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Mrs A Villalobos

JUDO

At the weekend, four pupils from Devizes School participated in the National Championships in Stoke-on-Trent. The results were as follows.

Rachel McCullar and

Charlotte Giles

Bronze

Kevin Ottaway and

Laura McCullar

4th Place

Everybody fought really well and were competing against some of the best in the Country, so well done!



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Dates for your diary.....

NOVEMBER

18th Ski Trip Meeting
7.00pm

24th Governors' Meeting
6.30pm

25th Year 12 & 13 Parents' Consultation Evening
4.00—6.00pm

DECEMBER

10th Year 7 Christmas Fair

16th Carol Concert
St. John's Church

17th Last Day of Term 2

Puzzle a Week!

1. STRAY () TRIP
2. CHAT () SOCK
3. BRAIN () PLOT
4. SPOIL () SOON
5. SMELL () SEAR
6. FAIR () LUNCH
7. STAIID () MORAL
8. WHEAT () FATHER

Choose one letter from each of the words in the left-hand column which will still leave a word and, when put in the right-hand column, will form a new word. Write that letter in the center column. When finished, the center column will spell a word.

Solution will be in the next issue.

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YR 7 & 8 - 7-A-SIDE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

On Wednesday 24th November the above tournament will be held on Devizes School ATP.

This was started last year and has been hailed as a success.

Why was it a success?

- Keen enthusiastic football players.
- Enthusiastic scorers, referees and coaches.

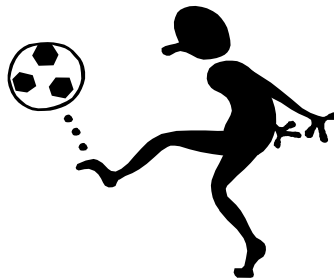
All the scorers, referees and coaches were all older pupils from Devizes School, could this be you?

To make this year's tournament even more of a success, I need Volunteers!
Voluntary hours may be used

towards vocational awards. Please sign your name up on the JSLA board in the PE corridor and see **Miss Cradock** a.s.a.p.

Further opportunities this month include helping on Saturday 27th November with the Year 7 Rugby Tournament held at Devizes School. See **Mr Hammond**.

Miss Cradock



YEAR 11 HOCKEY

Devizes 0 - Abbeyfields 3
Everybody played well; we may even get a goal this year!

Team: Annie Campbell (Capt), Harriet Stevens, Becki Lawton, Gemma Edwards, Maxine Freeman, Serena Matthews, Sonya Brooks, Danielle Dunford, Chloe Balmer, Tracey Barnes, Ayesha Amor, Amelia Maxwell-Scott.
Well done to Ayesha - Woman of the Match!

Annie Campbell 11DJG

YEAR 8 (A & B) NETBALL TOURNAMENT AT MALMESBURY

On Saturday November 6th, Devizes School A & B netball teams went to Malmesbury for a tournament .

Taking part were:

Hardenhuish, St. Mary's, Malmesbury and St. Johns' to name but a few.

The B team played very well despite the wet, slippery conditions and some rather harsh refereeing.

Unfortunately, the B team did not win any games and came in sixth place, but we all had fun anyway!

Team: **Alice Perkins, Katie Gale, Rebecca Noyes, Emma Nolan, Kayleigh Shergold** and **Gemma Lane**.

The B team had a slow start and lost their first game but grew stronger and won their next two matches. They then drew on a very even game against John Bentley and overall came 4th out of 8 teams. They played very well with excellent defence from Goalkeeper.

Team: **Rachel Hogan, Benitia Wright, Natasha Whitbread, Zoe Barnes, Georgie Wells, Laura Gee** and **Sarah Nash**.

Well played!

"unfortunately the B team did not win any games, but we all had fun anyway!"

Benitia Wright

YEAR 7, 8 AND 9 NETBALL AGAINST ABBEYFIELDS

Year 7 Match Report:

Everyone played really well. Both shooters, **Stephanie Greenidge** and **Monet Skinner**, scored lots of goals and had a really good game. Everything practiced in training, was used to make us play a better game. Miss Dunhill coached us well throughout the game and kept us playing well.

Abbeyfields were a good team and we hope to play them again. Well done to all and lets keep up our unbeaten record!

Final Score: 16-5 to Devizes

Stephanie Bridewell & Alice O'Brien

Year 8 Match Report:

The whole team played really well making some fantastic interceptions. Good marking throughout by **Benitia Wright** and excellent shooting by **Laura Gee** and **Sarah Nash**. Good teamwork throughout the game, reflecting an excellent final score of 11-4 to Devizes.

Hope they play as well on Saturday!

Final Score: 11-4 to Devizes

Hannah Withers

Year 9 Match Report:

The whole team played excellently, great work by **Hannah Butcher**, scoring all six goals. Good marking by **Flora Camacho**, **Clare Balmer** and **Stephanie Edwards**, preventing the attack from getting too much of the ball. Excellent play throughout by **Jessica Gunn Taylor**, **Bryony Hutchings** and **Becci Chemiczewski** in the center court. Captain **Clare Balmer** kept the team in order and focused throughout. Also good work by **Amber Davies** and **Jade Linsley** with consistent good play. Close game throughout, although we lost 10-6, but well done all.

Louise Ellis - (Team mascot until recovered from injury!)

U13 GIRLS' BASKETBALL

On Sunday November 7th the girls played two games, one against South Wilts Grammar School and the other against St. Edmunds. Both games allowed us to try a different combination of players, putting on the same 5 players for the first and third quarters and the other 5 on for the second and fourth. This allowed for equal time for the girls on the court. Each group of players worked hard with good combinations of passes and shots. Also doing it this way allowed 5 of the players to rest before they went on to do Wiltshire training in the afternoon.

A slow start to all our matches so far, which seems to be the norm and then to press on later in the games. Both games were won.

Devizes 36 v 8 SWGS

Scored: E Manterfield 2pts, F Bird 4pts, C Dillon 14pts, M Nash 2pts, E Blake 2pts, Z Barnes 10pts, B Wright 2 pts.

Devizes 36 v 6 St. Edmunds

Scored: E Manterfield 2pts, F Bird 8pts, C Dillon 10pts, A Longo 2pts, E Blake 2pts, Z Barnes 2pts, B Wright 10pts.

Team: Catherine Dillon (Capt), Benitia Wright, Ellie Blake, Zoe Barnes, Meghan Nash, Amy Longo, Elizabeth Manterfield, Lisa Trobridge, Florance Bird and Maddie Hollis.

John Pearson (Coach)

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