



SPORTING SPOTLIGHT



Highdown Physical Education Department Newsletter
Monday 18th November 2024

Meet the Team



Miss Clark
Head of PE



Mr Colvin



Mrs Sadler



Mr Patten



Miss Boswell



Mr Gordon



Miss Warne



Mr Thompson

Welcome

Welcome to this weeks Sporting Spotlight.

Last week the U14 Girls Football took part in their League Finals. The girls played really well to finish 3rd overall. An excellent achievement

The Year 9 and Year 10 Rugby Teams had their next round of matches in the County Cup. Unfortunately the Year 9s lost out to a very strong, and large, St Crispins team but the Year 10s won, securing them a place in the Semi Finals with their next match against St Crispins. We wish them the best of luck.

On the boys side the extra curricular provision is changing slightly from this week onwards with the introduction of Football training in preparation for the Football leagues starting after Christmas. Please see the attached extra curricular timetable for when these are.

The U12 Girls Football team start their league fixtures this week with there first matches away at Bulmershe on Wednesday. We wish them all the best.

FIXTURE RESULTS

Last Weeks Results

Yr 9 Boys Rugby County Cup Game Vs St Crispins (lost)
Yr 10 Boys Rugby County Cup Game Vs Reading Boys (won)
U14 Girls Football League Final 3rd Overall



Upcoming Fixtures

This Weeks Fixtures

Wednesday 20th November	U12 Girls Football Round 1	Away @ Bulmershe
Wednesday 20th November	U15 Boys Rugby County Cup Vs St Crispins	Home @ Highdown

Next Weeks Fixtures

Wednesday 27th November	U12 Girls Football Round 2	Away @ Denefield
Thursday 28th November	Yr 7 & Yr 8 Hockey Vs Abbey	Away @ Abbey

GOOD LUCK



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Extra Curricular PE Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School				7.45am – Running Club with Mr Colvin	
Lunch Time	Yr 9 Fitness Club with Mr Patten (Fitness Suite) Yr 7, 8 & 9 Boys Basketball Club with Mr Thompson (Gym)	Yr 9, 10 & 11 Girls Badminton Club with Mrs Sadler (Gym) Netball Shooting Club with Miss Clark (Netball Courts)	Yr 10 & 11 Fitness Club with Mr Colvin (Fitness Suite) Yr 10 & 11 Basketball Club with Miss Warne (Gym)	Yr 9, 10 & 11 Girls Fitness Club with Miss Clark (Fitness Suite) Yr 7, 8 & 9 Girls Basketball Club with Miss Boswell (Gym)	Badminton Club with Mr Colvin (Gym)
After School		Yr 7, 8 & 9 Hockey Club with Miss Clark Yr 8 Boys Football with Mr Thompson Yr 11 Boys Football with Mr Gordon Yr 10 Boys Rugby with Mr Colvin	All Years Girls Football Club with Mrs Sadler and Miss Warne Yr 7 Boys Rugby with Mr Thompson GCSE PE Badminton Club with Miss Clark	Yr 10 & 11 Hockey Club with Miss Clark Yr 7, 8 & 9 Girls Rugby with Miss Boswell Yr 7 Boys Football with Mr Colvin Yr 9 Boys Football with Mr Patten Yr 10 Boys Football with Mr Gordon	

SPORTING SUCCESS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

Salim Bushnaq (8D)

Salim is a dedicated tennis player and has been awarded the 2024 Manning Davenport Award by Berkshire Tennis. The prestigious award recognises his tennis achievements and hard work to progress as a player. Salim has successfully represented Berkshire on many occasions and County Cups, often captaining the team. Salim regularly competes in tournaments from Regional to National level. The award is a huge motivation to continue working hard on the game he is so passionate about.

Well done Salim.



Please do continue to share your sporting achievements outside of school with the PE department so we can celebrate your success. Send your write ups, and photos if you wish, to Miss Clark (viclark@highdown.reading.sch.uk)