

Media Release

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Students recognised for outstanding sporting achievements

Fifty-five students, who hold South West Sydney Academy of Sport (SWSAS) scholarships, from across Camden have been recognised for their outstanding sporting achievements over the past 12 months.

Mayor of Camden, Cr Peter Sidgreaves, said the event followed Council's annual celebration of more than 380 local school-leavers for their exceptional 2018 HSC results earlier this year.

"The young adults we have living across Camden continue to go above and beyond in so many different areas," Cr Sidgreaves said.

"Whether it's our academic achievers, our sporting stars, young people applying themselves to a job or a trade or those who volunteer their time to help people in need, I am constantly impressed with their efforts and achievements.

"We will continue to recognise them with receptions and awards because these young people deserve it.

"I'm so proud to support the SWSAS, which provides high quality, community-focused, talented athlete identification and development programs for young athletes. Council is a proud foundation partner, because we recognise the need for a body like this to develop and support talented junior athletes in our area."

The students were recognised for excellence in:

- BMX;
- Basketball;
- Rugby League;
- AFL;
- Netball;
- Softball;
- Triathlon; and
- Golf.

Council hosted the SWSAS Reception on Thursday 28 February.

For more information on SWSAS, visit swsas.org.au

For information on Council's sport and fitness offerings, or to enrol in an activity, visit ymcansw.org.au/centres and search for either 'Camden War Memorial Pool' or 'Mount Annan Leisure Centre'.

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