



Active @ Holywell

Summer 2025

MOVE & THRIVE

On a beautiful sunny morning in April, 19 children from Year 1 & Year 2 had a fantastic time playing games on the field including: Ghostbusters, Stuck in the Mud, Fruit Salad, Bulldog and Dodgeball. They had lots of fun being active and working together as a team.



Our KS2 Move and Thrive morning was held on a lovely Summer's morning. We played lots of fun games including Jail Tag, Hula Hut Smashdown, Pacman and Hide and Seek It. The children were wonderful working together and having fun being active!

SPORTS DAYS

We had a wonderful sports morning in June, with the children working in their coloured teams to complete the carousel of activities. Big thanks to everyone who came to support the children and also to Mr Turner and Year 6 for designing and preparing all the stations.



The following day the sun was shining again on our afternoon of races. The children competed in a range of races including the sprint, sack race, relay, 3-legged and slow bike race. Thank you again for all the support and congratulations to all the children for their fantastic racing!



CLUBS

Year 1 Ballsports Club— After the Easter holidays, some of the Year 1 children attended the Ballsports Club. We played a range of different games including dodgeball, basketball and football. The children learnt some new skills and had fun playing together.

Reception Multi-Skills Club— In the last half term it was finally Willow's turn to have an after school sports club. We had so much fun playing a variety of games including: Ice and sun; silly bananas, sharks and fishes, square catch and monkeys and lions.

Girls' Football After School Club—We are so grateful to Kirsty Robinson for running this club for the KS2 girls. They are getting better and better!

Primary Sports Stars KS2 Cricket Club — Thank you to PSS for providing the KS2 children with the Cricket Club for the Summer term.

Primary Sports Stars KS2 Dodgeball Club—Thank you to PSS for providing the KS2 children with the Dodgeball Club for the Summer term.

Primary Sports Stars KS1 Multi-Sports Club — Thank you to PSS for providing Year 1 & Year 2 children with the Multi-Sports Club in the Summer term.

Youth Dreams Project KS1 Football Club—Thank you to YDP for providing KS1 children with a football club after school in the Summer term.

KS1 Tennis Club — During Wednesday lunchtimes the children have had the opportunity to practice their tennis skills with Miss Tyers.

KS2 Tennis Club — During Thursday lunchtimes the children have had the opportunity to practice their tennis skills with Miss Tyers.

Year 5 & 6 Netball Club—Netball club is going from strength to strength, with the children playing some awesome netball! Fantastic shooting and passing skills—well done everyone for your commitment.

Yoga Club— Thank you to Verity for continuing to offer Yoga club to our children on Thursday lunchtimes.

PE POINTS—SUMMER TERM

Big congratulations to the following children who were awarded the most PE Points in their class this term: Ash: Hattie Elm: Felix, Lily Oak: Josh Holly: Molly Beech: Isla Cedar: Jamie, Nathan, Dharma. Below is a picture of Elm class (and 2 of the wonderful Young Leaders) enjoying their PE activities when their class won the weekly PE points.





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FESTIVALS AND TOURNAMENTS

We have had a busy Summer term with lots of children attending festivals, tournaments and competitions. A big thank you to the Hunts Schools Sports Partnership (HSSP), Youth Dreams Project (YDP) and Huntingdon District Primary Schools Football Association (HDPSFA) for putting on many of these fantastic events. Also thank you to all the parents who have helped with transport to these events.

Year 6 NFL Flag Football Tournament

In our first competition of the term, we took 7 Year 6 children to One Leisure St Ives to compete in the NFL Flag Football Tournament. We played 4 games of 20 minutes each and won two of them! The children worked so well together both in offence and defence, scoring lots of touchdowns! Special mention to Ky who was voted the Most Valuable Player and Randall who was voted the Player's Player. Big thank you to Dave Clarke for his help supporting this event.



Year 1 & 2 Girls' Football Festival



On a very hot and sunny April morning, we took 19 Year 1 & Year 2 girls to a football festival at the One Leisure St Ives Outdoor Centre. The girls took part in lots of fun football activities and even had a match together! Well done to all of them!

Year 3 & 4 Orienteering Festival

In early May, we took 9 Year 3 and Year 4 children to Hinchingsbrooke House gardens for the annual Orienteering Festival. The venue provided a beautiful backdrop for the event which included many fun activities including: Maze Fun; Funny Faces; Garden Orienteering and Gutter Racing. The children's map reading skills improved so much and it was a really fun afternoon—well done everyone!



Year 3 & 4 Tri-Golf Festival

On a beautiful sunny afternoon, we took 15 Year 3 & 4 children to Hinchingsbrooke House gardens for the annual Tri-Golf Festival. The children took part in lots of fun golfing activities including: Chip to the green; putting for points and nearest the pin. Over the course of the festival the children improved so much and enjoyed trying something a bit different. Well done to them all!



Walter's Cup 1/4 Final

In May, our Walter's Cup team consisting of Year 3 –Year 5 children took on Bushmead Primary School in the quarter final of the cup. The first half was super close with Bushmead taking a lead of 1–0 into the second half. The children played some fantastic attacking football and were unlucky not to score more goals. The final score was 4- 1 to Bushmead. All the children played their hearts out and represented Holywell brilliantly! Congratulations to all the children and a special mention to Jude, Harris and Max who were nominated players of the match.





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'A' Team Football Tournament

On a rather wet and soggy afternoon, we took the 'A' Team football squad to Alconbury Primary School for the Summer Tournament. We played against St Helen's Primary School, Alconbury Primary School and Roundhouse Primary School. Mr Turner reported that it was the best he had seen the 'A' team play and we came away with 1 win and 2 losses (but both just by 1-0) Well done to everyone!

Girls' 'A' Team Football Friendly—Winners!

In June the Holywell Girls' 'A' Team played Huntingdon Primary school in a friendly match. The girls were solid in defence and showed some fantastic passing and dribbling skills. Big thanks to Leah who offered to go in goal for the match. The final score was 2-1 to Holywell so big congratulations to them. Also a massive thank you to Kirsty for coaching the girls.



Year 6 Mixed Dynamo Cricket Competition

On a blustery June day we took 10 Year 6 children to One Leisure St Ives for a day of cricket competition. We played 4 competitive matches and came away with 2 wins and 2 losses which put us 5th place out of 9 schools. There was some fantastic, bowling, fielding and batting with lots of wickets and literally 100s of runs! Many congratulations to all the children for supporting each other and playing their best cricket. Special mention to Jamie who was voted Players' Player and to Louisa who was voted Coaches' player.



'B' Team Football Tournament

We took 9 boys and girls from Years 4-6 to Alconbury Primary School to take part in the 'B' Team football tournament. We played Alconbury Primary School and Wheatfields Primary School twice. We drew 2 games and lost 2 games. Mr Turner reported that the children played some great football and we were super proud that we had so many girls on our team! Well done to you all!

KS2 Panathlon Swimming Gala—2nd Place!

On a hot and sunny day (perfect for swimming!) we took 5 KS2 children to the first ever KS2 Panathlon Swimming Gala in Huntingdonshire at Melbourn Village College. The children took part in lots of different races including: Sprinting, Treasure Hunt, Relays, Raft Race and Slam Dunk. They were all amazing, encouraging each other and came in 2nd place! Each child received a silver medal and a certificate. Many congratulations to: Jasper, Jack B, George C, Violet and Charlie B.



Year 5 / 6 Girls' Cricket Tournament

On a lovely June afternoon, we took 11 Year 5 and 6 girls to the cricket tournament at Eaton Socon Cricket Club—a fabulous venue! We played 3 matches, with the girls improving throughout the day. The girls also got the opportunity to practice bowling and batting in the cricket nets which definitely helped in honing their skills! We won 1 match and lost 2 (1 by 1 run!). Many congratulations to all of them for their team spirit and enthusiasm!



Year 3 / 4 Mixed Cricket Festival

On a very hot July afternoon, we took 10 Year 3 and 4 children to the cricket festival at Ramsey Cricket Club—a wonderful venue! The children played 3 friendly matches against other schools and showed some wonderful cricketing skills! Lots of runs, wickets and catches! Congratulations to them all!





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Year 1 & Year 2 Mini-Olympics

On a gorgeous sunny morning we took 18 Year 1 & 2 children to the Mini Olympics Festival at Abbey College, Ramsey. The children took part in Olympics sports including: cricket, rugby, golf, javelin, hurdles and sprinting. They were all fabulous and worked really well together—congratulations everyone!

Year 5 NFL Flag Football Festival

For our last sporting event of the year, we took all of our Year 5 pupils to the NFL Flag Football Festival at One Leisure St Ives Outdoor Centre. The children took part in a carousel of Flag Football activities including: End Ball, Beat the Defender, Down, Set Hut Relay, Running Back Sprint and NFL Bulldog. The children were fantastic and had fun improving their Flag Football Skills. Well done everyone!

Year 6 Young Leaders

Wimbledon Trip

This year we have had 8 Year 6 Young Leaders who have been absolutely fabulous in providing the younger children with Active Lunchtimes throughout the year. We were able to take them on a fantastic trip to Wimbledon as Miss Fabisz managed to secure 10 tickets. We had the most wonderful day together watching the tennis, navigating the London Underground and even getting on TV! Big thank you to the children for all their efforts this year: Ella, Holly, Gracie, George, Lucas, Jamie, Bruce and Alex.

