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Welcome from the PE and Sport Department

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Howard Roberts & Marie Seivewright

Team of the Week



Congratulations to the U11C Rounders team for being team of the week! On Tuesday they displayed excellent teamwork and communication throughout the entire match, demonstrating the excellent progress they have made this season. They also batted well, making the correct decisions of when to run and secure the points needed for the win. Well done all.

Team included Joanna H, Amy N-J, Rhianna D, Heulwyn K, Hannah K, Tilly H, Emma A, Lexi M, Zoe S.

Marie Seivewright

Rounders



U13 Rounders Tournament – The Hawthorns School

After a very busy exam week for our Year 8 pupils they headed across to The Hawthorns School for their annual rounders tournament. The sun was shining and it looked to be a lovely day ahead.

Our first match was against local rivals Danes Hill B. A great start for us as we started the morning with a good win 10-6. Our next game was again against Danes Hill but this time their A team. A convincing win where we got them all out with a win of 9.5-2.5. Aberdour were our next opponents who were unknown to us. We opened the batting strongly scoring 13.5 rounders. Our strong fielding and excellent team work stopped Aberdour scoring many points with the final score 13.5-4.

After a short break, giving us time to re-fuel we played the hosts – Hawthorns. A tightly fought match saw us take the win 8-6.5. With two matches left to play against unknown teams we knew we were in with a chance of a medal. Another convincing win against St Michael's saw us certain of a medal position! Despite losing two players to other commitments our final game against Hazelwood resulted in another win.

Having won all of our matches there was no doubt that we had won the tournament. It was great to see the girls really pull together in this tournament ensuring that their final rounders tournament at Downsend was a positive experience for all.

Well done to all of you and thank you to the parents for your continued support.

Marie Seivewright

U11 Rounders Tournament - The Hawthorns School

What a fantastic morning of Rounders, filled with sunshine and fun. Downsend's U11A team entered the Hawthorns annual tournament alongside 13 teams of great ability. Drawn in pool two, we had a morning of 6 hard fought matches.

Our first match against Reigate St Mary's was a tough one, on slippery ground and we were defeated by a very strong team. Our next match against The Study was closely contested with only half a rounder in it, and tight fielding saw us count a win. Our third game before the break was against the formidable Hoe Bridge. A super-fast spin bowler from the opposition kept our score low and although we fought hard, focused on tight fielding, we didn't manage a win.

A quick break to refuel, and on with our fourth match, against Aberdour. The girls came back from break on fire with some great hitting and superb deep fielding to secure our second win of the tournament. On a high the girls then girls faced local rivals Danes Hill. They batted first and hit big, scoring 9 rounders. Tight fielding particularly from second deep and second post kept their score down to 4. So a convincing win from the Downsend girls, 9-4, our highest score of the day! Our final match was against St Michael's, the pool leaders at this stage. Although we played well in both field and batting, St Michael's scored well and won 7-2.

A great morning of rounders, enjoyed by all. Some moments of brilliance and togetherness which bodes well for the future, well done.

Mrs Hawes

Athletics



London Area Athletics Championships

This year saw us back at Eton for the London Area Regional Athletics Competition as the pupils from Years 5-8 took part in a numerous events in the hope of qualifying for the National finals.

The sun was shining as we arrived and set up our base for the day. We knew from the start there would be some tough competition, but the boys and girls were determined to do their best in the hope of qualifying for the Nationals. Pupils had to win their event to qualify, if they came second and reached national standard the London Area team manager may consider them for the team.

The relays were the first events to take place in the morning, with the introduction of the Year 7 relay! Strong running and good changeovers (at times!) ensured a few podium places including the Year 8 girls winning convincingly. The Year 8 girls were dominant throughout the day, winning the Triple Jump, Javelin, 100m, 200m and 300m.

A number of personal bests were also achieved throughout the day. A full list of top 3 places are below.

Once again the pupils were a credit to themselves and to the school. Well done to all who competed and the parents for your continued support.

Marie Seivewright

1st Place

Ellie T – U14 Girls Javelin

Ellie T – U14 Girls Triple Jump

Elisha B – U14 Girls 100m

Elisha B – U14 Girls 200m

Amelia F – U14 Girls 300m

Hannah G – U13 Girls 200m

U14 Girls Relay – Amelia F, Bella F, Elisha B and Ellie T

2nd Place

U12 Boys Relay – Sonny A, Rory D, Reiss C, Adam G

U13 Girls Relay – Hannah G, Lauren D, Lucy P and Sophie E

Adam G – U12 Boys Hurdles

Hannah G – U13 Girls 100m

Liam H – U12 Boys Discus

Mya M – U12 Girls High Jump

3rd Place

Amelie H – U12 Girls Hurdles

Lauren D – U13 Girls Long Jump

Sophie E – U13 Girls Hurdles

Fraser L – U13 Boys 100m

Bella F – U14 Girls Shot

Natasha C – U11 Girls Long Jump



Pick up from practices

Just a quick reminder that all boys and girls must be picked up from the location of the practice by an appropriate adult. Children will not be able to leave to meet parents at any other location.

Match Results

Cricket

Boys U11A	Kings House	Lost
Boys U8A	Cranmore	Won
Boys U8B	Cranmore	Won
Boys U8C	Cranmore	Won
Boys U8D	Cranmore	Won
Boys U8E	Cranmore	Drew
Boys U13A	Newland House	Lost
Boys U13B	Newland House	Lost
Boys U11A	Newland House	Won

Rounders

Girls U10A	Halstead	Won
Girls U10B	Halstead	Lost
Girls U10C	Halstead	Drew
Girls U11A	CLFS	Won
Girls U11B	CLFS	Won
Girls U11C	CLFS	Won
Girls U14A	Box Hill	Won
Girls U13A	Box Hill	Won
Girls U12B	Box Hill	Won

Other Sporting News

Archie S of year 5 has recently been asked to join the Surrey Squash Development Squad. Archie also came second in the U11's Neil Desai squash tournament held at St Georges Hill, this was an open competition and is a great achievement considering he is still only 9 years old! He lost in the final after taking the initial lead.

Well done Archie!



football tournament on Sunday. They played five games in the group stages, winning four and drawing just one, topping their group and taking them through to the semi-finals. They won the semi-finals to face a strong side from Horley FC in the final. It was 1-1 at full time but unfortunately extra time saw them lose 4-1, however they were very proud runners up!

Well done boys!



Next Week @ Downsend

Sporting Events



Date	Time	Event
Friday 23 June	2.30pm	Yr 2 Rounders @ Hawthorns
Saturday 24 June	9.00am 9.30am	Cricket v Rokeby U10A & B (A) Downsend Athletics Meet Yrs 3-5 Girls
Sunday 25 June	TBC	Aquathon @ St Teresa's

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