



DEVIZES SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Pupil's Name: _____ Tutor Group _____

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Devizes School Website: www.devizes.wilts.sch.uk

DATES FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Wednesday 28th January

7.00p.m. - Devizes School Parent Group Meeting

Thursday 29th January

7.00p.m. - Prospective Sixth Form Parents' Evening

GIRLS FOOTBALL vs ABBEYFIELDS

Tuesday 13th January

Yr 7 1-1 Draw
Yr 8 5-0 Lost
Yr 9 3-1 Lost

Special thanks to Dan Bull, Dan Kingsbury and David Flower for refereeing. A good turn out by all the girls involved, with the year 7 girls leading 1-0 for most of a very close match. Year 8's and 9's battled well with Paula Forrester scoring the only goal.

The next football match is in February vs St. John's. Practices are on Tuesday nights 3.30 - 4.45p.m. and Friday Lunchtime in the Sports Hall.

See you there
Miss Cradock

LANGUAGE CONFERENCE

On Monday January 19th, 8 year 11's went to John Bentley School, Calne to spend the day finding out about learning languages.

We tried speaking Welsh, Russian, Italian and Malay. We tried flamenco dancing and tropical 'Jack Fruit' and found out about why language and communications skills will be so important to our future careers.

We heard about the travel experiences of some Bath University Students, who between them had been all over the world.

We had a great day, but had to eventually say 'Arrivederci', 'Salamat Tingaal', 'Dasvedanya' and 'Hwyl'.

E.C. Auty

FIXTURE LISTS 2004

Date	Sport	Year	Home/Away
2/2/04	Netball v St. Mary's	Yr 10 A & B	Home (SPH)
4/2/04	Hockey v St. Mary's	Yr 7 & 9	Home (ATP)
24/2/04	Girls' Football v St.	Yr 7 & 8	Home (ATP)
28/2/04	Hockey Tournament	Yr 9	Away @ Corsham 9.15am start
2/3/04	Hockey Netball v Hardenhuish	Yr 7, 8 & 9 Yr 10 & 11	Away @ Hardenhuish
9/3/04	Hockey v St. John's	Yr 7, 8 & 9	Away @ Stedman
10/3/04	Hockey	Yr 7, 8 & 9	Home
18/3/04	Hockey	Yr 7, 8 & 9	Away @
20/3/04	Netball Tournament	Yr 10	Away @ Sheldon
22/3/04	Netball	Yr 10 A & B	Away @ St.
24/3/04	Hockey Tournament	Yr 7	Home ATP
25/3/04	Hockey	Yr 7, 8 & 9	Home v Sheldon



BASKETBALL U13 TIDWORTH TOURNAMENT

Sunday 18th January 2004

The U13 Bombers played 3 games.

The first game was against Salisbury. The game started off with the other team scoring from the off, but this did not stop the girls from replying almost at once. The game was level up to the last quarter - 8 all and then the Bombers put the pressure on and won the game 20-12.

Scorers: Kate Godber 2 pts, Lisa Trowbridge 2 pts, Catherine Dillon 2 pts, Georgina Hollis 8 pts, Fran Hartley 6pts.

Second game against Olympiad Flickers was a hard game. Two things went against them from the start, one of the girls had injured themselves and the other was to play against taller opponents. The Bombers never dropped there heads and kept going.

Scorer: Hannah Butcher 2 pts

The third Game was played with a lot of spirit and determination knowing that they had just played one game and lost and now had to play another game with one injured and being exhausted. They won the game 20 - 4.

Scorers: Lisa Trowbridge 2 pts, Hannah Butcher 8 pts, Georgina Hollis 2 pts, Fran Hartley 8 pts.

Team: Georgina Hollis (capt), Hannah Butcher, Catherine Dillon, Lisa Trowbridge, Fran Hartley, Katie Godber.

A very good performance by all.

U15 Girls Basketball

Andrea Rutt and Rachel Pearson had been picked to play for Wiltshire at Taunton on Sunday 18th January. The tournament comprised on 3 other teams, Somerset, Devon and Hampshire. Wiltshire won all 3 games and now move on to London to play there, sometime in February.

DEVIZES SCHOOL 5 - ST. JOSEPHS 1

After a nervous first 10 minutes from Devizes, which saw St. Josephs dominating possession and having the better chances on goal, Devizes settled down and started passing the ball well. A well worked one-two from **Chris Allen** and **Daniel Sloan** saw Allen through on goal, only to have his shot well saved by the St. Josephs goal keeper, with the ball re-bouncing off the bar. After this, Devizes had some good chances, which finally saw the opening goal from **Daniel Sloan**. 1-0 soon became 2, when some good link up play between **Patrick Preece** and **Daniel Sloan** saw Preece tap in the second from 6 yards. Five minutes from half-time, Allen had made it 3-0 from the penalty spot. St. Josephs replied well though and 5 minutes later it was 3-1, with a great goal from the St. Josephs striker, which left keeper, **Roger Wiltshire** helpless. Devizes sealed the win with two good finishes from **Daniel Sloan** and **Michael Hamlen**.

It was a good team performance from all of the boys and hopefully we can build on it.

Team: Matthew Penfold, Roger Wiltshire, Tim Roberts, Michael Hamlen, Jamie Lawrence, Tom Perkins, Simon Oliver, Guy Perrit, Pat Preece, Jamie Selby, Luke Hopper, Ashley Grover, Daniel Sloan and Chris Allen

Chris Allen 10KER

DEVIZES SATURDAY MORNING BASKETBALL CLUB

9 am - 12pm in the Sports Hall

Session One (Under 11 Group) 9am – 10.30am

The cost for the extended session will be £3.00 per child OR you may wish to pay for the whole term (10 sessions) @ £27.50. This is a saving of £2.75 for the term.

N.B. Two children from the same family = £50 per term.

Please make cheques payable to: 'Devizes Junior Basketball Club'.

DIARY DATES:

Saturday 24th January Sat. am. Club

Saturday 31st January Sat. am. Club

Saturday 7th February Sat. am. Club

SUNDAY 8TH FEBRUARY UNDER 11/13 TOURNAMENT

TIDWORTH

Saturday 14th February Sat. am. Club

HALF TERM

Saturday 28th February Sat. am. Club

Saturday 6th March Sat. am. Club

Saturday 13th March Sat. a., Club

SUNDAY 14TH MARCH UNDER 11/13 TOURNAMENT

TIDWORTH

Saturday 20th March Sat. am. Club

N.B.

Devizes Leisure Centre is not available on Saturday 27th March.

NO session on Saturday 3rd April due to Easter holidays.

Easter Basketball Camp for 7 – 11's and 12 – 17's, dates and venue to be confirmed.

Thank you for supporting your child as he/she begins to develop new skills through the dynamic game of basketball.

For our club to continue to grow, we need parent volunteers, especially on tournament days, so don't be shy in coming forth.

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FANTASY FOOTBALL

The second transfer window of the season opened on Monday. The window lasts until 4pm on Monday 2nd February. During this time, you will be able to make up to 4 changes to your team via your team page on the website. You will need a new password to do this, which you should have received via your registers. A number of new players have been added to the player list since the close of the last transfer window and you'll be able to pick these if you choose.

There have been a lot of games recently and several managers have started to establish their positions at the top of their respective leagues.

In the overall school league, **Conor McEniry** (7SMG) still leads the way with 162 points. He is 7 points clear of Luke Sutton (10KML) who has 155 points, with **Kimberley Sainsbury** (9SYB) 2 points further behind with 153 points. The individual year leagues are as follows:-

Year 7

Position	Manager Name	Form	Points
1 st	Conor McEniry	7SMG	162
2 nd	Kieren Chivers	7SMG	132
3 rd	Danny Vallis	7HLC	130

Year 8

1 st	Alex Hams & Dan Fear	8DXN	153
2 nd	Chris Webb	8JYR	148
3 rd	Wayne House	8AJA	147

Year 9

1 st	Kimberley Sainsbury	9SYB	153
2 nd	Lucas Clements	9SYB	148
3 rd	Thomas Godleman	9TJW	141

Year 10

1 st	Luke Sutton	10KML	155
2 nd	Chris Kinch	10SNG	136
3 rd	Paul Herring		136

Year 11

1 st	Philip Hardy	11CJM	152
2 nd	Rob & Steve	11NAM	140
3 rd	Delvin Keane	11GXH	136

Year 12

1 st	Simon Cook	12EJH	135
2 nd	Simon Cook	12EJH	122
3 rd	David Webb	12DOR	95

Year 13

1 st	Andrew Webster	13DOR	148
2 nd	Mark Camacho	13DOR	112
3 rd	Tom Campbell	13DOR	108

Staff

1 st	Mrs Lucas	143	
2 nd	Master Trowbridge		138
3 rd	Mr Woodman	136	

Devizes School currently lies 57th in the region and 501st nationally - not quite as good as last year! Manager of the week, this week was **Paul Herring** with 21 Premiership points.

We also have an FA Cup competition running alongside our league competition. The current leader of this is **Tristan Williams** (one of our two year 6 competitors). He has 31 points, as does **Mr Hammond** and **Philip Hardy**. They are closely followed by **Matthew Tilley**, who has 30 points.

