BETHS Sports Newsletter Friday 31st March



Monday 13th March

Year 9 Basketball v Langley Boys - Kent Cup Quarter Final

54 - 40 Beths

Beths were focused on the game with aspirations of reaching another Kent Cup final. The team started well, however they were up against a strong Langley side who kept Beths from running away with – they were going to need to work for this one! As the game progress, the side scored some brilliant baskets, with Sherif, Anthony and Mayowa keeping the team in front. Derek was also very effective in rebounding the ball, and Michael made some key passes to penetrate their defence. As the game progressed Beths continued to dominate, finishing the game well with a 14 point lead. They now faced Canterbury High School in their semi-final which they knew would be difficult.

Mr Webb

Year 8 B Football v Haberdashers Crayford - North Kent Cup

6-0 Beths

The game began with a few scrappy passes and lots of clearances from both teams' defences. However, after 5 minutes of this style of play from both teams, Beths gained dominance. Beths launched many attacks on the Haberdashers defence, who failed to cope with the skill of Ollie, Tahseen and Leo. Beths created lots of good chances, however failed to take them. Finally, Beths scored in another attack, with Rayhan finishing off a nice move. Beths took advantage of the fact they were on top, and Tahseen managed to score two more goals before half time. The Beths defence had been very solid throughout the entire first half, however, were put to the test after half time with Haberdashers having much of the early possession, and the wind against them. As it looked like Haberdashers were going to build more confidence, Nathan launched an attack, from which he scored from and relieved Beths of all the building pressure. The second half continued with both sides having half-chances, but no more goals came until the end of the match. Joshua and Nathan managed to both score great team goals towards the end, to finish the game 6-0 to Beths.

Final Score: Beths 6 - 0 Haberdashers

Man of the Match – Noah (and match report written by!)

Tuesday 14th March

Year 8 Basketball v Rainham - Kent Cup Quarter Final

Beths Win 60 - 22

We faced Rainham Mark Grammar School in the Quarter Finals of the Cup and the last time we face them, it was a close game, so we knew we had to put in the work to progress into the semi-finals! But like always, we started strong and ended up scoring within the first minute. This continued, as we took advantage of their mistakes and punished them by scoring more. Clearly our efforts in training in the build of this fixture has paid off, as not only did we win the game but we maintained a significant gap in our scores, a very different result to last year.

Mr G.S

U13 7's Tournament at Eltham College

They scored a try, Neel missed the try line, Jamie scored, They scored another two tries, Josh scores a try and to finish the game Eltham score another try. The end.

Match report written by Mateusz

Wednesday 15th March

U17 Basketball v Folkestone

Beths Win

Beths team came out guns firing. In the first 5 mins Beth's were up by around 10 and had a comfortable lead and Folkestone were forced to call a timeout. Beths then let the lead slip and by the end of the first the score was very close to being a tie. In the second quarter Beths offense was going and Folkestone were able to get a strong 10 point lead. Beths then had a great third quarter giving the ball to Carlton in the post who scored again and again and Beths were up by the end of the 3rd. During the fourth quarter, Beth's played amazing defence and were able to close out the game due to a great offensive rebound at the end which allowed Beths to waste a lot more time on the clock. Great games from Carlton and Utsav.

Muhammad J

Thursday 16th March

U18 Basketball v Canterbury

Beths Lost 90 - 70

Beth's seemed half asleep in the first Quarter as Canterbury won tipoff and got off to a 15-0 lead. Number 0 (Zion) was the first to wake on the Beth's and managed to score a 6 points. The first Quarter finished 30-7. The rest of the team finally woke up as we went on a 12-0 run as Canterbury failed to score for 5 straight minutes. The second quarter ended with Beth's cutting the lead to 15points.

After our efforts in the second quarter to come back, we then became too tired to play a good zone defence which the opposition capitalised on and they started shooting consecutive 3 pointers. Our numbers 30 and 32 (Mohammed and Mucktar) responded with their own but they weren't enough.

The gap stayed 30 points for the rest of the game.

Mohammed- 20pts 6assists 4rebounds. 5/7 3pm. MVP Daniel- 16pts 6rebounds Mucktar- 10pts 5assists 5rebounds

Written by Mohammed

Year 8 A Team Football v Bexley Grammar - North Kent Cup

Won 2-0

Beths start off quick straight away putting pressure on the Bexley grammar players. After gaining possession, we start playing our football, trying to find a gap through the Bexley side. We had many break throughs, but their defence was very solid. Near the slight end of the second half, Jayden collects the ball from a clear and plays an absolute wonder ball to Tobenna who slots it comfortably in the bottom left corner. The Beths midfield and defence were really performing in their positions. The 2nd half came and Beths do not slow down. Bexley grammar put some pressure on us by putting a few balls over, but our midfield and defence held tight. Now, with around 7 minutes left, Tobenna once again scores with help from our wingers. We then managed to hold them off and finish the game.

Great game lads.

Written by Lucas Fisher

Monday 20th March

U18 Basketball v Tonbridge School

Beths Win

1st Half

Very even first quarter, there star player was making a lot of tough shots and keeping them in it. Our ball movement to begin with was not good enough and was keeping us from running away with the game.

2nd half

After coach spoke to us during the break he was able to convince us to play at our own pace and run the plays. This lead to us going on a 14-0 run to begin the half with Bradley,Mo,Mucktar,Dario and Zion on the court. We kept this lead throughout the rest of the game even though our production began to slow down. Final score

62-50 in favour of Beth's

Written by Bradley

Year 8 Basketball v Maidstone GS - Kent Cup Semi Final

Beths Win 67 - 27

With the finals approaching the following week, we knew we had to had to put in the work to secure our spot in the Final. It was our first time competing against Maidstone, who like us, were unbeaten this year. We started the game with a strong performance, scoring within the first minute and utilising our effective players around the court. Fegor took the show and made shooting at difficult angles look effortlessly. Clearly Maidstone were no match for us, as we comfortably secured the win and our spot in the final for the second year in a row!

Mr G.S

Year 11 Football v Hurstmere – North Kent Cup

Lost 4-1

Match Report Year 11 v. Hurstmere

We started off the game well, bossing the midfield and creating a few half-chances; however, we then conceded a sloppy goal with another to quickly follow meaning we were trailing 2-0 at half-time. The team upped their work rate after the break and looked set to get one back, but a tough offside call went against them and they lost their heads, somewhat. Hurstmere seized the initiative and soon scored another, but Beths never gave up and restored some pride with a late consolation, with a few big chances going astray which would have made a compelling ending. All in all, a tough loss to one of our local rivals, despite the boys giving everything and showing enough fight and determination that will cause Mr Webb and Mr Waite some selection issues when determining the 1st and 2nd XI teams for next year respectively.



By Mr Haywood

Tuesday 21st March

Year 9 v Canterbury - Kent Cup Semi Final

Won 82 - 72

The Year 9's faced a tough opponent in the well organised Canterbury High side. The side started slowly, and Canterbury took a well-deserved lead. However, as the game progressed Beths grew into the game and started to exploit the weaknesses of Canterbury, drawing the game into a tie going into the final quarter. With some motivational words from Mr Webb, the team dominated the closing moments of the game and won with a brilliant 10-point lead. Beths progress into the finals of the Kent Cup, where they will face Hayes making it a repeat of last year's final. Good luck boys!

Mr Webb



Year 7 v Langley Park - Kent Cup Semi Final

Beths won 17-9

The boys did extremely well, and although it was a low scoring game it was very entertaining. Well done to all of them who progress into the Kent Cup final v Ravens Wood School next week.

Wednesday 22nd March

1st XI v Langley Park - League

Won 8 - 1

Today, saw the Beths XI take on Langley Park in a double header with six points and the league title up for grabs. This would also be the last time Mr Webb's Beths team would play together so we knew a win was necessary to ensure that we went out on a high.

Following our Kent Cup final success, which saw us emerge 4-1 winners over Sevenoaks School, we started the game very confidently and it was to no little surprise that we took the lead early on when Dapo Falamo calmly slotted past the keeper with his weak foot from outside the box, making it 1-0. Ten minutes later saw a moment of magic from Sam Jarvis as he evaded the tackles of three oncoming defenders, dribbled into the box and placed it past the keeper to make it 2-0. Moments later, Chris Adjei found himself one on one after a lovely sequence of passes and calmly slotted under the keeper to make it 3-0. It didn't take long for us to lengthen our lead and once again Sam Jarvis added his name to the scoresheet with a thunderous strike from outside the box, making it 4-0 and pretty much game over within 25 minutes. The half ended at 4-0 and it was looking like we would retain our League title for the second year running.

We started the secondly half strongly, wanting to put the game to bed and quickly made it 5-0 after good hold up play from Chris Adjei released Dapo into the box who was able to finish past the keeper to grab his second of the game. Almost instantly from the restart, we won the ball back and it was that man once again, Dapo, who picked the ball up and curled it into the top corner bouncing off the underside of the bar, making it 6-0 and completing his hattrick. At 6-0 up, we started to experiment with people's positions as our centre back, Olly Wright, found himself at striker whilst Chris Adjei (our star striker) found himself playing the rest of the game at centre back. Whilst Chris was extremely solid at centre back, Langley Park did find themselves a consolation goal, making it 6-1 and possibly giving Langley hope of a comeback. However, this hope was demolished moments later as we pressed on and found our seventh goal of the day courtesy of Adam Wallis, I'd love to say it was a screamer from 40 yards however in reality it was a tap in from 2 yards, but they all count! There was enough time for one final Beths goal as Zach Garcia got to the touchline and barged his man off the ball, then putting it on a plate for myself to smash past the keeper and make it 8-1.

The game ended 8-1 and saw us retain our league title. Our last year of school football was a tremendous success with both regional and county trophies to show for it. The last seven years of playing school football have been a great experience for both me and all the boys in the team. We are extremely grateful for the hard work and dedication put into the team by Mr Webb and we were all delighted we could repay that with some silverware this year.

So, once again, massive thank you to Mr Webb and Mr Hayward this season for all your hard work and support associated with the First XI and from me, a massive thank you to the boys for making it such an enjoyable season.

By Jack Beerling





U14 7's Tournament at Canterbury

At first we played well however our main flaw was that we refused to run straight in our first two matches causing us a loss to Dane Court. In that match we made a few mistakes that cost us a game we could have won. We charged through the rest of our matches without losing a single one. We ended up in the plate finals which we won. In the end we won the plate and left with an experience to learn from.

Mr G.S



Thursday 23rd March

Year 8 Rugby v Oakwood Park GS

The game against Oakwood Grammar was a tight one, with Beths Grammar School narrowly scraping the win. At the start Beths went up 3-2 against our opponents, with 2 tries from Temi and a try from Joshua. After several scrums and missed opportunities if was half time with Oakwood Grammar School up 5-4. However, Beth's had yet to give up with little time remaining a combination of strong carries and excellent passes it was 7-6 with a few minutes to go. As the final play was announced Beth's won the scrum. A final kick from Ollie to get it off the field was blocked by Temi, who was able to get the ball out of play.

Friday 24th March

Year 7 Basketball Kent Cup Final

Beths Win 46 - 42!

At the beginning of the game we started strong and we were in the lead up ten points. By the end of the first half Ikenna had three fouls! Due to this we subbed in Emmanuel from 7B. Remi and Deih were contributing in scoring the points but it wasn't enough as Raven Wood were making a comeback and they were getting back in the game. By the end of the third quarter Raven wood were in the lead the score being 38-37. We subbed Ikenna back on for Emmanuel as we really need to win the game. Has Ikenna came on for the last quarter there was an instant change. Ikenna kept on scoring points getting us the lead as we kept our defence in check. While Ikenna was focusing on Offence the other four focused on defence. With 12 seconds left on the clock we were in the lead the score being 44-41 as they really needed to score they tried there hardest to get the ball but in doing so they fouled Ikenna 3 times and as Ikenna took his two free throws he scored both making the Final score 46-41. This meant Beth's won the Kent cup Final with Ikenna winning MVP.



Written by Ikenna

Year 9 Basketball Kent Cup Final

Beths Lose 68 - 64

It was a repeat of last year's final v Hayes, who we knew were a tough opposition reaching the quarter finals of the National Cup. The team went into the game focused, and ready for the challenge. Hayes started strong and took an early 10 point lead, which they maintained for the majority of the game. However Beths continued to work hard and with some great play from Michael, Derek and Mayowa managed to keep themselves in the game.

Going into the final quarter Beths upped the intensity and with some good turnover from Anthony and Jordan, and some accurate shooting from Sherif, managed to make it a 2 point game with a minute left. Unfortunately however, as we were on team fouls Hayes were able to make some easy free throw shots, to secure the win by 4 points. A very tense ending and the boys did extremely well against a tough opposition, and Nauris and myself were very proud of their performance.

They continue to improve every game, and having lost in the final two years running, I know they are looking forward to next season already.

Mr Webb



Tuesday 28th March

Year 8 Basketball Kent Cup Final

Beths Win 67 - 54!

As we approached the final of the Kent Cup Competition, our excitement was higher than ever, and our confidence grew as we faced Langley Park School for Boys. We dominated the first quarter, scoring within the first 20 seconds and maintaining a significant gap between us and Langley Park. However, the gap began to get closer, as Langley took advantage of our mistakes and countered our attack. But despite their efforts, we still managed to maintain a 10-point difference and secure the win! Our unbeaten streak from Year 7 continues, as we secure another Kent Cup Title.



Mr G.S

U17 Basketball Kent Cup Final

After an incredibly successful season, the under 17s arrived at the final with Northfleet in a confident mood. The early exchanges were hard fought, and neither team were able to break clear in the first quarter. Equally, the second quarter was cagy affair with both teams dominating in defence and neither finding it easy to score cheap points.

In the third quarter Beths continued to struggle to score, consistently hitting the ring but the ball failed to drop in. Conversely, Northfleet seemed to find their shooting range and as the quarter developed, they managed to pull away and create a healthy 12 point gap.

Going into the last quarter, it was clear the Beths needed to make some big plays to try and narrow the gap. Debo was brought on for his long-range shooting and immediately hit two three pointers, which gave the boys the belief that they could bring it back. Unfortunately, Northfleet recognise this and double teamed him, reducing the ability of Beths to score quickly. As such the game drifted away and Northfleet were able to maintain the lead until the end. It has still been an amazing season and the boys should be justly proud of their achievements. Particularly a last second victory over Haberdashers, which was the highlight of the season for all who were involved.

Mr Temple



U19 Basketball Kent League Final

It was a tough loss, we played hard in the first half but couldn't pull through in the end. Luck wasn't on our side as many shots didn't fall in like it should have. Great game overall hopefully we win next year

Written by Dylan



House Football Results

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
1 st	A	W	Н	W	Е
2 nd	E	А	В	С	A
3 rd	С	С	W	В	C/W
4 th	W	E	A	E	5-5 on pens
5 th	Н	В	E	Н	В
6 th	В	Н	С	A	Н







Sports Leaders Year 4 Rugby Megafest!





On Wednesday 29th June our year 8, 9 and 10 Sports Leaders led the year 4 Rugby Megafest! 5 different Primary Schools attended with over 40 students taking part. The Sports Leaders set up and delivered 6 different rugby games and activities, and did a fantastic job. All of the year 4 students were able to develop their rugby skills, work together as a team and most importantly have some fun. Ms Allsop, the Head of Bexley School Games, and the primary school teachers were very impressed, so a huge well done to our Sports Leaders on their first event!

Mr Webb

Good luck to the Year 8's who travel to Cardiff on Friday for the Rugby Tour!



Well done to everyone who has taken part in PE and Sport this term!

Viewing: All Sports; 2022/23; All Age Levels More Details Sport # Teams Win Ratio Vere 7 Basketball 53 0 15 71.7% Þ 38 - 1 Football 98 64.3% 11 63 2 33 • **Rugby Sevens** 1 2 0.0% -(15) **Rugby Union** 35.0% 6 40 14 22 Totals: 115 59.6%



Viewing: Football; 2022/23; All Age Levels

Age Level	Р	W	D	L	PF	PA	PD	Win Ratio	Player Stats
Boys-U18A	18	17	0	1	83	18	65	94.4%	>
Girls-U18A	4	0	0	4	1	25	-24	0.0%	>
Boys-U18B	14	12	1	1	56	5	51	85.7%	>
Boys-U16A	12	7	0	5	37	27	10	58.3%	>
Boys-U15A	3	0	0	3	7	12	-5	0.0%	>
Boys-U14A	16	10	1	5	57	39	18	62.5%	>
Boys-U14B	4	2	0	2	17	12	5	50.0%	>
Boys-U13A	10	8	0	2	32	13	19	80.0%	>
Boys-U13B	8	6	0	2	25	13	12	75.0%	>
Boys-U12A	5	1	0	4	7	34	-27	20.0%	>
Boys-U12B	4	0	0	4	4	38	-34	0.0%	>
Totals:	98	63	2	33	326	236	90	64.3%	