

13 reasons why to

Here are my 13 reasons why to volunteer to visit the State finals

1. Get out of the office & see part of our overall SSV program/calendar of events in action.
2. Interact with our school communities – students, teachers, coaches, parents, spectators, convenors, state sporting organisations, state sporting teams, referees/umpires.
3. See the culmination of the district/division/region/state pathway/journey that our member schools go through. It also may help to understand any of their issues/concerns/hurdles.
4. Leave the office early & it may be on your way home. Alternatively visit early & arrange to collect photos/results/equipment another way if you cannot be there at the end.
5. If it is not on the way home, see a different part of metropolitan Melbourne.
6. See the sport you are especially passionate about or like to watch.
7. Network with staff at state sporting organisations & venues. It may fit in with a role you may have & staff at state sporting organisations do change quite frequently.
8. See a sport that you don't know a lot about
9. Share the love & the load – it's all our business (let's break through the it's not my job or not my area or I'm too busy or I can't be bothered)
10. Time away from the four walls of the office & your screen to free up your mind to think about other work related programs in different ways.
11. Put it on your PDP.
12. Meet someone new – there are four metropolitan & four country regions represented. Meet someone from the country!
13. Enjoy the fun experienced by the schools competing & watch students participating in our program.

And there are probably plenty more reasons just like there are plenty more state finals throughout the year.

Thanks for taking the time to read this through & consider visiting a state final next term please.