Here at Bournemouth Park Academy we are committed to not only teaching and providing high quality PE lessons but also to involve the children in as many friendly and competitive competitions as our yearly calendar will allow. Below are all of the competitions, friendlies, league matches and new experiences we have taken part in during the second term of the year.
On Tuesday 9th January Mrs Brough and Mrs Starling took 15 children to Great Wakering Primary School to compete in a friendly cross country competition against them, Barling and Westerings. The children were fantastic. There was on average 12 children in each race. Fouad 3CW came 1st in the 3 boys race, Daksh 3CH 2nd in the year 3 boys, Maddie 3AC 3rd in the year 3 girls race, Zoe 4MK 3rd in the year 4 girls race, Ebony 3rd in the year 5 girls race, Aiden 5NG 2nd in the year 5 boys race, Adrija 6LC 1st in the year 6 girls race, Maryanne 6LC 2nd and Julia 3rd and Blake 6EW 2nd in the year 6 boys race. Children in years 3 & 4 ran approximately 900m and year 5 & 6 ran approximately 1500m.

On Thursday Mrs Brough took the year 3 & 4 girls football team to Len Forge to play in a competition. In the group stages the children beat Richmond 1-0, drew 1-1 against Chalkwell, beat Edwards Hall 1-0 and won against Porters Grange 2-0. This meant the children were runners up of their group and qualified for the super 10's. In the super 10's they won a game, drew 1 and lost 2. For their first competition together the girls played brilliantly and really worked hard together as a team. Fantastic goal keeping skills from Maddie 3AC.

On Wednesday 13th February the year 3/4 and 5/6 girls football teams went to Prince Avenue to play a friendly. The children fought hard for every ball and the older children won 13-0. Players of the match went to Chelsea 6LC and Millie 5NG. Year 3/4 won 6-4 with 2 great goals in the last 3 minutes. Player of the match went to Grace 4AC.

On Wednesday 6th March and Thursday 7th March, BPA were invited to be involved in a diving talent identification project where diving instructors from Garon’s Leisure Centre came in and taught each class in years 2 and 3. The instructors went through different skills with the children that would show them that they had the potential to be very good at diving. The children that showed the instructors real potential will receive letters inviting them to attend a diving club at the Leisure Centre.
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On Wednesday 27th February Bournemouth Park attended the KS1 Borough Cross Country competition at Garons Park. We entered a boys and girls team in year 1 and year 2. Both year groups had to run 1000m which was a long way for some of their little legs. There was over a hundred pupils in each race from 18 schools across the borough. The top four runners from each team count towards the final score. All the children enjoyed themselves and represented the school in a fantastic manner.

On Wednesday 13th March the Sitting Volleyball team were invited to play in the Essex Finals which is where they compete against the top 2 teams from schools across the 13 Essex partnerships as they had come 2nd in the Southend competition back in December. The morning started with some warm up activities and some ball familiarisation activities run by an ex Olympian sitting volleyball player. Chn then went on to win all the games in their pool before competing for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Chn then won against Milton Hall and drew against another school which put them in 1st place due to the scores from the game.

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On Wednesday 9th January the Yr5/6 basketball team competed in the Borough Tournament. Bournemouth Park were drawn in a league with Earls Hall, Fairways, Heycroft and Chalkwell. We beat Earls Hall 8-2 and Fairways 4-0 but lost to the other two schools. This placed us 3rd in the group progressing to the Super 10’s round. The four games in the Super 10’s round were all very close and we beat Greenways 2-0 and Temple Sutton 4-0 but narrowly lost 2-0 to Heycroft and Thorpedene. This resulted in a 4 way tie for 2nd place and we unfortunately finished 3rd due to the amount of points scored. The whole team played extremely well with strong performances from all players at different times on challenging narrow courts. They should excellent sportsmanship and behaviour throughout the tournament.

On Thursday 24th January the Table Tennis A team play against Westborough School. All the games played were very close in score and both schools won 4 matches each resulting in a draw. Each pupil played very well and showed excellent sportsmanship throughout.

On Tuesday 5th February the Yr5/6 Hockey team competed in the Borough Emerging competition. Bournemouth park were drawn in group B against Hamstel, Darlinghurst, Leigh North Street and Temple Sutton. We got started extremely well and beat Leigh North Street 4-0 and Darlinghurst 2-0. We then drew 1-1 against Hamstel and lost 2-1 to Temple Sutton in a very close game. All pupils played very well and showed excellent team spirit throughout.

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All the children run very well with several children finishes in the top 40. Year 1 Josiah B – 16th, Tom B – 34, Isla G – 21st, Phoebe W – 23rd and Ruby W – 29th.
On Monday 4th March Bournemouth Park entered the first of the big competitions of the year, Indoor Athletics. With a team mainly consisting of year 3s, everyone performed exceptionally well, especially the girls, winning the majority of their running races. Due to its new format of a morning group and an afternoon group our score from the morning will be put against the schools from the afternoon. Overall the boys are girls done very well and the PE department were very proud of their efforts, we finished 2nd for the morning group and just outside the top 3 overall.

On Tuesday 5th March is was the Year 5&6s turn for Indoor Athletics. Due to the Year 6s being on full SATs mode only Year 5s were selected for this event. For many of boys and girls this was their first experience of an Indoor Athletics competition, to which none of them let it knock their confidence and they all performed very well coming up against other schools and their Year 6s. We finished just outside the top 3. We wait to see where we finished overall after the afternoon session is complete. Well done to everyone that took part.
On Wednesday 6th March Mrs Brough took the netball team to the SPSSA netball tournament which 20 schools took part in. The children came runners up in the group stages which got them into the super 10’s. They then went onto winning their group joint first with Temple Sutton which took them into the semi-

On Monday 7th January Mrs Brough took the Year 5/6 netball team to Chalkwell Primary School to play their second league netball match. The children played brilliantly and beat Chalkwell 3-0. Player of the match went to Emily 6EW.

On Thursday 24th Jan, the year 5/6 netball team played a friendly match against Temple Sutton. The children played really well and fought for every ball. As a result they won 5-1. Well done girls.

Players of the match went to Adria 6LC and Millie 5NG

On Thursday 30th Jan the year 5/6 netball team played another league match against Our lady of Lourdes. They won 16-3. Player of the match went to Sophie 5NG who played a selection of positions fantastically.

On Wednesday 6th February the Netball A and B team travelled to Bournes Green Primary School. The A team won their league match 18-1. Players of the match went to Emily 6EW and Tilly 5KE. The B team also tried very hard but unfortunately lost 6-3. Player of the match went to Grace 4AC.

On Tuesday 12th February the netball team played their 4th league match; this time against Prince Avenue. The children won 18-0. Player of the match went to Emily 6EW.

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Year 3 Football

Netball Team

Years 5 & 6
Tag Rugby Team
Kurling Team
Years 3, 4, 5, 6
Cross Country Team

Netball A Team

Zoe 3rd Place
Cross Country

Maddie 3rd Place Cross Country

Netball 3rd Place

Netball B Team

Zoe 3rd Place Cross Country
Year 5 & 6 Hockey Team

Sitting Volleyball Team
Essex Champions

Year 3 & 4 Football Team
Well done to everyone that was involved within sport at Bournemouth Park Academy during the second term.

Hopefully 2019 and the new term brings even more success, fun and exciting opportunities for our young sports stars.

Mr Lee    Mrs Danvers-Brough    Mr Bose
April

Wednesday 3rd High 5 Netball Competition
Tuesday 23rd Tri Golf Competition
Friday 26th Essex Cross Country Finals
Tuesday 30th 5&6 Girls Cricket Competition

May

Wednesday 1st 5&6 Best of Cricket Competition
Thursday 2nd Archery Competition
Wednesday 8th KS1 Tag Rugby Competition
Friday 10th AM 3&4 Tennis / PM 5&6 Tennis
Wednesday 15th KS1 Quad Kids Competition
Wednesday 22nd KS2 Quad Kids Competition

June

Friday 7th Mixed Year 5 Rounders AM / Mixed Year 6 Rounders PM
Wednesday 19th Borough Sports AM (3,4,5,6)
Wednesday 26th 3&4 Rounders
Friday 28th KS1 3 Tee’s Cricket Competition

July

Tuesday 2nd KS2 Super Sports Track Events (After School)
Wednesday 3rd KS2 Super Sports Field Events (After School)
Friday 5th KS1 Borough Sports PM
Thursday 11th KS1 Mini Games AM / KS2 Mini Games PM