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DHFS Y7 Basketball County Champions!

The Y7 basketball county final took place between Frederick Gent School and DHFS. It was an extremely closely-fought affair and Jack Godber, captain of the Y7 basketball team gave his account of the game:

This was the most exciting and thrilling final which was decided in the last 30 seconds in over-time when Ross Dawson stole the ball from the opposition and passed on to Jack Godber who went on to score the winning basket! The team celebrated!

Score:

1st quarter: 8-2

Half time: 12-12

3rd quarter: 27-27

4th quarter: 39-39

Over-time: 39-41



“...the most exciting and thrilling final...”

Final score was Frederick Gent 39, DHFS 41!

The Y7 basketball team were crowned Derbyshire county champions 2016!

Well played and congratulations boys!

NE Derbyshire Athletics Achievements

Congratulations to our DHFS athletes who competed at Tupton Hall School on Tuesday 17th May 2016. The evening was full of track and field events including 100m, 200m sprints, 800m, 1500m, high jump, javelin and shot put. The staff were proud of the students' performances and the following students

qualified for the county championships to be held at Moorways Sports Centre on Saturday 11th June:
Beth Naylor: 100m, Alicia Rutherford: high jump, Grace Kulinski: shot put, Hattie Seddon: javelin, Lauren Wadsworth: 200m, Sarah Gomm: 800m, Charlotte Hickin: high jump,

Maddie Church: shot put, Thomas Mirfin: 100m, Isaac Rushworth: 400m, Gabriel Gisborne: 800m, Dan Brown: 1500m, Tom Spencer: 1500m, Zac Bell: 100m, Brandon Bamforth-Jones: 200m, Reece Allen: 1500m, John Bradbury: 400m.

Good luck to you all!

DHFS girls score at the Home of football

On Sunday 22nd May 2016, Sheffield FC Ladies took on Bristol City Ladies in a WSL 2 game. We had the amazing opportunity to get free entry and meet some of the players for a Q and A session before the match...

Eight of our students came along and met the players at the Home of Football Sheffield FC ground, and got their picture taken on the pitch, and two of



our Year 10 students even got invited to take a penalty against their

goalkeeper at half-time!

Megan Jones scored a lovely effort, wrong footing the goalkeeper and sending the ball firmly in the bottom corner. Sophie Hoyes then stepped up and fired her shot low and hard, but the keeper guessed the right way and made a good save.

The girls had an enjoyable day out and saw Sheffield FC bag their first win of the season, eventually beating Bristol City 3-1.

Thanks to the students who made the effort to attend this event.

Keep your eyes out for more great opportunities to come.

U15s county cricket runners up!

On Wednesday 15th June the U15 cricket team travelled to Trent College to compete in the county final.

DHFS made 85-7 (Vandrill 48*) with Trent 50-1 off 9 overs when thunder and lightning hit! Losing on net run rate was a disappointing end to the campaign, but the players did their school proud and coaches Hibbert & Jephson were very proud of the students.



Dronfield U15s take European honours!

Dronfield Town U15s football team travelled to Spain to play in the Costa Brava football tournament over the Easter weekend - and returned as European champions!

The huge tournament sees teams from all over Europe competing, with 40 teams involved in the U15 group, split into two halves of 20. Dronfield got through the group stages without any problems, winning all of their games over two days to win the

group and reach the quarter-finals. They overcame a strong German side 3-0 in the quarter-finals to set up a semi-final meeting against an Italian team that had also won their group and progressed easily through their quarter-final, where they won 6-1. In the final, Dronfield faced a local Spanish side with a big group of noisy supporters, but they scored early in both the first half and second half, and achieved a

fantastic 2-0 victory. Dronfield then faced the winners of the other half, another Italian team, in the Super Cup final, where they won 2-1 - the decisive goal being scored just 5 minutes before the final whistle!



"All 14 players did their club and country proud..."

Y10 rounders team achieve silver medal!

On Wednesday 8th June the Y10 rounders team competed in the Derbyshire county rounders tournament at Lady Manners School, Bakewell.

The girls reached the final against Queen Elizabeth Grammar School. The score finished QEGs 8, DHFS 4. The girls travelled back to school proudly with their silver medals...and even after a full day of rounders they stayed for rounders club too! Great dedication!



Leadership academy have been busy!

The leadership academy have been busy this half term with plenty of events involving our primary school feeder schools. The DHFS students have been displaying their leadership, communication and teamwork skills in the following events: the early riders festival, go ride cycling, key steps gymnastics, kwik cricket, mini tennis, quad athletics, tri-golf and swimming. Mr Wileman is proud of all the leaders who continue to volunteer for events.

Gisborne's athletics success

As a dedicated member of Hallamshire Harriers, Gabriel Gisborne (Y8) has been enjoying success in his athletics and cross country meets this year. He recently ran 800m in the Derbyshire championships in a time of 2:08.90, which is currently 2nd in the UK for the year 8 age group. He also recently achieved a personal best height of 1.63m in the high jump, winning the gold medal in the South Yorkshire championships, which currently puts him 8th in the UK for his age group!

Furthermore, he received the bronze medal in the U15 Derbyshire 800m championships, beaten by two Year 9 students ranked in the top 20 in the UK in their respective age group. Gabriel also won the gold medal in the South Yorkshire and Northern cross country team relays last October! All of these achievements display Gabriel's motivation to succeed and dedication to his sport. We wish him the best of luck and success in his next meets!



3rd place for British Freeski Champ!

In April, 14-year-old freestyle skier, Millie Wilkinson, put in a tremendous performance to claim third place at the British Freeski Championships held in Laax, Switzerland. Millie - the youngest girl on the England Freestyle Ski Team - adds this medal to the Indoor British Championship title she won earlier in the winter season. With the weather drawing in, and extremely poor visibility, Millie performed an ultra-safe qualification run. She had already suffered a huge crash in the short practice session, slamming into a 10-metre rail. With the conditions so challenging, Millie was delighted to claim third spot - a just reward for the training she puts in every week in the UK at local dry slopes and indoor snow domes. Pat Sharples, Head GB team Freeski coach and manager said: "Millie is one of the most enthusiastic and dedicated young skiers in the UK. It's great to see someone so passionate about their sport and everything that goes with it. Not only has Millie got talent, but she's willing to put all the hard work in to progress and challenge herself. For someone so young, she's a good ambassador for the sport and helping and inspiring new people getting into skiing."

Student stars for SWFC in Madeira

Curtis Davies (Y7), recently starred in a football tournament at Cristiano Ronaldo's old club in Madeira. Curtis explained: "The atmosphere at the tournament was amazing. We had people coming to watch us from the UK because they heard that a Sheffield Wednesday team were playing. A lot of the locals also supported us, stopping us to talk, and even have photos. We qualified at the top of our group and were drawn against CD Nacional in the quarter final. We won 2-1 and I scored the opening goal. In the semi-finals we had to play SL Benfica. We knew it would be a tough game because they won their group comfortably like us. We lost 2-0. We then played CD Barreirense for third place and drew 2-2, so it went to penalties. I took the first penalty and scored. Our keeper saved one, then one of our players missed so it was down to the keepers in the end. Their keeper took his penalty and ours saved it, and then scored his own! Benfica went on to win the tournament, beating Porto in the final by 4-0. It was the best experience of my life!"



Gosforth crowned inter-house football champs...

The term before Easter saw the Y8 & 9s compete in the inter-house football competition. Once again, this was very popular, with every House having full squads and many supporters. All of the league games were very closely fought with the two strongest teams in Gosforth and Baggaley finishing with 9 points each ready to face each other in the play-off for first place. The play-off for third place was between Buxton and Millican and the fifth place play-off was Fanshawe versus Spaven.

The play-offs were an intense affair with Gosforth taking an early lead against Baggaley. The other games saw Millican go 2-

0 up against Buxton and play some impressive football. Spaven recruited in a goalkeeper who only let one goal past him even though Fanshawe played in great attacking spirit. At half-time, Baggaley scored a penalty to draw the scores level, the second-half saw some clear chances for both teams go astray. At full time it was still 1-1 which meant that sudden death penalties were to take place. Whoever missed first would take second place... the pressure was really on! Ben Mumford stepped up for Gosforth and scored first which left Baggaley's penalty taker under even more pressure. He took his step back and struck the ball hard but Copley-Dunn made a good save to win the title for Gosforth.

The results: 1st: Gosforth (25 points)
2nd: Baggaley (18 points)
3rd: Millican (15 points)
4th: Buxton (12 points)
5th: Spaven (10 points)
6th: Fanshawe (8 points)



...and rounders champs!

In the final week of term (w/c 23rd May, 2016) the KS3 inter-house rounders competition took place for students in Y7, 8 & 9. It saw an excellent turnout for all Houses and some lovely sunshine as well! The finals, on Wednesday 25th May, had to be postponed due to bad weather, which saw a less than ideal turnout for Spaven and Baggaley. The two teams had to merge together for the final game.



But the weather did not affect the final held between Gosforth and Fanshawe. In an extended game of 20 good balls, Gosforth batted first and made a strong start, scoring 5 rounders, then Fanshawe came in to bat and faced some fantastic fielding from Gosforth, which managed to keep the score down to 2 rounders.

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Congratulations to Gosforth and well done to all who took part. Thank you to the House captains for organising the teams and to the leaders and referees who helped this competition run so smoothly.

The next event will see the best turn-out of all at Sports Day (**Monday 11th July!**)

Dates for your diary...

- ◆ **Sky sports living for sport mentor event:** Friday 17th June 2016.
- ◆ **DHFS Race for life:** Friday 24th June 2016, 4pm.
- ◆ **Back to rounders mother and daughter sessions:** Friday 17th June and Friday 24th June, 5-6pm. Come along and get involved in a sport you probably played at school!
- ◆ **Y8 adventure week:** 4th-6th July 2016
- ◆ **Sports day at the EIS:** Monday 11th July 2016
- ◆ **Sports presentation night at the Double Tree, Hilton:** 19th July 2016, tickets are on sale soon from Reception, £3.00 per person.

Congratulations to our high fliers and high triers from key stage three lessons this term!

Tia Mappin	Leanne Nicholson
Amelia Hill	Jessie Holland
Evie Long	Darcey Rawson
Sarah Barker	Lauren Hague
Caitlin Macleod	Lucy Lynch
Olivia Sadler	Tilly McQueen
Kira Bradfield	Grace Poxon
Eniola Ajagbe	Freya Barwell
Claudia Turnell	Chloe Bird
Caitlin Froom	Alicia Mealing
Alice Bell	Millie Wykes
Chloe Dunning	Megan Barker
Mille Baines	Tegan Batham-Spooner
Grace Shaw	Bow Hiraldo-Garcia
Hannah Moss	Hope Winfield
Alicia Rutherford	Molly Shaw
Lauren Dickson	Jayde Sumner
Zack Rippon	Harvey Jenkinson
Henry Cooke	Jake Howe
Ben Vandrill	Josh Eales
Dylan Wallace	Paolo Canetti
Dan Longley	Will Bowen
George Glossop	George Washbourne
Declan Birch	Luke Stevenson-Barton
Owen Parry	Thomas Graham
Bradley Tomlinson	Lewis Henshaw
Matthew Mallett	Oliver Laidler
Max Hardwick	George Walker
Tim Clarke	Connor Marples
Joshua Smith	Joe Bardsley
Nathan Bower	Declan Meredith
Dan Bateman	Oliver Edwards
Owen Marshall	Will Pattinson
Ben Finch	Joel Gregory
Jake Gorrello	Leo Ward

And there are more success stories!

June 2016:

U15 cricket team runners up in county final vs. Trent College.

U14 cricket team victorious against Mount St. Mary's, MoM Harry Thomas.

Saturday 11th June: successes at Moorways for athletes Alicia Rutherford and Charlotte Hickin (1st & 2nd in high jump), Isaac Rushworth (1st in 300m), Gabriel Gisborne (2nd in 800m).

Y10 finished second in Derbyshire county rounders tournament!

Y8, 9, 10 rounders teams victorious against Lady Manners.

May 2016:

DHFS athletes competed at NE Derbyshire athletics trials at Tupton Hall School to qualify for the ty competition to be held at Moorways in June.

Inter-house rounders success for Gosforth!

Y7 basketball team crowned county champions after 41-39 victory against Frederick Gent School!

April 2016:

U15 cricket team with 3 wicket victory against Tibshelf School!

U15 cricket team with nine wicket victory with five balls to spare against Chapel High School!

March 2016:

Y7 basketball team won 29-12 against Heanor to progress into the county final!

Y8 netball team finish third in county netball tournament!

Y9 netball team win North East Derbyshire netball tournament.

Rugby teams victorious over Bolsover and Shirebrook.

Y7 & 8 girls sports hall athletics winners. Y7 & 8 boys runners up.

Sixth form netball team in their LAST EVER game for DHFS beat Birkdale 28-12!

Y8 basketball team finished fourth in Derbyshire!

Inter-house football winners: congratulations to Gosforth!

Y7 team finished sixth & Y8 team finished fourth at the sports hall athletics finals!

