

**ST JOSEPH'S  
COLLEGE**



# U11 IAPS Netball Festival

Friday 6 February 2026



# Welcome

Welcome to St Joseph's College and to the IAPS U11 Netball Tournament. We are delighted to be hosting this event and to welcome all participating schools, players, coaches, officials and supporters.

Netball is a valued part of life at St Joseph's College, where we aim to inspire enjoyment of the game while promoting respect, teamwork and positive competition.

This tournament is a wonderful opportunity for our young athletes to showcase their skill, teamwork and sportsmanship, while also enjoying the spirit of friendly competition that lies at the heart of IAPS sport.

We wish all teams the very best of luck and hope you enjoy your time with us.

Maria Lutua  
Head of Netball



# Event Information

## Overview of the Day:

- 11.00am - Arrival via Belstead Road, follow signage for parking
- 11.00am - Refreshments available at tea and coffee station
- 11.30am - Team registration
- 11.45am - Coaches briefing
- 12.00pm - Netball matches commence on courts and sports hall
- 15.20pm - Final game finish and closing presentation

## Arrangements:

- Parking: Belstead Road, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP2 9DR. First left as you enter the site, follow signs for event parking: what3words: sober.token.stews
- Squad size: minimum 7, maximum 10
- Schedules: the schedule will be emailed to you prior to the event
- Game length: 2 x 7 minute halves (2 min HT)
- Umpire: you are required to bring your own umpire
- What you need to bring: packed lunch, warmup equipment, warm clothing, 2x bibs (in case of a clash) and first aid kit.
- Changing facilities: there are no changing facilities available on site
- Photos: please could you inform us of anyone who CANNOT have their photo or video taken.

# Welcome from IAPS

First and foremost, sport is about participation and enjoyment. It plays a vital role in children's personal development, helping them build confidence, resilience and teamwork skills. IAPS (Independent Association of Prep Schools) is proud to host over 22,000 children in 190 events across 21 sports each year as part of the IAPS Sport and Pupil Experience programme.

Your Headteacher is a member of IAPS, giving your school access not only to these extracurricular opportunities, but also to professional development, training, advice, events, services, and peer networks that support the whole school community. Your school's membership reflects the all-round quality of education that its pupils receive.

Whether this is your first IAPS event or one of many, we hope you enjoy the competition and good luck!

## IAPS Sport and Pupil Experience

# Code of Conduct for Spectators

Where permitted, we are delighted to welcome spectators to attend IAPS events.

As a spectator / parent you have a responsibility to:

- Be a positive role model and lead by example. Children are involved in sport for their enjoyment and without undue spectator pressure.
- Encourage children to play by the rules and respect the officials.
- Always respect the officials and their decisions. Video evidence will not be accepted in any cases to dispute decisions.
- Always respect the coaches and their decisions. They give their time, energy and experience to coach the children.
- Refrain from any form of bad language or poor behaviour towards players, officials and fellow spectators.
- Be friendly and respectful to the opposition.
- Teach children that effort and teamwork are as important as victory so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
- Turn defeat into victory by helping children work towards skill improvement and a positive sporting attitude.
- Be aware that IAPS events have comprehensive safeguarding policies and procedures, available on our website: <https://iaps.uk/sports/useful-information/documents-links.html>
- Try to relax and enjoy the event!

IAPS wants all competitions to run without any negative incidents. Excitement and emotions can run high at events, not least amongst the supporters. Unpleasant and inappropriate behaviour is very rarely seen but you should be aware that IAPS retains the right to ask you to leave the event if you fail to comply with the code of conduct.

# Safeguarding

IAPS believes that the welfare and wellbeing of all children (young people under the age of 18) and adults at risk attending an IAPS event is of the highest concern. All such persons have the right to safety and protection and any suspicions, concerns or allegations of harm will be taken seriously and will be dealt with swiftly and appropriately.

IAPS expects all adults who are engaged with the delivery of sports events to fully comply with safeguarding procedures as laid out in the IAPS Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, and the KCSiE document. These are available on our website.

IAPS expects all coaches present to be DBS checked and have received relevant safeguarding training at their school/club.

IAPS expects that all adults attending events have read the IAPS code of conduct, photo policy and anti-bullying policy. These are available to read and download from our website.

If you have any safeguarding concerns today, please don't hesitate to speak to Emily Nunan, Mike Kershaw or a member of the organising team.

**Emily Nunan**  
**Head of Sport and Pupil Experience**  
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**Designated safeguarding officer**

**Mike Kershaw**  
**Sport and Pupil Experience Manager**  
**mjk@iaps.uk**  
**Deputy safeguarding officer**

# Event Information

## Results

Results for team events will be published live using SOCS. Results for individual sports will not be available live but will be published as soon as possible after the event.

## Merchandise

IAPS are delighted to have Team Elite as our official merchandisers, to sell branded products both online and at events throughout the year, All commission made from merchandise is directly put back into running the sports programme.

## Sporttape

IAPS has partnered with SPORTTAPE to offer all participants an exclusive 10% discount on SPORTTAPE products. To receive your discount, use the affiliate link: [https://ctrk.klclick.com//01K8NTAGXF6B56W0AG0XR1DXFR\\_2](https://ctrk.klclick.com//01K8NTAGXF6B56W0AG0XR1DXFR_2)

Enter the code STIAPS10 at checkout. You may also visit the SPORTTAPE website directly – simply enter the code STIAPS10 at checkout to receive your discount.

## Photography Advice

There is no professional photography at IAPS Sports events, however parents and spectators can take their own pictures. There is no law against taking photos at public events for personal use, including pictures of other people's children (Ask the Police, 2018). IAPS asks parents and spectators to be cautious when sharing any images on social media.

The NSPCC have useful advice on sharing images here:

<https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/>

# Tactical Change Rule:

## Clarification for schools

### Request for a tactical change

- Each team may request one (1) tactical change per game.
- The request must be made via the umpire.

### What counts as a tactical change

A tactical change may include:

- Substitution: swapping an on-court player with a substitute player.
- Positional change: changing players' on-court positions.

### How to request a tactical change

Coach/teacher positioning:

- Teachers/coaches should be positioned on the goal line near their defensive end at the start of play.

Communication process:

- From this position, the teacher/coach may communicate with the GK/GS, who should then inform the umpire of the tactical change being requested.

Timing requirements:

- The umpire must be informed of the tactical change before the Centre Pass
- Tactical changes may only be made before a C-Pass.

Speed of change:

- Changes must be made quickly to avoid delay.
- Please ensure any substitutes are ready to enter immediately, with bibs on and prepared to take the court.

### Umpire oversight

An umpire may refuse a tactical change if:

- The request is considered frivolous, or
- The request is made at a time that would disrupt or delay play.

# Rules and Regulations

**Ball hitting the post:** If the ball hits the post and comes back on to the court, it comes back into play. Play on.

**Scoring:** 5 points for a win 3 points for a draw, 1 point for scoring 50% or more of the winning team's score

**Pool stage:** The group order will be decided by the number of points scored by each team. In the event of a tie on points, the following will decide final placings:

1. Goal difference\*
2. Total goals scored.
3. Result between the two teams

\*Goal difference is calculated as the number of goals scored in all leagues matches minus the number of goals conceded. e.g. Team 1 - 15 goals for - 5 goals against = +10 (this team wins) Team 2 - 19 goal for - 10 goals against = +9

**Knockout stage:** In the event of a draw in the knockout stages, the winner will be decided by 1.5 minutes of extra time. There will be a 2-minute interval after full time before starting the extra time.

# POOLS

POOL 1	POOL 2	POOL 3	POOL 4
St Joseph's College	Littlegarth School	St Cedd's School	Norwich High School
St John's College	Widford Lodge Preparatory	Langley Preparatory	Barnardiston Hall Preparatory
Heath Mount School	The Perse School	Duncombe School	Stamford Junior School
Ipswich Preparatory	Town Close School	Woodford Green Preparatory	Old Buckenham Hall School

# ORDER OF PLAY

## POOL MATCHES

- This qualifier consists of 4 pools of 4 teams.
- Matches will be 7 minutes each way, 2 minutes HT, 4 minutes rotation.
- The 1st and 2nd placed team in each pool will progress to the cup competition.
- The 3rd and 4th placed team in each pool will progress to the plate competition.

	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4 (Sports Hall)
12.00pm	Barnardiston Hall v Norwich High	Littlegarth v Widford Lodge	Duncombe v Langley	Heath Mount v St Joseph's
12.20pm	Heath Mount v St John's	Littlegarth v The Perse	Barnardiston Hall v OBH	Duncombe v Woodford Green
12.40pm	Heath Mount v Ipswich	Littlegarth v Town Close	Duncombe v St Cedd's	Barnardiston Hall v Stamford
1.00pm	Ipswich v St John's	Norwich High v OBH	Langley v Woodford Green	The Perse v Town Close
1.20pm	Ipswich v St Joseph's	The Perse v Widford Lodge	Langley v St Cedd's	Norwich High v Stamford
1.40pm	St John's v St Joseph's	Town Close v Widford Lodge	OBH v Stamford	St Cedd's v Woodford Green

# KNOCKOUT MATCHES

Matches will be 7 minutes each way.

## CUP QUARTER FINALS

Time	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4
2.00pm	1st place of pool 1 v 2nd place of pool 3	2nd place of pool 2 v 1st place pool 4	1st place of pool 2 v 2nd place of pool 4	2nd place of pool 1 v 1st place pool 3

## CUP SEMI FINALS & FINALS

Time	SF 1 COURT 1	SF2 - COURT 4 (Sports Hall)
2.40pm	Winner of QF1 v Winner of QF2	Winner of QF3 v Winner of QF4
	<b>FINAL</b> COURT 4 (Sports Hall)	<b>3rd and 4th Place</b> Playoff - COURT 3
3.00pm	Winner of SF1 v Winner of SF2	2nd place of SF1 v 2nd place of SF2

# PLATE QUARTER FINALS

Time	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4
2.20pm	3rd place of pool 1 v 4th place of pool 3	4th place of pool 2 v 3rd place pool 4	3rd place of pool 2 v 4th place of pool 4	4th place of pool 1 v 3rd place of pool 3

# PLATE SEMI FINALS

TIME	SF1 COURT 2	SF 2 COURT 3
2.40pm	Winner of QF1 v Winner of QF2	Winner of QF3 v Winner of QF4
	FINAL COURT 1	3rd and 4th Place Playoff – COURT 2
3.00pm	Winner of SF1 v Winner of SF2	2nd place of SF1 v 2nd place of SF2

# PRESENTATION

Held on the netball courts at 3.20pm



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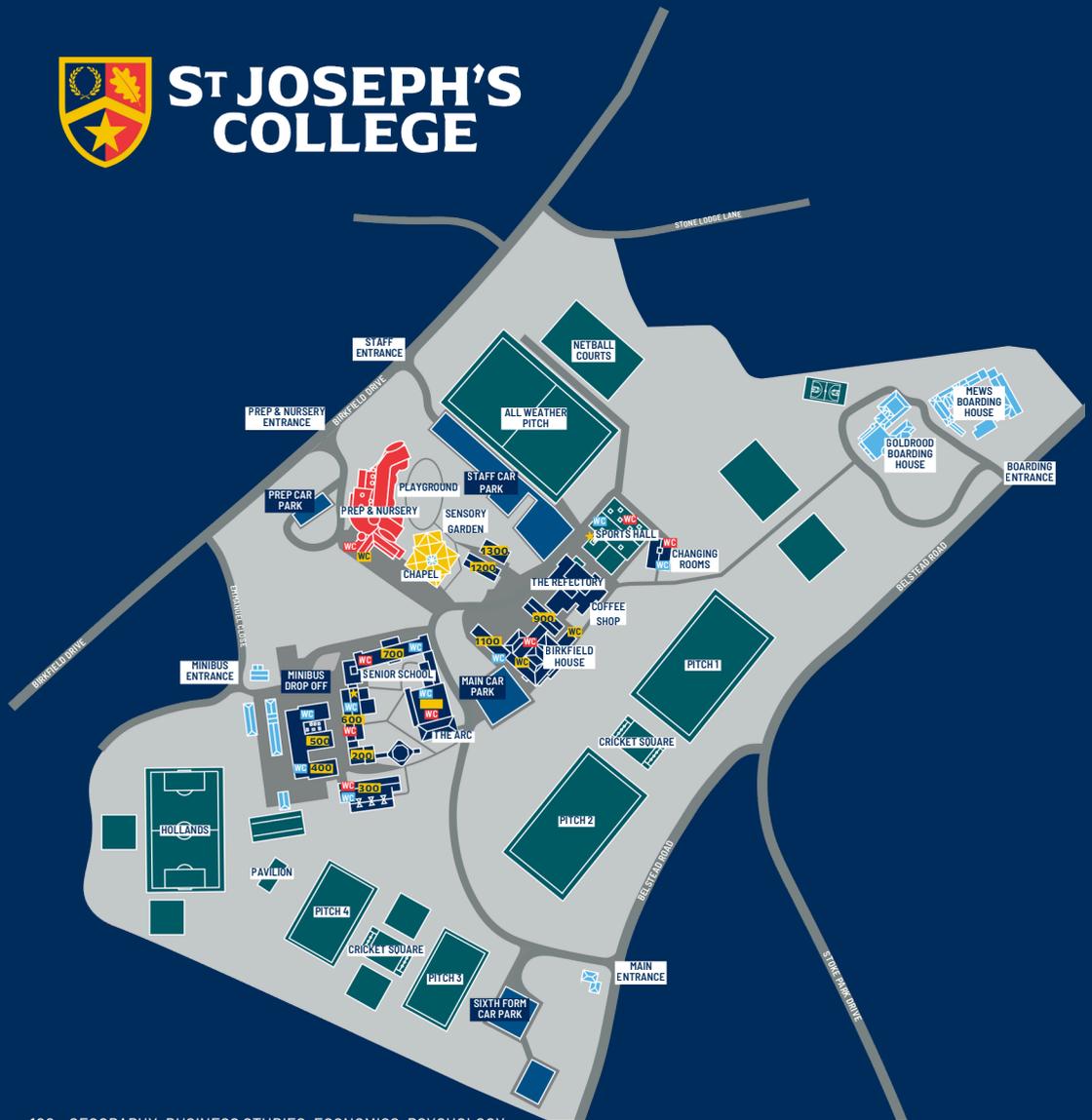
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**Sat 7 March**





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100 - GEOGRAPHY, BUSINESS STUDIES, ECONOMICS, PSYCHOLOGY

200 - ART, MUSIC, PHOTOGRAPHY, DRAMA

300 - SCIENCE, CHEMISTRY, PHYSICS, BIOLOGY

400 - ENGINEERING, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

500 - ENGLISH, CREATIVE MEDIA, E-SPORTS, DIGITAL MEDIA, HOSPITALITY & CATERING,

600 - SIXTH FORM, READING ROOM, ATRIUM,

700 - MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES, ENGLISH AS AN ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE, TEXTILES, MATHEMATICS, FOOD TECHNOLOGY

900 - FITNESS SUITE, PHYSICAL EDUCATION

1100 - HISTORY, RELIGIOUS EDUCATION, POLITICS

1200 - DANCE STUDIO

1300 - BTEC SPORT & EXERCISE SCIENCE

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