



THE BALFOUR SCOREBOARD

THE SIR GRAHAM BALFOUR PE NEWSLETTER – Edition 4

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

* Annabelle S – Year 9



Annabelle has had some fantastic news before the start of the forthcoming Netball season.

She has been selected for the **Loughborough Lightning Academy** which is the highest level of Netball at this age group.

She has also been selected to represent the U14 County Netball team, representing Staffordshire.

If that wasn't enough, she is playing up many age groups, as she is also playing for the highest of three teams at her Stafford club. Annabelle, you are doing fantastic - here at Sir Graham Balfour, we are very proud of these achievements.

DAY	LUNCH	AFTER SCHOOL
MONDAY	TABLE TENNIS (JS)	NETBALL (HW) FOOTBALL – BOYS
TUESDAY	GIRLS BASKETBALL (CC)	NO CLUBS
WEDNESDAY	VOLLEYBALL (ST)	RUGBY (PM) BASKETBALL (ST)
THURSDAY	BADMINTON (MW)	HANDBALL (CC) GIRLS FOOTBALL (MW) GCSE PE COURSEWORK
FRIDAY	TABLE TENNIS (HW)	INDOOR CRICKET (SM)

EXTRA CURRICULAR TIMETABLE 2026

We have had an outstanding level of participation at the start of the academic year. For instance, on a Monday we have around 80-90 students attending either our Boys Football or Netball clubs afterschool.

As you can see on the timetable, we offer a broad and varied mix of sports at lunch time and afterschool. These clubs will change termly in order to reflect the sports that are typically offered in lessons. For example, in the second term (from January) there will be a trampolining club.

If you haven't attended any of our clubs yet, please note some key things to remember. All of our clubs are free, which means if attending, you do not need to pay at any point. They are open to all years. It is the students responsibility to inform parents if you want to stay behind afterschool to attend one of these clubs, which if you catch the bus, is even more important so that you have a different way of getting home. **Finally, make sure you get a Reward Club signed each time you attend, to get 25 merits after 5 club visits.**

REWARD CARDS = 25 MERITS

Extra-Curricular Clubs – Reward Card

For every 5 lunch and afterschool clubs that you attend you will achieve 25 merits.

Please get the member of staff to sign or stamp your attendance.

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PE KIT

PE KIT REMINDERS FOR 2026


COMPULSORY PE KIT

OPTIONAL PE KIT

NOT ALLOWED


Tracksuit bottoms/leggings must not have big logos and should be black.

Not having the correct kit will result in being asked to borrow kit and a consequence.

A WINNING START TO 2026

Our fixtures are back underway for the 2026/2027 academic year, and we have lots more planned in the coming weeks.

Our U16 girls, who are the current holders the county cup, played in an English Schools match, and won 9-1. The scorers were Lily x3, Amaya x3, Tiana x2 and Lailee. A huge well done.

The U14 girls won their English Schools game 5-3. The scorers were Amelia, Lenna x2, and Turley x2. Two fantastic results in the English Schools competition.

County Successes!

Since the return of the academic year, we have been hearing from students who have been sharing their good news that they have got into County teams. We are so lucky to have such talented students. Over the next couple of months in the Balfour Scoreboard, we will be celebrating their successes.



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