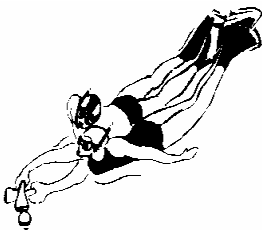


TOURNAMENT PACK:

**2005 NORTHERN ZONE
SECONDARY SCHOOLS'
UNDERWATER HOCKEY
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

*A New Zealand Secondary
School Sports Council
Sanctioned Tournament*



West Wave
Waitakere Aquatic Centre
Henderson, Auckland

11 - 12 June 2005

1. COMPETITION DETAILS

When: 8 am Saturday 11 June to 5 pm Sunday 12 June 2005

Where: West Wave, Waitakere Aquatic Centre
Henderson, Auckland

Team Entries Due: Friday 6th May 2005

Entry Fee: \$240

All teams are required to supply at least **three Level One qualified** referees. Please supply evidence of these qualifications. Failure to supply three level 1 referees will result in a \$100 per referee fee being incurred. Referees will be rostered to referee throughout the tournament.

All teams are required to supply at least one **Level One qualified** coach. Please supply evidence of this qualification. Failure to supply a level 1 coach will result in a \$100.00 fee being incurred.

The Prize Giving Ceremony will be held at 4 pm Sunday.

2. TOURNAMENT RULES

The Championships are run under the Policies and Guidelines given by the New Zealand Secondary Schools Sports Council. Local Area Co-ordinators hold copies of these guidelines, they are also available on the internet (www.nzsssc.org.nz).

Please make sure that competitors are under the age of 19 at the 1 January 2005 and all competitors are full time students. The New Zealand Secondary Schools Subset of the CMAS International Rules 8th edition shall be enforced for the underwater hockey competition. *A competitor can only play for one team during the tournament regardless of grade.*

All equipment must comply with section 2.2 of the CMAS International Rules. All sticks must be completely White or Black and fit inside the 350mm by 100mm rectangle. Only legal sticks will be permitted into the venue. **Sticks that do not comply will be confiscated.** Snorkels must be flexible (abler to be bent easily) and masks must have two lenses. Equipment spot checks will continue through out the tournament. These requirements are set so that all players have a level playing field.

Teams must have bathing suits of the same design and colour however, only one suit is required for the Championships (Disregard CMAS Rule 2.3.1).

Players' caps must match the stick colour i.e. white and dark. Each player's cap number must be different from the rest of the team and **players are required to use the same numbers for the duration of the tournament.** (CMAS Rule 2.3.2). This is to assist with selection of the Northern and Mid Northern U18 Representative Squads.

2.1 GRADES AVAILABLE

Senior Girls:	Open to all female students of any form level.
Junior Girls:	Open to all female students under 15 years of Age at 1 st of January 2005
Senior Open:	Open to all students regardless of form level or sex.
Junior Open:	Open to all students under 15 years of Age at 1 st of January 2005

2.2 PROTESTS

If teams wish to protest then a non-refundable charge of \$50 plus written application must be tabled within 30mins of the conclusion of the match.

3. TOURNAMENT PRIZES

Teams will be awarded medals for 1st, 2nd, 3rd placings.
Each team will have an award for best / fairest player to be selected by the team's management.
The award recipient's name must be advised to the control table by **10 am Sunday 12 June 2005**.

4. NZSS UWH QUALIFYING SYSTEM

The size of the secondary school player base has forced a qualifying system to be implemented of which this tournament is part.

The system currently consists of 3 zone qualifying tournaments with the number of teams qualifying for the National Championships dependent on the registered player numbers in your zone. Currently this allows 4 teams in each grade to qualify from the Northern Schools' Tournament. Only teams made up of players from the same school and fulfil the grade criteria are eligible to qualify for the New Zealand Championships.

The final allocation of qualifying positions for next year will be made based on THIS YEAR'S (2005) registered player numbers.

5. 2005 NZSS UNDERWATER HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIPS.

When: September 1st – 4th 2005

Where: Westwave Pool, Auckland

All teams that qualify will receive a 2005 NZ Secondary Schools' Underwater Hockey Championships Pack with contact numbers and other information. All entry forms are required to be submitted by Wednesday 22 June 2005. If you fail to submit your completed forms by the due date your position will be allocated to another school.

6. RESULTS OF 2004 NORTHERN ZONE TOURNAMENT (25 TEAMS)

6.1 FINAL PLACINGS

Junior Girls

- 1st Tauranga Girls College
- 2nd Diocesan School for Girls
- 3rd Mt Albert Grammar School
- 4th Otumoetai College
- 5th Howick College
- 6th Glendowie College
- 6th Epsom Girls Grammar School
- 8th Tauranga Girls College

Junior Open

- 1st Otumoetai College 1
- 2nd Howick College
- 3rd Mt Albert Grammar School 1
- 4th Glendowie College
- 5th Otumoetai College 2
- 6th Avondale College
- 7th Mt Albert Grammar School 2

Senior Girls

- 1st Epsom Girls Grammar School 1
- 2nd Tauranga Girls College
- 3rd Otumoetai College
- 4th Howick College
- 5th Diocesan School for Girls
- 6th Epsom Girls Grammar School 2

Senior Open

- 1st Otumoetai College
- 2nd Howick College
- 3rd Glendowie College
- 4th Mt Albert Grammar School

6.2 INDIVIDUAL AWARDS FOR MOST VALUABLE PLAYER 2004

Junior Girls

Tauranga Girls College	Rhianna Jackson
Diocesan School for Girls	Hannah Watson
Mt Albert Grammar School	Emma Northcote
Otumoetai College	Lyndsay Horne
Howick College	Sian Pyne
Glendowie College	Emma Hoksbergen
Epsom Girls Grammar School	Lauren Grigor
Tauranga Girls College	Ava Crocker

Junior Open

Otumoetai College 1	Stephanie O'Neale
Howick College	Edward Colenbrander
Mt Albert Grammar School 1	Tim Searle
Glendowie College	Callum Johnston
Otumoetai College 2	Logan Kemp
Avondale College	Zachary Harawira
Mt Albert Grammar School 2	David Nicholls

Senior Girls

Diocesan School for Girls	Deborah Tillet
Epsom Girls Grammar School 1	Shelley Cocker
Epsom Girls Grammar School 2	Catherine Davis
Howick College	Jessica Lowther
Otumoetai College	Sarah Cockerill
Tauranga Girls College	Jenna Signal

Senior Open

Glendowie College	Ben Forman
Howick College	Braden White
Mt Albert Grammar School	Mick Jensen
Otumoetai College	Mike O'Connor

7. RESULTS OF 2003 NORTHERN ZONE TOURNAMENT (22 TEAMS)

Junior Girls

- 1st Tauranga Girls College
- 2nd Epsom Girls Grammar School
- 3rd Diocesan School for Girls
- 4th Mt Albert Grammar School
- 5th Glendowie College

Senior Girls

- 1st Epsom Girls Grammar School
- 2nd Tauranga Girls College
- 3rd Otumoetai College
- 4th Howick College
- 5th Diocesan School for Girls
- 6th Glendowie College
- 7th Dargaville High School

Junior Open

- 1st Howick College
- 2nd Mt Albert Grammar School
- 3rd Glendowie College
- 4th Otumoetai College
- 5th Mt Albert Grammar School 2

Senior Open

- 1st Otumoetai College
- 2nd Howick College
- 3rd Glendowie College
- 4th Hillcrest High School
- 5th Dargaville High School