

BPSS Community Newsletter Spring 1 2025



WELCOME...

to the Spring Term 1 BPSS Community Newsletter. We hope you enjoy reading what has happened since Christmas and what local opportunities are available for your children and young people during the upcoming February Half Term.



KS3 & KS4 Girls Badminton Festival

66 girls attended this year's festival at QE Girl's. The intent of the festival was to give the players as many matches as we could against other schools, giving them valuable experience outside of their school setting. It was brilliant to see the girls talking and working together to score, officiate and support the other players, as well as displaying some incredible badminton skills. Congratulations to the players from St Michael's, JCOSS and QE Girls'.

Volleyball Festival

Well done to the 53 students who attended the event on the 5th February at Hendon School. Students played multiple games throughout the morning and displayed exceptional play. The teams created a buzzing atmosphere supporting each other and their opponents. Thank you to Hendon School for hosting the event and thank you to Stuart from Willesden Volleyball Club who supported at the event. Well done to all the students who took part.



Secondary T1 Rugby Training

It was great to see so many teachers at the online training session; Delivered by the RFU the current T1 delivery was explained to teachers, and they had an opportunity to ask any questions to the experts. If you have any questions about T1 or any of the upcoming rugby events, training and coaching please email Caroline (cconnell@st-james.barnet). For more support please complete this survey [Click Here](#)

Year 4 & 5 Basketball

On Friday 17th January in partnership with WUMA basketball we ran a successful inaugural Year 4&5 festival. This festival was targeted at individuals who do not have the opportunity to represent their school. It was filled with drills, challenges and 3v3 matches. Well done to everyone who took part.



Boccia – Primary & Secondary

111 SEND pupils who took part in the Boccia competition hosted at Burnt Oak LC. It was great to see the sports hall full with 27 teams. Well done to all the players for improving their skills throughout, and working hard for their school. Thank you to the amazing leaders from St James who encouraged the schools and explained the game to ensure a fair and consistent competition. Congratulations to our primary winners Brunswick Park and secondary winners SMSJ.



New Age Kurling (SEND) (Primary & Secondary)

New age Kurling is a popular sport in the Borough, as it is very different to other sports and easy to pick up. After being shown by the Compton leaders the rules and how to play, the 20 teams started their matches. There were lots of blocks and knocks. The atmosphere was fantastic, with everyone cheering when they witnessed an amazing shot. Well done to all the teams and to **Akiva Primary and St Mary St Johns Secondary for winning their age groups.**

Ten Pin Bowling (SEND)

It was wonderful to see Ashmole, East Barnet, TTA and Friern Barnet School in attendance at the North London Panathlon Ten Pin Bowling competition at Hollywood Bowl on the 31st January. The teams were competing for a space to compete at the London final in March. The students showed great team work and great bowling skills knocking the pins down to gain points for their schools. Well done to everyone who took part and congratulations to Ashmole who came 2nd.



C4L Badminton & Golf

Yr3&4 Change 4 Life Golf & Badminton Festival

Ark Pioneer hosted nine primary schools for the annual golf and badminton festival. Guided by the sports leaders pupils took part in nine exciting stations, learning the vital skills for both sports. The pupils started off a little nervous but by the end their confidence had grown, and they were showing some great skills.

Lots of fun was had by all.

Half Term Camps – February 2025



We enjoyed a fantastic camp at the beginning of January to get back into the swing of things on the hockey pitch. Our February half term camp dates are confirmed as Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th February. Our booking system is now live and can be accessed via the new club website at:

<https://southgatehc.org.uk/juniors/camps/>

Early Bird discounts and other offers already available so book on without delay!

FEBRUARY H/T RACKET CAMP

OAKLEIGH PARK TENNIS CLUB
17-21 FEBRUARY
AGE 4-16
9:30AM - 2:00PM

TENNIS
TABLE TENNIS
RACKETBALL

SESSION TIMES
AM 9:30-11:30
PM 12:00-2:00

SCAN OR CODE BELOW

TENNISCOACHING@OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK
WWW.OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK

PRICES

HALF DAY (AM/PM) £22
(£18 MEMBER)

FULL DAY (9:30-2:00PM) £42
(£36 MEMBER)

FULL HALF WEEK (5X AM OR PM) £100
(£87.50 MEMBER)

FULL WEEK (AM & PM) £200
(£160 MEMBER)

JUNIOR SQUASH FEBRUARY HALF TERM CAMP

17TH TO 21ST FEBRUARY 2025
AGE 6-16
2.30PM TO 5PM

Prices Daily

Members - £25
Non-Members - £28

Whole week

Members - £112.50
Non-members - £125

SCAN QR CODE TO BOOK!

Please ensure children bring a water bottle, snack for break time (no nuts/snacks), and wear non-marking soled shoes.
For more info please contact:
office@oakleighparkclub.co.uk
or 0208 445 7221

SUPERSPORT HALF TERM CAMP

at Woodhouse College, N12

MULTISPORTS FOR AGES 4-13

BOOK NOW at WWW.ACCELERATE-SPORTS.CO.UK

MONDAY 17TH FEBRUARY - FRIDAY 21ST FEBRUARY 2025	WE ACCEPT CHILDCARE VOUCHERS & TAX FREE CHILDCARE
DAY AND FULL WEEK BOOKINGS AVAILABLE	DAILY HOURS 9:30 AM - 4:30PM STANDARD 8:30 AM - 5:30 PM EXTENDED
10% SIBLING DISCOUNT APPLIED AT CHECKOUT	
Sports & Games >>	Football
	Archery
	Tag Rugby
	Basketball
	Dodgeball
	Badminton
	Capture the Flag
	Wall Ball
	Bench Ball
	Barbarians Attack
	Netball
	Handball
	Volleyball
	Parachute
	Team Building
	Chicken Hero Twin
	& MORE!
Fun Extras >>	Seniors Chill Out Zone
	Bouncy Castle
	Retro Gaming
	Air Hockey
	Table Tennis
	Juniors Art & Lego Room
	Zorb Balls
	Tuck Shop

Woodhouse College, London N12 9EY
deanna@accelerate-sports.co.uk • Tel +447895 531410

'NOTHING BUT NETBALL'

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NETBALL YOUTH CAMP

February Half Term 2025

Ashmole Academy
Cecil Rd, London N14 5RJ
Wednesday 17th of Feb, 10am - 3pm,
Age 9-14 years

www.EnglandNetball.co.uk/NYC
✉ sophie.johnson@englandnetball.co.uk

FINCHLEY LIDO

FEBRUARY HALF TERM

SWIMMING CRASH

COURSE

Monday 17th - Friday 21st February

CLASS	TIME
Foundation	10:00AM – 10:30AM
Foundation	10:30AM – 11:00AM
Development	10:30AM – 11:00AM
Foundation	11:00AM – 11:30AM

Five lessons
30 minutes duration
Fast progression and confidence building

Book now at reception or online to reserve your place

www.better.org.uk/lessons

Price: £45

HONDON LEISURE CENTRE GYMNASTICS & TRAMPOLINE HOLIDAY CAMP

Gymnastics	Trampoline
Date: 17 th – 21 st February	Date: 17 th - 21st February
Days: Monday - Friday	Days: Monday - Friday
Time: 9.00am – 3.00pm	Time: 2.00pm – 5.00pm
Ages: 5 – 15 years	Ages: 5 – 15 years
Levels: All Levels	Levels: All Levels
Price: £48.50 / day	Price: £23.00 / day

This fun filled camp includes training on all gymnastics apparatus (Floor, Beam, Bars, Vault, Rings and Acro), exciting games, also training for flexibility, body conditioning, strength and fitness.

Bookings are now open and can be made online

<https://betterflow.courseprogress.co.uk/onlinejoining>

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FEBRUARY CAMP 2025

FOR 5 - 12 YEAR OLDS

Times

10AM - 3PM
9AM - 4PM

DON'T FORGET TO USE YOUR CHILDCARE VOUCHERS

Week Booking

£116
(10am - 3pm)

Monday 17th - Friday 21st February
MOSS HALL JUNIOR SCHOOL (Multisports)
 NETHER STREET, WEST FINCHLEY, N3 1NR

MILLBROOK PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL (Football and Dance)
 SCHOOL HOUSE LANE, MILL HILL, NW7 1JF

Activities Include:

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Cricket
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Arts & Crafts
- ✓ and more...



EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT AVAILABLE

Book before **SATURDAY 25TH JANUARY 2025**

BOOK ONLINE NOW

www.NonStopAction.co.uk




Community Clubs & News

LONDON PULSE

2025 HOME FIXTURES

DATE	MATCH	TIME
SUNDAY 16TH MARCH	S VS NOTTINGHAM FOREST	18:00
FRIDAY 28TH MARCH	S VS LONDON MAVERICKS	19:00
FRIDAY 18TH APRIL	S VS MANCHESTER THUNDER	19:00
SUNDAY 27TH APRIL	S VS CARDIFF DRAGONS	18:00
SUNDAY 18TH MAY	S VS LOUGHBOROUGH LIGHTNING	18:00
SUNDAY 25TH MAY	S VS BIRMINGHAM PANTHERS	18:00
SUNDAY 1ST JUNE	S VS LEEDS RHINOS	18:00

COPPER BOX ARENA

London Pulse Netball offer group discounts for schools so please email raphael.bird@londonpulsenetball.com who will provide you with more information. We look forward to seeing you and thank you for your continued support!

WE ENCOURAGE DIRTY PLAYERS

Want to be part of a new era of Rugby in Barnet?

- Paving the way for our new state of the art clubhouse
- Producing England Players
- Saracens Academy Players
- RFU Qualified Coaches



BERFC
BYNG ROAD EN5 4NP
berfc.co.uk

- Ages 6 to 18 years
all genders welcome
- Sunday a.m (Sep-May)
- No experience necessary
- A focus on friendships and player development



TEAMWORK RESPECT ENJOYMENT DISCIPLINE SPORTSMANSHIP

LONDON COACHES PROGRAM

Enhancing skills, employability and health through basketball

- Basketball England coaching qualifications and membership
- Face-to-Face workshops and coaching clinics
- Mentoring support
- Coaching licence and insurance
- FREE** 12-month program





APPLICANTS' PROFILE

- Resident of one of the 32 London boroughs
- 16-30 years-old
- Basketball experience is not essential

LIMITED PLACES - Scan the QR to apply now!

Funded by
MAYOR OF LONDON





For more information contact
LONDONCOACHESPROGRAM@BASKETBALLENGLAND.CO.UK

2025 SPRING JUNIOR TENNIS TIMETABLE

MON 6TH JAN -
SUN 6TH APR
(12 WEEKS)

BOOKINGS:
VIA WEBSITE WWW.OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK
OR SCAN QR CODE

ENQUIRIES:
TENNISCOACHING@OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK
07833 247 189



TERM PRICES

1 HR SESSIONS
£132 MEMBERS
£156 NON-MEMBERS

45 MIN SESSIONS
£108 MEMBERS
£132 NON-MEMBERS
*PAY AS YOU GO PRICES ON WEBSITE

MINI RED 4-8 YEARS

MONDAY 16:30-17:30 (INVITE ONLY)

WEDNESDAY 16:00-16:45

FRIDAY 16:00-16:45

SATURDAY 09:00-09:45

SUNDAY 11:00-11:45

ORANGE 8-9 YEARS

TUESDAY 16:00-16:45 (ACES)

TUESDAY 17:00-18:00 (INVITE ONLY)

WEDNESDAY 16:45-17:30 (ACES)

THURSDAY 18:00-19:00 (INVITE ONLY)

FRIDAY 16:45-17:45 (RALLIERS)

SATURDAY 10:00-11:00 (RALLIERS)

TOTS TENNIS
3-4 YEARS
SATURDAY
09:00- 09:45

MOVEMENT TRAINING
THURSDAY
19:00- 19:30*

GREEN 9-10 YEARS

TUESDAY 17:00-18:00 (INVITE ONLY)

THURSDAY 18:00-19:00 (INVITE ONLY)

FRIDAY 16:45-17:45 (RALLIERS)

SATURDAY 11:00-12:00 (RALLIERS)

YELLOW 11 YEARS+

TUESDAY 16:45-17:45 (BALLERS)

TUESDAY 18:30-19:30 (TEAM TRAINING - INVITE)*

THURSDAY 17:00-18:00 (BALLERS)

THURSDAY 18:00-19:00 (INVITE ONLY)

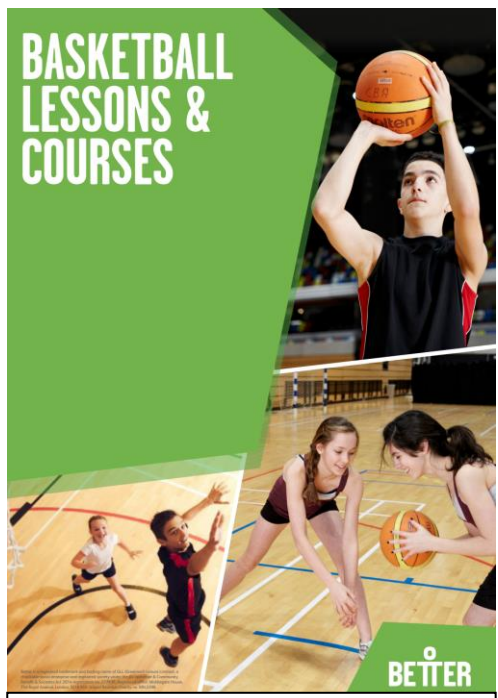
SATURDAY 10:00-11:00 (BALLERS / RALLIERS)

SATURDAY 11:00-12:00 (PERFORMANCE - INVITE)

SATURDAY 12:00-13:00 (GIRLS RALLIERS)

SATURDAY 13:00-14:00 (BALLERS)

SUNDAY 11:00-12:00 (PERFORMANCE - INVITE)



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For children aged 7-15 years old, every Monday 17.00-18.00 (11-15 yr/old) Lessons will be delivered by a qualified coach and have to be booked in advance. Book online www.better.org.uk

JUNIOR HUB - DANCE CLASS!
FOR ALL YOUNG PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
AGED 8-14
MONDAY 4:45PM-5:30PM
STONEX STADIUM, BARNET

Please email clarefloyd@saracens.net or call 07984590397 for more information!

2025 SPRING ADULT TENNIS TIMETABLE

MON 6TH JAN - SUN 6TH APR (12 WEEKS)

BOOKINGS:
VIA WEBSITE WWW.OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK
OR SCAN QR CODE

ENQUIRIES:
TENNISCOACHING@OAKLEIGHPARKCLUB.CO.UK
07833 247 189

MONDAY DOUBLES TEAM TRAINING 19:30-21:00
£9 MEMBERS ONLY PLAYING IN TEAMS

TUESDAY PAY & PLAY SOCIAL 19:30-20:30
MEMBERS PLAY FREE! / £12 NON MEMBERS

THURSDAY DOUBLES TEAM TRAINING 19:30-21:00
£9 MEMBERS ONLY PLAYING IN TEAMS

SATURDAY CARDIO 11:00-12:00
£9 MEMBERS / £11 NON-MEMBERS

SATURDAY SOCIAL TENNIS 14:30-16:30
MEMBERS PLAY FREE! (MEMBERS ONLY)

SUNDAY BEGINNERS 10:00-11:00
£132 MEMBERS / £156 NON-MEMBERS (12 WEEK PRICE)

SUNDAY IMPROVERS 10:00-11:00
£132 MEMBERS / £156 NON-MEMBERS (12 WEEK PRICE)

SUNDAY ADVANCED 10:00-11:00
£132 MEMBERS / £156 NON-MEMBERS (12 WEEK PRICE)

**FAST
FORWARD**

TRACK SESSIONS SPRINT

STONE X STADIUM
GREENLANDS LN, NW4 1RL

TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS
17:45 SPRINTS, JUMPS, THROWS (8-11)
18:45 SPRINTS (12-16)

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS
18:45 ADVANCED SPRINTS (16+)

TY HOLDEN 07737 803260

www.sbharriers.co.uk



**FAST
FORWARD**

SKILLS & DRILLS RUN, JUMP, THROW

STONE X STADIUM
GREENLANDS LN, NW4 1RL

TUESDAYS
16:30 ATHLETICS SKILLS & DRILLS
(AGE 5-7)

TY HOLDEN 07737 803260

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**FAST
FORWARD**

TRACK SESSIONS ENDURANCE

STONE X STADIUM
GREENLANDS LN, NW4 1RL

MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS
17:45 MIDDLE DISTANCE (7+)

TY HOLDEN 07737 803260

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*** Funded places - Girls Cricket - Ages 9y to 13y ***

Canons CC invites Girls in school years 5 to 8 to come, train and play cricket.

Limited spaces are fully funded.

When? Saturdays AM and Sundays AM, from **November to April**

Where?

Kingsbury NW9 8AQ Indoor multi sports hall

RSVP canons.cc.mdx@gmail.com

WhatsApp 07818488159

Girls Hardball and Softball Cricket

MJCA Girls U10 U11 U13 Competitions

PIVOTAL NETBALL ACADEMY

ADULT SOCIAL NETBALL

PAY AS YOU GO

FREE FOR ALL ON 25 JAN
MUST BOOK IN ADVANCE

25 JAN 1 FEB 8 FEB 15 FEB 1 MAR 8 MAR

HIGHLANDS SCHOOL, ENFIELD N21 1QQ

9-9.55 ADULT CLASSES

£8 PER CLASS (EXCEPT 25 JAN)

MEN & WOMEN OF ALL AGES & ABILITIES WELCOME

Keep Fit Have Fun Play Netball

Includes

- Warm up activities
- Skill practice
- Game play

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SPRING SUNDAYS NETBALL COACHING

BOOK A FREE TRIAL

Learn to play netball in a fun & nurturing environment. Children of all abilities aged 4 to 15 welcome.

THE COMPTON SCHOOL, BARNET N21 0QG

9-9.55 RECEPTION TO YEAR 5
10-10.55 YEAR 6 TO 10

£12 PER CLASS OR £10 EARLY BIRD*
(*WHEN YOU BOOK AT LEAST 48 HRS IN ADVANCE)

2 MAR 9 MAR 16 MAR 23 MAR 30 MAR

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PAY AS YOU GO

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GCSE PE MODERATION PREPARATION

BOOK A FREE TRIAL

25 JAN 1 FEB 8 FEB 15 FEB

HIGHLANDS SCHOOL, ENFIELD N21 1QQ

10-10.55 YEAR 10 & 11

£12 PER CLASS OR £10 EARLY BIRD*
(*WHEN YOU BOOK AT LEAST 48 HRS IN ADVANCE)

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Develop

- Core & advanced skills
- Knowledge of the rules
- Tactical positional play

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PIVOTAL NETBALL ACADEMY

PAY AS YOU GO

PIVOTAL NETBALL ACADEMY

SPRING SATURDAYS NETBALL COACHING

Learn to play netball in a fun & nurturing environment. Children of all abilities aged 4 to 16 welcome.

BOOK A FREE TRIAL

PIVOTAL NETBALL ACADEMY

HIGHLANDS SCHOOL, ENFIELD N21 1QQ

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10-10.55 YEAR 6 TO 11

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11 JAN 18 JAN 25 JAN 1 FEB 8 FEB 15 FEB

1 MAR 8 MAR 15 MAR 22 MAR 29 MAR 5 APR

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GCSE PE NETBALL MODERATION PREP

25 JAN 1 FEB 8 FEB 15 FEB 10AM @ HIGHLANDS

DEVELOP CORE & ADVANCED SKILLS - KNOWLEDGE OF THE RULES - TACTICAL POSITIONAL PLAY

ADULT NETBALL
9AM @ HIGHLANDS
25 JAN* 1 FEB 8 FEB
15 FEB 1 MAR 8 MAR
£10 PAY AS YOU GO
*25 JAN FREE FOR ALL
MUST BOOK IN ADVANCE
MEN & WOMEN WELCOME
KEEP FIT - HAVE FUN

FREE SEND CRICKET COACHING OPPORTUNITY...

Middlesex cricket in partnership with Lords Taverners are launching our 2024-2025 schools coaching programme that will introduce cricket to pupils. We would like to offer your school the opportunity to take part in the following coaching programme:

Full school coaching programme:

☑ 3 Hour teacher meeting- Completed over email or telephone prior to delivery starting.

☑ 24 Hours of coaching

☑ 3 Hour staff/student CPD opportunities

We can offer these programmes for free due to the funding we receive from Lords Taverners. For more information about Lords Taverners please visit <https://www.lordstaverners.org/>

If you would like your school to be involved in this programme, please email, daisy.meadowcroft@middlesexccc.com and we can work together to build the right offer for your students. When you get in touch, please share some dates and times that we can start to look at as options for us to be able to deliver in your school.

Partners News

Children and Young People-

Barriers & Motivators to Physical Activity Survey

Have your say!

In Barnet, we want children, young people and their families to be supported to live healthy and active lifestyles. This survey will be asking questions about the barriers and motivators to physical activity for children and young people. The findings will be collated and used for Children and Young People's Physical Activity Needs Assessment being undertaken by the Barnet Start and Grow Well Public Health Team. The survey will be open till the end of January 2025 and takes approximately 5-10 minutes to complete.

We are asking for the following individuals to complete this survey:

- -parents/carers with a child between 2 (toddler) to 16 years of age
- -young people aged between 12-16 years
- -professionals who work with children and families

Survey link: <https://forms.office.com/e/wKUbZERqAC>. Thank you in advance.

We look forward to capturing your views.

Apprenticeship Opportunities for your Students and Staff

Please see a range of educational and sporting apprenticeship opportunities [HERE](#) for your school staff and students. Please pass onto any students and staff who would be suitable.



For more information please contact Vanessa – vpender@eastbarnetschool.com

Apprenticeships Opportunities for school leavers
A guide for school leavers, parents and carers

Career Pathways
High-quality apprenticeship training, inspiring careers through sport and education in a school or community setting

Why an apprenticeship?

- For students considering taking a gap year
- A stepping stone into teaching
- An alternative pathway to higher education
- Earn while you learn and train.

SCAN FOR MORE INFO

Esapprenticeships.co.uk **01438 791068**

Educational Training PE, Health & Wellbeing Early Years

APPRENTICESHIPS IN SCHOOLS

<p>COMMUNITY ACTIVATOR Level 2 13-15 months: Including one month for End Point Assessment (EPA)</p>	<p>TEACHING ASSISTANT (PE FOCUS) Level 3 13-15 months: Including one month for End Point Assessment (EPA)</p>	<p>SPORTS COACH Level 4 19 months: Including five months for End Point Assessment (EPA)</p>
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PE, HEALTH AND WELLBEING APPRENTICESHIPS

Make sustainable improvements for your school through developing a whole-school approach to PE, health and wellbeing to support school sport and physical activity.

We deliver an Ofsted 'Outstanding' rated apprenticeship programme that focuses on meeting the current needs of pupils and schools. Learners will be trained by qualified PE teachers and sector specialists to work within a school to develop and take on responsibilities for leading sports in a school or community setting.

Benefits of PE, Health and wellbeing apprenticeship training for your school
Apprenticeships provide additional opportunities to expand your sports provision and create a professional development pathway for an existing member of PE staff or to increase the capacity of your staff team by employing a new PE, health and wellbeing apprentice.

Course Content:

Level 2: Community Activator

- Deliver project based tasks to support whole school health and wellbeing agenda
- Work with the wider community to enhance the physical activity offering to pupils.
- Increase opportunities and capacity for extra-curricular and wrap around provision

Level 3: Teaching Assistant | PE Focus

- Work with teachers to understand and support assessment for learning
- Develop knowledge, skills and behaviours relevant to the PE TA role
- Gain new ideas and strategies for use in the PE setting to address the health and wellbeing agenda

Level 4: Sports Coach

- Develop knowledge, skills, and behaviours relevant to the PE curriculum.
- Enhance teaching and curriculum planning skills
- Gain knowledge and skills to drive the development of the whole school PE and school sport strategy



Visit: sportingfuturestraining.co.uk | Tel: 01438 791068

Contact the team for more support

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