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A MESSAGE FROM MR HUNTER, HEAD OF PE

This term has seen students enjoying athletics, rounders and softball in PE lessons. PE staff have been impressed with the attitude and commitment from students within their lessons and have seen some great progress over the course of this term.

86 sports fixtures or tournaments attended in 11 different sports with approximately 97 students representing the school across the year. I think this is a great achievement for a small school like ours and something, we, as a community, should all be proud of. I would just like to take this opportunity to thank Miss Cheeseman, Mr Burningham, Mr Watterson, Mr Baker, Miss Jackson, and Miss Shepherd for all leading on fixtures during the

year and to Mrs Hopes, Mrs Fearnside and Miss Worth for their support in the admin office and sending out many a parent communication and organising all the paperwork that is needed to attend all the events. Without the support of all these staff these amazing things could not happen so a massive THANK YOU!!

Also, a massive thank you to all the students who have attended an extra-curricular club or represented the school this year you have all been amazing and have made us all at MECE proud. Let's make 2022/2023 even bigger and better!!!



YEAR 6 TRANSITION DAY



A massive "well done" to 17 of our BTEC Sport students who led a range of fantastic sports activities for year 6s as part of their recent transition day. They planned and led their own sport sessions including rounders, football, rugby, and netball as part of their BTEC Sport course and were given some fantastic feedback from the enthusiastic year 6s. A massive well done to the students listed below and now just to write up your reviews!

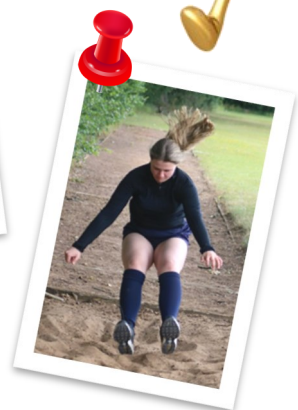
Leo T, Jack S, Harry W, Ash P, J'Nikea, Ben A, Jess C, Hettie G, Henry W, Dylan B, Tayon P and Corey D. Gemma P, Carys F, Francesca K, Jerry J, Joseph G, Dylan B, Tayon P and Corey D.

SPORTS DAY 2022



On Wednesday, 6 July we held our annual Sports Day and the second one competing in our new House System. The students took part in a range of track and field events on the day with the whole school out on the field for the afternoon supporting and cheering on their house in the finals of the 100m, 200m, 400m and 4x100m relays. 90% of the student body took part in at least one event on the day with a large number of students taking part in 3 events plus the relay. This is a great effort from the students and a massive thank you must go to the Heads of House, Miss Jackson, Miss Shepherd, Mr Watterson and Mrs Bullivant for promoting and encouraging the students to sign up to take part.

On the day there were 4 school records broken, so well done to Imogen C for breaking the year 7 Javelin and Discus records, Sienna F for breaking the year 9 1500m record and Carter S for breaking the year 9 shot put record. Carter also broke the Year 9 High Jump record during the competition jumping 1.60m. A massive well done to you all.



MISS CHEESEMAN'S STUDENTS OF THE TERM



My KS3 student of the year is Isaac W (Year 9). I have had the pleasure of teaching Isaac PE for the past three years and it has been wonderful to see him progress and grow in confidence. Isaac is an incredibly talented

sportsman across the board, especially in athletics, where he has qualified for the county in 300metres. It is evident that Isaac loves sport and this comes across in the way he applies himself in both lesson time and at fixtures.

The PE department look forward to continuing to work with Isaac, as he embarks on the BTEC Sport course next year.

My KS4 student of the year is Grace B (Year 11).

Grace applied herself to every piece of coursework and ensured that she had completed it to the highest standard.

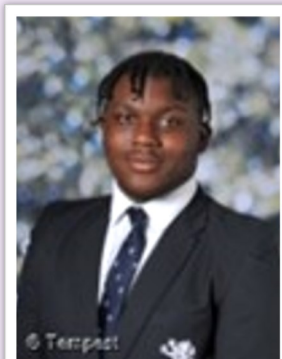
Over the last 18months of the BTEC Sport course Grace focused and worked hard, continuously producing high quality work.

I have thoroughly enjoyed teaching Grace and wish her all the best in her future endeavours.



MR HUNTER'S STUDENTS OF THE TERM

My KS3 student of the year is Imogen C (Year 7). Imogen works extremely hard within her PE lessons and is always a regular at clubs both at lunch and after school. Imogen is a key member of the year 7 sports teams and represented the school in almost every sport we have offered this year from cross country, football, netball and athletics. She has led by example each week and was a standout performer during the netball and football fixtures. It has been a pleasure to watch Imogen develop within PE this year and as an all-round sportswoman over her short time so far at MECE and look forward to seeing her continue to develop over the next few years.



My KS4 student of the year is J'Nikea. J'Nikea has made an excellent start to his BTEC Sport course and has worked hard on his studies, in particular in preparation for his exam after Easter in which he managed to secure his Merit grade. J'Nikea also delivered an excellent football session to year 6s as part of transition day recently which will see him achieving an excellent grade as part of his unit 6 Leadership work. Well done J'Nikea and keep up the good work and I am sure you will achieve the results you deserve within BTEC Sport!



PE KIT



The PE department have been really impressed with students PE kit this year, students have been, on the whole, great at remembering their PE kit and having the correct kit for PE lessons.

If there are any issues with regards the PE kit please just let me know and we can try and help where possible:

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KIT LIST

Physical education and games kit

- Navy blue polo shirt (with logo embroidered – purchase from Stevensons)
- Navy blue shorts/skort
- Navy blue sports socks (outdoor PE lessons)
- White sports socks (indoor PE Lessons)
- Navy blue Microfleece/Jumper
- Navy blue tracksuit bottoms
- Non-marking trainers



SOUTH OXFORDSHIRE SCHOOL ATHLETICS



On Thursday 19 May, Miss Cheeseman and Mr Hunter took 33 students from years 7 to 10 TO take part in the South Oxfordshire School Athletics at Tilsley Park, Abingdon. Students took part in a range of track and field events, including high jump, shot put, discus, 300m, 100m and 1500m. Key highlights from the day were Year 9's Isaac W finishing 2nd overall in the 300m and Juan O in Year 10 finishing 2nd in the shot put, this meant both students qualified for the Oxfordshire Athletics final. Emmanuel N in year 7 also finished 2nd in the 200m finals and our Year 7 girls relay team and the Year 9 boys relay teams finished 2nd in the 4 x 100m relay. Well done to all the students on a fantastic day at Tilsley Park.



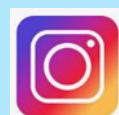
HAVE A GREAT SUMMER



We hope all students have a fantastic summer, keep fit and active ready to come back and smash their PE and sport when they return in September. Keep us updated with all your exciting sporting activities over the summer on our social media pages!



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