



BPS SPORTING NEWS

SUMMER TERM



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CURRICULUM NEWS

In PE our nursery children started the term learning and improving their ball skills. They played a range of games, which included knocking over brick towers built with the foam bricks from the classroom. Reception did their dance unit, learning the importance of timing when performing their dances. Some of the themes involved being at the seaside and swimming in the ocean. The children showed creativity with some of their own ideas and used a range of resources, scarfs, pom poms and ribbons. Year 1 enjoyed athletics and target games. Athletics lessons required the children to do some running and it was really nice to see the children being really enthusiastic and motivated to keep on going even when they started to feel tired. Year 2 also did athletics and net and wall games. The games involved using a racket and learning how to return the ball when playing with a partner. With Wimbledon having just finished, we hope the children had more of an understanding of how the game works and we may have some future stars in our classes.

Year 3 enjoyed their dodgeball lessons. In their lessons they learnt throwing, dodging and catching skills at the same time as developing a really good understanding of the rules and the importance of fair play.

Year 4, 5 and 6 have enjoyed rounders and golf. Back in early June Year 4 and 5 attended Edge Hill University for an OAA day. The day consisted of team building games and completing a treasure hunt using map reading skills. During the last few weeks all year groups have been busy practicing games and events for sports day. We hope you agree, their performances at sports day reflected this hard work.

COMPETITIONS AND EVENTS

This term has been another extremely busy term and it has been fantastic to see so many different children taking part and representing our school.

TAG RUGBY YEAR 4- A group of Year 4 children took part in this competition at Southport Rugby club. They played four games and were delighted to be awarded the 'Spirit of the games' trophy and certificates. This was awarded for playing the tournament with passion, respect and honesty.

TAG RUGBY YEAR 5- Our year 5 team came third place in their group. They scored some excellent try's, Theo scoring one in record time, 5 seconds into the first match. They demonstrated excellent defensive skills throughout, with some fantastic tagging.

FOOTBALL YEAR 3- Our first ever Year 3 football team. We had 8 very excited footballers who faced some very tough competition, they played five matches and were delighted to score three goals, created lots of chances and some excellent saves. More importantly they played the whole tournament with big smiles on their faces.

FOOTBALL YEAR 4- Year 4 also took part in the EFC academy tournament at Stanley High School. Again we had some brilliant performances and goals. This was a good chance for the children to experience school football, as hopefully we will be seeing some of them in the school football team next year.

KS1 GIRLS FOOTBALL- A group of girls attended Christ the King for a football tournament. They were amazing and won 2 matches, but more importantly played all of the games with big smiles on their faces.

KS1 CRICKET FESTIVAL- A fun afternoon to give the children an opportunity to play cricket. The children had the chance to play fun games and drills at Fleetwood Hesketh Cricket ground.

CROSS COUNTRY- 66 children signed up to our running club and have been working super hard running around Compton park every Tuesday afternoon. We eased them in with 2 laps in the first session but they have now progressed to 5 laps (1km) for Y3/Y4 and 7.5 laps (1.5km) for Y5. Well done to everyone, you have all showed big improvements. Over half the children then represented our school at Stanley High School.

NETBALL- The netball team have been very busy, runners up at a tournament alongside lots of matches. A highlight being a 19-3 win earlier this term. A big thank you Mrs Harding for training and coaching the team this year.

FOOTBALL- The football team have had an excellent season. We were runners up in both leagues, semi finalists and we represented Southport at Finch Farm. Last week we ended the year running a tournament at Birkdale High and it gave some Year 5 boys and girls the opportunity to represent the school for their first time.

FOOTGOLF- Well done to the children who represented our school at the footgolf competition. One of the highlights was a hole in one from Ezra.

TENNIS- We have attended two tennis competitions, taking second place both times. Our Year 3 and 4 players played matches and progressed to the final. The Year 6 girls competed through fun games and drills to score as many points as possible.

WALLY CAIN- Well done to our dancers, who spent months practicing before their evening performance. You made everyone at school very proud.

OTHER FUN EVENTS HAVE BEEN BOCCIA, LAWN BOWLS AND OUR AMAZING FUN IN THE POOL SWIMMING GROUP!

Good luck to all of our Year 6 children, keep taking part and enjoying the sporting opportunities on offer at High School.

BPS SPORTS WEEK

During the last week of term we hosted our annual sports days. Children from Nursery to Year 6 took part in a range of field events and running races. We are very proud of all of the children, they all took part with such enthusiasm and we hope had lots of fun. EYFS and Key Stage 1 had their sports day on the school yard and it was fantastic to see lots of parents, grandparents and brothers/sisters cheering the children on. We definitely must have been close to setting a record for the most parents taking part in an egg and spoon race.

Last Tuesday morning we had children from Year 3/4 competing with each other, then on Wednesday Year 5/6 braved the wind and rain. The children were split into 8 teams, our teams were made up of countries who are taking part in the Woman's World Cup in Australia and New Zealand this summer. The children all made a great effort wearing their team colours, we even had some home made sports day t shirts. Well done everybody.

Thank you to our sports leaders who were amazing and helped with the running of our sports days.





SOME OF THE SPORT THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE AT OUR SCHOOL THIS HALF TERM...







