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D i a r y d a t e s

Monday 22 March

9.15am -10.45am Bikeability Level 2 - Tops

Tuesday 23 March

9.00am – 12.30 Little Bramley and Reception to Polka Theatre

9.15am -10.45am Bikeability Level 2 - Tops

4.00pm U11 & U10 Hockey vs Sutton High (Away)

Wednesday 24 March

9.15am -10.45am Bikeability Level 2 - Tops

6.00pm Instrumental Concert

Thursday 25 March

9.15am -10.45am Bikeability Level 2 - Tops

Friday 26 March

10.00am – 10.50am House Gymnastics and Y2 Cowboy Dance to Parents

Saturday 8 May

School Ball, Epsom Race Course

G e n e r a l I n f o r m a t i o n

Invitation for Year 2 Parents – Friday 26 March

On Friday 26 March, Year 2 parents are invited to come and watch Y2 House Gymnastics and their Cowboy dance from 10.00am – 10.50am.

Invitation for Year 6 Parents – Friday 26 March

On Friday 26 March, Year 6 parents are invited to come and watch House Gymnastics 2.50-3.50pm.

U7 & U8 Rounders and Athletics Club – Summer Term

Invitations have gone out to all Year 1 and 2 girls to attend Rounders and Athletics club. They will take place on Monday 3.45pm-4.30pm for U7 and Fridays 4.00pm-5.00pm for the U8's. There is no charge for these clubs but we do need to know numbers of girls wishing to participate. Please could you return slips to the office by Monday 22 March to ensure we have sufficient numbers for the clubs to take place.

Netball Tournament - Seaton House 'Gladman Netball Tournament'

On Saturday 13 March, the U11's played in the Seaton House 'Gladman' Netball Tournament. They had a tough section and lost 0-5 to Sutton High and 3-9 to Seaton House. Bramley beat St Elpheges 4-1 and St David's 5-2. The girls played some excellent netball against tough opposition. Seaton House went on to win the tournament overall and Bramley came 6th out of 10 schools. Thank you to everyone who came and supported the girls on the day.

Netball Bramley vs Greenacre - Away

On Monday 15 March, the U9 netballers played against Greenacre. They played in the sports hall so that they could use the correct height goalposts. The girls played with four of the U8 team and they played well together. Gabi Shea and Sofia Simioni passed well in the circle and by half time Bramley were winning 2-0. Despite good defending and a number of shots in the second half, we couldn't add to our total and the Greenacre girls came back to make the score 2-1 by full time. Thank you to all the mums who assisted with transport to and from the match.

Netball Bramley vs Greenacre – Home

On Tuesday 16 March, the U11 & U10 netball teams played against Greenacre at home. The U10's had a tough match and were losing 0-6 at the end of the first half. The girls played a much better second half against excellent opposition, well done to Rosie Odell for some great interceptions and a big thank you to Ella Worsfold for stepping in to shoot at the last minute. Greenacre eventually won 12-3.

The U11's also had a tough match, but really pulled it together in the second half with some excellent defence, particularly from Mia Hill. Well done to the whole team for a 6-6 draw.

Netball Bramley vs Micklefield – Away

On Wednesday 17 March, the U10 and U9 Netball teams played against Micklefield. Bramley's U10 fought hard against a strong Micklefield team but were beaten 2-8. Well done to Olivia Westland and Rosie Odell for scoring the goals and also to Isobel Galloway and Georgia Curry for some great defending. Thanks to all the parents for their support. The U9's also had an incredibly tough match against a strong team and although some good passes were made Bramley lost 0-10.

Epsom College Netball Workshop

Report by Siana Dennis

On Thursday, Amy Battinson, Claire Hunt, Olivia Westland and myself, Siana Dennis went to Epsom College to meet Karen Atkinson, the England Netball Co-Captain. Karen taught us how to dodge and pass the ball, and she shared some useful tips with us. We had a delicious lunch and Karen gave each of us a ball she had signed along with a goody bag from Epsom College. We all had a fantastic day (including our mums). Thank you Mrs Baxter for letting us go.

Cross Country Event

Girls from Yrs 4-6 attended our first cross country event at Greenacre against four other schools; Greenacre, City of London Freeman's, Sutton High and Oakhurst Grange. The U11 team Claire Hunt, Katie Thompson and Rhianna Hyde came 3rd and were the most successful team. Best performances came from Claire Hunt (7th out of 30 runners), Siana Dennis (10th) and Olivia Westland (11th). All the girls did extremely well on a challenging course. Everyone enjoyed themselves and many thanks to Ms Carol Kelly for taking the girls and organising them on the day and for taking cross country club in the early mornings at Bramley.

House Cross Country

Well done to all girls in Years 1-6 for competing so brilliantly in the House Cross Country this week. Results to be announced next week.

Tops Soirée

Tops delighted their parents and staff with their Soirée performance of 'A day in the Life of a Bramley Girl' in which full audience participation was required. The evening ended with wine and canapés. Congratulations to the girls in Tops for a lovely evening. Thanks to Mrs Phillips, Mrs Coombes and Mr Smith who assisted the girls with their performance.

Scholastic Book Club

It's not too late to place your orders from the Easter Scholastic Book Club catalogue, which has been distributed. To celebrate World Book Day 2010 they are accepting World Book Tokens to count towards the cost of any orders made before the 30 April. The catalogues are packed with great books and stationery packs and make ideal presents for children and adults alike. Remember a percentage of all orders go towards purchasing books for Bramley's Library. Cheques are made payable to Scholastic Limited.

Sports Reminder

U7 (Yr 1) rounders club starts on the first day back after the Easter holidays, Monday 19 April

There is an U11 and U10 home rounders match on the first Tuesday back after the holidays: Tuesday 20th April. All clubs will take place in the first week back of the summer term.