



## Overport Primary School Sport Report



### State Athletic Championships

What an amazing day for Overport. On Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October Monte and Noah hit the track at Albert Park for the State Athletic Championships. The boys displayed sportsmanship at the highest level and also put in some fantastic performances on the track. Monte finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 800m, which qualifies him to the National Championships to be held in December. The remarkable thing about Monte's performance was he ran in the 12/13yrs age group, Monte is still only 11yrs old and wont be 12 until December after the Nationals. Monte beat all the 12yrs old competitors including the National Champion and State Champion, but couldn't quite get past the only 13yrs old competitor in the race. After a gruelling 800m run Monte then had to go straight to his Long Jump heat, unfortunately he couldn't quite get going and missed the final.

Noah qualified 4<sup>th</sup> for the 80m Hurdles Final and in the closest of all finishes ran 4<sup>th</sup> in the final after several looks at a photo finish for 3<sup>rd</sup> place. This was Noah's first appearance at State level and what a great performance he put in. What I noticed at the beginning of the race made Noah a winner before he even began. I watched Noah make the effort to shake hands and wish all his competitors the best of luck. What a great role model for us all.

Congratulations Noah and Monte on a fantastic year in Athletics, you have done everyone at Overport very proud.

All the best at Nationals Monte, Overport are cheering you on!

### Regional Future Stars Hoop Time

On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October Overport Orangutan's played off in the basketball competition Hoop Time. The team had qualified into the Regional Final by winning their district competition earlier in the year. With tough competition the Orangutan's made their way through the group stage with 4 wins and 1 loss. Unfortunately they ran into a very good team in the State Qualifying Final and couldn't get it going. Great sportsmanship and great mentoring from Flynn in Year 6 had the team give their best and all members should be very proud of their achievements.

### In school this week...

**Hot Shots Tournament** beginning Wednesday, going through to Tuesday lunchtime.

**Runners Club** held on Monday and Wednesday mornings 8:30am.

### Up coming events

**Regional Volleyball Finals**

**10<sup>th</sup> November**

**Regional Hot Shots Finals**

**23<sup>rd</sup> November**