



Friday 11th June 2010

On Tuesday the U13 girls Cricket team had their first match of the season. Mayfield were the opponents and the game was played at Sandham. Mayfield won the toss and wisely chose to field first. Our opening batters were Chloe Shepherd and Bethany Brittan. After two overs they had scored 6 runs. Stephanie Smith and Abbie Howard were next in to bat. They clocked up 21 runs between them, bringing Sandham's total to 222, losing one wicket. Daneen Skeels and Mollie Loman scored 15 runs after some very good bowling from Mayfield. Sandham's score was now 237 and our last pair of batters—Shannon Roberts and Tansy Wheeler took to the wickets. Tansy hit 4 boundaries with Shannon consistently defending the wickets. They scored 20 runs between them bringing Sandham's total for the innings to 257.



It was Mayfield's turn to bat and Molly was our opening bowler. At the end of the over Mayfield had scored 4 runs (204). Daneen bowled next and took a while to settle into her stride. At the end of the over Mayfield had increased their score to 215. Abbie was up next and bowled an amazing over with only one run being scored off it, Mayfield were now at 216. Tansy demonstrated that her bowling was as good as her batting, taking the first wicket of the game and reducing Mayfield's score to 215. Another impressive display of bowling from Shannon and Bethany left Mayfield at 222 with two overs remaining—Mayfield needing 36 to win. Although the game was almost in the bag for Sandham the bowlers needed to concentrate as careless bowling would mean Mayfield would gain the vital points they would need to win. Thankfully Stephanie and Chloe bowled some exceptional balls, with Mayfield only managing to score 4 runs off 12 balls meaning Sandham were the champions beating Mayfield 257 to 226. A great start to the season **BUT** there are still improvements to be made—PLEASE COME TO TRAINING ON WEDNESDAY'S 3-4PM. Sandham now face Osborne in the semi-finals due to be played the week beginning 21st June. **Please let Miss Walker know if there are ANY days that week that you know you will be unable to play!**

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Shankin & Sandown Rowing Club are offering a JUNIOR LEARN TO ROW COURSE.

There are 6 sessions set up for complete beginners to come and learn to row and have fun on the water. Children need to commit to all 6 sessions which take place on the following days:
 Thur 24th June, Thur 1st July, Thur 8th July, Thur 15th July, Thur 22nd July and Sunday 25th July. The Thursday sessions are from 5.30—7.30pm and the Sunday session is 11am—1.30pm.

This is a fantastic opportunity to try out this amazing sport, and at only £10 for all of the sessions places will go fast. It is on a first come first served basis so you must act quick. Please see Miss Walker for a letter or email rachael.wooldridge@britishrowing.org or phone 07818576146.

WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK....

Tuesday 15th	Year 5 & 6 Cricket Club 3-4pm, Sandham. U13B Cricket Vs Nodehill @ Christ The King, Newport
Wednesday 16th	Year 5 & 6 Rounders Club 3-4pm, Sandham Year 7 & 8 Cricket Club 3-4pm, Sandham U13B Cricket Vs Sandown High (friendly)
Thursday 17th	Island Schools Athletics Championships. 9.30am—4.00pm Sandown High School Year 7 & 8 Volleyball Club 3-4pm, Sandham
Friday 18th	Tennis Club 3-4pm, Sandham