

Governors' Sports and Physical Education report Autumn Term 2017/2018

We are continuing to strive to achieve more in sports for the children and parents of St Johns.

In our sports funding evaluation completed last year we identified some key next steps that we have been busy working on already this year.

- Competitions to be looked at in advance to plan cover so St Johns can attend more events including those at Cokethorpe.

Attendance of competitions has been key to include as many children into sporting events as possible and increase the awareness and enjoyment of sports across St Johns. Already this year St John's has attended seven events, these have included festivals and competitions both within the Carterton partnership and at Cokethorpe. Through careful planning and tracking systems we have worked hard to try to include and invite as many children to competitions than we have in previous years. By tracking the children over the last few years we have been able to identify those who have never attended a competition to support them and engage them into sports through intra competitions and clubs to encourage them to take part in competitions. Through this system the result so far has been very encouraging.

Year group	Number of children in the year group not competed in previous year	Number of those children who have now competed in an event
6	17	4 24%
5	27	13 48%
4	50	46 92%
3	60	6 10%
Total	154	69 45%

From the table above, we can already in two terms see that 45% of children from Year 3 – 6 (sporting competitive age) have now attended a competition outside of school. The feedback from these children has been very positive and they have enjoyed the events. This is showing that the systems St Johns has in place are effective in targeting children to become more active and engage them into sports.

Already we have begun to look at the events taking place over Terms 3 and 4. We are identifying which children will be invited to these competitions based on the clubs they have attended and the sport interest they have shown during P.E. sessions and lunchtime activities to ensure the progress above continues in all Year groups with a focus on Year 6 and 3.

- Look at the sign up system for clubs so the same children are not always signed up for clubs and those children that show an interest in a sport have the opportunity first before it goes up online.

Last year we began to realise that due to the school booking system and clubs being so popular we found the same children were often booked onto multiple events. Through our tracking system updated every half term we have been able to track those children who are attending after school clubs. We recognised this problem and from the start of the school year we reduced the number of spaces available online and decided to complete personal invites to each year group. The focus of this was to allow opportunities for those who had not been to a club, in previous years, to attend one and encourage equal opportunities for all children to attend, including boys, girls, pupil premium, services and SEN.

Year Group	Pupils on Roll	No and % Participating in at least one club	No and % Girls	No and % Boys	No and % Pupil Premium (FSM6/LAC)	No and % Service Pupils	No and % SEN Pupils
1	58	12 21%	8/34 24%	4/24 17%	2/6 33%	5/11 45%	1/1 100%
2	60	14 23%	8/27 30%	6/33 18%	1/7 14%	1/4 25%	1/4 25%
3	60	17 28%	9/28 31%	8/32 25%	1/10 10%	1/2 50%	0/7 0%
4	50	22 44%	10/29 34%	12/21 57%	7/14 50%	2/4 50%	4/10 40%
5	50	29 58%	14/22 64%	15/28 54%	9/12 75%	4/5 80%	2/5 40%
6	60	26 43%	13/27 48%	13/33 39%	2/8 25%	3/7 43%	4/10 40%
KS 1 Participation	118	26 22%	16/61 26%	10/57 18%	3/13 23%	6/15 40%	2/5 40%
KS2 Participation	220	94 43%	46/106 43%	48/114 42%	19/44 43%	10/18 56%	10/32 31%
Overall Participation	338	120 36%	62/167 37%	58/171 34%	22/57 39%	16/33 48%	12/37 32%

Participation in After School Sports Clubs – Term 2 – 2017/18													
Year Group	Pupils on Roll	No and % Participating in at least one club		No and % Girls		No and % Boys		No and % Pupil Premium (FSM6/LAC)		No and % Service Pupils		No and % SEN Pupils	
1	58	8	14%	4/34	12%	4/24	17%	0/6	0%	0/11	0%	0/1	0%
2	60	8	13%	4/27	15%	4/33	12%	2/7	29%	2/4	50%	1/4	25%
3	60	9	15%	3/28	11%	6/32	19%	1/10	10%	0/2	0%	0/7	0%
4	50	18	36%	11/29	38%	7/21	33%	8/14	57%	1/4	25%	3/10	30%
5	50	30	60%	13/22	59%	17/28	61%	8/12	67%	4/5	80%	2/5	40%
6	60	29	48%	13/27	48%	17/33	48%	2/8	25%	2/7	29%	3/10	30%
KS 1 Participation	118	16	14%	8/61	13%	8/57	14%	2/13	15%	2/15	13%	1/5	20%
KS2 Participation	220	86	39%	40/106	38%	47/114	41%	37/44	84%	7/18	39%	8/32	28%
Overall Participation	338	102	30%	48/167	29%	55/171	32%	39/57	68%	9/33	27%	9/37	24%

New children taking part in after school clubs – Terms 1 and 2		
Year group	Number of children in the year group not been on a club in previous year	Number of those children who have now been on a club
6	17	2 12%
5	18	9 50%
4	18	10 56%
3	33	9 27%
2	24	4 17%
1	60	16 27%
Total	170	50 29%

The tables above show through this process 29% of children in the school have now been on a club who hadn't been on one in previous years. It has also been positive to show equal opportunities as Term 1 shows 48% of service children in the school attended a club. In Term 2 we focused on ensuring pupil premium children were attending clubs which had a positive outcome with 68% of these children attending a club.

We want this success to continue over the following terms. Mr Hyatt has already had conversations with children and invites have been sent ready for Terms 3 and 4 with a focus on children in Year 1, 2, 6 and SEN children with an invite only Boccia club.

- Update sporting equipment.

Through promotion of the Sainsbury's school game vouchers, in the summer term we were able to obtain two new sets of hockey clubs and a hockey goalie kit ready for competitions. This has meant we have been able to introduce hockey intras within school. We also obtained 3 new sets of netball bibs so all children can wear a correctly labelled bib when we take A, B and C teams to competitions. Last year the Rudolf Run was a great success in raising money for sports and we will again run one at the end of Term 2 to try to raise more money to improve St John's outdoor areas.

- At the start of September 2017 to introduce a Sports Gold Book to recognise children's commitment to sports and reflect the school values in sports.

From Term 2 we have now introduced a Gold Book award for sports. Mr Hyatt chooses a child from each year who has shown commitment, dedication, perseverance and passion for sports whether this is during P.E. sessions, clubs or during competitions. The children have been excited and eager to see if they have been nominated for this new award.

- Try to have more C teams attend competitions to increase percentages and inclusion levels.

So far this year competitions/festival events have only been aimed towards KS2. We use the same tracking system for competitions as we do for clubs. This has again been highly effective in targeting new children to competitions and raising the number of different children who attend a club. The table below highlights this success with 48% of children in KS2 having now attended at least one competition. With careful planning in advance we were able to recognise from last years data the previous Year 3's (current Year 4's) did not attend as many competitions. This year we planned to attend the Year 4 basketball competition and aimed this as an event for all children. With this in mind 93% of pupil premium children from year 4 have attended a competition so far this year which is extremely positive.

Participation in Competitions – Term 1 and 2 – 2017/18													
Year Group	Pupils on Roll	No and % Participating in at least one comp		No and % Girls		No and % Boys		No and % Pupil Premium (FSM6/LAC)		No and % Service Pupils		No and % SEN Pupils	

3	60	6	10%	3/28	11%	3/32	9%	0/10	0%	0/2	0%	0/7	0%
4	53	47	89%	25/29	86%	22/24	92%	13/14	93%	4/4	100%	10/10	100%
5	50	28	56%	11/22	50%	17/28	61%	8/12	67%	4/5	80%	2/5	40%
6	60	25	42%	11/27	41%	14/33	42%	3/8	38%	2/7	29%	3/10	30%
KS2 Participation	223	106	48%	50/106	47%	56/117	48%	24/44	55%	10/18	56%	15/32	47%

Following this success in Year 4, the school received an e-mail from a Year 4 parent saying the following:

Dear Mr Smith,

My husband and I would like to express our gratitude regarding the sports activities that are available after school. I have attended the Football competition and the Cross Country in the last few weeks. I have been really impressed by the support, hard work and dedication that Mr Hyatt and Mrs Monk showed towards the children on both occasions. I think it's a credit to the school that it has such hard working and enthusiastic staff.

I am very grateful that my son Jack is able to attend this school and benefit from these activities.

Kind regards

Mr & Mrs Norman

It is positive to see the parents reflect on the impact our school sports is having on the children. We have been encouraging parents to come and get involved in school sports as part of the action plan. So far we have had more offers to attend the competitions. It has also had a positive impact to have had Mr Jackson (a Year 5 parent) who has given his time to come and support with the running of Rugby Club in Term 2. He is currently a coach and the children thrived from gaining his knowledge and expertise.