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Athletics

The season ended this year at the National Prep Schools Finals in Birmingham, where **Jess Hilton** was crowned High Jump Champion. **Ollie Barratt**, **Layla Keates**, **Ziggy Capon** and **Lowri Sinkins-Moysey** stood on the podium. A lot of work goes into reaching this stage, and the juniors are always keen to zoom around the school track, running, jumping, and throwing. Our athletes specialise a little as they progress through the school but must keep various events going. We hosted events for local schools at our track and ventured around the county to race in championships. **Bea Soper** raced for the county Year 9 team at the English Schools Championships. Bea is the county champion at the 800m and 1500m and cross country. **Polly Warman** also holds the three county distance titles this year and is the county combined events champion. The senior teams qualified for the regional final of the English Schools Cup but sadly did not make it through to the finals this year. The inter-house sports events are a highlight of the season, and it is fantastic to see all the pupils in the school competing for their house. There is always a lovely atmosphere at these events. Another season has passed, and it will soon be time for the 2025 update!

01 Junior Athletics Team
02 Layla Keates silver medal at the National Prep Schools Championships
03 Somerset Champion and runner up **Jody-Lloyd Owusu** (83) and **Josh Accrombessi** (002)
04 Ethan Jory in the Long Jump
05 National Prep Schools High Jump Champion **Jess Hilton**
06 Bronze medalist at the National Prep Schools Champiionships **Lowri Sinkins-Moysey**
07 English Schools Cup Teams at the Regional Final



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Basketball

2024 was a year of remarkable improvement for basketball at the Prep school. The lunchtime club, with the addition of some excellent players, dedicated themselves to surpassing the achievements of 2023. Throughout the year, they honed their skills, improving their control of the basketball in possession, defensive organisation, and positional awareness on attack. Their hard work and practice in boarding houses, at home, and on the practice court significantly increased the accuracy of their shooting, leading to more successful matches.

The highlights of their year have been playing the 2nd Team Year 9s at the Senior School, where they came out victorious, and their trip to Sevenoaks School for the U13 IAPS Finals, where the team won the Championship Plate.



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01 Group Match at the Basketball U13 IAPS Finals at Sevenoaks
02 Basketball U13A with their winning medals from the IAPS Finals
03 Senior Development First Team Boys
04 Somerset County cup U13 boys winners
05 IAPS National Winners U13

Boys' Cricket

At Millfield Prep, we continue to foster cricket talent, helping individuals reach their full potential in the game. We ensure that every boy can represent the school during the term, providing opportunities for cricketers of all abilities. Our Development Teams regularly compete against various county sides. One of the highlights this term was the superb performance by the boys against a strong East Wales side, with **Evan** scoring the first 100 of the season and **Rueben** taking two hat-tricks in back-to-back National Cup matches. We are proud to have a significant number of individuals representing their county this year.

The U13 boys achieved impressive milestones, winning the Somerset County Cup. They also won the National Prep School Cup in York and were semi-finalists in the National Bunbury Cup. They played excellent cricket against strong county opposition throughout the term. Additionally, the U11 boys won the Regional IAPS Southwest 8-a-side competition, the Somerset County Cup, and the Regional ESCA Cup, and will be participating in the ESCA Nationals at Oakham School during the summer holidays. The U12 boys advanced to the semi-finals of the County Cup.

Girls' Cricket

The cricket programme at MPS is thriving, with a strong emphasis on girls' participation.

This year, we witnessed a record number of girls taking part in cricket, showcasing the increasing popularity and success of the sport at MPS. This rise in participation has allowed us to expand our teams, creating more opportunities for everyone to engage in the sport. The U12's have demonstrated significant potential in various formats, particularly in their matches against Somerset. The U11A team's achievements in the IAPS cricket and KSB festival are a source of great pride and motivation for all of us.

The individual successes of our girls in the cricket programme are commendable. The U10 girls have shown incredible dedication and enjoyment in their participation in playing pairs cricket. Even the U8 and U9 girls, in their inaugural matches, have displayed great promise in their batting and bowling skills, highlighting their potential and the support they receive from the programme.

Our Senior Development Girls Team has had a remarkable season. They secured victories indoors, winning the county, regional, and national finals at Lord's. In addition to an extensive fixture list, the girls have also achieved notable wins, including triumphs over Somerset and the full Welsh team in hardball cricket. They were also finalists in the county 8-a-side hardball competition and emerged as winners in the BGS tournament.

We are thrilled to announce that **Jess Hazell** and **Lily Hawkins** (both ex-Millfield Prep girls) have been named in the squad for Somerset women 2024. A huge congratulations to them!

Congratulations to the following girls who were selected for Somerset:

U13 County: **Emma Champion, Izzy Glyn-Jones, Bella Lloyd, Florie Weare**
U13 Wyvern: **Sanaa Fergusson, Hattie Isaacs, Rose Smith**
U11 Development: **Jess Hilton, Arabella Lewis-Jones**
U13: **Emilia Harmer** - Hampshire, **Arabella Goldfinch** - Surrey





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01 U12A team
02 U11A IAPS winners
03 1st team National Indoor Winners
04 U11 girls
05 U12's v Hazlegrove

01 Competing in the Boulder League
02, 03 Climbing at Redpoint climbing wall
04 Junior Girls Cross Country Team at the Mendip Team
05 Senior Girls Team bronze medals at the English Schools Cup Final
06 Senior Boys English Schools Cup Team
07 Junior Boys at the Mendip League

Climbing

Climbing has grown significantly in 2024, with more pupils using our on-site climbing wall than ever before. This includes both beginners trying out rock climbing for the first time and experienced climbers. Our experienced climbers also had the opportunity to visit the Redpoint Climbing Centre in Bristol to tackle challenging routes and boulder problems. This year, we were lucky to join the Senior School at the annual TCA Southwest Schools' Bouldering League. Throughout the year, the pupils participated in 4 rounds, and their scores were averaged. They had to climb 20 blocks and were marked based on their progress through the route. Our male team, consisting of **Harry, Tim,** and **Bailey**, achieved 6th place overall, while **Rose** came in 24th. It's been wonderful to foster the pupils' passion for climbing and bouldering, both on our school wall and at local indoor facilities.



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Cross Country

The runners experienced a season of contrasts this year. It kicked off with the inter-house fun runs for each age group, which took place in beautiful sunshine. The season was then divided into pre- and post- Christmas periods, with significant disruption to the schedule due to the weather. Years 3, 4, 5, and 6 used regular club sessions to prepare for the Mendip League races. The senior pupils excelled at the Lewston Relays, winning in both team and individual events. Both the boys' and girls' teams won the county and regional rounds, qualifying for the finals of the English Schools Cup Competition. The girls finished third overall, a fantastic achievement. Despite hoping to build on their success after Christmas, adverse weather conditions led to the cancellation of numerous events, preventing the team from defending their national Prep School team and individual titles. However, they were able to participate in the County Championships and Schools' Championships, with **Polly Warman, Elsie Seager, Bea Soper,** and **Kruze Frampton** representing Somerset in the shortened season. The juniors ended the season as the top school in the Mendip league, despite several cancellations.



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Fencing

Fencing has had a fantastic year. There has been a significant increase in the number of Prep School pupils participating in the sport at least once a week during lunchtime, before, and after school. It has been great to see the pupils' enthusiasm for embracing the competitive aspect of the sport. 20 pupils qualified for the British Youth Championships.

The children can try all three weapons and are encouraged to do so. Our Year 8 pupils joined the Senior School fencing squad at the Public Schools Championships, contributing to the school's 11th consecutive title as National Champions.

Two of our Year 8 teams achieved 1st and 2nd place at the British National School Teams Competition. Additionally, four Year 8 and one Year 7 pupils competed at their first international competition, gaining valuable experience.

At the IAPS National Fencing Championships, Millfield Prep won Best Girls School and 2nd place for Best Boys School. **Lucia Millington** from Year 8 became the National U13 Girls Sabre Champion and **Eva Dowden** from Year 8 won the Champion 'At Arms' title.



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01 Year 5 and 6 teams at the British School Team Championships
02 Team Millfield Sabre at the South West Regional Championships
03 Year 8 Squad at Public Schools National Championships
04 Lucia Millington IAPS National Champion, **Eva Dowden** 3rd and Champion at Arms
05 Year 7 and 8 Team at the British School Team Championships
06 Lulu, Lucia and **Maddie** at the Millfield Cup International



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01 Year 5 Boys at British School Teams Championships
02 Year 5 to 8 Sabre at the South West Championships
03 Year 8 Squad at Public Schools National Championships
04 IAPS National Championships, **Lucia** 1st, **Eva** 3rd
05 U14 Foil Team
06, **07** U12 Boys Epee Team

Football

Our focus last year was to increase the amount of training available to pupils and we successfully achieved that. This year, our focus shifted to increasing involvement in fixtures, festivals, tournaments, and cup competitions.

In September, the U11s won the Sherborne Prep Tournament. Shortly after, we hosted the U11 IAPS Regional Qualifiers, welcoming 13 schools. Our boys won the tournament, qualifying for the finals where we hosted 24 schools. Unfortunately, our boys were knocked out in the quarter final of the Cup competition, with a golden goal by the National Champions. During the October half-term, we took the U13 Boys on MPS's inaugural Football Tour. During their five-day tour in Barcelona, the boys competed in the World School Games.



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Golf

The golfers have had an incredible year winning multiple national events and becoming the number one ranked school for this year by the Independent Schools Golf Association (ISGA).

Jack Isaacs, Tate Sinfield-Day and **Alexander Leonard** played brilliantly at Minchinhampton GC to become team IAPS National Champions.

Zane Bignell shot the round of the year at Radley College at the ISGA National Finals with a score of 2 over gross becoming the individual National Champion.

The Millfield Open finished the year in style with golfers from Year 2 to Year 8 playing at Mendip GC with **Tate Sinfield-Day** lifting the trophy.

01 Junior golfers at The Millfield Open
02 Millfield Open prize winners
03 Tate Sinfield-Day, Alexander Leonard, Jack Isaacs and **Zane Bignell** with their National Championship medals and trophies


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01 U10 boys having fun at King's Bruton Tournament
02 Year 7 and 8 Hockey Tour to Amsterdam, watching 'European Hockey Semi Finals' at Wagener Stadium, Amstelveen
03 Meeting International Dutch players at Euro Hockey Finals
04 Tour Team photo on last day in Rotterdam

Boys' Hockey

It has been a bumper year for hockey. All six teams (Girls/Boys, under 11s, 12s, and 13s) qualified for both the West of England and IAPS National Finals, and they enjoyed a superb tour of Holland.

The boys' 1st team failed to score a goal for the first three weeks of the season but finished superbly, losing in the West of England Final and reaching the IAPS National semi-final, where we lost on sudden death golden goal. The under-12 team won the County and West Finals, and the under-11 boys won the IAPS West.

Our boys have been making us proud in county JAC hockey. **Edward Parish, Tommy Weston, Seb Guthrie, Joel Gardiner, Jamie Glover** and **Archie Taylor** have all been involved and their individual achievements are a testament to their dedication and hard work.


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Girls' Hockey

It has been a fantastic year for hockey, and the girls' season has been extended due to the success of many of our teams. Year 2 has been introduced to the game, showing a sparkling level of talent in preparation for the 2024-2025 season ahead.

The junior teams have flourished through many hockey festivals, developing new skills and a passion for the game. In the Millfield Prep Tournament, all Year 6 teams achieved gold, showing excellent depth in the year group. The U11A team has won numerous tournaments, including the Queens and King's Bruton and, most importantly, the IAPS Regionals, which qualified them for the National IAPS Finals.

The U12 teams have shown remarkable improvement, with our A, B, and C teams all finishing in the top spots for their respective Millfield tournaments. The A team's performance at the IAPS Nationals, Somerset Counties, and West Finals is a testament to their hard work and determination. Their success inspires hope for the future of our hockey programme.

The U13s have shown rapid development this year. With many girls, we have had the depth to field four teams for this age group. The U13C team won at the annual Hazlegrove tournament and the U13D team achieved Gold at the Redmaids Tournament, these are just a couple of examples of their successes. The U13A team's achievements this year, included winning the annual King's Bruton Tournament and being crowned Somerset County Champions, both being a sign of the exciting future ahead.

County Representatives: **Emilia Harmer, Izzy Glyn-Jones, Eva Dowden, Florrie Hendry, Bella Lloyd, Tammy Richardson, Hattie Isaacs, Lucy Bibby, Kitty Danner** and **Florie Weare.**

01 Year 7 and 8 Girls vs TSV Ludwigsburg
02, 03 Staff and pupils at Club Tempo, Rotterdam
04 Year 7 and 8 Girls and HCB Hockey Girls, Rotterdam
05 Year 7 and 8 pupils 'Cultural trip to Rotterdam'
06 Team photo at Leonidas Hockey Club, Rotterdam



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01 Prep Biathletes
02 IAPS triathlon
03 World Championships in Bali
04 Kruze Frampton and **Polly Warman** World Champions
05 European Championships Germany

Modern Pentathlon

At the Paris 2024 Olympic Games, horse riding gracefully exited, making way for the invigorating challenge of Obstacle Course Racing. This monumental shift brings renewed vigour to the sport. The LA Olympic Games will unveil this change, promising an unparalleled spectacle for athletes and spectators.

Our own Modern Pentathlon Squad has had a successful and exciting year. The squad continues to grow, fueled by the enthusiasm and passion of our pupils for the sport. Our commitment to nurturing multi-sport endeavours is evident through our Laser Run, Biathle, and Triathle clubs, welcoming anyone keen to explore Modern Pentathlon.

On the international stage, our Millfield athletes proudly represented Team GB at the European Championships in Erding, Germany, on July 23. They competed across Laser Run, Biathle, and Triathle disciplines, showcasing their skill and determination and bringing pride to our school. Special congratulations are extended to **Raffie Bodman, Kruze Frampton, Ruby Bodman, Elsie Seager, Iona Murray, Lois Murray, Polly Warman,** and **Eva Dowden** for their exemplary performances.

Our athletes' international adventures continued as they competed in the Laser Run, Biathle and Triathle World Championships in Bali on October 23. **Bea Soper, Kruze Frampton, Polly Warman, Eva Dowden,** and **Raffie Bodman** represented our school with distinction on the world stage.

As another remarkable year ends, we celebrate our squad's dedication and camaraderie, which illuminates the path ahead. We look forward to an exhilarating journey in the coming seasons. Here's to the heart, hustle, and triumphs that define our extraordinary athletes, paving the way for an even more thrilling year ahead.



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Netball

This year has been a fantastic opportunity for many girls to improve, whether it's by learning new positions and techniques or making their first steps towards the England pathway in the Somerset setup. I'm proud to announce that this year we had six girls in the U13 programme: **Muna Izkazoboh, Chloe Servan-Smalley, Bella Lloyd, Florie Weare, Florence Taylor,** and **Elsie Seagar**. Additionally, we had four girls in the U12 development stage: **Rose Smith, Layla Keates, Jess Hilton**, and **Meilin Keeler.**

Our youngest players in Year 3 and 4 have started their journey with Bee Netball – England Netball's scheme. They have played festival and friendly matches where no scores are recorded. These matches are played for enjoyment alone, fostering a spirit of sportsmanship and camaraderie. All the girls from Year 5 and above have had opportunities to play at their own level against other local schools in both friendly fixtures. The majority have also played in a festival or tournament. Our Year 6 girls from A to C all played regularly each week, and will next year start their 7-a-side journey and play in more regular positions. Our Year 7 and 8 girls have four teams in each age group who play schools in Devon, across to Bristol, and Dorset.

We took many girls from Year 7 and 8 to support Team Bath in their pre-season tournament. Pupils watched players, both men and women, play and were amazed at the speed and physicality of the sport at this level.

The IAPS Regionals were a great success. We hosted the U11's at our senior school with 20 schools attending from all over the southwest. The girls played brilliantly all day and were crowned regional champions. The U12 A's performed exceptionally well at nationals, narrowly missing out on the final and coming 4th in the country. The U13s fought bravely at their IAPS, but with many girls absent, nationals weren't to be this year. The U12 A team made it to the quarterfinals of the National School Sports Magazine Cup competition and also won the Collegiate tournament. The U11 A's were finalists at the Bryanston tournament. Additionally, the U13 team won the county tournament and was a finalist in both the Bryanston and Collegiate tournaments.

None of this would be possible without the unwavering support of our teachers, coaches, and umpires. Equally important is the unconditional support from our parents, who play a crucial role in our team's success. We are deeply appreciative of their involvement and commitment.



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01 U12 IAPS National team
02 House netball
03 Team Bath trip
04 U13 friendly matches
05 U11 and 13 Bryanston tournament medalists





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01 Olivia Elliott, Izzy Glyn-Jones, and **Sehyr Ravasia** taking part in world book day even Mr Cow is reading his book
02 Year 8 beach ride was another great success so exhilarating for the riders and a lovely picnic on the beach after
03 Wednesday afternoon Hacking
04 Easter show jumping competition
05 Kiki Fletcher reading for world book day while jumping that girl knows how to multitask
06 Grass Roots Championship Team



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Riding

This year at the stables has been a year of great progress. Lots of younger riders have been developing their skills; some now have their own horse and are already out competing and doing well.

The younger riders have also qualified for the Hickstead NSEA Grass Roots Show Jumping festival, the team did very well coming 8th out of hundreds of riders. I am sure you will have seen in the newsletters the fantastic dressage results as well as those in various other events including the in-house Halloween, Christmas and Easter competitions which are always great fun.

Wednesday afternoons are always busy with lots going on, including an afternoon hack before a jumping lesson which is a great time for the pupils to have a chat and chill out with friends. We invested in some new arena eventing simulated XC fences and the riders have thoroughly enjoyed training with them. As always, it will be sad to say goodbye to our Year 8 riders, but no doubt, we all stay in touch; good luck. We had some fantastic news in the summer that an OM rider **Darcy Zander** won team British Eventing gold medal in Poland.



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Rugby

Millfield Prep's rugby programme continues to be a thriving environment for young athletes, with each season providing new opportunities for growth and development. The school's commitment to fostering creativity and encouraging decision-making skills is evident across all age groups, from U8 to U13. This year, boys have engaged in a variety of rugby experiences, from local festivals and triangular fixtures to adapted rules matches.

Throughout the season, Millfield Prep's rugby teams have travelled extensively across the Southwest, competing against formidable schools and embracing the learning moments that come with every match. The emphasis on allowing players to take control and find their own solutions on the field is a hallmark of the school's coaching philosophy. This approach has helped players build resilience and problem-solving skills, key traits for success in rugby and beyond.

The coaches at Millfield Prep prioritise equipping players with a solid foundation of rugby skills while also fostering independence and creativity. This focus on player development has proven effective, with pupils learning to navigate setbacks and work toward achieving their goals.

A particularly exciting aspect of the programme is the rugby sevens programme which also continues to allow pupils to develop their skills and learn how to work together in a tournament environment.

The Year 8 rugby players at Millfield Prep had an exceptional year, facing tough competition and showing resilience. The inclusive approach to participation and enthusiasm among the boys fostered a sense of community and love for the sport. The school's commitment to expanding rugby opportunities culminated in the successful annual Millfield Rugby Sevens tournament, where Year 8 players competed against top-tier opponents and demonstrated key skills. Overall, this year's rugby activities underscored the importance of teamwork, perseverance, and sportsmanship, providing a solid foundation for the players' continued growth in rugby and other areas of their lives.

Rugby continues to excel, driven by a coaching philosophy that empowers players to make their own decisions on the pitch.

01 U11 Rugby match
02 U10 team before their match
03 U11s just before their matches
04 U13A boys in action
05 U12A team playing



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01 Sailors enjoying the still waters of Portland Harbour
02, 03 IAPS Regatta race day in Portland Harbour
04 Our sailors prepared and ready for U13 IAPS regatta
05 Two of our sailors enjoying a rest from training on a Wednesday afternoon in Portland Harbour

Sailing

This year we had a lot of new sailors and it was so good to see them progress from complete beginners to confident and accomplished mariners! The wind and the weather were not always kind, but in true Millfield spirit, the sailors showed true grit and were not easily put off. They learned quickly and were rewarded with some respectable results both in the Millfield regatta as well as in the IAPS competition. Congratulations to the sailors who completed their RYA levels and worked so hard on their sailing skills over the course of the year. We hope to see them all on the water again soon.



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Clay Shooting

This year, we offered clay pigeon shooting during the Spring and Summer terms. A group of six boys regularly attended and learned the basics of safe shotgun handling. They then developed their skills and aims. We were fortunate to take five pupils to the West London Shooting School for the annual IAPS competition. The event had five stands with ten shots on each. The boys started on a relatively simple stand, but the stands quickly increased in difficulty with rabbits, high birds, and two shots in quick succession. The boys had a great time and did incredibly well. A huge well done to **Henry** and **Gonzalo,** who both scored perfectly on one of the stands. Although we did not place in the team events, **Angus** received gold in the U12s. Well done to all the boys. They represented the school brilliantly.



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Skiing

This year, we were able to offer both beginner and advanced skiing. In the Spring term, six dedicated skiers from the Senior School participated in ski racing on local dry slopes. This provided a great opportunity for Prep pupils to ski with older students and a ski race coach. Later, four of these skiers, along with two younger pupils, competed in the ISSC indoor competition in Hemel Hempstead. They each had two runs down the Special Slalom. Despite their age, all the pupils performed exceptionally well, with the youngest ones competing in the U10s category. Special recognition goes to **Morgan Chaney**, who placed 5th in the U10s, and **Alfred Wilson**, who finished 6th. There was only a hundredth of a second between them! **Samantha Morey** and **Yevhenii Hrechyn** both placed 14th in their respective categories, and as a mixed team, we secured 3rd place in our category. Congratulations to all the pupils.



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01 Angus winning the U12 competition
02 Pupils at the West London Shooting school for the IAPS competition
03 Morgan and **Alfred** at the Issc indoor competition




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01 National IAPS U12 boys champions
02 Girls National IAPS team at Olympic park London
03 Boys National IAPS team at Olympic park London
04 Vivienne Lubbe and **Charlie Phipps** – Swimming captains and IAPS overall school champions

Swimming

The swimmers had a busy year with many opportunities to compete in development meets, relays, and open meets. The swimming year began with the Somerset Development meet, marking their first time racing since June. Next, they participated in the English Schools' National Relay competition and National Arena League competitions, where they enjoyed being part of a team and taking on relay challenges. The Spring term was particularly busy, with 46 swimmers qualifying for the Somerset County Championships, and the prep school team winning the Top Junior Club in Somerset. Millfield Schools achieved a commendable third place in the National Arena Club League. Moving on to the summer term, after an amazing Lanzarote training camp, 23 swimmers delivered outstanding results at the Regional Championships and concluded the year at the National IAPS, with the girls becoming National Champions for the 36th consecutive year and the boys for the 22nd year.



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Table Tennis

We have had another successful year of table tennis at Millfield Prep with great participation and enthusiasm from our pupils.

We are very proud of our successes at the National Table Tennis England Championships this year. With the U11 Team becoming Southwest champions and the U13 team Somerset champions. It has been great to see the enjoyment the children experience during the weekly clubs, playground time and multi activity sessions.

01 The U11 team, Somerset Champions. The U13 team, Somerset Champions and the Senior School team
02 The U11 team competing at the South of England Championships
03 The U11 team, Southwest Champions


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01 Lowri and **Almendra** at Play your Way to Wimbledon
02 Stanley and **Morgan**
03 Isabella action shot
04 Isabella at Little Mo
05 Toby, Tommy, Zach, Thomas and **Ollie -** National Schools Year 7 and 8 Runners up
06 Almendra
07 Toby at Tennis Europe in Finland

Tennis

The LTA awarded Millfield Prep U10 Performance Programme status again this year, recognising its commitment to developing young tennis players. Millfield Prep tennis players have qualified for several prestigious tournaments. **Isabella Wachtel** reached the quarter finals of the 'Little Mo' competition in Florida. **Tommy Weston, Toby Wong, Zach Kleiner,** and **Ollie Wright** qualified for the U12 Boys LTA National Championships, and **Almendra Correa Garma** and **Lowri Sinkins-Moysey** qualified for the U10 girls. **Toby Wong** reached the National U12 doubles semi-final and the second round of a U14 Tennis Europe event in Liverpool. **Almendra Correa Garma** won her first-round match in the LTA U11 Grade 2 National Championships and, ranked in the top 20 at U11, qualified for the Lexus U11 Grass Court Grade 1 National Championships.

In December, the Year 7 and 8 boys team, including **Toby Wong, Ollie Wright, Zach Kleiner, Tommy Weston,** and **Thomas Keeler,** played in the National Schools' Finals in Bolton, finishing as runners-up out of 2,423 teams. The competition has resumed, and both boys and girls teams are through to the area playoffs in September.

Twelve girls and 24 boys entered the Play Your Way to Wimbledon tournament. **Almendra Correa Garma** won the girls' final, and **Toby Wong** won the boys' final and went on to qualify for the National Finals on grass at the AELTC in August.


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The Prep U12 Boys team qualified for the Premier Division of the LTA National Club League Finals, finishing fourth out of 5,500 clubs, that entered and qualified for the Premier National Club League this summer.

In the Somerset County Closed Competition, Millfield Prep pupils won eight titles. Many pupils participated in County training and represented their respective counties in the County Cup competitions including **Eva Ladopoulos, Finn Saunders, Charlotte Johnston-Aucamp, Zara Glasper, Noah Fletcher, Max Wachtel, Almendra Correa Garma, Lowri Sinkins-Moysey, Tommy Weston, Oscar Fletcher, Ollie Wright, Riccardo Caprice,** and **Ollie Farrar.**

This year, we hosted 18 LTA-sanctioned Grade 4 and 5 tournaments across all age groups, attracting over 1,000 entrants from all over the country.



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Trampolining

Millfield Prep offers trampolining sessions for pupils from Year 1 to Year 8, with six sessions available throughout the week. These sessions cater to all levels and abilities. Younger pupils focus on the basics of trampolining, while older pupils continue to build their skills, including advanced moves like multiple somersaults linked into routines. They can also choose to compete at a level that suits their ability, with the school entering four competitions each year. This year, our trampoline squad achieved great success, winning numerous medals and team trophies at various competitions.

At the Southwest Schools competition in December, we had a large squad of 23 students, one of the biggest school entries in the region. 14 pupils qualified for the Southern Zonal competition in Worthing in January, and the Year 1-6 girls' team performed brilliantly at the National Finals in Telford, finishing in 4th position. In the Summer term, our pupils excelled at the National IAPS finals, with multiple pupils finishing in top positions and our teams performing exceptionally well.

It's a wonderful accomplishment for our pupils, especially those who participated in their first competitions this year. Congratulations to the entire trampoline squad!



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01 U13 girls IAPS squad
02 Alfred Wilson winning IAPS Boys U9 category
03 U9 and U11 Girls IAPS Squad
04 U11 Girls team at the National schools final



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