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## GMAA WATER POLO INFORMATION

**Tournament Dates:** TBD depending on team entries

**Times:** 1:00pm to around 4:00pm (to be confirmed based on registrations)

**Location:** Possibly at Beurling Academy (6100 Boulevard Champlain, Montréal, QC H4H 1A5)

**Entry Deadline through S1:** Team entries are due Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup> by 11:59pm on S1.

**Classification:** Cadet Girls, Cadet Boys, Juvenile Girls, Juvenile Boys  
Cadet (U15): Grade 7, 8 & 9  
Juvenile (U17+): Grade 10 & 11

**Teams:** On the playing field for each team will be 4 players plus a goalie (similar to beach water polo). Schools may enter a maximum of 2 teams per category. To enter a team, schools should have a minimum of 9-10 players apt and ready to play at the tournament.

**Tournament Format:** We will try to reserve 3 hours at the pool from 1pm to 4pm. At the tournament there will be 6 time slots for games. Each team that attends will play between 2-3 games on that date (except for the final playoff tournament).

**Cost:** Between \$415-\$450 per team. This is an estimated cost and depends on many factors. It would include lifeguard estimate, awards, admin, office costs, plus referees. Each student may also owe an amount for an affiliation fee to Water Polo Quebec (if that is required).

**Staff Member:** Each School must provide a staff member for the duration of the tournaments.

**Games:** Games will be 2 x 10 min halves (in a 30-minute time block).

**Equipment:** All players must provide their own equipment for games, JRHS has offered to supply caps for each team. We will also check with one of the clubs to see if we can borrow their blow-up nets.

**Rules:** The official rules to be used (with GMAA modifications) will be confirmed prior to the tournaments.

**Officials:** Games will be covered by duly certified water polo referees. Each school will have to supply 1 minor official for each of their games.