unfortunately did not make finals.

Golf

Our golfers took part in the Affies Tournament from 26 – 29 March, and played some excellent golf rounds over the event, finishing in 2nd place. They then faced Affies host team in a matchplay to decide on the winner. Maritzburg College won the matchplay with a score of 4-2 and were awarded first place for the tournament.

Congratulations to 17 year old Maritzburg College pupil Sean Paxton who won the Bridge Fund Managers Junior Series 2019 tournament at Germiston Golf Club on Sunday 17 March, with a round that included two eagles. Sean believes the key to his low scoring round was his accuracy off the tee and a hot putter. The BridgeJuniorSeries launched in July 2017 with 16 tournaments countrywide featuring Under-13 and Under-19 divisions for boys and girls. Endorsed by GolfRSA, the series is managed by the SA Golf Development Board.

Canoe Polo

Five Maritzburg College boys made up the KZN U21 Canoe polo team that took part on the SA Canoe polo championships over the holiday. Congratulations to Matthew van Herzeele, Bryce Lawson, Troy Drummond, Matthew Fuhri and Kyle Hardy who made up the KZN team which finished in an outstanding 2nd place overall.