## REGIONAL FUTSAL & THE RAMSEY SHIELD



Week 6 is a big one for James Nash sport. We have teams competing in the regional futsal titles, field hockey's Ramsey shield as well preparations for Wide Bay trials.

## FIELD HOCKEY - The Ramsey Shield

On Thursday the 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 29 James Nash hockey students are competing in the six-aside Ramsey Shield competition here in Gympie. The tournament is a precursor to the Ballinger Cup which is held at Buderim at the conclusion of the hockey season. As with all hockey opportunities provided for our students, the tournament would not be possible without the efforts of teacher/coach Tina Webster.

Teams from Matthew Flinders and Maryborough will make the trip to the Gympie and Tina and the students are excited to represent Nash on their home turf. The tournament is a Round Robin format where all teams play each other before a championship match for both Juniors and Seniors will conclude the day. James Nash will be looking to replicate their results from the Ballinger cup last year where our Seniors took out first place and our Juniors were runners-up.

## **FUTSAL - Regional School Titles**

Futsal is a staple lunchtime activity at James Nash. If you take a walk through the MPS during any lunch break you will see students from years 7-12, boys and girls, in teams of 5 battling for bragging rights.

Over Monday and Tuesday this week, coach Anthony Reid along with 38 students will represent James Nash at the Regional School Titles in Hervey Bay. We have teams in the U15/16 Girls as well as the U15/16 and Open boys age groups. The students have been attending training sessions during Learning and Wellbeing throughout Term 1 in preparation for the competition.

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