

A wide-angle photograph of a green sports field with students playing soccer. In the background, there is a residential area, a body of water, and distant hills under a clear blue sky.

THE HUTCHINS SCHOOL YEAR 7-12 CO-CURRICULAR SPORT HANDBOOK

Terms 2 and 3, 2024



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Welcome



Welcome to another exciting year of sport at The Hutchins School. The Hutchins School Sport program provides students with the opportunity to find their passion in sport through participation in a wide range of activities.

With over 25 sports on offer to Years 7-12 students, the program continually strives to cater for a range of individual student interests, skill levels and experiences. Sports are scaffolded to allow for students to develop, progress and excel in a safe and supportive environment.

In accordance with the School Rules, sport is compulsory for all students from Years 5-12. Students from Years 7-12 are required to choose a Summer Sport (Term 1) and a Winter Sport (Terms 2 and 3). Students in Years 7-9 must also choose a Spring Sport (Term 4) with this term being optional for students in Years 10-12.

Participation in the compulsory sport program at Hutchins plays a vital role in the School's mission of developing men of character who act with kindness, respect, humility and courage.

The Sport program also enables students to:

- have fun;
- represent the School as an individual or as a member of a team;
- experience a variety of activities;
- gain an insight into their abilities in other activities, outside the classroom curriculum;
- gain new friendships;
- experience pride in their school;
- bring the benefits of co-curricular success into their classroom learning;
- experience the concept of winning and losing;
- take on leadership roles;
- take on the pastoral care of younger students in coaching;
- foster the relationship between staff and students;
- give to the School community, the benefits of their skill;
- develop lifelong recreational skills;
- develop a tolerance of others;
- foster a healthy lifestyle;
- experience the educational parameters of coaching, including but not limited to fair play;
- exhibit sportsmanship;
- further develop fine motor skills;
- show courage on the sports field;
- gain an insight into their character;
- gain an understanding and appreciation of game skills and strategies; and
- strive for excellence.

Included in this document are the sport options for 2024 with a brief overview of Term 2 and 3 Sport Choices. If you have any questions regarding these selections, please do not hesitate to contact the Teacher-in-Charge of an activity or your respective sport co-ordinator.

Thank you for your continued support of The Hutchins School Sport program and we look forward to working with all students and families over the course of the year.

Mr Jason Berry
Director of Sport



Staff

For all general sport enquiries, please contact the Sports Administrator. For all enquiries relating to Junior School Sport please contact the Head of Junior Years Sport.

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Code of Behaviour

This Code of Behaviour is intended to be the minimum standard for anyone involved in Hutchins sport.

- Operate within the rules and spirit of your sport, promoting fair play over winning at any cost.
- Encourage and support opportunities for people to learn appropriate behaviours and skills.
- Support opportunities for participation in all aspects of the sport.
- Treat each person as an individual.
- Display control and courtesy to all involved with the sport.
- Respect the rights and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Respect the decisions of officials, coaches and administrators in the conduct of the sport.
- Adopt appropriate and responsible behaviour in all interactions.
- Act with integrity and objectivity, and accept responsibility for your decisions and actions.
- Ensure your decisions and actions contribute to a safe environment.
- Ensure your decisions and actions contribute to a harassment free environment.
- Do not tolerate harmful or abusive behaviours.

Students

- Give your best at all times, be the best you can be.
- Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit.
- Wear the correct sport uniform at all times when competing. This also includes the Hutchins tracksuit.
- Communicate with Teachers-in-Charge of sports and coaches regarding absence or injury.

Coaches

- Place the safety and welfare of athletes above all else.
- Help each person (athlete, official etc.) reach their potential - respect the talent, developmental stage and goals of each person and compliment and encourage with positive and supportive feedback.
- Any physical contact with a person should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the person's skill development.

Officials

- Place the safety and welfare of the athletes above all else.
- Be consistent and impartial when making decisions.
- Address unsporting behaviour and promote respect for all people.

Administrators

- Act honestly, in good faith and in the best interests of the sport as a whole.
- Ensure that any information acquired or advantage gained from the position is not used improperly.
- Conduct your responsibilities with due care, competence and diligence.
- Do not allow prejudice, conflict of interest or bias to affect your objectivity.
- Communication with parents/carers and students is highly valued.

Parents/carers

- Encourage children to participate and have fun.
- Focus on the child's effort and performance rather than winning or losing.
- Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- Communicate with Teacher-in-Charge regarding absence, injury or grievance.

Spectators

- Respect the performances and efforts of all people.
- Reject the use of violence in any form, whether it is by spectators, coaches, officials or athletes.
- The use of noise or language that intimidates is unacceptable.



Sport options

Terms 2 and 3

Australian Rules Football (First XVIII and Second XVIII, Year 7-10)

Badminton (Year 7-12)

Dance (Year 7-12)

Golf (Year 9-12)

Hockey (Year 7-12)

Karate (Year 7-12)

Orienteering/parkrun (Year 7-12)

Rugby (Year 7-12)

Soccer (Year 7-12)

Volleyball (Year 7-12)

Water Polo (Year 7-12)

Sport Assistance (Year 7-12)



Australian Rules Football

YEARS 7-8

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Tom Green

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Game dates and times

Games will begin in Term 3, commencing on Wednesday 31 July at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 2, Term 2 on Mondays at 3.45pm on the War Memorial Oval.

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins football top (provided), black football shorts, mouthguard, boots and Hutchins football socks.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.

YEARS 9-10

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Jason Berry

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Game dates and times

Games will begin in Term 2 commencing on Wednesday 15 May at 4.15pm

Training dates and times

Years 9-10 students may choose to also train and play in the First/Second XVIII competition in Term 2 (see details on page 8).

Training for the Years 9-10 competition will begin in Week 1, Term 3 on Mondays at 3.45pm on the War Memorial Oval.

Season duration

Four week gala competition - central venues under lights where appropriate.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins football top (provided), black (home) and white (away) football shorts, mouthguard, boots and Hutchins football socks.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.



Australian Rules Football (continued)

First XVIII – YEARS 9-12

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Jason Berry

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Game dates and times

Games will begin Week 1, Term 2 in various time allocations including Tuesday afternoons, Wednesday afternoons or Saturdays. The roster will be available at www.satis.com.au.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 2 on Tuesdays at 4.00pm and Thursdays at 4.00pm on the War Memorial Oval.

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins football top (provided), black (home) and white (away) football shorts, mouthguard, boots, Hutchins football socks.

Governing body

SATIS – Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.

Second XVIII – YEARS 9-12

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Jason Berry

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Game dates and times

Games will begin Week 1, Term 2, commencing Wednesday 1 May at 4.30pm. The roster will be available at www.satis.com.au.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 2.

Students in the Second XVIII squad will train at 3.45pm on Monday on the War Memorial Oval.

Students playing Second XVIII and also in the First XVIII Squad will train instead on Tuesdays at 4.00pm and Thursdays at 4.00pm on the War Memorial Oval.

Season duration

7 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins football top (provided), black (home) and white (away) football shorts, mouthguard, boots, Hutchins football socks.

Governing body

SATIS – Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.



Badminton

YEARS 7-10

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Cameron Hudson
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Game dates and times

Games will begin Week 2, Term 2 on Fridays at 4.00pm.

Training dates and times

Training will begin Week 1, Term 2 on Thursdays from 4.00pm – 5.00pm (South Hobart Badminton Centre).

Season duration

9 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided to training, students to be collected from training venue at the conclusion of session.

Uniform

Hutchins sport uniform.

Governing body

STBA – Southern Tasmania Badminton Association.

First IV and YEARS 11-12

Teacher-in-Charge

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Game dates and times

Games will begin Week 1, Term 3 on Fridays at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training will begin Week 10, Term 2 on Thursdays from 4.00pm – 5.30pm (South Hobart Badminton Centre).

Season duration

9 weeks.

Venue

South Hobart Badminton Centre.

Transport

Transport provided to training, students to be collected from training venue at the conclusion of session.

Uniform

Hutchins sport uniform.

Governing body

STBA – Southern Tasmania Badminton Association.



Dance

YEARS 7-12

Information regarding dance has already been sent out via EdSmart from Mrs Jacquie Coad. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Coad directly at jacquie.coad@hutchins.tas.edu.au.



Golf

YEARS 9-12

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Adam Palfreyman

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Game dates and times

Games begin Week 2, Term 3 on Sundays
(times to be negotiated with the New Town Bay Golf Club).

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 3 on Thursdays
from 4.00pm – 6.00pm at the New Town Bay Golf Club.

Season duration

9 weeks.

Venue

New Town Bay Golf Club.

Transport

Parents/carers to provide transport to Sunday sessions and training sessions.

Uniform

Hutchins sport uniform.

Governing body

N/A



Hockey

YEARS 7-8

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Anthony Hyland

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Game dates and times

Games begin Week 2, Term 3, commencing Monday 5 August at 4.15pm at the Tasmanian Hockey Centre.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 3 on Wednesdays at 4.15pm on the Hutchins Tennis Courts.

Season duration

7 weeks.

Venue

Tasmanian Hockey Centre.

Transport

Transport to games (departing at 3.30pm) and students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins black shorts, hockey/soccer top (School Uniform Store) and Hutchins branded long socks. Shin pads and mouthguard are compulsory. Boys need their own hockey stick.

Governing body

Hockey Tasmania.

First XI Hockey and Second XI Hockey

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Richard Gard

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Game dates and times

Games begin Week 2, Term 2. The First XI games commence Thursday 9 May at 4.15pm and the Second XI commence Wednesday 8 May at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 2, Term 2 on Mondays at 4.00pm at the Tas Hockey Centre (to be confirmed). Team selections will occur during the first training session.

Season duration

7 weeks.

Venue

Tasmanian Hockey Centre.

Transport

Transport provided provided to games (departing at 3.30pm), students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins black shorts, hockey/soccer top (School Uniform Store) and Hutchins branded long socks (plain yellow socks for First XI, black Hutchins socks for Second XI). Shin pads and mouthguard are compulsory. Boys need their own hockey stick.

Governing body

Hockey Tasmania.



Karate

YEARS 7-12

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Cameron Hudson

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Training dates and times

Training is scheduled over the entire year and is held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Friday from 6.15pm-8.00pm and Saturdays 2.00pm-4.00pm.

Please note that attendance is not required at all four training sessions. Requirements will be discussed at Sport Meetings.

Season duration

Season duration is one term minimum. Please note that this sport operates for the entire year.

The first term of tuition fees for this sport will be covered. If students wish to continue beyond their first term, they will be required to join the club and pay membership and tuition fees.

Venue

Tora Shotokan Karate-Do in North Hobart.

Transport

Students and parents/carers must arrange their own transport to training.

Uniform

Training attire to be advised by Teacher-in-Charge.

Governing body

Tora Shotokan Karate-Do.



Orienteering/parkrun

YEARS 7-12

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Ivor Leonard

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Game dates and times

Competitions begin Week 2, Term 2 (further details will be provided at the Sport Meeting):

- Orienteering Tasmania - Mixture of Saturday and Sunday events.
- Parkrun - Saturday mornings around Australia.

Season duration

10 weeks - boys are required to compete in a total of 10 events between the start of Term 2 and the end of Term 3.

Venues

Venues for orienteering vary around Hobart. A current list is available at <https://www.tasorienteeing.asn.au/>. Venues for parkrun are Kingston, Bellerive, Domain, Risdon Brook Dam, Montrose Foreshore and many other locations around the world.

Transport

Parents/carers to arrange own transport.

Uniform

No set uniform.

Governing body

Orienteering Tasmania/parkrun.



Rugby

U14 (turning 13 or 14 in the calendar year)

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Shaun Killian

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Game dates and times

Games begin Term 2, Week 1, Friday afternoons at Rugby Park, Cornelian Bay.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 2 on Mondays and Wednesdays from 4.00pm-5.15pm at the University of Tasmania Rugby Fields. Strength and Conditioning sessions Monday and Wednesday mornings 6.30am-8.00am at the Hutchins Gymnasium.

Season duration

10 weeks.

Venue

Rugby Park, Cornelian Bay.

Transport

Parents/carers to provide own transport.

Uniform

Hutchins rugby jersey (supplied), Hutchins rugby training shirt (available at Senior School Reception), black Hutchins rugby shorts, Hutchins rugby socks (School Uniform Store) and mouthguard.

Governing body

Tasmanian Rugby Union.

U16 (turning 15 or 16 in the calendar year) and U18 (turning 17 or 18 in the calendar year)

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Shaun Killian

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Game dates and times

Games are played on Saturdays (statewide).

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 1, Term 2 on Mondays and Wednesdays from 4.00pm-5.15pm at the University of Tasmania Rugby Fields.

Season duration

10 weeks.

Venue

Various statewide venues. To be advised when roster becomes available.

Transport

Parents/carers to provide own transport to local games. Buses provided to matches in Northern Tasmania.

Uniform

Hutchins rugby jersey (supplied), Hutchins rugby training shirt (available at Senior School Reception), black Hutchins rugby shorts, Hutchins rugby socks (School Uniform Store) and mouthguard.

Governing body

Tasmanian Rugby Union.



Soccer

YEARS 7-8

Teacher-in-Charge

Mr Ben Farrell

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Game dates and times

Games will be played on Wednesday afternoons, commencing on Wednesday 31 July at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 6, Term 2 on Tuesday or Thursdays (subject to ground availability) from 4.00pm-5.15pm at Hutchins (TBC).

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins soccer top (School Uniform Store), black Hutchins shorts, mouthguard, boots Hutchins football socks, shin guards.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.

YEARS 9-10

Teacher-in-Charge

Mrs Kate Nunn

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Game dates and times

Games will be played on Thursday afternoons, commencing on Thursday 1 August at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 6, Term 2 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays (subject to ground availability) from 4.00pm-5.15pm at Hutchins (TBC).

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Various.

Transport

Transport provided, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins soccer top (School Uniform Store), black Hutchins shorts, mouthguard, boots Hutchins football socks, shin guards.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.



Soccer (continued)

First XI Soccer (Years 9-12)

Teacher-in-Charge

Mrs Kate Nunn

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Game dates and times

Games will be played on Monday afternoons, commencing on Monday 29 July at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 6, Term 2 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays (subject to ground availability) from 4.00pm to 5.15pm at Hutchins (TBC).

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Bell Street, New Town and War Memorial Oval (Hutchins) - See fixture for details.

Transport

Transport provided to games, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins soccer top (School Uniform Store), black Hutchins shorts, mouthguard, boots
Hutchins football socks, shin guards.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.

Second XI Soccer (Years 11-12)

Teacher-in-Charge

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Game dates and times

Games will be played on Monday afternoons, commencing on Monday 29 July at 4.15pm.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 6, Term 2 on Tuesdays or Wednesdays (subject to ground availability) from 4.00pm to 5.15pm at Hutchins (TBC).

Season duration

8 weeks.

Venue

Bell Street, New Town and War Memorial Oval (Hutchins) - See fixture for details.

Transport

Transport provided to games, students to be collected at conclusion of matches.

Uniform

Hutchins soccer top (School Uniform Store), black Hutchins shorts, mouthguard, boots
Hutchins football socks, shin guards.

Governing body

SSATIS – Southern Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.



Volleyball

YEARS 7-12

Teacher-in-Charge

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Game dates and times

A Hutchins representative team will be selected to represent the School in the SSATIS roster in Term 3. Games will be played on Thursday afternoons, commencing on Thursday 1 August.

Training dates and times

Training begins Week 2, Term 2
Years 9-12 – Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 3.45pm – 4.45pm in the Hutchins Gymnasium.
Years 7-8 – Thursdays from 12.45pm-1.15pm in the Hutchins Gymnasium.

Season duration

8 weeks of Term 2. Representative team will continue in Term 3 with the SATIS roster.

Venue

Hutchins Gymnasium.

Transport

Parents/carers to provide own transport.

Uniform

Boys may choose to wear sports shoes with school uniform for lunchtime training sessions, to ensure sufficient time to eat lunch and participate.

Representative Team plays in sports gear (with black polo tops).

Governing body

SATIS – Sports Association of Tasmanian Independent Schools.



Water Polo

YEARS 7-12

Teacher-in-Charge

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Game dates and times

Games begin Week 2, Term 2 on Fridays from 6.00pm – 9.30pm (start times vary).

Training dates and times

Dates and times to be confirmed.

Season duration

TBC.

Venue

Doone Kennedy Hobart Aquatic Centre.

Transport

Parents/carers to provide own transport.

Uniform

Hutchins sport uniform to the pool and Hutchins bathers in the water.

Governing body

Water Polo Tasmania.



Sport Assistance

YEARS 7-12

For students unable to participate due to injury or other circumstances. Roles may include scoring, umpiring, administration, organisation to be decided in consultation with Mr Jason Berry, Director of Sport.

Please contact Mr Jason Berry directly for more information at jason.berry@hutchins.tas.edu.au





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