

# King's Sports Bulletin

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## SPORTS AWARDS

Friday 19 June

The Girls' Sports Awards evening was held on Friday. Sandra Wright ( nee Douglas) mother of Olivia Bollington in Year 7 and 4 x 400m Bronze medalist in 1992 Barcelona Olympics presented the awards.

### HOCKEY

PLAYER OF THE YEAR	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER
<b>U12</b> V Provis	A Massie
<b>U13</b> P Forsythe	J Leddy
<b>U14</b> L Knowles	S Pearson
<b>U15</b> J Bowers	B Duckham
<b>U16</b> K Pickering	H Higham
<b>1stXI</b> S Gales	A King

### NETBALL

PLAYER OF THE YEAR	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER
<b>U12</b> K Fray	F Beaumont
<b>U13</b> K Edge	C Cornish
<b>U14</b> C Stafford	B Gallagher
<b>U15</b> C Venables	E Barratt
<b>U16</b> P Gillian	M Shannon
<b>1stVII</b> Y Lavassani	F Jeffrey

### SWIMMING

SWIMMER OF THE YEAR  
Jess Burns

### BIATHLON

BIATHLETE OF THE YEAR  
Rebecca Hughes

### CROSS COUNTRY

RUNNER OF THE YEAR  
U12 - B Burrows  
U14 - A Brooks  
U16 - A Edgerton

### ATHLETICS

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR  
Minors  
O Bollington

Juniors  
L Venables

Inters  
R Aslam

### ROUNDERS

PLAYER OF THE YEAR  
**U12** S Quinn

**U13** J Blake  
**U14** R Jones  
**U15** G Henshaw

### TENNIS AWARD

Holly J Smith

### VICTRIX LUDORUM

Rafia Aslam

### TEAM OF THE YEAR

U14 Hockey – County Champions

### SPORTS PREFECTS

Chloe Venables and Phoebe Fox



Rafia Aslam receives her award from Sandra Wright

## ATHLETICS

Wednesday 10 June

### Track Relays at Stockport Grammar School

There were some superb performances from Years 7, 8 and 9 and the five Year 10 girls who represented their team deserve special congratulations for their fantastic efforts in running three events due to the absence of team members for various reasons. With fresh legs in the team we would clearly have won the competition!

#### Year 7

4 X 100M	1st
4 X 300M	2nd
3 X 800M	2nd

Friday 10 -11 July

**Year 8**

4 X 100M 2nd  
4 X 300M 2nd  
3 X 800M 2nd

**Year 9**

4 X 100M 3rd  
4 X 300M 1st  
3 X 800M 2nd

**Year 10**

4 X 100M 4th  
4 X 300M 5th  
3 X 800M 4th

**OVERALL RESULTS**

1st Stockport Grammar 69 PTS  
**2nd KING'S 66 PTS**  
3rd = Withington 55 pts  
Bramhall High  
5th Manchester High 49 pts

Tuesday 16 June

**Schools Cup Athletics**

**N.W Regional Finals**

**Junior Girls' Team**

OVERALL POSITION 5<sup>TH</sup> OUT OF 10 TEAMS

A fantastic result against strong opposition in very hot, sunny conditions. We scored 35 points more than in round one. Well done to everyone who improved on their performances. \*

Winning team scored 332 points

**5 : 297pts : The King's School, Macclesfield**

**100m** 14.1s = 18pts Olivia Bollington  
15.2s = 11pts Megan Wilson  
**200m** 30.0s = 18pts Pippa Forsythe  
31.4s = 13pts Raynor Bloom \*  
**800m** 2m50.1s = 18pts Alix Davies \*  
3m04.2s = 13pts Katherin Fray  
**1500m** 5m36.8s = 19pts Annabel Brooks  
5m48.9s = 17pts Rebecca Hughes  
**Hurdles** 13.0s = 24pts Laura Venables \*  
16.0s = 11pts Beth Burrows \*  
**Relay** 61.6s = 14pts  
= 0pts  
**High Jump** 1.20m = 14pts Laura Venables \*\*  
1.17m = 13pts Beth Burrows \*  
**Long Jump** 4.05m = 16pts Olivia Bollington\*  
3.98m = 15pts Sophie Quinn \*  
**Shot** 6.47m = 13pts Alix Davies \*  
6.30m = 13pts Katherin Fray  
**Discus** 14.73m = 12pts Pippa Forsythe \*  
8.99m = 5pts Rebecca Hughes  
**Javelin** 16.23m = 14pts Catherine Smith \*  
10.14m = 6pts Megan Wilson

**English Schools Athletics Association**

**National Schools Championships**

I was a Team Manager for Cheshire at the English Schools Athletics Association, National Schools Championships at Don Valley Stadium Sheffield in July, where Alix Barton and Rebecca Craigie competed for Cheshire.

Alix threw 29.91m in the hammer but didn't get into the final (which was won by a throw of 52.27m. Rebecca ran an impressive race, finishing in second place with a time of 4.26:60s, obtaining national standard.

Both had a super experience, competing against the best athletes in the country from the forty six counties in England. It was a very prestigious event and I was proud to be involved and to witness the success of two King's girls.

Lisa Booker

**ROUNDERS**

Saturday 13 June

**v Lady Manners School**

U15 won 10½ - 4  
U14 won 15½ - 5  
U13 won 13½ - 12½  
U12 won 23 - 13

Good results all round.

Saturday 27 June

**v Newcastle-u-Lyme**

U15 won 8 - 1½  
U14 won 8½ - 6  
U13 won 8½ - 5  
U12 lost 4½ - 11

Unfortunately rain stopped play—the ground was very slippery so matches were abandoned after the first innings.

**TENNIS**

Monday 29 June

**v Cheadle Hulme School**

Girls from years 7, 8 and 9 to went to Cheadle Hulme School after school for a tennis match. The year 7's played particularly well, winning a total of 18 games to Cheadle's 6. Unfortunately, the other year groups didn't play as well, with year 8 losing 21 - 5 and in a closely fought contest the year 9's narrowly lost 15 - 12.

Year 7	Cheadle 1	Cheadle 2
King's 1	5-2	5-1
King's 2	4-2	4-1
Year 8		
King's 1	1-7	2-4
King's 2	0-6	2-4
Year 9		
King's 1	2-6	6-1
King's 2	1-6	3-2

### Year 7

King's win 18 – 6

### Year 8

Cheadle win 21 – 5

### Year 9

Cheadle win 15 - 12

Lucy Hewitson

## CRICKET

Congratulations to :-

Hannah Gradwell who scored an excellent 56 for Cheshire girls U15's on Thursday 21 May but was unable to save the team from defeat. On Sunday 24 Hannah played for the full Cheshire Women against Lancashire. Cheshire bowled Lancashire out for 61 and won by 7 wickets with Hannah scoring 31 not out. An outstanding achievement.

Congratulations also to :-

Alex Thomson appointed Staffordshire Cricket Club U15 Captain for 2009. Alex scored an excellent 39 for the County on 31 May but was unable to save his team from defeat.

### Overall Summary of Cricket Results

Matches	131
Won	53
Lost	34
Drawn	4
Tied	1
Abandoned	3
Cancelled	36

Number of players 154

Runs 11088 For 645Wkts @ 17.2  
For

In 2505Overs @ 4.43

Runs 10008 For 695Wkts @ 14.4  
Against

In 2364Overs @ 4.23

### Team of the Year

U14's and U15's both had good seasons with some excellent results. The U15's won the Cheshire final and the U14's were knocked out in the quarters. The U12's also had an excellent season losing in the semi final of the Cheshire Cup. The 1st XI and 2nd XI had good years as well. Although statistically their results may not have been as good as other teams the u13's win the award for

the improvement they have made as a side throughout the season – having worked hard all year under the supervision of coach Mr Jones.

### Senior cricketer of the year U15 and older

Some excellent individual contributions from many cricketers Johnny Marsden and Sam Stockwin contributed well with the ball for the 1<sup>st</sup> XI with excellent all round performances from Joe Stanley, Tom Foreman and Andrew Hodgson. The U15's were captained well by Sam Leech but for the amount of runs and wickets taken the award goes to Jimmy Lomas who captained the 1st XI and who has taken more wickets than any other King's bowler in the last decade; he is also one of the leading run scorers in the 1st XI.



### Junior cricketer of the year U14 and U13

Excellent performances from David and James Barton in the u14's. Ben Marsden represented the 1<sup>st</sup> XI as an U14 for most of the season and performed well. Alex Dyson had a good season as captain and batsman for the U13's but the award goes to Adam Siddall who has consistently taken wickets and scored runs for the U13's with 88

against Lytham, 74 against Far North (SA) and even 5 wickets for 9 runs against Bury for the U15's!

### JD Moore Trophy (U12 cricketer of the year)

The U12's had an excellent season. Toby Bianchi took 8 wickets and was second highest wicket taker behind Jamie Edgerton; Toby was also second leading run scorer. But the winner of the award with three fifties and nearly 400 runs as wicket keeper/captain is Finlay McCance.



**1st XI Most Valuable player** (based on points scored for runs, wickets, catches and run outs)

With the final game to play last year this award was undecided but this season the result could not be clearer.

Jimmy Lomas has scored nearly 400 points more than his closet rival going into the Old Boys' match - the award therefore goes to Jimmy Lomas.

**Century bats are awarded to;**

For the first time in 6 years no batsman has scored a century for the school! Alex Thomson's 97\* in the U15's cup v Poynton was the closest anyone got.

Cricket Balls are awarded for 6 wickets in a match or hat tricks;

J Lomas 1st XI 7 for 45 v Lytham

G Eyre U15's 6 for 7 v Alsager

M Jones 2nd XI 6 for 16 v Birkenhead

C Burke U13b 3 for 15 (incl. hat trick) v Wilmslow



**Representative honours**

J Marsden Derbyshire U17

A Thomson Staffs. U15 captain

T Foreman Chesh. U15

A Hodgson Chesh U15 and North England Trial (he performed very well but was not able to be considered for selection as he was in New Zealand on the school rugby tour at the time of the matches).

H Gradwell Cheshire U15 + U17 girls + Cheshire Ladies scoring 104 not out against Staffs

A Siddall Manchester Boys.

