

## QGSSSA STATEMENT - Rounds 5 & 6, Term 3 Winter Fixtures 2021

The Queensland Girls Secondary Schools Sporting Association (QGSSSA) continues to monitor and respond to the COVID-19 health pandemic in line with the Queensland Government Health directives.

Following the announcements made by the Queensland Government on Sunday, 8 August that all community sport cannot resume until Sunday, 22 August at 4:00pm, the QGSSSA wishes to advise that Rounds 5 and 6 of QGSSSA Winter Fixtures will be deemed 'abandoned rounds' and will not be rescheduled.

Given the large number of fixtures to be rescheduled from earlier rounds, in addition to the recent abandoned fixtures, premiership pennants will not be awarded across Hockey, Netball, Tennis and Volleyball competitions for the 2021 season.

The QGSSSA acknowledges and appreciates the large investment of time, effort, and resources into preparing students and their teams for competition and remain hopeful that students will be able to return to the field/courts later in the term.

The Association looks forward to welcoming students back to Winter Fixtures at the discretion of Oueensland Health in line with the health directives and relevant restrictions.

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