



Boldon PE and Sport Faculty

***Spring Term Newsletter
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Y8 Jr NBA Basketball

A first outing for our brand new Y8 Jr NBA Boldon Cavaliers. We played against St Aidan's, Castle View and Lord Lawson and beat all 3 teams! A great night for our young lads and exciting times ahead!



U13 Girls Handball

A fantastic experience for our U13 girls and a first time representing the school for some of our squad. The results didn't go our way however the leadership, enthusiasm and togetherness the girls demonstrated bodes well for future competitions.



U15 Girls Handball

🏆 Silver for our U15 Girls Handball 🏆

Our U15 girls handball team claim second place in what was a very competitive South of Tyne competition at Temple Park. We played extremely well, especially when defending however fell short to a highly skilled Thorpe Academy team. The girls' attitudes and energy were exemplary.



U14 Boys Basketball



Our U14s have done it again! After reaching the South of the Tyne finals before Christmas, the lads have only gone on and won the whole thing! Unbeaten in the South Tyneside and Gateshead CVLs and unbeaten in the South of the Tyne Finals night. It's incredible to see how much these lads have progressed as players and humble young men. We now progress into the Tyne and Wear finals in March which is going to be played at the Vertu Motors Arena.

UpTheGrizzlies!



Wednesday 20th March - Tyne and Wear Boys

Basketball U14 Finals

Our U14 lads participated in the Tyne and Wear U14 Basketball finals day at the Vertu Motors Arena in Newcastle.

We progressed into this stage of the competition without losing a game all year therefore our confidence and morale was high.

10 schools represented Tyne and Wear, separated into 2 groups. Winners of each group would then play each other in the final.

Winning the first 3 games in our group, it came down to the last game against Emmanuel College where we had to win to progress into the final against the other group winners. The lads showed exceptional skill, tactical knowledge but more importantly, togetherness, and ended up beating a very talented, well-drilled Emmanuel College.

It was St Aidan's who we met in the final but unfortunately, we ran out of steam and they proved to have a lot more experience than we did, winning 13-8. Boldon never stopped working for each other right up until the final whistle.

We are so proud of these boys and how far they have come over the last 18 months despite very little training and experience.

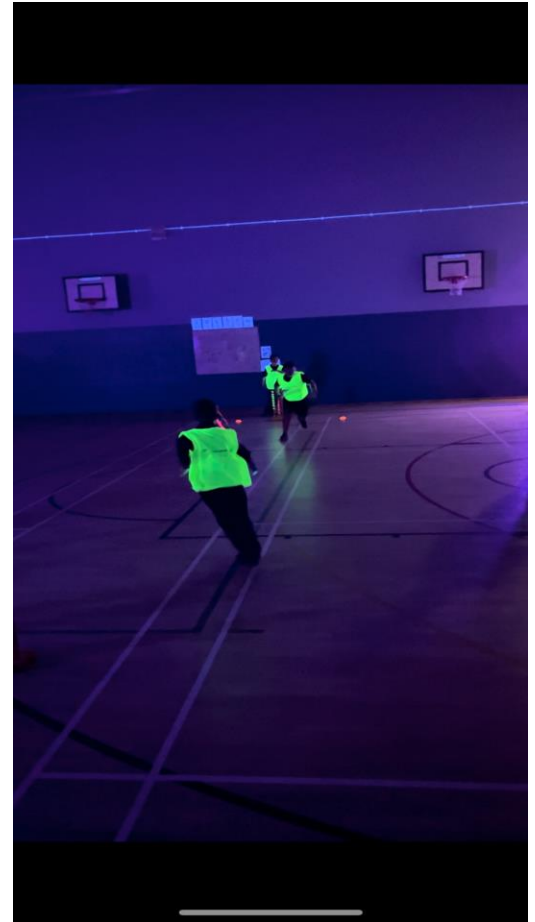
A massive shout out to Tyler who helped us progress into the finals day but sadly couldn't be with us due to an injury.



Glow in the Dark Cricket

Durham Cricket have given us a great opportunity to participate in and promote cricket through their new initiative of 'Glow in the Dark Cricket'.

Andrew, one of Durham's coaches, has been in and delivered some fantastic and engaging cricket sessions where students have developed basic fielding, bowling and batting skills and then have had a chance to apply their skills into games of Glow in the Dark Cricket.



Year 8 Rugby



The Year 8 Rugby team participated in a round robin tournament at Park View. They played 4 games against experienced opposition and finished the day undefeated. They are currently undefeated in their last 2 tournaments. Well done boys!!!

Years 7 and 8 Netball

The Year 7s and 8s have started the South Tyneside League playing against St Wilfred's and Harton.

Boldon Green 0 - 5 St Wilfred's

Boldon Blue 4 - 5 St Wilfred's

Boldon Red 0 - 4 St Wilfred's

Boldon Blues 3 - 3 Harton

Boldon Greens 2 - 5 Harton

Well done to all those involved.



Leadership Academy

Our four Year 9 leadership academy students took part in the South Tyneside Panathlon event at Temple Park. This gave the students the experience leading SEND exclusive sports to primary school students. The students showed excellent leadership qualities throughout.

Duke of Edinburgh

A fantastic evening to share with 19 of our Year 11 students, who were successful in achieving their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Award. The students received their award from two representatives from the Duke of Edinburgh Award.

A huge congratulations and well done to all involved!



Year 11 Football

Our Year 11 boys football team have built on their strong start to the season, they beat Whitburn CofE Academy to reach the South Tyneside Schools League Cup Final. This was a good performance despite very windy conditions.