



### House Captains

Each house has voted for a pupil to represent their house as House Captain. The House Captains role will be to support and encourage children to participate in inter-house competitions. Here are a few words from them and why they are proud to be our HJS House Captains of 2021-2022:



#### Abi – Thames

*“I am proud to be able to encourage all of Thames students to be the best they can be in all areas, especially sport.”*

#### Struan - Thames

*“I am proud to be House Captain this year because I play many sports and I push myself in all of them. I hope everyone in Thames pushes themselves as hard as I do.”*

#### Dina – Bushy

*“I am proud to be Bushy’s House Captain for this year because I want everyone to try their best playing sport and to encourage everyone to keep on going.”*

#### Dylan – Bushy

*“I am proud to be Bushy’s House Captain because I want to push everyone beyond their limits and make sure we win and most importantly I want to make sure everyone has fun.”*

#### Ella – Tudor

*“I love Tudor and I can’t wait to lead them to victory again! Also, I can’t wait to play for Tudor as their House Captain!”*

#### Calvin – Tudor

*“I want to be House Captain because I’ve always looked up to House Captains in my time at HJS and I want to do as much as I can in Year 6.”*



### Rosie – Hampton

*“I am proud of being Hampton’s House Captain because I really love sport and I want to encourage pupils to achieve their goals for this year.”*

### Oscar - Hampton

*“I can watch HJS student grow and progress in their sporting skills and also to get better at sport myself. Furthermore, I hope I can make lessons and P.E more fun and exciting.”*



### Inter-House Competition – Hockey

This terms inter-house competition was hockey which took place the week commencing 8th November. Each year group competed in their houses, battling for a place in our competition final.

Year 3: Tudor 6 – 1 Thames

Year 5: Bushy 3 – 2 Hampton

Year 4: Hampton 3 – 1 Bushy

Year 6: Bushy 2 – 1 Thames

Well done to all pupils who participated in matches and supporting their houses. A big congratulations to our inter-house competition winners... **BUSHY!**



## PE Points



PE points are awarded to pupils for working well within their houses in PE lessons. These PE points are then collected and accumulated per year group. The winning house will then receive a PE points trophy which will be displayed in school.

## Court markings/post

Over the summer, we have had new markings installed on our playgrounds along with new removable netball posts and 2 4-squares grids. This has already been a brilliant addition at break and lunch times and is something that we will benefit from this year with our netball home fixtures as we will be able to facilitate two games at a time.

## Sports Crew

I am happy to say that we are now able to have our Sports Crew up and running again for this academic year. This gives Year 5 & 6 pupils the opportunity to run games and activities for pupils at lunchtimes. I know for a fact that the students selected have been very excited and eager to get started! Keep an eye out for them on the playground in their white HJS t-shirts.



## Competitions

This term we played in a Tag Rugby tournament at Richmond Rugby Club. 10 students took part and competed against 30 local schools in the borough. After our pool games, we reached the semi-finals after losing a close game by 2 tries against Queens. We were also the only school to be awarded a medal for showing great sportsmanship and teamwork throughout our games. They should be very proud of themselves – Freddie (6S), Charlie (6GK), Seth (5P), Dylan (5C), Francois (6S), Florence (5P), Raif (5H), John (5H), Saoirse (6GK) and Lauren (5H).





On the 18th November, 6 students took part in a cross country race at Richmond Park. The students ran a course of 2.2km and completed the race over some very difficult terrain and steep hills. We are still awaiting the results from the competition. Once I have

this information I will share it with you. Well done to everyone that took part – Eva (5P), Holly (5B), Sabina (5H), Heath (5H), Edward (5N) and Lucas (5H).



### Leagues/Fixtures

Netball – On 2nd November, HJS took their A and B teams to Hampton Hill Junior School. Both teams played fantastically well with some brilliant skills and sportsmanship shown throughout. The A team's final score was 5-2 to Hampton Hill. The B team's final score was 5-0 to HJS. Well done to both team.



Tag Rugby – On 11th November, the tag rugby team had their first league fixture against Heathfield at the HJS field. It was a great game to watch with some fantastic running rugby. The final score was 0-2 to Heathfield.

This year, if your child is selected for a fixture or tournament, a google form will be sent out asking if they can compete. We are in the process of organizing more fixtures and as soon we have these scheduled, we will share this information with you. To find out which sports clubs that are running at school, contact [office.hjs@hpp.school](mailto:office.hjs@hpp.school).

I'm sure we can speak for everyone when we say how thrilled we are for sport to be up and running in schools again. We look forward to all the events and competitions that are taking place at HJS across this academic year!

Regards,

Mr Graves & Mr Elson