PE Newsletter 18th- 22nd May

Year 7 Basketball

The Year 7 basketball team enjoyed a fantastic first season, successfully making it through to the JrNBA playoffs. Representing the Denver Nuggets, the team faced Cliff Park, who were representing the Dallas Mavericks.

Our mixed team put in a determined and spirited performance against a strong all-boys side from Norfolk. Although the result did not go our way, the team competed brilliantly throughout and should be proud of their efforts.

Unfortunately, much like the Denver Nuggets themselves, our playoff journey came to an end in the first round. However, it has been a hugely successful and enjoyable first year of basketball for the squad, with great progress made by all players over the course of the season.

All Years Archery

Our annual archery competition at Stowupland took place in glorious sunshine and provided a fantastic afternoon of competition and teamwork.

The school was represented by a squad of 11 students, with at least one student from every year group taking part. For a number of the team, this was their first opportunity to represent the school, and they all performed with enthusiasm and determination throughout the event.

There were some excellent individual and team performances on the day, with two pairs achieving a very impressive joint 4th place finish out of 14 competing pairs. Congratulations go to Oliver D & Grace S, and George E & Joseph S for their outstanding efforts.

All students should be proud of the way they represented the school, and the afternoon was enjoyed by everyone involved.

Year 10

Year 10 Girls Rounders

The year 10 girls attended the Western Area Rounders tournament and ended up qualifying for the county finals due to their great teamwork and skill. Ava bowled brilliantly to Izzy at backstop for all the games, making it difficult for the oppositions to hit any big hits. From the second game of the tournament, captain Sienna went on 1st base and managed to get a number of batters out and along with Gracie being strong at second base the team went from strength to strength working well under pressure. Isla and Maisie in the field were effective at getting the ball in quick to the diamond for the girls to get a number of players out. The first game against the home team was a win at 6 rounders to 5, despite having a few of our players out at first base. With a change of tactic the girls won the next game with an easy 6-2 and had the opposition all out by ball 18. The only loss of the evening was against Great Finborough, and despite scoring many half rounders between them, Finborough's fielding stopped the girls being able to get all the way round for the full rounders resulting in a loss of 6-7. The final game against OSA saw some great fielding from Lucy and Alamea linking brilliantly with Gracie at second. Outstanding effort throughout. Well done all!

Fixtures After Half Term:

Tuesday 2nd June

- Year 8 Rounders @ TGS (3:10-6:00pm)

Wednesday 3rd June:

- Girls Cricket coaching @ SHS (3:10-4:10pm)

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