

Sports Report WC 6th Feb 2023

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U13 Netball Tournament



At the start of the week, the U13 team went to Roundhay School for a netball league tournament. They had a really tough group to managed but played some great netball throughout. Each half the girls swapped positions and played different combinations to try to get a run on the opposition. When the girls controlled the play and started to use the space, they were able to get the ball to circle edge and increase the number of opportunities at goal.

In defence, every player worked hard and stayed close to their opposition players. This helped to gain possession of the ball more often and again, increased the opportunities to score. The next steps to work on in practice is to lift the ball high to stop the opposition being able to get arms over the ball. This will also help to move the ball down court more smoothly and accurately. Overall, the U13 team developed throughout the afternoon and each game improved key skills to increase their success.

Miss Jade Preston

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U14 Basketball v North Leeds Tournament
Gateways 51-43 Allerton High



The U14s turned in another superb performance to maintain their unbeaten run. This team have yet to lose a basketball match in their own age category and they play the kind of basketball that LeBron James would be proud of!

They will look forward to their next match with expectation and rightly so - well done!

Mr Simon Scholfield

Tuesday 7th February 2023

U15 Hockey v Silcoates

Gateways 3 -1 Silcoates



The U15s played, possibly, the most perfect game of their Gateways careers in a match where everything seemed to click. For this group, it's been hard to forge a pathway to success as they've grown with the school but Tuesday night's performance was the culmination of all their hard work.

Going 1-0 down against the run of play, they boys could have let their heads go down however, this wasn't the case. An equalising goal from their talismanic captain, Jamie was followed quickly by a second. They didn't let their standards slip in the second half and a third goal was the icing on the cake for this great bunch of lads.

Finding form is one thing. Now they need to keep that form and self belief and carry it into their next sequence of matches.

For now though, enjoy the victory and be proud of your efforts!

Mr Simon Scholfield

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U13AB Hockey v GSAL

U13A - Lost 0-7

U13AB - Drew 1-1



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Two spirited performances and ones that they'll learn a great deal from.

For the A team, the first half was a baptism of fire as the more experienced opposition gave Gateways the run-around. Our boys are resilient though, and rather than losing heart, they learned from the first half mistakes and grew into the game. But for the brilliance of the GSAL goalkeeper, Gateways could have netted 3 or 4 goals of their own.

The B team performed superbly well and dominated much of their encounter. The final piece to the jigsaw however, was often lacking and that would cost them the victory in the end.

Well done to all the boys who took part!

Mr Simon Scholfield

