

Guidelines for Speeches at IGSSA Carnivals



At all IGSSA events, the host school Prefect (Head Girl / Sports Captain) will be responsible for all the major thankyou's.

There is no need for the captains from Winning / Runner up schools to go and thank all of the organisers again, as this will have been done and only lengthens the ceremony.

Winning Schools Captain/s

To accept the Overall trophy on behalf of her school and be invited to say a few words.

Suggestions for speech:-

- As mentioned earlier – there are many people who have made today's carnival possible, so once again thanks to all helpers and officials, particularly the Host School **(no need to elaborate as this has all been said!)**
- Congratulate athletes from own school who have worked so hard for the win
- Thank own coaches and staff for preparing the team – and also the staff and coaches from other schools who dedicate so much time in the lead up to these events
- Congratulate the athletes from all the other schools who have also dedicated so much time to training and development for the competition – and provided the fierce competition
- To then **ask her own schools to give 3 cheers to all the competitors from the other schools**

Runner Up School Captain – no need to do any thank you's!

In response to the Champion School Captain, the Runner Up Captain is to congratulate the Champion School on their outstanding performance.

Can make comment on the high level of competition at IGSSA Carnivals, and that our Champions are setting the bar high for all of the other schools to aim for.

I would also like to acknowledge the Year 12 students from ALL schools who have put on their school colours at this event for the last time!

On behalf of all other schools, lead 3 cheers to congratulate the Champion School & all our Year 12 students – attempt to do this with some enthusiasm!