

# School Games News –

June 2025

## The School Games Mark 24/25



The School Games Mark is a government-led awards scheme launched in 2012 to reward schools for their commitment to development of competition across their schools and into the community. Participating in this process allows schools to evaluate their PE provision and assists them in developing an action plan for future progress.

The School Games Mark for 2024/2025 academic year is now available to complete from **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May to Friday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2025.**

So far.....

Windsor Olympus Academy have achieved GOLD

St John Wall Catholic School have achieved GOLD

Oasis Academy Woodview have achieved GOLD

Grestone Academy have achieved SILVER

Hamstead Hall have achieved BRONZE

St Marys C of E Primary and Nursery, Academy Handsworth have achieved GOLD

Barford Primary have achieved GOLD

Nelson Junior and Infant School have achieved SILVER

Oasis Boulton have achieved GOLD

Nishkam Primary School have achieved GOLD

Cherry Orchard Primary School have achieved GOLD

Holyhead School have achieved GOLD

## Tennis Festival



KS2 Tennis festival held at Windsor Olympus as an inspire and engage event.

Thank you for attending:

- Oasis Foundry
- Nishkam Primary
- The Oratory Primary

## Athletics Festival

KS2 Athletics festival held at Holyhead with the support of their Level 3 sport - sixth form leaders.

Competitive event including track and field events. Perfect opportunity for students to show off their skills and gain medals.

Thank you for attending:

- Dorrington Academy
- Summerfield Primary
- St James CoE Primary



### **Brownlee Foundation – Triathlon**

I just wanted to extend a heartfelt thank you to you and your students for attending today's Brownlee Triathlon at Handsworth Wellbeing Centre. It was a real pleasure to see so many young faces full of energy, excitement, and determination throughout the day!

The event was fantastically run and truly inclusive designed so that every student, regardless of their confidence in swimming, cycling, or scootering, could take part and shine. The effort and enthusiasm from your pupils made the whole atmosphere incredibly positive and inspiring.

Given the broad demographic of the local area, it's fantastic that so many students were able to access this opportunity and gain a meaningful and enjoyable experience in the sport of triathlon. We hope it sparks a lasting interest in staying active and trying new challenges.

### **KS3 Athletics - School Games @Wyndley**



### **Year 8 Girls**

**1<sup>st</sup> - King Edward Handsworth Girls**

**2<sup>nd</sup> - Windsor Olympus**

**3<sup>rd</sup> - St John Wall**

**4<sup>th</sup> - Broadway Academy**

**5<sup>th</sup> - Heartlands Academy**  
**6<sup>th</sup> - Prince Albert High School**  
**7<sup>th</sup> - George Dixon**  
**8<sup>th</sup> - Hamstead Hall**

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### **Rounders Yr8**

Rounders tournaments for girls are on going this summer term. Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Yr8 girls played at Holyhead.

The team played fantastic in all matches and achieved first place medals, winning on the most amount of rounders scored.

1<sup>st</sup> Place – SJW

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – King Edwards Girls

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Aston Manor

4<sup>th</sup> Place – Holyhead School

5<sup>th</sup> Place – George Dixon Academy

### **KS3 Boys Astro Cricket League – Summer Term 2**

Yr7-9 boys have been taking part in a number of cricket matches as per school games cricket league.

1<sup>st</sup> match = SJW V Hamstead Hall – SJW lost

2<sup>nd</sup> match SJW V Windsor Olympus – SJW WON!

Well done boys keep up the good work!

### **Up and coming events – summer term - Primary & secondary**

#### **Primary**

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July - Yr5+6 Cricket Festival at St John Wall (B21 8HH)

Inspire Event - Aim to raise the aspirations of young people. Focus on engagement, competition or a blend of both. Wanting young people to feel inspired and enthused.

5 Schools MAX - 6 pupils per school.

Mixed gender, where possible an equal split. Please can we also ensure we priorities PP students and those on FSM.

## Secondary

### Rounders Tournaments

Year 7 – 7<sup>th</sup> July @King Edwards Hansworth Girls

Year 9 – 30<sup>th</sup> June @King Edwards Handsworth Girls

If you would like to represent SJW in any of the above events or would like to further develop your skills learnt within PE lesson this term please speak to a member of PE 😊

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