

## PE and Sports Premium

PE Grant Income for 16/17 was a total of £8,878 (made up of 2 payments £3,710 + £5,168).

### Autumn 2016

The new SSP agreement has come into school and we have signed up for various aspects that fit best with the needs of school. All year groups will continue to benefit from specialist sports teachers funded by the Premium. Children have further opportunity to attend extra-curricular clubs such as dodgeball, multi skills and cricket that are funded by Sports Premium money.

Provision will also continue at lunchtimes and afterschool from Jamie Milligan (coaching) who, although not part of SSP, is funded by Sports Premium money. Once again there will be 'catch up' swimming sessions for Y5 in the Autumn term. This year a large number of children have benefitted from this.

Tri-Golf has been secured for a second term for years 5 and 6 and will begin after Christmas.

A number of children responded to the Sports Captains advertisement and have been appointed. Children will be trained as sports leaders by the SSP. Children will lead activities during playtimes and dinners and also form the Sports Council. Sports funding will provide the council with £300 to spend on equipment for the playground.

Sammy Lindford will be teaching year 3 Gymnastics in Autumn 2 with skills based lessons on a 5 week programme.

This year, St Thomas' are supporting Heartbeat, who have been booked to return later in year to deliver first aid lessons to year 5 and 6. Sports Premium will fund this as Physical Education works hand in hand with health education.

Years 3 and 4 will be returning to Borwick Hall in March again as part of the OAA curriculum. This year, Sports Premium funding has contributed £18 per child towards the cost of instruction and transport. This was upped slightly from last year's contribution to allow for parent contribution to remain low.

New socks have been ordered for the football team.

Again this year we are keen to offer a range of different extra curricular activities with links to sport. We have secured the Basketball Academy for a club to start in January for KS2. Judo club will return with a morning club. Staff are keen to offer sporting activities due to coaching in previous years and there will be Hockey and Tennis clubs to start to prepare for SSP competitions later in the school year.

St Thomas' have for the first year this year entered into the Indoor Athletics Tournament. We have a team of 30 children who will compete against local schools. Sports premium funding has made staffing and transport for the event possible.

### Spring 2017

Many of last terms activities will continue with Jamie and team still being in place during dinnertimes as this has had a big impact.

Sports premium funding will be paying half of the parent cost of the Judo club this term and next (£12per child).

Mr. Basketball will also be doing an afterschool club, children will have the opportunity to take part in a tournament later on in the year with some of the other schools he visits, we have also secured him for the summer term.

Miss Hindle and Mrs. Dugdale have attended the training in order to roll out the daily mile program in school, we will be doing this towards the end of the term as the weather gets a bit better.

Tag Ruby club with Mr. Fitch has started this half term ready for the tournament this half term.

Year 5 and 6 will benefit from tri-golf lessons this half term, with a possibility of them returning for year 3 and 4 in the summer.

The highly anticipated Borwick trip for years 3 and 4 will take place this half term with part funding from sports fund. We have made the decision this will now take place biannually so children will either benefit in year 3 or 4.

Year 3 have had the opportunity to take part in forest schools this term. This promotes outdoor learning and is aimed at getting children back outside and enjoying the outdoors. It develops OAA skills but is also a brilliant opportunity to build their resilience and teamwork skills. Mrs Mason (a parent and forest schools leader) has ran the sessions this term, however Miss Hindle will be training to become a forest schools leader ready for the 2017/2018 school year.

We have had continued support in baseline assessment in Key stage 1 as part of the sports partnership. John Atkinson has been working alongside the teaching staff in Key stage 1. The staff now have a better understanding which will greatly benefit planning and progression.

The Active Kids Monday morning club has been launched this half term in partnership with Milligan and McCann. Miss Hindle alongside Jamie and the boys are aiming to motivate the children early on in the week and promote an active mentality in the children. So far we have about 40 children from across key stages.

The Blue Moose Dance Company will be in school on the 9th March. They will work with all classes for an hour doing dance around the theme of perseverance. The lesson plans the company uses will be given to the school as part of the service. These will obviously be of use in future years. This has been made possible through our membership in the sports partnership.

These activities and events ensure that we are increasing the engagement of all pupils in regular physical activity – kick-starting healthy active lifestyles; raising the profile of PE and sport across the school; there is increased confidence, knowledge and skills of all staff in teaching PE and sport; a broader experience of a range of sports and activities is offered and there is increased participation in competitive sport.

The government has said primary schools should provide at least 30 minutes of physical activity every day for pupils under a new strategy to tackle child obesity - "Childhood obesity: a plan for action"

The strategy states primaries should deliver 30 minutes of "moderate to vigorous" activity for pupils every day through active break times, extra-curricular physical education (PE) clubs and active lessons – with parents responsible for providing another daily 30 minutes.

The government expects schools to pay for this using cash from a sugar tax levy that will double the primary school physical education premium, including £10 million to fund breakfast clubs. Ofsted will now assess how school leaders are using this cash.

A new voluntary “healthy schools rating scheme” will also be introduced from September next year and will form part of Ofsted inspections. The rating criteria will be decided after consultation with schools and experts.

The government strategy also states Ofsted will assess how effectively school leaders are using their extra cash and measure the impact for outcomes of pupils.