



Rounders News

13/5/15 Vs. Abbeywood		
Year 7	L	15 ½ – 18 ½
Year 9	W	10 ½ – 7 ½
20/5/15 Vs. Hanham		
Year 7	L	7 ½ - 12 ½
Year 8	L	3 – 9
Year 9	W	9 – 3 ½
3/6/15 Vs. SBL		
Year 7	L	4 – 15
Year 8	W	11 - 7
Year 9	W	9 – 3 ½
Year 10	D	7 – 7
3/6/15 Vs. Downend		
Year 7	W	16 – 14 ½
Year 8	W	9 – 6 ½

Year 7 Match Reports – written by Jade Thompson

On the 13/5/15 we played Abbeywood. Unfortunately we lost but we were very close! Everyone tried their hardest and played really well considering it was our first game. The Player of the Match was Jade Thompson.

On the 20/5/15 we played Hanham. Although we lost we were an inch away! Everyone played well and also communicated well. The Player of the Match was Jade Thompson.

On 3/6/15 we played SBL. Unfortunately we lost but we still played well. The Player of the Match was Jade Thompson.

On 4/6/15 we played Downend and won! We all played really well and we all seem to click! Everyone was really pleased that we won! The Player of the Match was Jade Thompson.

Year 8 Match Reports – written by Jada Riley

On 20/5/15 the Year 8 rounders team played Hanham Woods Academy away at Hanham. It went really well, everyone was getting rounders and half rounders. The fielding was really good and everyone played really well. The Player of the Match was Lauren Bryant, well done Lauren!

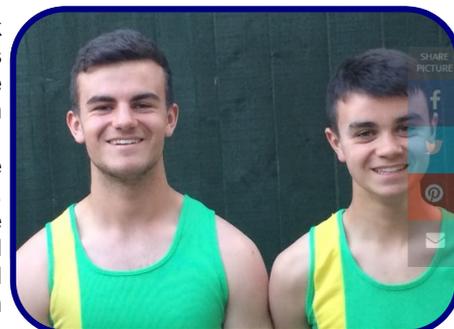
On 3/6/15 the Year 8 girls played SBL at home. It went really well, the golden triangle between Jada Riley, Chloe Phelps and Lauren Bryant was really good. The batting was amazing and everyone was scoring rounders. Hardly anyone got out and everyone played fantastic. The Player of the Match was Jada Riley, well done Jada!

On 4/6/15 Year 8 played Downend at home. The year 8 played really well. Caitlin and Ella fielded really well. The handling of the ball between the girls and the techniques and communication between all of the team made the team very strong. The Player of the Match was Caitlin, well done Caitlin!

Athletics News

South Gloucestershire Trials and English Schools Championships

Well done to Jack Holbrook who was selected to compete at the South Gloucestershire Athletics trials in the 300m on May 23rd. Jack's performance was exceptional and from this he qualified to race in the Avon Athletics



Championship. During the Avon Championships Jack came runner up, but produced a good enough time to qualify for the English schools Championship. These Championships took place on 10th July in Gateshead where he finished 8th – an amazing achievement. In addition to this, his older brother Ben Holbrook, who had previously been selected to compete, took 6th place in the Long Jump. Huge well done to the Holbrook boys!

South Gloucestershire Championships

Fantastic performances from everyone at the South Glos. Athletics championships held at Brimsham Green, Yate on Wednesday 10th June. All of the 16 South Glos. secondary schools were there so the competition was extremely high this year. Big well done to everyone who participated. Here are a few of the exceptional performances and results from the day:

- Anais Taylor **1st** in 100m & 200m
- Marvellous Alli **4th** in 200m & **2nd** in long jump
- Lauren Bryant **1st** in discus
- Chloe Phelps **1st** in javelin
- Jada Riley **1st** in shot
- Aoife O'Connel **1st** in high jump
- Shauna Smith **4th** in high jump
- Maddie Dyer **1st** in 800m
- Storm Williams **3rd** in 300m
- Mitchell Dann **3rd** in 800m
- Guy Ferguson **4th** in 200m
- Danny Owen **2nd** in shot
- Jack Holbrook **1st** in 300m
- Zac Tucker **4th** in javelin
- Aaron Patterson **1st** in discus & **4th** in shot.

Water sports

Through a government grant a group of year 9 pupils were invited to participate in a variety of water sports held at Bristol docks. Pupils were able to try their hand at rowing, sailing, kayaking and canoeing. The programme lasted for eight weeks and culminated in a water sports regatta for all Bristol schools. The programme was lots of fun and enjoyed by all. We had fantastic results in the regatta with our rowing team being placed First and our sailors coming runners up.

Netball News

Big congratulations to Shauna Smith and Anais Taylor who have got through the first set of trials for Avon netball and have been asked to attend the next screening day in July. This is an extremely competitive team and they have done exceptionally well to get this far, especially Anais who is well below the trialing age. Good work girls!

BBC Sports

World Cup winners Phil Vickery and Sarah Hunter came into school on Monday 22nd June to talk about life as an elite rugby player and to run rugby coaching sessions for KS3 pupils. BBC sport came in to film this as King's Oak was selected out of 300 schools due to the positive participation in the All Schools Rugby Programme.

All Schools Rugby Programme

"My experience with the All Schools Rugby Programme was an intriguing one! Mike was a brilliant coach to the school because of all of the things he has pursued. I started the All Schools Programme because I wanted to become a better rugby player and learn more about sport. I would recommend others to take on this experience. On the 23rd June I learnt how to create space by running and passing. Also I learnt what a rugby mind is like from Sarah Hunter and Phil Vickery." *Report Written by Lucie Skuse*

Sky Living for Sport

On Friday 26th June British Olympian and Elite Water Polo Player Craig Figes came into school as part of the Sky Sports, Living for Sports programme.

The project involved Craig working closely with a group of sports leaders in Years 7 and 8. He worked on the six keys for successful sports performance and leadership. The project was very successful and enjoyed by all. From the skills they developed they were able to set up and run the Year 5 sports days. In addition to this, Craig also spent a day in school teaching mixed groups across the Key Stages and Year Groups. Again this was a very successful day and was enjoyed by all involved..



Sports Day

This year Sports Day took on a new look. It was a whole school event that took place all day. The morning kicked off with a fun run, where pupils raised money for Teenage Cancer Trust and completed a run around the school site. Everyone participated including many staff and there was a great atmosphere around the school site. The fun run raised a total of £148 which is fantastic news.



After the run, track and field events began e.g. javelin, shot, high jump, 800m etc. however there was an additional zone (Sports Day Extra) added. The Sports Day Extra was held on the astro and everyone was able to come and try out different games and challenges. There was a 'beat the teacher' zone, where pupils were encouraged to challenge their teachers at a penalty shootout, golf or netball shot. Cup stacking, splat the rat, boccha, and an inflatable obstacle course and goal were all available too.

In addition to Sports Day Extra, tug of war was also added to the programme. This was enjoyed by everyone who took part and was fantastic to watch!

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Bath University Level 3 Games

The Year 9 boys' volleyball team played in the South West of England U15 (Year 9 and Year 10) competition last week at the University of Bath.



King's Oak had two teams and despite being a year younger than most of the other teams, both teams reached the semi-finals.

One team went on to the final, which they narrowly lost.

Congratulations

