



DOWNSEND SCHOOL

Sports Bulletin

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Welcome from the PE and Sport Department

Please continue to send your children's personal sporting highlights out of school. As ever we are keen to celebrate all their successes. Please email details and any images to editor@downsend.co.uk

Please keep an eye on www.schoolssports.com for team sheets and match results. Follow us on Twitter @DownsendSport.

Howard Roberts & Marie Seivewright

Netball



On Saturday morning the U11A Netball team headed to another tournament, this time at The Hawthorns School. Our first two games were against well known competition - Guildford High School and Hoe Bridge. Having played them in the Danes Hill Tournament we knew they were going to be tough to beat but the girls displayed some excellent play, trying to break down their set pieces and convert the goals when we were on the attack. Despite these two losses the girls were still in good spirits as they moved onto their next match against The Study. This proved to be an extremely tight game with The Study edging ahead in the closing minutes, winning the game 6-2.

Our next two games were against unknown opposition. It is always good to play other schools as it enables the girls to head into each match with a positive frame of mind. Our next match against Hazelwood was once again end to end with some very frantic play. The final score was a win to Downsend 2-1. Our final match against Caterham was very similar to the Hazelwood game, we just needed to calm the play down! The final score was a 3-3 draw. We finished a very respectable 4th place in our group and have plenty of things to work on!

Well done to all the girls and thank you to the parents once again for your continued support!

Miss Seivewright

Sports Kit

The Spring Term can tend to be one of the coldest terms so it is vitally important that all the boys and girls have the essential kit in school at all times.

All pupils should have a base layer (girls - white, boys - black) and full tracksuit. Girls are advised to wear plain black base layer leggings too.

Any pupils that feel the cold are more than welcome to wear more layers underneath the main Downsend kit.

For netball the girls will be allowed to train in hats and non-slip gloves (in school colours) but these cannot be worn for matches.

Team Sheets

All team sheets are posted on the schools sports website at least 2 days in advance of the scheduled matches. Please do check through the calendar to see when all matches are for your son/daughter's year group. It is common practice that they are predominately on the same afternoon but on occasions this may differ.

The link to the Downsend home page is [here](http://www.schoolssports.com/school/?id=958) - <http://www.schoolssports.com/school/?id=958>
Alternatively you can click on the link at the top of the Downsend website.

Once you are in the website you can either select the team by the calendar option or by the sport that is needed. A small icon that looks like a little blue man will appear if the team sheet has been added. This provides all the information that will be needed for the match.

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/carers at any other location.

Match Results

Rugby

U10A	Danes Hill	Lost
U10B	Danes Hill	Lost
U10C	Danes Hill	Lost
U10D	Danes Hill	Lost
U8A	Danes Hill	Lost
U8B	Danes Hill	Lost
U8C	Danes Hill	Lost
U8D	Danes Hill	Lost
U8E	Danes Hill	Lost
U8F	Danes Hill	Lost
U11A	Cranmore	Lost
U11B	Cranmore	Lost
U10A	Cranmore	Won
U10B	Cranmore	Drew
U9A	Danes Hill	Drew
U9B	Danes Hill	Lost
U9C	Danes Hill	Drew
U9D	Danes Hill	Lost
U9E	Danes Hill	Won
U9F	Danes Hill	Won
U11A	CLFS	Won
U11B	CLFS	Drew
U11C	CLFS	Won

Netball

2 nd	Box Hill	Won
3 rd	Box Hill	Lost
U8A	Danes Hill	Won
U8B	Danes Hill	Won
U8C	Danes Hill	Won
U8D	Danes Hill	Won
U9A	Halstead	Lost
U9B	Halstead	Lost
U9C	Halstead	Lost

Swimming

Girls U9-U11	Notre Dame	Lost
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Other Sporting News

Well done to Alice U (Yr 5) who won her first UK gymnastics medal at the weekend.

Alice competed in a floor/vault competition and won her age/level category. She was delighted as she has been working very hard over the last 6 months with a new coach/club. Congratulations Alice!



Well done to Conor I and Grace K (both 2CW) who have successfully earned their yellow belts as part of the Small Circle Jujitsu dojo. Conor and Grace started Jujitsu in September and were presented with their yellow belts earlier this month following their exam before Christmas.

Congratulations!



Well done to Marco H who was invited to attend a trial a few weeks ago in Sunbury for the Surrey Schools FA squad - and has since been selected for the U13 squad. He played his first match against ISFA last weekend in Barnes where the score was 5-5 and Marco scored 2 goals!

Congratulations.



Surbiton Hockey Club are holding a February Half Term Colts Camp. Details can be found on their website [here](#) and the links to sign up are below. They have some great coaches and ideas for the camp which will include a lot more game play each day.

[Colts Camp - School years 6-9](#)

[Academy Camp - School years 1-5](#)



<p>COLTS CAMP</p> <p>SCHOOL YEAR 6 TO YEAR 9</p> <p>12/2, 13/2, 14/2</p> <p>10.00 - 16.00</p> <p>3 DAY - £110* 2 DAY - £90* 1 DAY - £30*</p> <p>TO BOOK PLEASE GO TO HTTP://BIT.LY/2J2V1BC</p> <p><small>* PLUS BOOKING FEE</small></p>	<p>SHC HALF TERM CAMPS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * INTERNATIONAL AND FIRST TEAM PLAYERS * REGULAR SHC ELITE JUNIOR COACHES * FREE T-SHIRT WITH EVERY CAMP * LATE PICK UP/EARLY DROP OFF AVAILABLE * COMPETITIONS AND PRIZES TO BE WON * HELD AT SHC THE LARGEST AND MOST SUCCESSFUL CLUB IN THE UK * HOME OF THE MENS AND LADIES PREMIER LEAGUE CHAMPIONS * HOME OF THE EHCC 2018 	<p>ACADEMY CAMP</p> <p>SCHOOL YEAR 1 TO YEAR 5</p> <p>15/2, 16/2</p> <p>10.00 - 16.00</p> <p>2 DAY - £90* 1 DAY - £30*</p> <p>TO BOOK PLEASE GO TO HTTP://BIT.LY/2JXZBNH</p> <p><small>* PLUS BOOKING FEE</small></p>
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Surbiton Colts



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SJB Academy are also offering Half Term coaching courses, for more information, please visit their website [here](#).



Next Week @ Downsend

Please see a list of next week's fixtures at www.schoolssports.com

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