

PE and Sport at Snowsfields

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2015-16 was
£8871

London School Sport and PE Network (LSSPEN)

70% of our funding goes to the London Sport and PE Partnership. The partnership has provided us with a wide range of sporting opportunities and the children have enjoyed the competitions and activities available. They have also provided training for staff and now more Real PE as well as Real Gym is being taught across the school. Real Gym has proved very popular with the children. The partnership have also provided some of our Year 6 children with a fantastic trip to Go Ape! They also supported us in achieving our School games award this year.

Competitions from LSSPEN

LSSPEN have provided us with a range of competitions this year and here are the highlights:

Football: Our football team went to play at Bacon's college in the autumn term and this year we had a mixed team. Next year we hope to enter a boys' and girls' team.

Cricket: Year 3 has their first taste of competitive cricket as they played against local teams in Southwark Park.

Athletics: Years 3/4 and 5/6 have had the opportunity to test their speed and agility in a range of athletics events in Burgess Park this summer.

Multi-skills: Key Stage 1 have had the opportunity to take part in a range of games and activities to help develop their coordination, balance and agility.

Dance: Our dance troupe choreographed a performance inspired by basketball and performed at the Scoop this summer.

SEN: Children in Rainbow have been taking part in activities days where they've tried trampolining, tennis and archery.

Other activities

Rugby: This year Snowsfields children played in their first rugby match against other local schools at the Marlborough Sports facilities. The children had a fantastic time and came back with two medals! We hope to have more matches there in the future.

Swimming: Year 4 have been attending weekly swimming lesson, with their water confidence and skills improving greatly.

Cycle training: Many children in Key Stage 2 have been able to take part in cycle proficiency lesson this summer.



Curriculum

Real Gym and Real PE are a new way of teaching PE. They not only focus on the physical aspects of PE but also aim to develop each child's social, personal, cognitive and creativity skills. This is achieved through fun warm ups, practising skills and skill application through fun games. The children often request to play the games from the framework, highlighting how fun and engaging they are. Now in lesson, teachers can hear the children encourage each other, rewards one another and are becoming better at gracefully winning and losing, with a determination to improve on their personal best.

Other more traditional sports are taught alongside the Real PE and Gym lessons and cricket, football and netball have all proved popular again this year.

Community

PWC have been running the ever popular after school football club. We have also been making use of the Marlborough sports facilities on Union Street. These facilities are due to be redeveloped in the coming year, providing even more sporting opportunities.

What's next?

Health Week will be packed with lots of PSHE lessons to inform the children about good relationships, growing older and staying safe. There will be plenty of healthy eating and lifestyle learning as well as the opportunity to try different sports, culminating in Race for Life and Sports Day. Over the summer term, the children will be completing healthy lifestyle questionnaires, providing extra data towards our healthy schools award.