



CAMPBELLS BAY SCHOOL

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FLIPPA BALL 2023

Year Four and Year Five & Six

Flippa ball is a 7-a-side mixed team water sport. It is a junior version of water polo.

Children who play must be confident and competent in the water and must be able to swim. They must be able to play without holding on to the side of the pool. The pool is 1.0m-1.3m deep.

Flippa ball is played in each of the four terms. Each term is run as a separate competition and registrations are completed at the end of each term for the following term's competition. You do not have to commit to all four terms. Please note that preference is given first to those currently playing in a team before new registrations are accepted at the start of a new term. New player registrations at the start of terms two, three and four are not always guaranteed.

Venue: AUT Millennium Pool, 17 Antares Place, Rosedale. The pool played in is 1.0m to 1.3m deep.

Time: Sunday afternoons between 1:00pm and 6:00pm.

Competition Dates: Sunday 19 February to Sunday 25 March.

Games consist of two 8-minute halves. Generally, the younger teams play earlier in the day and the older, higher graded games are played later in the day, however this is not guaranteed.

Trainings: There are approximately three to four team trainings during the term. They are held every alternate Saturday at the AUT Millennium pool from 1:45pm to 2:30pm. Training dates will be allocated to teams once teams have been formed.

Coaches and Managers: The successful running of sports teams at CBS relies on parents volunteering to help with the coaching and managing of teams. Each team is required to have a coach and a manager. The coach organises the players at the games and organises the trainings. The manager liaises with the team regarding the draw and any other information that needs to be communicated to the team. Assistance can be given to get you started.

IMPORTANT: If you would like to volunteer to either coach or manage a team, please do so during the online registration process. All coaches and managers must have successfully completed the school's police vetting process and the police vet needs to be current.

Fees and registration: Fees are \$80 per player for term one. Fees need to be paid via the school's online payment portal <https://www.campbellsbay.school.nz/online-payment-portal/>
Registrations close on **Sunday 12 February**.

Uniform: Girls – one-piece togs; Boys – speedos/ jammers togs. Caps are supplied.

Trials: Due to the short turnaround time to get flippa ball teams up and running, there are no trials for flippa ball.

Please note: Teams remain relatively the same throughout the year, however some changes may take place due to the number of re-registrations received each term and any new registrations received.

For any queries, please email Keri Maunder on kerim@campbellsbay.school.nz

Kind regards,

Keri Maunder



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Player Code of Behaviour

I will ...

- Play for enjoyment, not just to win or to please others.
- Play hard but fair and by the rules.
- Be committed to the team. Attend all practices where possible and be punctual and see the season through.
- Never argue with referees, coaches, and officials. Without them we would not have a game.
- Be a good sport and applaud good play whether by my team or the opposition.
- Thank the opponents, referees and the coach at the end of the game.
- Treat all players as I would like to be treated.
- Wear the correct sports uniform.
- Use appropriate and acceptable language.
- Win with humility, lose with dignity.

Parents/ Spectators/Supporters Code of Behaviour

I will ...

- Ensure my child wears the correct sports uniform.
- Remember children participate in sport for their enjoyment, not mine.
- Applaud the performance of both teams.
- Encourage my child to play within the rules and respect the officials, referees, and coaches' decisions.
- Lead by example and be positive with the officials, coaches, and referees.
- Let the players play their game, not mine. Leave the directions of play to the coach.
- Praise efforts, not results. Teach my child honest effort is as important as victory.
- Remember children learn best by example. *Comments from the side-line need to be unbiased and positive.*
- Accept umpire/referees' decisions, whether I agree with them or not.
- Recognise and respect the value and importance of volunteer coaches and managers who give up their time and resources for the sporting benefit of my child.
- Not ridicule or yell at my child or any other player for making a mistake or losing a game.
- Make sure I know the process to follow should I have any concerns regarding incidences or behaviour during a game. I will NOT approach any players or opposition teams directly myself.
- I will notify the school in writing, before I register my child for a team sport, if we are going to be away for more than three weeks during the semester/ league/ competition.