



On Wednesday 20th February 2013, the Level Three and Four students walked in the simmering heat to the newly renovated Bill Sewart Athletics Track. Despite running a little late because of the lights on Burwood Highway, the day ran smoothly with the help of staff, students and parents and we ended up finishing in record time. The weather was also bright and sunny, the students were enthusiastic and the day was enjoyed by everyone at the event. The students jumped, ran and threw to the best of their abilities, all the while cheering on their fellow house mates. It was quite an assortment of coloured hair, wonderful face paint and house banners flying in the air. The students definitely stepped up to the challenge to demonstrate their House Spirit! Individual Spirit Awards were given to Maddie Elder, Towa Watanabe, Ryan Patching, Mikayla Wiles, Holly Pratt, Jack Hamilton, Ella Baensch and Keely Wallam-Mack for encouraging their fellow peers, being excellent role models and trying their best in each event. A highlight of the day was the highly competitive staff/parent/student relay race. Last year saw both the parents and the students cross the finish line ahead of the unbeaten teacher team. This year with renewed vigour and a hunger for victory the strong contingent of teacher runners streaked to the lead, the parents coming second and the students closely following. In the end, Florey House was awarded extra house points for their green flair, wonderful chanting and first-rate spirit. This ended up boosting Florey House into top position as overall winners for the events, scoring the most amount of points for their house.

- Florey House: 5910 points
- Flynn House: 5380 points
- Cowan House: 4053 points
- Kenny House: 5510 points

Congratulations also go to our overall Athletics Champions:

- 9 Boys: Eddie Gibson
- 9 Girls: Emma Ferrier
- 10 Boys: Alex Charalambous
- 10 Girls: Jasmine Lefebure
- 11 Boys: Mahir Allagabu
- 11 Girls: Yasmyne Chung
- 12 Boys: Enola Zammit
- 12 Girls: Heath Davidson

We would like to thank and congratulate the students for their outstanding sportsmanship and competitive spirit, the teachers for their stalwart dedication to creating a day to be remembered by all and to the parents for volunteering their time to help supervise and, quite literally, run in the events.

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