



Sports Update

Sports Events w/c 1st February 2016

Weald Basketball – Wednesday 3rd February

Two teams of Year 5 boys and girls took part in a Basketball festival at The Weald on Wednesday. Most of the children had played a little before and the session focused on skills to start with, followed by a tournament between several schools in the locality.

In the tournament our girls found it challenging against teams made up mainly of boys but they held their own and performed very well. The boys did very well, winning two matches and drawing one to reach the final against St Marys. In the final nothing could separate the teams so it went to a sudden death shoot out. Will Gosling held his nerve to score his free shot and win the competition.

Well done to the whole team for performing so brilliantly and for all the parents who came along to support.

Table Tennis A League

The Table Tennis Team have taken part over a number of weeks in the Horsham Schools League. Our four 1st Team players this year; Tom North, Toby Rees, Andrew Cuthbert and Barney Hoad all competed well, showed great maturity and were a credit to the school. Other players in the squad were Calum Plumtree and Jake Painter. The team finished 5th out of eight schools.

At the last session, an individual table tournament was run where players were matched against players of similar standards. Tom was 2nd on his table, as was Toby, who narrowly lost out on 1st place with a 9-11 final set defeat to the eventual winner. Andrew was 3rd, and Barney won his table. With all players winning games on the last session, everyone went home happy.

The parents have been a great support, not only in providing transport, but staying to watch when they could. Well done to everyone involved.

Hockey League, first meet at Tanbridge -Friday 5th February 2016

Our first outing in the Hockey League saw seven committed players representing the school. With little experience between them they worked well as a team, drawing on their other sporting talents. We won the first two games, and then sadly lost the next two games narrowly. A quick mention for an excellent defensive effort, put in by Luke Pullen and goal keeping by William Terry.