

# SPORTS NEWSLETTER

July 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to the summer term PE and sports newsletter. We have seen lots of children representing the school in a number of sports competitions including Yr1/2 Easter bunny run, Year 3,4,5 and 6 Quad kids, boys, girls and mixed dynamos cricket, large school athletics and individual athletics all the reports and results are detailed below. Thank you to all the parents that have helped transport the children to the different events and supported the teams through the year.

A new Spring Partnership Trust schools cricket competition has also taken place this term, a mixed team of boys and girls from Year 5 /6 were taken to Leeson's school to play against the other trust schools, we were delighted to return with the trophy having won both games, a full report of the event is below.

We were delighted to be able to run all 3 Sports day in June, the children had a fantastic time and we were delighted to present the winning children in Years 3/4/5/6 with medals in a celebration assembly as well as announce the winning house Wells (Red)!

Thank you for RAW Tennis who have once again been into school for extracurricular tennis with years 1 and reception as well as Lyn from Hayes CC to coach with Year 4 in their Friday PE lessons.

The children are always very proud to represent the school in the school sports kit. We would love to hear from any parents/businesses/sports clubs that could sponsor a kit for the children to be proud to wear. If you can help please contact Mrs Swift via the school email address [admin@hayes-pri.bromley.sch.uk](mailto:admin@hayes-pri.bromley.sch.uk) thank you.

We look forward to starting again in September with clubs/matches/competitions, please can we remind parents that no earrings are allowed to be worn to participate in these and therefore we ask that if your child is having their ears pierced during the summer holidays this is done at the beginning so that they are able to remove them prior to the new school academic year.

Have a fantastic summer!

Mrs Swift, Mr Sieber and Mr Gwillam

## HPS Girls Football Team

Results:

Hayes v Crofton A team 1-3 Loss, B team 1-0 Win  
Hayes v Highfield 4-3 Win

HPS finished 5th overall in their league group.

## HPS Boys Football Team

Results:

Hayes v Crofton SF cup match 1-4 Loss



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League groups

HPS finished 2nd overall in their league, just behind Crofton.

## Boys District Football Trials

We were delighted to send three year 5 boys, Jackson, Oliver and Albie, along to the Orpington and District (Bromley) Primary Schools Football Association 1st trials for the 23/24 season.

We are pleased to announce that Albie has progressed through to the 2nd round.

## Year 3 and 4 Cross Country Individual Results

Following on from the last newsletter I am delighted to confirm the individual placings of the Year 3 and 4 children who took part in the Cross Country Competition back in March.

Year 3 girls out of 327 finishers, Bethany came 4th in a time of 8.20 minutes, Luciana close behind in 10th place in 8.36 minutes, Aria 55th, Rosie 59th, Millie 110th, Rebecca 142nd, and Eliza 243.

Year 3 boys out of 394 finishers, Louis came 11th in a time of 7.59 minutes, Finley 20th, Calvin 22nd, Arthur 82nd, Daniel 114th, Oliver 157th, Noah 207, Hugo 294th, Ethan 303rd.

Year 4 girls out of 329 finishers, Isabella came 23rd in 9.07 minutes, Gabriella 25th and Abigail 26th, Emily 61st, Jessica 70th, Amelia 87th, Bonnie 127th.

Year 4 boys out of 414 finishers, Nicholas 51st in 8.31 minutes, Rocco 108th, Billy 139th, Louis 164th, Jake 207th

Well done to everyone that took part.



## Year 1 and 2 Easter Bunny Run

On Thursday 30 March, I was delighted to take 8 children, 4 from year 1 and 4 from year 2 to the Easter Bunny run at St Peters and St Pauls Catholic Primary School in Orpington. This was the first time that a HPS team had entered this event so it was new to us all! The course was set up around the school field and the children were walked around the



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course so that they all knew where they had to run, they had to run the course twice and then on the 2nd lap finish through the finishing tape and an Easter egg!

The first race that took place was Year 1 girls, it was very exciting all the children lining up on the starting line and on the whistle they were off! The girls did incredibly well and out of 21 runner's Grace finished 2nd and Charlotte 5th.

Next up, the Year 1 boys race, again they did really brilliantly with Jude finishing 2nd and Freddie coming in 14th although he was 1st at the beginning of the race and lost his trainer, but we were all so proud of his resilience in finishing the race!

The third race was Year 2 girls, Tilly finished 6th and Bea finished 9th.

The fourth and final race, Year 2 boys Theo finished 3rd and Archie 6th.

Overall HPS team finished 3rd out of 10 different schools, a fantastic achievement for our first ever attendance at this competition.

Well done to all the children for taking part and doing so well.

## HPS Year 3 , 4, 5 and 6 Quad Kids Teams

On Thursday 4 May, 19 children from Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 took part in the Quad Kids competition at Norman Park. Each team consists of 5 boys and 5 girls. In the Year 3/4 competition there were 10 schools taking part and in the 5/6 competition there were 12 schools. All the children competed in the following events: 50/75 metre sprint, 400/600 meter run, howler throw and standing long jump. This is a team event and the children compete to get points in each event. The quickest times and the greatest distances get the most points.

The teams did really well with the Yr3/4 coming 6th and Year 5/6 coming 5th overall.

A special mention must go to Eva in Year 6 for smashing the 600 metres in 1.58 minutes and the Year 5/6 boys who all came either 1st or 2nd in their 600 metres race!

Well done to the following children who took part.

Year 3/4 team, Bethany, Luciana, Isabella, Gabriela, Abigail, Calvin, Louis, Rocco, Billy, Nicholas.

Year 5/6 team, Awele, Eva, Dulcie, Eden, Michael, Lewis, Bruce, Charley, Bertie.



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## Year 5 and 6 Girls HPS Cricket Team

On Thursday 18 May, I was delighted to take ten year 5/6 girls along to the Bromley Primary School Dynamo Cricket competition held at Wickham Park CC. There were 12 teams taking part in total, from schools across the borough. The schools were put into groups of 3 for the morning session and depending on where you finished in the morning you would be put into another group for the afternoon session.

Hayes were put into a group with Oak lodge and Bromley High. The first game was against Oak Lodge, this was a close game Hayes scored 25 runs for 3 wickets, Oak Lodge scored 35 runs for 1 wicket.

The second game against Bromley High was much harder. Bromley High went into bat first and scored 58 runs for 4 wickets. Hayes batting second only 6 runs against some superb bowling for 3 wickets.

In the afternoon we were put into a group with St James and Keston. The first game was against St James who scored 45 runs for 4 wickets. Hayes batting second scored 23 runs for 3 wickets.

The second game against Keston saw Keston bat first and score 51 runs for 2 wickets, Hayes scored 35 runs for 2 wickets.

Despite the scores, the girls had a fantastic day and bowled every ball overarm for which I am so proud as this was not the case for all the other teams we played! Well done, Chantelle, Dulcie, Molly, Alexandra, Sofia, Martha, Frances, Vainavi, Francesca, Erin.



## Year 5 and 6 Boys HPS Cricket Team

On Tuesday 23 May, 8 boys and 1 girl from year 5/6 took part in the Bromley Primary Schools Dynamo Cricket competition at Old Wilsonians CC. There were 18 teams taking part from schools across the borough. The schools were put into groups of 3 for the morning sessions and depending on where you came in your group you would be put in the appropriate group for the afternoon session.

Hayes was put into a group with Keston and St Marks. The first game against Keston, Hayes batted first and scored 45 runs for 2 wickets. Keston score 35 runs for 2 wickets. The second game Hayes again batted first and lost a lot of wickets reducing their score to 7 runs for 7 wickets. St Marks scored 12 runs for 4 wickets.



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Hayes managed to finish 1st in their group due to the other results. This meant we finished the morning session in the top 6 teams and therefore we were put into one of the two groups trying to qualify to represent Bromley in the London Youth games or Kent competitions.

Our first game was against St James, we batted first scoring 27 runs, St James won with 48 runs. Our second game was against Highfield, unfortunately we only scored 22 runs against Highfields 66 runs.

Overall Hayes finished joint 5th out of 18 teams. Well done to all the children who took part, William, Alex, Dylan, Maxwell, Frankie, Joseph, Miller, Alistair, Molly.



## Spring Partnership Trust Schools Cricket Competition

On the afternoon of Friday 23 June, eight, year 5/6 children took part in the 1st Spring Partnership Trust Schools cricket competition organised by the PE leads from across the trust in conjunction with Kent Cricket Development Team at Leasons Primary school. 4 out of the 5 schools in the trust took part and each school played 2 games.

HPS first game was against St Marys Cray. St Marys Cray batted first scoring 12 runs with Hayes taking 5 wickets. Hayes then batted, scoring 73 runs with the loss of only 1 wicket.

The second game was against Midfield, who had won their 1st game as well. Hayes batted 1st this time and scored 75 runs with the loss of 2 wickets. Midfield batting second scored 48 runs for 4 wickets.

HPS won both matches and therefore won the competition overall. Well done to Alex, Dylan, Jonah, Frankie, Dulcie, Frankie, William and Miller.



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## Sports Day Results

The following children won the Sprint races in Year 3/4/5/6.

### Year 6

1 <sup>st</sup>	Bruce	Eva
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Frank	Hannah
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bertie	Ivana

### Year 5

1 <sup>st</sup>	Freddie	Awele
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Michael	Amber
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Albie	Meggan

### Year 4

1 <sup>st</sup>	Billy	Isabella
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Matias/Rasmus	Emmy
3 <sup>rd</sup>		Emily

### Year 3

1 <sup>st</sup>	Louis	Sophie
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Calvin	Lucianna
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Alex/Theo	Bethany

Well done to everyone that took part.

A special mention must be made to the Sports Leaders who attended school early every morning of sports days to set up all the activities, thank you to Thomas, Amber, Lewis, Oliver, Martha, Oliver, April, Bruce, Dulcie, William, Seb, Tamzin.

## HPS Athletics Team

On Thursday 29 June, twenty-four year 5/6 children took part in the Large Schools Bromley Primary Schools Athletics competition at Norman Park.

Each child had been chosen to take part in a particular event, 75m & 150m sprints, 600m run, standing long jump, running long jump and howler throw. Each school was allowed 2 children per event, per boys and girls team.

In the morning session, heats for the sprints took place, with the children being put into finals for the afternoon session. The 600m races were run as finals then the field events took place. The top 8 children from this event were invited back to the individual finals in July to compete against the other finalists from the small, medium and large schools. The morning finished with each school taking part in a 14x40m shuttle relay race.

In the afternoon session, the finals of the sprint races and the field events took place. The top 8 children from each event were then invited back to the individual finals in July to compete against the other finalists from the small, medium and large schools. To finish off the afternoon a 5x80m relay took place.

Overall HPS children did fantastically, finishing 2nd overall out of 13 schools, only 1 point behind Oak Lodge who won! 10 out of 24 children were invited back to the individual finals which take place on 13 July: Bertie, Elsie, Frank, Bruce, Esther, Eva, Oliver, Harry, Ivana, Reuben.

Boys Team; Freddie, Bertie, Frank, Bruce, Charley, Thomas, James, Oliver, Harry, Michael, Reuben, Maxwell

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Girls Team: Amber, Elsie, Esther, Electra, Eva, Eden, Frances, Dulcie, Ivana, April, Hannah, Darcey



On Thursday 13 July, 10, year 6 Hayes Primary School children took part in the Bromley Primary Schools Individual Athletics finals at Norman Park. The children had qualified for these finals by finishing in the top 8 of their event at the Large Schools Athletics competition two weeks previously. Over 2000 children from across the borough have taken part in different athletic competitions throughout June and the individual finals were represented by the top 24 children across the borough in each event.

We had some amazing results with Eva finishing 2nd in the 600 metre race, Ivana finishing 3rd in the Standing Long jump, Frank finishing 3rd and Bruce finishing 6th in the 150 metres race, Bertie finishing 5th in the 75 metre race and Esther finishing 6th in the 150 meter race. An amazing achievement by all the children.



## Other Sports News

We were delighted to hear about Isabella who is in Year 4, how well she is doing in tennis.

Isabella started playing tennis as a recreational player in November 2021 in red balls. After only a few months she realised that she really liked it and started taking it more seriously. In April she was moved to orange balls and she started taking once a week one to one lessons. She soon realised that she had to catch up and work hard if she wanted to achieve her dream of competing, so she started practicing every day at the park with her dad. By August 2022 she competed in the Kent Championship, her first official



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tournament. She was then spotted by the Kent LTA and invited to participate in a trial to be part of the Kent squad. Isabella was successfully selected to participate in the Kent squad training, with a chance to be selected to play in the County Cup if she performed well.

By September 2022 she started training in the performance squad of Bromley Tennis Centre (regional development club) and then in November 2022 she successfully passed the test for the performance squad of The Park Langley club (Where Emma Raducanu started her tennis journey.)

Isabella currently goes twice a week to the Park Langley performance squad and also to Strength and conditioning classes. She does a one to one class with the Head of Performance at the Park Langley club and former Emma Raducanu coach, and she attends once a month to the Kent Squad training, as well as training regularly with her dad at the park on the Tennis for Free Courts.



Isabella has won a second place in grade 5 tournament, 2 second places and one first place at grade 4 tournaments, and got number 6 and number 4 in two grade 3 tournaments, amongst other tournaments where she was placed amongst the first 5 places.

Isabella recently participated in her first grade 2 National Tournament at Bath University where she got number 22 out of the best 36 9U girls in the UK. This has been an amazing experience where Isabella competed across 2 days, and trained with National coaches for 1 hour before the tournament started.

Isabella has also recently played for the U9 girls Kent squad at the County Cup finals at Bath University Sports Village. Having to play a number of single and double matches against girls from 4 counties: Avon, South Wales, Hertfordshire and Middlesex. The squad did amazingly finishing 3rd receiving bronze medals.

Isabella's LTA recent form ranking points means she is currently amongst the top 4 9U players in Kent, competing at national Level.



We were also delighted to hear how well Harry from year 6 has done in The Boys National Championships in Sports Acrobatics winning gold in May. Well done Harry, another fantastic achievement.



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