



Swalecliffe Primary School

Christmas Sports Review 2019



Sainsbury's Your School Games



We are very pleased to announce as a school, that we have, again, been recognised in the provision of PE within Swalecliffe Primary School. We have retained the **GOLD** award and are working towards platinum!

The Gold award is the highest award. It can only be beaten by the Platinum Award. The Platinum award is given to schools who have earned the gold award for five consecutive years – our next target!

Primary Sports Crew Training

12 Year 5 and Year 6 children attended the Primary Sports Crew Training at Herne Bay High. Throughout the year the sports crew will be running activities for Foundation stage, KS1 and KS2 children that allow building and development of their PE skills.

So far, they have run Speed bounce, Speed stack and throwing activities during lunchtime play.

In term 3, inter house competitions will take place, run by the sports crew.



District Football

Swalecliffe entered two teams into the boys' tournament and two teams into the girls' tournament. It was held at the University of Kent on their Astroturf pitches. There were over 20 schools competing in each the boys and the girls tournaments.

The Girls A team played very well and won all their games finishing top of their group. The girls continued their winning form and got to the final. The final was against a strong Herne Bay Juniors team and unluckily lost 1-0 in a close fought game. The Girls B team played very well and were unfortunate to reach the quarter finals missing out by goal difference.

The Boys B team played four qualifying games but unfortunately did not get through to the quarterfinals. The Boys A team managed to get through to the final but unfortunately lost 1-2 to Herne Bay Juniors.

Year 2 Basketball



It was fun. I liked that you could practise.

Evalina Year 2

I really enjoyed myself. I like it because I am good at throwing.

Finley Year 2

A team Football



Whitstable Juniors	H	W 1-0	Charlie
Reculver	A	W 5-1	Charlie 2, Dylan, Leo 2
Davington	A	W 2-0	Ollie, Leo
St Marys	H	W 3-2	Own Goal, Charlie, Ollie
Herne Bay Juniors	A	L 2-3	Dylan, Charlie
Hampton	A	W 5-2	Isaac, Jack 2, Ollie 2
Herne	H	To be played 10/1/20	
Joy Lane	A	To be played 22/1/20	
Briary	A	To be played 31/1/20	

B Team Football

Herne Juniors	A	D 1-1	Jack
Herne Bay Juniors B	H	D 1-1	Callum
Herne Bay Juniors C	H	W 5-1	Jack, Callum 2, Ollie, Luca,
Swalecliffe C	H	W 9-1	Jack 2, Archie, Ollie, Joseph, Callum 2, Cathal, Luca



C Team Football

Every September, Swalecliffe have the Year 5 & 6 football trials to see who will represent the school in the A & B teams. There has always been disappointment when a child misses out on selection, so it was again decided to run a C team to allow every boy the opportunity to represent the school. All of the children who represented the team did particularly well with some children performing at an extremely high level and producing some excellent results. The teams came together very well, with each fixture fielding a different team.

Herne Bay Juniors C	H	D 0-0	
Herne Bay Juniors B	H	D 2-2	Harry, Own Goal
Swalecliffe B	H	L 1-9	Noah
Herne Juniors B	H		To be played 10/1/20

Girls Football



Reculver	A	W 4-0	Lillian 2, Connie 1, Angelica 1
Herne	A	W 2-0	Angelica 1 Connie 1
Herne Bay Juniors	A	L 1-5	Connie 1
Briary	H	W 8-0	Connie 2, Leila 1, Lillian 2, Angelica 1, Dyna 2.
Hampton	A	W 4-0	Angelica 2, Leila, Connie

Key Stage 2 Basketball Festival

I really enjoyed taking part, representing the school and being in a team.

Cody Year 6

I loved playing Basketball against the other schools. We did really well and finished in 4th place out of 18 schools.

Bo Year 6



Key Stage 2 Wake up Shake Up Festival



It was fun, although I was a little nervous. We danced to "Can't stop the feeling" by Justin Timberlake. I want to do it again and look forward to showing the whole school on sports day!

Sapphire Year 5

It was fun being able to show other people our dance. We were one of 16 schools showing their wake up shake up routines. I think we were the best because we independent in our performance.

Sophia Year 5

Parent help

We are very keen to develop as many opportunities for children as possible at Swalecliffe. If you feel you are able to help, then please do get in touch.

Many thanks to Mr Couzens & Mr Martin for their commitment to helping with the football this term. Their support to all the teams have very been very much appreciated.

Getting into Sport

The following website is a very useful tool for finding sports clubs in the local area.

<http://www.activecanterbury.org/>

Running



One of the best ways to improve fitness is running. On a Monday, Wednesday & Friday morning at 8.30am Swalecliffe have the Daily Mile.

The PFA are fundraising for a new astroturf running track around the field to support this, so please support them with their efforts and events.

On Sunday mornings, there are Junior Parkruns. Whitstable is at 9.30am, and Reculver is at 9.00am.



Term 3 & 4 Competitions

Year 5/6 Sportshall Athletics	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 15 th January 2020
Year 1/2, 3/4, 5/6 Cross Country	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 29 th January 2020
Year 2, 3/4, 5/6 Speed Stacking	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 5 th February 2020
Year 5/6 Handball	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 4 th March 2020
Year 2 Infant Agility	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 11 th March 2020
Year 3/4, 5/6 Quicksticks	Herne Bay High	Wednesday 18 th March 2020

