



Totnes Learning Community Primary Sport Round Up



Easter is fast approaching and we have managed to fit in so much into this very short term. Please read on for some of March's highlights.

Handball Competitions

Year 5&6

On Wednesday 22nd February 9 teams from Broadhempston, Diptford, The Grove, South Brent and Totnes St Johns took part in the Totnes Learning community Year 5&6 Handball Competition on the All Weather Pitch at KEVICC. The competition was a fantastic showcase of all the skills and tactical elements students have been learning and practising throughout the term. All teams played each other in a league format and the winners and runners up were decided by who had gained the most points. The standard of play and sportsmanship demonstrated throughout the competition was outstanding. When all the fixtures were completed and the scores were added up The Grove A were top of the league and crowned winners while South Brent took second place and declared runners up. Both teams qualify for the partnership finals and we wish them good luck representing our learning community when they play the winners and runners up from all the other competitions. Well done to everyone who took part!



Year 3&4

On Wednesday 8th March it was the year 3&4 tournament with 7 teams taking part. Again it was a closely fought competition with some outstanding performances and numerous examples of fair play. After all teams had played each other South Brent were champions and Diptford were runners up. Both teams qualify for the partnership finals and we wish

them good luck representing our learning community when they play the winners and runners up from all the other competitions. Well done to everyone who took part!



KS1 Multi Skills Festival

On Tuesday 14th March we managed to squeeze 250 children from The Grove, South Brent, Dartington, Diptford, Harbertonford, Broadhempston and Totnes St Johns into the Sports Hall at KEVICC to participate in the second Key Stage 1 Festival of the year. The event was planned, organised and delivered by the Year 11 KEVICC Sports Studies students, as part of their Leadership Unit, and they were ably assisted by the Year 6 Sports Leaders from South Brent. Participants had the opportunity to practice and refine numerous different skills including throwing, catching, striking and rolling whilst working together in small teams and groups. There were also opportunities for pupils to compete and race against each other.



Primary School Central Venue Football

As we approach the business end of the season things are really hotting up at both ends of the table. The race for the play offs is well and truly on. The Grove A are still top but their points lead is being eaten away by the chasing pack headed by South Brent. Latest standings and pictures are below.

Pos	Team	Played	Won	Lost	Draw	Goal Difference	Points
1	Grove A	22	15	3	4	+15	49
2	South Brent	25	12	5	8	+4	44
3	Diptford A	24	10	6	8	+5	38
4	Totnes St Johns A	18	11	6	1	+9	34
5	Landscape	25	8	7	10	+2	34
6	Berry Pomeroy B	14	10	2	2	+8	32
7	Harbertonford	25	8	11	6	-8	30
8	Diptford B	25	4	14	7	-3	19
9	Grove B	17	3	6	8	-9	17
10	Berry Pomeroy A	14	1	11	2	-3	5



Year 3&4 and 5&6 Cyclo-Cross



On Tuesday 28th March we held our second Cyclo Cross event. For those who havent heard of Cyclo Cross think of cross country running but on bikes! The afternoon consisted of 4 races Year 3/4 girls race, Year 3/4 boys race, Year 5/6 girls race and Year 5/6 boys race. The course was designed to challenge all riders skill and endurance and everyone managed to cross the finish line! Over 200 children took part and special mention must go to Dartington who won the Year 5/6 boys race!

3&4 and 5&6 Cross Country

On Tuesday 21st March 378 pupils took part in the Spring Term Dartmoor SSP Cross Country Event. Teams from nineteen primary schools took part in four races for year 3/4 girls, year 3/4 boys, year 5/6 girls and year 5/6 boys around a course marked out on the school playing fields. Conditions were very challenging as heavy rain had soaked the course in the days running up to the event, but this did not deter the participants. Special mention must go to Liley Noble from The Grove who was 1st in the Girls Year 5/6 race and Jack Piercy from Brodhempston who was 1st in the Boys Year 5/6 race.

YEAR 3/4 TEAM POSITIONS	YEAR 5/6 TEAM POSITIONS
1 ST – Bradley Barton	1 ST – Bovey Tracey
2 ND – Shaldon	2 ND - Shaldon
3 RD – Bovey Tracey	3 RD - Moretonhampstead
4 th – The Grove	4 th - Stover
5 ^h - Blackpool	5 th – Bradley Barton
6 th – South Brent	6 th – The Grove
7 th - Widecombe	7 th - Ilsington
8 th - Landscope	8 th – Canada Hill
9 th - Chudleigh	9 th – South Brent
10 th - Broadhempston	10 th - Chudleigh
11 th – Canada Hill	11 th - Blackpool
12 th - Dartington	12 th - Dunsford
13 th - Stover	13 th - Broadhempston
14 th - Ilsington	14 th – Totnes St John
15 th - Moretonhampstead	15 th - Widecombe
16 th - Buckfastleigh	16 th - Landscope
17 th – Totnes St Johns	17 th - Dartington
18 th - Wolborough	18 th - Wolborough
19 th - Dunsford	



YEAR 3/4 GIRLS	YEAR 3/4 BOYS	YEAR 5/6 GIRLS	YEAR 5/6 BOYS
1 ST – Amber = Shaldon	1 ST – Dennis Anderton = Bradley Barton	1 ST – Lilly Noble = The Grove	1 ST – Jack Piercy = Broadhempston
2 ND – Lucy Ayling = Bradley Barton	2 ND – Gabriel Manlow = Blackpool	2 ND – Frankie Lobb = Bradley Barton	2 ND – Conrad N = Landscope
3 RD – May Bettie = The Grove	3 RD – Oliver Rowbury = Shaldon	3 RD – Amy Cornish = Bovey Tracey	3 RD – Max Avery = Wolborough
89 RUNNERS	107 RUNNERS	92 RUNNERS	90 RUNNERS



Key Stage 1 Aesthetics Festival

On Wednesday 22nd March year 1 and 2 pupils took part in the Key Stage 1 Aesthetics Festival. The pupils rotated around 4 stations throughout the two hour event with each session being run by the sports leaders. The emphasis for this terms event was on aesthetics so pupils got to experience gymnastics, dance, trampolining and even some yoga! At the end of the session all of the schools joined together to perform their newly learned "super hero" dance to teachers and parents for a grand finale!



Handball Partnership Finals





Thank you to everyone who has supported our events this term. I hope you all have a fantastic Easter Break. Our focus sport for next term is **Athletics** and the INSET session is the second week back after Easter on Tuesday 25th April 4-5:30pm at South Dartmoor. There is also a separate INSET for Cricket on Wednesday 3rd May 4-5:30pm at south Dartmoor which will contain lots of fantastic ideas to engage your students in lessons and extra-curricular activities. Remember there is no charge for these training sessions and **all staff** from your school are welcome to attend.

Upcoming Events in April

Thursday 20th April **KS2 PARALYMPIC Competition Day @ Teign 9-12:30pm**

Tuesday 25th April **Staff Athletics INSET @ SDCC 4-5:30pm**

Wednesday 26th April **Year 4/5 Badminton Competition @ NAC 10-12pm**

Wednesday 26th April **Primary School Basketball League @ KEVICC 4-5:30pm**

