

# SATIS MEETING – Minutes

## Via Zoom

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2020  
1:30pm



**MEETING CALLED BY:** Various

**MEETING TYPE:** State wide Delegates

**FACILITATOR:** Damian Messer

**MINUTES:** Emma Johnson / Barb McBride

### **ATTENDEES:**

Emma Johnson (SSATIS), Barb McBride (NSATIS), Adrian Broughton (SATIS), Adrian Finch (LCGS), Jason Berry (HUT), Fiona Geappen (MKC), Jo Banks-Smith (FAH), Talia Stopp (DOM), Rob Jeffrey (SOC), Mia Blignaut (SMC), John White (TFS), Nikki Stuart (MCC), Justin Mahoney (SHC), Sam O’Keeffe (SBS), Mel Brown (GYC), Craig Boon (SPC), Brady Yates (MRC), Kristy Nash (SCC), Ryan Bosker (LCS)

### **APOLOGIES:**

Michael Moschogianis (SVC), Judith Davies & Jess Blake (COL), Damian Messer (SATIS) Ken Holloway (CCS), James Hickey (SAC),

### **REQUIREMENTS:**

### **WELCOME:**

### **ATTACHED DOCUMENTS:**

- Minutes of previous meeting
- Athletics proposal
- Rowing Australia Transgender Inclusive Community Sport Guidelines

### **MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING**

Last meeting: 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2020  
Moved: Talia Stopp  
Seconded: Nikki Stuart

### **VARIATIONS TO AGENDA**

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### **BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING**

- Term 3 rosters; no SSATIS Netball will be run in Term 3
- Incomplete summer finals: Barb has contacted schools for the Tennis state finals. Schools to determine the date and time tennis finals are played in the North.

### **CORRESPONDENCE IN**

- Rowing Tasmania/Australia Transgender Inclusive Community Sport Guidelines  
**Discuss at next meeting**

## AGENDA ITEMS

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- Website login A Broughton  
Delegates received login details. Some notifications have gone through to spam so check spam folder for change of password details.

The delegate log in page is still a work in progress and will change over the next few months as we refine how we are going to use it. All the policies and COVID plans are housed on this page, if having trouble logging please contact the host school. Any other requests for the website on the delegates page, please send them through to Barb or Emma.

- Athletics proposal E Johnson / B McBride

SATIS delegates met to discuss options for 2020 Athletics. Emma Johnson and Barb McBride had met with Brian Roe from AT and subsequently put together a couple of options of what could possibly happen with the current parameters of COVID-19. The following points were noted:

- Brief was to provide an opportunity for athletes to participate this term without putting too much pressure on staff and students
- It is not possible to conduct the usual Regional and State Carnivals for 2020 due to COVID regulations
- Most schools have not held their own Carnivals so selection of any form of team is going to be challenging
- Training students for an athletics carnival in 4 weeks time is also going to be challenging
- Senior students are under pressure from many fronts at the moment and most schools are reluctant for more time from classes to be missed
- Term 2 & 3 Winter rosters have commenced and will conclude in late Term 3.
- Many club rosters are now extending into Term 4
- Some schools have already begun Rowing training
- Delegates acknowledged that where possible they would like to give their Athletics students a chance to participate

Options discussed included:

1. Regional All Schools Events – with all schools entering teams at a school level  
Concern was raised surrounding this event with restriction of numbers and if schools were to enter full teams how would this keep numbers under the limit. Holding regional events would restrict the numbers and this carnival is providing opportunity for students who want to represent their school in athletics as opposed to schools entering a full athletics team as per normal SATIS carnivals.

Many southern schools indicated they would not be able to get many athletes to this carnival due to being on a weekend and would likely not participate. There is also a fee for this event per student/per event.

2. Regional NSATIS & SSATIS Challenge Pennants (based on the current Nitro Cup format)

Concern for this proposal was that limited number of events were available and athletes would be missing out. Southern schools indicated that this would be the preference for having a SSATIS regional competition, but modifying program to increase participation whilst remaining under number restriction. Most schools indicated that more likely to participate if this carnival is during school time, but others are unable to have students out during the day.

The proposal provided by Brian does not need to be in time slots allocated and doesn't need to be called Nitro cup. Students can potentially do both if we nominate All Schools as a SATIS event.

3. Schools encourage students to enter in the State All Schools event – held in Hobart over two days.
4. Ideas to split the Carnivals into Senior and Junior – across Term 3 & 4 respectively.  
Term 3: 10 – 12 or 9 – 12 Term 4: Year 7 - 9
5. Ideas to decrease the age groups
6. Ideas to increase decrease the number of events

After much discussion, due to the variety of school configurations between North and South the delegates thought it was better to decide at a Regional level what should occur for Athletics this year

NSATIS delegates continued discussion as a group and noted the following

- Some delegates noted that their Principals were keen for Option 2 “NSATIS Nitro Cup like” competition
- Some delegates indicated that their school would not be in a position to participate in any way
- Some delegates were undecided on which would be the best way forward

As a result of there not being a full commitment for all 6 NSATIS Schools the delegates suggested the following option would be the best for 2020:

For 2020 schools aim to gain support from Athletics students and promote the Tas All Schools Competition at the State competition to be held in Hobart in October (date tbc). At this event any SATIS student who breaks a current Regional or State record would have this acknowledged in the list of record holders.

### **SSATIS ATHLETICS**

Majority of delegates were not in favour of promoting and encouraging students entering the all schools carnival as per proposal 1 from Brian Roe. Majority were in favour of conducting some form of Athletics Nitro Cup (name does not have to be this) in Term 3, preferably on 8<sup>th</sup> September which is already in school calendars. Some points raised with this option were as follows

- Limited events on offer for students (this is to keep numbers under restrictions)
- Time slots to be during school time to maximise participation from students (can commence at normal SSATIS carnival start time of 9:00am)
- Splitting traditional SSATIS events over two time slots
- Split the carnival into a Senior (11/12 or 10 – 12) and Junior (7 – 10)
- Junior carnival to be held in Term 4

Question was asked if we require the assistance of Athletics Tas to run our carnival. AT provide the officials, entry, administration, timing etc. for the carnival and it would not run without them.

Delegates were asked to give further feedback to Emma and Barb by Friday and they will then go back to Damian and Brian. A decision needs to be made as soon as possible so planning can get underway.

- SSATIS planning meeting E Johnson  
 SSATIS planning meeting is scheduled for Monday 24 August, 9:00am at MacKillop.  
 Delegates are asked to look at planner and send any items for agenda through to Emma.  
 Reminder at this meeting we will be discussing 1<sup>st</sup> Grade sports running concurrently across  
 the state.
- GYC motion for State Final M Brown  
 Mel to send Motion (below) for State Final through to delegates and schools to discuss with  
 principal and return feedback to Emma and Barb by Monday 10 August, 12:30pm.

**Motion:** *“If there is only one College in a particular region (ie NSATIS or SSATIS) who has a 1<sup>st</sup> Grade sporting team a particular sport, then they should be eligible to play in the State Final.”*

**Rationale:**

*This year Guilford Young College has a 1<sup>st</sup> Girls Netball Team and I have expressed interest through both SSATIS and SATIS Meetings that this is the case. Unfortunately no other Colleges from SSATIS have said that they have a Girls 1<sup>st</sup> Netball team in 2020. As a result I would like GYC to represent SSATIS and be able to play against the NSATIS Premier in the 2020 SATIS Winter Finals to be played on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September.*

*Being eligible to play in the State Final gives the GYC students a chance to play netball in 2020 and a chance to play for their College in their final years. Given the onset of COVID-19, that opportunity has been denied them and this gives the girls one game at least in 2020 and a chance for two teams to play for a state final.*

*Unfortunately this term for our female students there are less opportunities for them to play and represent their College compared to the boys. Being a co-educational college I would like to provide equal opportunities for the students at Guilford Young College*

- NSATIS Hockey Final (NSATIS discussion) B McBride

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

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- SSATIS – Domain Athletics Centre booking has been confirmed for training. All schools must send COVID plans for Athletics to Emma prior to commencing training.
- Barb and Emma to check with Damian for SATIS Levies for Term 3 and 4.

**NEXT MEETINGS**

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*2020 Meeting Schedule*

SATIS: TBA

NSATIS: TBA

SSATIS: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2020, 9:00am at MacKillop

**MEETING CLOSE**

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2:45pm