

PE at Tanners Wood



Spring 2 2019

Boy's Football Tournament at Watford FC

On Tuesday 26th February, an enthusiastic team of 8 Tanners Wood football members went to Watford Football Club's training ground for an exciting tournament. We were the team to beat and many of the school coaches came to compliment how good we were. It was down to the last match against St Albert the Great. Unfortunately, we lost 3-1 and they went through to the semi-finals. However, we later found out that they had won the event and are now progressing to the national tournament. Well done Tanners for working hard. Well done to Daniel, Harrison, Tyler, Toby, Quinn, Kian, Ben C and Alec.



Playing inside the dome at Watford's training ground.

Medals received in assembly.

Hockey Tournament

On Tuesday 26th March, five eager hockey players went to Rickmansworth School to take part in a hockey tournament. Erin, Zac, Ethan B, Grace C and Sara B worked extremely hard and loved every minute. They were superb to watch and were so polite and fair in their play. We won 2 games, drew 2 games and lost 2 games. However, we came joint 3rd with 2 other teams so it came down to goal difference. Overall, we came 5th due to us scoring less goals than the other two teams.

However, the team did themselves and the school proud and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. We are looking forward to a hockey tournament in the VERITAS League in the summer term.



Y5 Tag Rugby

On Thursday 28th March, Y5 went to Parmiter's School to compete in Tag Rugby with several other local schools. It was a very enjoyable afternoon, and whilst we didn't win any of the leagues we were in, one of our teams came a very close second. The children participated well and worked hard on their rugby skills, and are looking forward to taking part in more rugby sporting events!

This term we have been competing in a girl's football league and a Tag Rugby league against our local schools which culminated in a final towards the end of term. Again we have been competing in two leagues, the Sports Partnership league and the VERITAS league.

Girls football - Sports Partnership

Tanners Wood 1 v 0 Abbots Langley

Tanners Wood 2 v 1 St. Paul's

Girl's Football - VERITAS League

Tanners Wood 1 v 2 St. Catherines

Grove Academy 1 v 2 Tanners Wood

Abbots Langley 0 v 1 Tanners Wood

We have played well throughout the league and have always played with great sportsmanship. Thank you to Mr Roonan who attends each match to support the girls. On Wednesday 3rd April, the team went to St. Catherine's of Sienna to play in the VERITAS league finals and played really well. We came 3rd overall in the league.

Tag Rugby - Sports Partnership

Tanners Wood 1 v 3 St. Paul's

Tanners Wood 4 v 5 Divine Saviour

Tanners Wood 1 v 7 Abbots Langley

Tag Rugby - VERITAS League

Tanners Wood 1 v 7 Abbots Langley

Tanners Wood 4 v 7 St. Catherines

Tanners Wood 1 v 3 St. Paul's

Tanners Wood 4 v 5 Divine Saviour



Ryan scoring a great try!

We have been training since the first spring term and have worked hard on throwing, catching and most importantly in Rugby, passing backwards with accuracy. We have made great progress throughout the term, but alas it was not enough to win a match. However, there has always been smiles and laughter during every match and the Y6's who have played should be extremely proud of themselves. Hopefully, this will continue their enjoyment of rugby at secondary school.

A huge congratulations for sportsmanship and hard work in Tag Rugby goes to: Ethan B, Alfie, Ryan D, Joe G, Rowen A, Zac T, Faith C, Jess W, Tinashe M and Erin T.

On Monday 1st April, we attended the VERITAS league final and played some excellent Tag Rugby. Overall, we came in fourth place.

In order to continue to develop our skills in Tag Rugby, any Y5's who wish to join our club at lunchtime on a Thursday are most welcome as we prepare for next year's team.

Boys Football - Quarter Finals - Champions League

Tanners Wood 2 - 2 Bromet

Tanners Wood 2 - 3 Christ Church

We worked very hard to win our Sports Partnership league and progress through to the Champion's League. We were then drawn against Bromet and Christ Church in the quarter-finals; we needed to win both games to secure our place in the semi-finals. However, we played our best and unfortunately as is often the case in football, the score did not reflect the game. We finished second in the group of three and Bromet secured first place. They now move on to the semi-finals.

Y3/4 Dance Off!

This was the last of our Dance off's and by jove it was close! It took the judges; Mrs Forrester, Mrs Packman and myself a long time to make the final decision; it was that close. The quality of the dance was exceptionally high from every class, to the point that all 4 classes performed in talent assembly as they all deserved recognition for their effort and team work.



Winners - Oak Class! They pipped Maple Class to the post!



Second Place - Maple Class

Joint 3rd Place - Juniper and Larch

Y5 Cassiobury Park Run

On Saturday 30th March, 3 excited yet nervous members of Y5 competed in the Y5 running event at Cassiobury Park. They worked extremely hard during the cross country run on a very warm March day and did us all proud by finishing in the top 20 runners. Well done to Leah N, Charlie H and Jake R.



KS2 HOUSE EVENT

Dodgeball

Thank you very much for all those who remembered their coloured t-shirt for the house event. It is much appreciated, it really helps to make the children feel part of a team.

On Tuesday 2nd April, we held our fourth house event of the year.

As usual, we played with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship throughout the much shorter session as rain stopped play. We could only manage one game before we had to go inside. We will reschedule the event in July when hopefully the weather will be kinder. Thank you so much to all the Y6 helpers and referees who, as usual, were great.

Happy Easter

I hope you have enjoyed this sports update. Look out for my next newsletter at the end of the first half of the summer term. In the meantime, look out for sports news on our school blog as the events happen!

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