



SCHOOL SPORT VICTORIA STATE TEAMS 2018

Each year, talented Victorian school students have the opportunity to trial for a place in the School Sport Victoria (SSV) Team Vic state team and participate in annual School Sport Australia (SSA) Championships. Sixty-two teams are selected across twenty sports, involving over nine hundred primary and secondary school students representing 'Team Vic'.

The sports include Australian Football, Baseball, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Diving, Football (Soccer), Golf, Hockey, Netball, Orienteering, Rugby League, Softball, Surfing, Swimming, Tennis, Touch, Track and Field, Triathlon and Volleyball.

The School Sport Australian Championships offer gifted and talented students the opportunity to participate in higher levels of sporting competition against students from other Australian states and territories.

You can view further trial information regarding the nomination process for each sport re. dates, times, venue, age eligibility, nomination closing dates, trial fees and Championship venue and dates - by clicking on the respective links under the Team Vic tab on the SSV website.

Please note that participation in SSV Team Vic state teams is self-funded, so students will be required to contribute to the costs of being a member of a team. Costs include host state and administration levies, uniform, flights, transport, accommodation and meals.

SSV makes every effort to keep all costs to a minimum and tries to assist team members through contact with schools, sponsor letter and a media release. SSV also conducts a State Teams raffle to assist with meeting the costs of participation, plus students can also apply for grants from the Australian Sports Commission Local Sporting Champions Program or nominate for an opportunity to obtain funding from the Sports Excellence Scholarship Fund.

Students registering for trials are indicating that they will be in attendance at all trials unless otherwise informed. Team training schedules will be available at the trials and team training is generally held on weekends or during school holidays.

When registering, SSV recommends using Mozilla Firefox or Google Chrome as your internet browser as there have been reports of problems when registering when using Internet Explorer.

Eligibility

To be eligible for selection, students must be enrolled and in regular attendance as a fulltime student at a primary or secondary school affiliated with SSV; available to attend selection trials and training sessions; and meet the costs of participation.

Your child's school is affiliated with SSV and competes in the Coburg District.

Students wishing to register for trials for sports will need to apply directly to SSV via the website.

If your child wishes to nominate for football, soccer, netball or basketball, please follow the online registration process on the SSV website: www.ssv.vic.edu.au . School Sport Victoria State Team Trial Registrations are **OPEN for the these sports**

Nominations for these sports close on Friday 1 March 2018.

P.T.O.

The following steps should be taken to endorse a student to attend a Team Vic trial.

PRIOR to registration:

a. Your child's Sport Coordinator must confirm/ endorse your child's athleticism and sport specific ability to trial so discussion with this person prior to registering is imperative. Please note that only a maximum of 3 students per school is permitted so this endorsement is important.

b. If the Sport Coordinator endorses your child, please register online.

If your child is nominating for more than one sport, please complete a separate nomination form for each sport.

PLEASE NOTE:

There are no longer Coburg District Trials for these sports.

The ultimate goal of nomination is State Team selection in these sports.

Therefore, only very gifted and talented students can be selected from districts to trial at division trials.

Yours sincerely

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