

The TAS Rugby season officially kicked off last Friday with the First, Grade 10, 9 and 7 recording wins and the Seconds and Grade 8 losing. It was unfortunate that due to Anzac day falling on the Saturday and the shortage of this school term the first game of the season was played on a Friday but at various venues.

The purpose as the RSG was advised for playing at different venues was due to the fact that some schools were required to play two games on the day. St Paul's second game was in fact our bye therefore our teams were only required to play one game.

The RSG will now be producing a weekly newsletter for the remainder of the season.

Next Saturday is Gala Day and we are hoping for a large turnout of parent and supporters as well as former students of St Paul's.

New pink sock (stripped) as opposed to the previous all pink socks can be ordered through flexischool for the same price (\$10) as last year.

The Junior school kickoff their rugby season this week (2nd May). Iconz have provided support for the middle school rugby development and will also play a role the development of junior school rugby. Their involvement has been paid for by the RSG as part of our continuing support of rugby within St Paul's.

The Seniors are back from a successful tour of New Zealand where they won one from three games. These tours provide a wonderful opportunity to experience rugby at a different level and prepare for their home season. A detail report is available in Rugby Supporter's Group E-News released last week.

The next meeting of the RSG has been brought forward from 11 May to 27 April to allow adequate planning for the Gala Day.

The Grade Nine Touring Committee is running a joint raffle with the Netball and Hockey Supporters Groups with taking to be shared equally by the three groups.

Phillip Roxburgh is currently working hard on finalizing the Rugby Handbook for 2015 and sponsorship is available within the handbook for as little as \$100.

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