

## Oxton St Saviour's CE (Aided) Primary School Sports Round Up

Welcome to the Oxton St Saviour's Sports Newsletter. We have had a very busy year so far of sporting competitions and festivals. This year we have attended many competitions including such sports as football, hockey, gymnastics and cross country. We have had some great performances at these events.

### Our Sporting Updates Football

#### Year 4/5 Football Festival

Well done to our football team who played against Overchurch Junior and Christ the King recently. They were brilliant and represented the school well.

**Year 4/5 Team:** Mason, Josh, Sam.C, Sam.T, Charlie. S, Nathaniel, Rikhil and Clancey.



#### Year 1 LFC Football

Congratulations to our fantastic Year One football team who won the LFC football tournament. The event was held at LFC training academy on 25th April. It gave the children a wonderful experience of playing at a professional club. They won seven out of their eight matches beating St Peter's CE Primary (Heswall) in the super final.

**Well done to:** Luca, Jack. H, Jack.M, Michael, Max.S and Max.W



### Year 2 Football Tournament

Congratulations to our Year 2 football team who were runners up in our annual Birkenhead South Cluster Football Tournament. They played incredibly well against other local schools and scored some amazing goals.

Well done to: Matilda, Ben. B, Jack. Wr, Harry. Wr Finley and Ethan.



### Quick Sticks Hockey

We entered, once again, the Years 5 and 6 Quick Sticks Hockey tournament at Bebington High School. Well done to our hockey team. The team showed an excellent sporting attitude to their team mates and other teams.

Well done to: Luca, Alice, Leila and Leon.

### Mini Red Tennis

Well done to our Mini Red Tennis teams who took part in the Mini Red tennis competition. They showed good perseverance, focus and sportsmanship. It was great to see their confidence build as they played more matches. Overall the teams placed 3<sup>rd</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>.

### High Five Netball Tournament

A team of Year 5 children took part in a competition at BHSA. They played 4 other local schools and came runners up overall, narrowly missing out in the final.



## Tag Rugby

### Year 3/4 Tag Rugby Team

Well done to the Year 3/4 Tag Rugby team who played in their first tournament, winning all of their games and crowned champions.

Well done to the boys and girls who took part in this.

### Year 5/6 Tag Rugby Team

The Tag Rugby team have, once again, been amazing this year. Under the guidance of Peter Cucchi, rugby coach at Birkenhead Park Rugby Club they have learned how to play tag rugby and developed their teamwork and discipline skills in their P.E lessons and in our Tag Rugby after school club.

The team played in several league matches over 4 weeks leading them to become winners of the Shield.

Congratulations girls and boys!



### Swimming Teams

Well done to our Year Four and Five swimming team who finished third in our Birkenhead Cluster Schools Swimming Gala. The team were brilliant when swimming in their races.

**Well done to:** Megan, Georgia, Hattie, Jennifer, Martha, Cecilia, Oliver and Sam.C.



Well done to our Year Five and Six Swimming team who were winners at our Birkenhead South Swimming Gala. They now go on to represent our school in the Wirral Championships Swimming Gala next Friday.

**Well done:** Ethan, Haig, Leila, Ella, Sam.C, Oliver D-K, Jennifer and Martha.

### Cross Country Team

Well done to the Year 3 & 4 and Year 5 & 6 cross country teams who have competed in our Birkenhead cluster schools races in Spring Term against four other local schools. The children all represented Oxton St. Saviour's brilliantly – demonstrating resilience, determination and, most importantly, enjoyment.

### Dance Festival

After weeks of rehearsals, some Year 4 and 5 children had a fantastic opportunity to perform 'Thriller' on a stage at Birkenhead Park High School in front of other primary and secondary schools. The children performed wonderfully and should be really proud of themselves.

You can watch their performance on our school website.

### Y5/6 Quad Kids Athletics

This term two teams of Y5/6 children competed against 29 other teams in an athletics competition at The Oval. All of the children competed in the following events: 75m sprint, vortex howler throw, 600m run and standing long jump. All of their individual scores for each event were calculated towards a final team score.

Our A team finished joint third with Our Lady of Pity and our B team finished 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Well done to:** Ethan, Haig, Sam, Luca, Clancey, Sam.T, Sam.C, Rikhil, Maddy, Alice, Olivia, Emily, Leila, Izzy, Isla.M and Ella.



## Gymnastics

Well done to our three gymnastic teams. Their competition saw both our teams performing brilliantly in a range of routines. All three of our teams performed their routines elegantly and gracefully.

## Wheelchair Sports Experience

The sports ambassadors had the fantastic opportunity to participate in a wheel chair basketball session. They were given the opportunity to go to The Hive in Birkenhead. They had a fantastic session of playing lots of different sports and learning that having a disability does not stop you from taking part in sport.



**A special mention to all of the staff, parents and grandparents who have driven to the events, without your support, the children would have not been able to compete.**

## Out of School Sporting Achievements

### Tennis

Olivia, in Year Five, has had an extremely busy term with her tennis. All of her training sessions, dedication and hard work are all paying off. She is now representing David Lloyds – Cheshire Oaks and competes in lots of competitions representing Under 10s, Under 12s and Under 16s.

What an amazing achievement Olivia - well done! A future Wimbledon tennis star!

## Sports Noticeboard

You may have noticed our Sports Noticeboard in the School Hall. We would like to use it to celebrate sporting achievements outside of school too. If your child has recently celebrated a sporting achievement then send in a note to let me (Miss Gerrard) know and we can celebrate it on our Sports Noticeboard and in our Sports newsletters.

## School Sports Kit

Quite a few of our football kit is still missing. Please have a search at home and return any kit to the school office as soon as possible.

## World Cup Competitions

Our Sports Crew are holding two competitions:

- 1) Design a new World Cup trophy – put your creativity into action! Entries can be submitted in hand drawn, graphic designs or 3D format.
- 2) Photography competition – submit your best sporting photographs that reflect any of the School Games values. Honesty – Passion – Teamwork – Self Belief – Determination – Respect

**It will be 50p to enter any of the above competitions.**

If you have any questions, ask our Sports Crew



### After-school clubs

It has been great to see both KS1 and KS2 children taking part in a range of sporting clubs after school. These have included: tag rugby, netball, judo, multi-sports, running, athletics and football, all clubs have been well attended.

### Extra-curricular sports clubs in Summer 2

<b>Y5/Y6 Athletics Club</b>	Every Tuesday 3.30pm-4.30pm
<b>Y5/6 Netball Club</b>	Every Wednesday 8.15am-8.45am
<b>KS1 Football Club (Soccer Schools)</b>	Every Thursday 3.30pm-4.30pm
<b>KS2 Cricket Club</b>	Every Thursday 3.30pm-4.30pm
<b>KS2 Football Club (Soccer Schools)</b>	Every Friday 3.30pm-4.30pm

### Upcoming Summer Term sporting competitions and events

<b>Year 2 Football Tournament</b>	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y5 Military Style Education sessions</b>	Starting Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June (6 week block)
<b>Birkenhead Schools Swimming Gala</b>	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>World Cup Competition entry deadline</b>	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>World Cup Assembly</b>	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y5/6 Kwik Cricket Competition</b>	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y5/6 Girls Kwik Cricket</b>	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y5/6 High Five Netball Tournament</b>	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Year 5 Wirral Sailing Centre</b>	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June
<b>Kwik Cricket Competition</b>	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June
<b>Oxton Cricket Club Event</b>	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June
<b>Sports Day</b>	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y5/6 Girls Tag Rugby Competition</b>	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Y3/4 Diamond Cricket</b>	Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July
<b>Y5/6 Quad Kids Athletics competition</b>	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July
<b>Year Three 1 Week Swimming Block</b>	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> July – Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> July

Another newsletter will be out in a few weeks time to celebrate even more sporting achievements.