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Dear Parent/s,

Fahan Junior School Sport – Third Term 2012

This year we are looking to offer teeball/softball, touch football, badminton and cricket.

Teeball is available to Years 3 and 4, and will be played on Tuesdays after school, starting at 3.45pm and finishing about 5.00pm. Softball will also be played on Tuesdays after school, starting at 3.45pm and finishing about 5.00pm. Games could be played at Fahan, Ham Common and possibly other venues. The roster will commence in early October and finish late November.

Touch football is played with 5 on the field from each team and 2 or 3 substitutes, who are needed every 5 or so minutes. Touch football is available for years 5 and 6, with games played on Wednesdays after school, commencing 4.15pm or 5.00pm and played at Fahan, Ham Common and possibly other venues. This roster is to begin early in October.

Badminton is offered as training initially and as the term progresses the girls will get an opportunity to play both singles and doubles matches against other students. The training is available to Years 3 - 6 and conducted in the gym over one of the lunchtimes.

This year we are also offering cricket. Unfortunately, this will also be on Wednesdays, from 4.00pm to 5.30pm at the University Oval, starting on the 31 October (running for approx. 6 weeks). The program will combine skill clinics initially and then move into games, culminating with visits from the Tasmanian Roar women's cricket team. The school is not required to enter teams just provide a list of interested individuals.

We will endeavour to have all training conducted during school lunch hours, where possible. Any parent that has an interest, or would be prepared to invest some of their time in coaching/managing any of these teams, please indicate on the form below. These forms, with the chosen sport/s indicated, need **to be returned to your Class Teacher by the end of school Wednesday, 5th of September.**

Lastly, just a reminder that extra curricular sport at Fahan is not compulsory, however, once a student makes the choice to play she is placed in a team and she has an obligation to coaches and team members that needs to be fulfilled. Some difficult choices are made with regard to the number of teams entered in rosters and how many players in a team. It is preferred not to have large teams with large numbers of subs, and this is done on the assumption that students will fulfill their commitment. Girls are required to attend all practices and matches. They must personally notify their coach or myself if they are to be absent from either a game or a training session for a particular reason, and as early as possible with regard to games so replacements or alternative arrangements can be made if necessary. Our coaches are volunteers/staff who willingly give up their time to enable Fahan to enter teams into rosters. With regards to uniform, if the girls do not have PE on the day that their game is on, they should wear formal uniform and change into their sports gear at a time arranged with their class teacher.

Yours sincerely,

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Tim Dale
Junior Sport Coordinator