



At Pimlico, we offer a wide variety of sporting opportunities for our students. These opportunities include Inter-House and Inter-School Swimming, Cross Country and Athletics carnivals, lunchtime sport, after school Block Sport competitions and Townsville and North Queensland School Sport trials. Sport is a valued part of our school as it encourages a healthy and balanced lifestyle and promotes qualities of teamwork, dedication, resilience and responsibility.

PIMLICO INTER-HOUSE CARNIVALS

There is a great tradition of friendly rivalry between our four houses; Alexandra, Pandanus, Phoenix, and Royal. The four houses compete at our annual Inter-House Swimming, Cross Country and Athletics carnivals for the Pimlico Inter-House and Spirit trophies.

- Term 1: Swimming Carnival
- Term 2: Cross Country
- Term 3: Athletics Carnival



TOWNSVILLE AND NQ SCHOOL SPORT

Students are given the opportunity to attend Townsville Secondary School Sport (TSSS) or Townsville Primary School Sport (12 years and under) trials throughout the year. All information and dates will be in the school's daily CARE class notices, on our Facebook page and school website. For students to attend trials they need to see our Sports Coordinator in the MPS staffroom to nominate and receive a permission form. Nominations close 3 days before the event.

HOUSE V HOUSE SPORT

House v house sport is run at various times throughout the year by the Senior House Captains. Houses compete against each other for points toward the Palm Plaque

TSSS INTER-SCHOOL CARNIVALS

In each age group, the top 2 – 4 students (depending on the event) in Swimming and Athletics events and the top 10 students in Cross Country will be selected to represent Pimlico at the Inter-School carnivals and be eligible for possible Townsville and North Queensland selection. To be eligible for selection into the Pimlico team, students need to participate in the Inter-House carnivals and attend training sessions for Cross Country and Athletics offered by Pimlico staff



BLOCK SPORT

Block Sport is offered every term, running for six weeks on predominately Tuesday or Wednesday afternoons and is played at a central location or a home and away basis (depending on the sport). Gala Days occur during a school day, where all games are played at one venue on that day. Block Sport and gala days provide an opportunity for students from Pimlico to compete against students from other secondary schools across Townsville. Pimlico only enter teams into the competition when ample students are committed to participate and a teacher is available to coach.

Students are able to nominate for teams each term on sign-up sheets located on the Pimlico Sport noticeboard in the Multi-Purpose Shelter (MPS). All information and specific details are given through the daily notices and student emails. Draws and other information are given by the coaches of each team or can be collected from our Sports Co-Ordinator in the MPS. The Block Sport and gala day calendar is confirmed by the TSSS committee at the beginning of each calendar year.

For any further information please do not hesitate to contact our Sports Co-Ordinator at principal@pimlicoshs.eq.edu.au.

