



Sports Premium/School Games/PE

Spring Newsletter 2017

Peterborough Table Cricket League 26th January 2017

Pupils from Key Stages 2 and 3 represented the school at the Peterborough Table Cricket Festival at Hampton leisure centre. The team of six played against teams from PJ care, Facet day services, Sense and Peterborough City Learning Centre. Phoenix lost against sense and PJ care but took victories over Peterborough City Learning Centre and Facet. Phoenix school took bronze with PJ care taking the trophy!

Sports Premium Project/Hunts Cricket

This term a group of upper school students have been learning cricket skills with a qualified cricket coach refining skills playing against others from Peterborough City Learning Centre. The youngsters have been working together teaching each other techniques and taking a role as the teacher for warm ups and races.

Peterborough United v Oxford United 11th March 2017

Six students represented the school at the match. All were given "all area" passes. Students met the players, walked through the tunnel and also had the opportunity to meet Warwick Davies who was also at the match. At half time Phoenix were called onto the pitch to celebrate the Level Playing Field funding that the school had used the previous term. Pupils took penalties in the home end against the mascot "Peter Burrow". The crowd cheered for our students and gave them a standing ovation at the end! Unfortunately Peterborough lost the match 1-2 but it was an awesome experience. Many thanks to the club and to the charity for making this happen.

Boccia Match V Marshfields 24th March 2017

Marshfields have been chomping at the bit to play a game of Boccia so we made this happen for them. Players from Marshfield joined the Thursday Sports premium group with some playing against the Phoenix in a Boccia match whilst others joined in with the cricket sessions. Standard Boccia rules were followed with a marked out court. Players took it in turns to be team captains and match officials. Marshfields took the match 9-6.

Sky Sports Living For Sport visits

Sky Sports Living for Sport mentors visited upper school to deliver the six keys to success presentation to the Living for Sport project group. They also delivered some sport specific coaching to students alongside the Polybat tournament. Anthony Clarke (Team GB Badminton player) and Toby Garbett "Team GB Rower" delivered badminton skills and team building workshops. Pupils displayed some amazing Badminton skills with the "Busi badminton" set. U school pupils had to support each other to pass through a giant spider web. Lesser

able students were helped by their peers in an amazing team building effort. The sessions were astonishing and saw some of our pupils trying new things for the first time.

Upper school Polybat Tournament

On 30th March pupils took part in an upper school Polybat tournament. The game worked on a 3 serve turn over with the first player getting to 21 points. Polybat is a bat/ball net game which is played on a table tennis table with the net removed. It was developed at Nottingham Trent University as part of the Adapted Sports programme. The aim of the game is to hit the ball over the opponent's end of the table, or cause them to play a fault by lifting the ball off the table surface. Shana's class won the tournament with the most amounts of points taken between competitors.

Forward rolls!

In Key Stage 2 we have been practicing our gymnastics skills and in particular our forward rolls! Students of all abilities had lots of fun learning this skill!



Congratulating the winners PJ care at The Table Cricket league



LPF Peterborough United Experience March 2017



Key Stage 2 Forward Rolls



Team Building Skills with Toby Garbett