

**PSSA Summer Gala Day 2020 – Term 1 and 4**  
**Information Sheet**

**General:**

There are TWO Gala Days each term. They run over one full day starting at approximately 10:00am and finishing at about 2:00pm. The children will play a total of three games each day.

Summer Gala Days will be held on:

	Gala Day 1	Gala Day 2
Term 1	Week 7 - Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Week 10 - Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April
Term 4	Week 2 – 23 <sup>rd</sup> of October	Week 4 – 6 <sup>th</sup> of November

Please be aware that if a Gala Day is cancelled for weather, it will not be rescheduled.

The teams and the coaches for the Gala Days are:

1. **Girls Tiger Tag** – Miss McDonald
2. **Boys Tiger Tag** – Mrs Warren
3. **Softball** – Mrs Lockhart
4. **Cricket** – Miss Silva
5. **Teeball** – Miss Moisy

**Transport:**

- Teams will be required to travel by bus to venues within the Campbelltown area.
- **Please be aware that if your child does not pay the bus fare prior to a Gala Day, your child will be unable to attend.**
- **The cost to travel by bus is \$10.00** and all students **MUST** travel by bus.
- A payment of **\$40** to cover **all four gala days** across the **two terms** can be made to the office, \$20 to cover Term 1 Gala Day **OR** you can pay **\$10 separately each time**. Please ensure payments are made **before** the due date.

**What to take on the day:**

For each Gala Day (and training sessions), children will be required to bring the following items:

- **A sun hat** to wear between games. It is not always practical for hats to be worn during games, however they must have a hat on between games.
- **Sunscreen** is also recommended as there is often very little shade.
- **Water** to replenish body fluids lost whilst playing sport. Soft drinks and/or sports drinks are not recommended.
- **A plastic bag** to put rubbish in or to put dirty clothes/shoes in.
- **Protective clothing/items** that will be required for certain sports e.g. mouthguard, shin pads, boots, headgear etc.
- **Lunch.** Lunches **cannot** be ordered on Gala Days. Grounds **may** have canteens selling food and drinks; however it is advisable that students bring their own lunch, as this is often unreliable.

**Training Days:**

On Fridays that are not Gala Days, the children in Gala Day teams will be required to walk to Thomas Acres Reserve to train. By signing the contract, you are giving permission for your child to walk to and from Thomas Acres Reserve with their coach each Friday for training.

**Other:**

- As is the case in any school activity, poor sportsmanship and/or unacceptable behaviour will not be tolerated and may result in the offender(s) being excluded from participating in PSSA Sport.
- **Please include up-to-date medical information about your child on your child's permission note. This needs to be completed before he/she can take part in any out-of-school training sessions or Gala Days.** The information is necessary to allow staff to carry out a comprehensive duty of care regarding your child.