

St Nicholas' CE Primary School

Learn, Achieve, Grow: Together Term 4 P.E Newsletter



March 2024

WELCOME

Hello everyone! Welcome to our PE newsletter where you can find information regarding all things PE! As a school we are passionate about the children being active and healthy and are currently working towards our Gold School Games Mark, which we achieved last year and are hoping to maintain this year. The School Games inspires young people to be physically active for life through positive experiences of daily activity and competition. We are part of a cluster of schools in and around Salisbury who are supported by a School Games Organiser (SGO) to provide us with opportunities to take part in a variety of festivals and competitions. Please see below for details.

Sports competitions

We have entered many sports festivals this year so far and the children have loved them! We are always so proud of the children when we take them out of school as they are excellent role models and show our school games values in action. Year 5 and 6 attended the football competition and did really well, experiencing wins and losses which helped them to gain confidence and practise being part of team.



The children in year 3 and 4 also attended the football festival and did extremely well and won most of their games! We narrowly missed out on 3rd place but that didn't stop their enthusiasm and joy for the day!



Sports competitions continued

Year 3 and 4 also attended the tag rugby tournament this term and played really well. They showed determination and perservernce playing against other teams from different schools and were all very polite and enthusicastic! Well done everyone!



We also entered into the year 4 and 5 orienteering festival for the first time this year and the children had a great time! Following the installment of our new orienteering course that was set up at school, we thought it would be an excellent opportunity for the children to put their skills to the test! Well done everyone.



Upcoming fixtures

Year 5 and 6 Tag Rugby festival – 19thApril 2024 60 active minute festival – 1st May 2024 Salisbury Schools Mini-Marathon – 18th May 2024 Year 5 and 6 Quad Kids – 12th June 2024 Year 3 and 4 Quad Kids – 26th June 2024















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Staying active during the Easter holidays

There are many clubs on offer over the Easter holidays – please find some options below.



After school sports clubs

District Sports have continued to provide us with after school sports clubs, which the children really enjoy. The clubs are open for all children from Badger to Owls. Please keep a look out for a letter to clarify details of the new clubs in Term 5 which has already been sent out. In term 5 we are offering multi skills for EYFS and KS1 and a tennis club for KS2.

Whole school treat

We had a fantastic time using the gymnastics equipment last week for our whole school treat! We got to put our climbing skills to the test which was really fun! Have a look at the happy children below!







<u>Salisbury Schools Mini-Marathon (KS2 children)</u> Saturday 18th May 2024

Thanks to everyone who has signed up for the mini marathon! The entries have now closed and payment should have been made. We have some adult runners this year which is very exciting! The training will start soon for the children and more information about what to do at the event will be coming to you shortly. – *More details and training plans to follow.*

> Thank you so much for reading. Mrs Heath PE Curriculum Leader.





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