



Laurence Jackson School

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SPORTS COLLEGE UPDATE

September 2011 – February 2012

WHOLE SCHOOL IMPACT

- LJS Youth Sport Trust Gold Partner School Status confirmed by YST November 2011; YST Partner School status based on G & T PE provision
- YST Excellent PE Department Award; February 2012 LJS highly commended in relation to this award.
- Olympic Advocacy Work; “Plan your bid 2012” – congratulations’ to Marc Tyzack who secured £8000 funding for LJS to be a lead school on the Olympics in this area.
- Olympic Values lessons for all students launched September 2011; initial feedback from staff and students positive on this new approach to delivering PSHE and citizenship.
- Y7 team building activity day November 2011 (SCL)
- Y8 Olympic Enterprise day November 2011 (MTY)
- Y9 Healthy Lifestyles day November 2011 (CGI)
- Launch of new school website underpinned by Specialism (CPA)
- R & C Olympics event for all students / “School Games” strategy
- Annual BTEC Dance Show April 2012
- Olympic Heroes on all staff classroom doors
- Regular Sporting and Olympic themed assemblies delivered by SLT and Heads of Year

PE IMPACT

- Sports College Presentation Evening October 2011; see website recent events for press release; event cost covered by external sponsors/ Evening Gazette Grass Roots – front page.
- PE/sports club timetable Term 1: external coaches working to enhance opportunities with PE this term; B team Football, Badminton and Netball.
- PE department have launched a new house system based around Olympic role models
- PGCE Dance workshop led by Mr Tyzack for Durham University Students
- LJS gifted and talented students met Jonathan Edwards October 2011
- Young Ambassadors: our Gold Ambassadors this year are Adam Fall and Izzy Pearce, we wish them luck in their new role
- PE department graded as outstanding in 2 recent internal reviews (June & November 2011)
- School Sports Council meeting regularly
- Canada trip 2014 in partnership with Guisborough Rugby Club
- LJS hosted winter events in Redcar and Cleveland schools Olympics



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PE RESULTS TO DATE:

- U16 Rugby: Cleveland County tens champions
- U16 Rugby: Cleveland County league runners up
- U13 Rugby Redcar and Cleveland tens champions
- Girls Junior Cross Country: Cleveland winners in English schools cup and 7th place in the northern final
- Boys Junior Cross Country: Cleveland winners in English schools cup and 8th Place in the northern final.
- Individual Cross Country performances in English Schools cup: Hollie Elliott (3rd), Pierce Ditchburn (10th) and Luke Jackson (11th).
- Y7 Boys Olympic 5-a-side: Redcar and Cleveland champions
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- U13 Girls Football: Cleveland champions and now go forward to represent Middlesbrough football club in the national N power cup
- Y9 Girls' Olympic Netball Tournament; Redcar and Cleveland champions
- Y8 boys Olympic 5-a-side: Redcar and Cleveland Runners Up
- U16 Girls Football: lost to Shelley College (Huddersfield) 3-2 in the last 16 of national competition
- Key stage 4 girls: Redcar and Cleveland badminton champions
- Key stage 3 boys and girls :Redcar and Cleveland badminton champions
- Year 8 girls Olympic 5-a-side : Redcar and Cleveland champions
- Key stage 4 girls: Runners up Tees Valley badminton championships
- Key stage 3 boys : Runners up Tees Valley badminton championships
- Key stage 3 girls : Tees Valley badminton champions
- Year 8 boys football: County Cup finalists
- Under 15 girls football : through to the semi finals of the ESFA national cup
- Y7 girls : Redcar and Cleveland Olympic netball champions
- Y9 girls : Redcar and Cleveland Olympic 5-a-side champions
- Cross Country : 9 students competed for Cleveland at the Inter County cross country championships at Kirby Stephen; Five students now go forward to the National Championships in Somerset in March : Hollie Elliott Pierce Ditchburn Patrick Wilson Rebekah Bunn and Izzy Pearse.

PARTNERSHIP/ COMMUNITY IMPACT

- GLC; new staffing structure implemented September 2011 and now embedded.
- Half term activity sports clubs "hang out with Hayley" in conjunction with Guisborough extended learning.
- New advertising avenues explored for the leisure centre and making significant impact.
- New conference room now available to book
- School Sport Partnership currently leading on the new "School Games" remit
- SSP Change4life clubs & "Bikability" in place at both primary and secondary level
- New Sports College Community Group successfully launched January 2012



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- LJS Sports leaders working with pupils from our local primary schools – visiting primaries and teaching lessons and also primaries visiting LJS to take part in festivals
- Consortium BTEC dance course ran at LJS by our staff for students from Nunthorpe, Huntcliffe and Freeborough
- Guisborough Youth centre Partnership – Wednesday evenings
- Guisborough Rugby Club Canada 2014 partnership
- Guisborough Rugby Club taster sessions in school January 2012.

FRENCH IMPACT; SECOND TARGET SUBJECT

- Annual KS3 French /History trip to Opal Coast established, exploring language, culture and the history of World War Two
- KS3 MFL/ Sporting Activity trip successfully launched on 2011, combining daily language lessons and new and adventurous sporting activities.
- KS4 trip to Malaga successfully launched: another trip to Malaga is being planned for 2012
- European Day of Languages, Columbus Day and Bastille Day are all now well-established and are helping to raise the profile of MFL across the school amongst both students and staff
- 4 more days are being planned to raise awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity in Britain: St George's day, St Patrick's Day, St David's Day and St Andrew's Day
- 3 French nationals have volunteered to work regularly with our students to improve their speaking skills.