



Highwood Sports Round up



Summer term 2017 - Compiled by Mr Liam Willimott

School Games Mark - Silver Accreditation

This term saw great success for Highwood and their P.E. programme as the school was awarded the School Games Mark (Silver Accreditation) after a lengthy application and checking process.



"This is a great achievement for the school and I look forward to aiming for gold in 2017/2018 when we are back in the main school. Thank you to all the teachers and children this year in running clubs and delivering some great P.E. lessons. Please enjoy the photos below."

Mr Liam Willimott



"I love learning new skills in both P.E. lessons and clubs with Mr Willimott and other teachers."
Lewis, Year 2



*Sports Days - Managed by Mr Liam Willimott and
Mr Johnathan Crockett*

On Monday 3rd July and Wednesday 5th July, Highwood celebrated their two Sports Days for Early Years, KS1 and KS2. Please enjoy some of the great photos and quotes from the children.



"The hoop race was really fun and amazing." Lexi-Rae, Year 4.



"I really enjoyed the sack races as I had to jump up and down." Archie, Year 2.

"I was so tired at the end of the day, all I wanted to do was sleep!" Grace, Year 6.

Girls' Football 6 a-side Tournament - Managed by Mr Liam Willimott

On Saturday 10th June 2017, Mr Liam Willimott and Mr Johnathan Crockett took two teams to the annual Watford District Primary Schools 6-a-side tournament held at Haberdashers' Aske's School for Girls.

In the tournament, the A team won all their games in the group stage finishing top of their group. The B team managed to get through the group stage, finishing 4th which then set up a semi-final between the two Highwood teams!

The A team won 2 - 0 in the semi-final after a fierce and competitive game. This set up a final against Haberdashers' (A team) whom Highwood had already beaten in the group stage.

Eventually, Highwood sadly lost 2-1 in a brilliant final, where some very tired girls battled until the end.



In addition to the B team being runners up in reaching the semi-final, Hannah W also brought home her very own trophy as she won Player of the Tournament!

"It was amazing playing in the A team. We played so well against other schools. I was so proud to come second."

Lily, Year 5.

"I really enjoyed the 6-a-side tournament. I thought all the girls played very well. We were very focused and the hardest working team. It was amazing to score in the final. Well done girls."

Maddie, Year 5.

Inter-House Competitions

Throughout the academic year, children from Fire, Earth, Air and Water have competed for their houses in a number of different competitions to gain points towards the Inter-House Cup.

Some of the sports they have competed in include:

Football
Netball
Kwik-Cricket
Dodgeball

Please enjoy some of the photos from the recent events.



"I have been so proud representing Fire in this year's Inter-House competitions and winning."

Jay, Year 6.

"It was great being a part of the Earth team this year in the Inter-House football competition for Year 5 and 6." Jack W, Year 6.

"I got to be a part of the inter-house netball tournament in which Water won. It was a shame we didn't win the whole thing." Eddie, Year 6.

End of year Awards and Results 2016/2017

On Friday 14th July 2017, Mr Liam Willimott hosted an assembly to celebrate all of the children's P.E. and sporting success throughout the academic year. Congratulations to all the children and houses below for the individual and team awards throughout the year.

Boys' Football

Manager's Player - Jack W (Year 6)

Players' Player - Ethan (Year 6)

Most Improved - Qais (Year 6)

Girls' Football

Manager's Player - Hannah W (Year 6)

Players' Player - Olivia C (Year 6)

Most Improved - Isabella (Year 6)

Mixed Netball

Manager's Player - Olivia C (Year 6)

Players' Player - Daniel H

Most Improved - Daria (Year 6)

Sportsman of the Year - Ryan (Year 5)

Sportswoman of the Year - Rosie (Year 6)

Inter-House Champions 2016/2017 - Fire

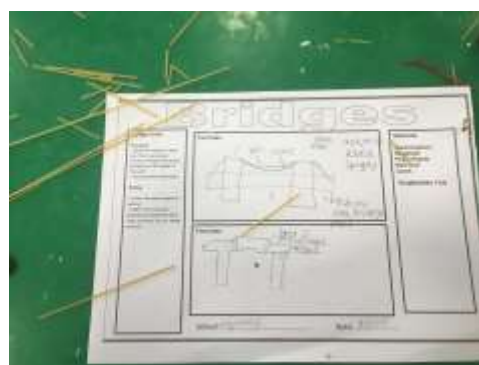


"I am so proud to have won Highwood's Sportswoman of the Year 2016/2017. I was in absolute shock at being nominated and winning." Rosie, Year 6.



Challenge Cup - Managed by Mr Liam Willimott

Highwood recently competed in the last two events of the Challenge Cup for this year. One event was based around Physical Education and the other, Design and Technology. Highwood finished 2nd in the final event, which meant that they gained an extra 2 points and finished the year as joint winners of this year's Challenge Cup!



"We had to build a bridge out of spaghetti, marshmallows and strawberry laces. It was so good coming 2nd on the day and 1st overall." Cian, Year 3.



"During our challenge we were asked to create a new drill for the Olympic Sport of Handball. It was tough but we really enjoyed taking part." Jack, Year 6.

