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EXTRA-CURRICULAR ROUND UP

Welcome to our extra-curricular round-up for this term. This edition showcases the wonderful opportunities that are on offer at Driffield School. Our extra-curricular programme is designed to provide a wide range of experiences that enrich character, community involvement and social development and it has been great to see so many students involved!

A big thank you to all the staff who have been so generous with their time to enable the extra-curricular activities to take place.

The Summer Extra-Curricular schedule will be advertised in the first week back.



PERFORMING ARTS

THEATRE VISIT



On Wednesday 6 March, Year 12 and Year 13 Drama groups went to see 'A Song for Ella Grey' at Hull Truck Theatre,

I thought that altogether the performance was very successful and took you on a very whimsical journey based on the Greek Myth of Orpheus and Eurydice. The themes were things like: friendship, jealousy, growing up and self-discovery.

The set featured a lot of levels which the actors would frequently explore and move between, allowing the story to have a flowing quality. In particular, the haunting folk music was used as a way of giving uniqueness to this performance, particularly because it was accompanied with physical theatre that created shadows and had powerful meaning behind it.

The acting from everyone involved was strong throughout and the story had clever moments of multi role acting towards the play's finale that created the dramatic ending.

Overall I think that 'A Song for Ella Grey' is a very powerful piece and will leave you reflecting on how you interpret the ending and the main message of the piece.

Tabitha Dean - Year 12

PERFORMING ARTS

PERFORMING ARTS CLUB

Mr Couper has launched a new Performing Arts club around belonging and inclusion. This extra curricular activity every Friday lunchtime invites students to come and have their lunch together and socialise, have an open mic/share a talent or rehearse music, drama, dance or art. This lunchtime club is held in the main space of the performing arts building and launched with 48 students keen to get involved. The club allows students to share their skills and abilities in the arts and not just in music. Over the course of the year, staff will rehearse and hopefully run a performance of all nine songs from 'The Greatest Showman' interspersed with student talents from dancing, magic, sport skills, art and design, musical performances for a showcase in the summer. The emphasis of the lunchtime club is using the time for students to explore their creativity and share this with their friends and most importantly promotes belonging and inclusivity. This is open to all year groups.



This term, music has linked up with Drifffield Male Voice Choir to promote new members to join from the sixth form. We hope to have a concert with the Drifffield Male Voice Choir in November around remembrance week.

Twenty two Year 11 music students are working hard completing their performance exams and compositions for their GCSE music this year. We wish them every success with their exams next term.

Mr Couper is also planning a music tour for 40 students next Easter (2025) to Edinburgh, to perform concerts around the historic city and visit local attractions and cultural hotspots.

BASKETBALL

Year 8 boys were thrilled to be taking part in a friendly basketball fixture against Headlands School alongside other sporting fixtures on Tuesday 5th March.

The boys organised themselves into two teams and displayed true sportsmanship and respect to each other by equally rotating players on and off the court and playing to the boys' strengths to play their best basketball. The games were fairly even with all the boys enjoying the opportunity to gain more game time experience. With a total of 4 games being played, Drifffield won 2, drew 1 and lost 1 with lots of points being scored.

Thank you to Matthew Leach, one of our Sixth Formers who kindly came to support the boys and refereed one of the games.

Year 8 team one: Travis Botterill, Dylan Holmes, Cory Starrett, Isaac Try and Lachlan Walker
Year 8 team two: Will Sims, Jack Little, Alex Vodden, Ashton Spence and Jack Hopper



DODGEBALL

On Tuesday 27th February, Year 7 and 8 students travelled to Bridlington School to compete in a Schools Dodgeball competition against Hornsea, Bridlington, Headlands and South Holderness Schools.

Students were all smiles as they enjoyed being part of an exciting and very competitive evening of dodgeball.

The girls started the tournament well, winning 2-1 against Headlands. Next, they faced Bridlington and South Holderness, which were both very close games and some good play on show with Bella Bougen making a couple of great catches. The final match was against Hornsea which saw Driffield winning all three sets and in a couple of sets were able to get all the Hornsea players out, with Lauren Hodgson and Bella making a catch each.

The boys on the other side of the sports hall were also competing well, winning against Headlands and Bridlington but narrowly missing out against South Holderness and Hornsea.

Overall, it was a thoroughly enjoyable evening with the girls finishing in 2nd place and the boys 3rd place: A huge well done to all the students that took part!

Boys - Noah Brown, Leo Arnold, Cameron Wilkinson, Fletcher Turton, Dylan Ling, Noah Bryan and Jack Hopper.

Girls - Evie Hopper, Maisie Cooper, Bella Bougen, Aleah Bower, Isla Sharp, Emily Skow and Lauren Hodgson.



FOOTBALL

On Wednesday 28th February, Hornsea School welcomed Driffield to play a Year 10 girls football fixture in perfect conditions on their 3G pitch.

On their home ground, Hornsea made a strong start and immediately put Driffield on the back foot. Driffield reacted quickly and worked hard to keep the Hornsea girls out of their half, playing well together to create some attacking chances. Connie Youd used her skill and strength to get on the ball as much as possible to find Winnie Fenwick, Betsy Fenton and Tiffany Ling upfront. Morgan Gartside kindly offered to go in goal for the first half and she did an amazing job to stop many Hornsea shots. Scarlett Bunker, Millie Kidd and Clemmie Bottomley were busy at the back defending strongly and linking up with Connie in the middle of the park.

The second half saw Clemmie don the goalie gloves and she made some outstanding saves. Morgan now out of her goal strengthened the defence and the girls had a more positive second half, with play being more of an even contest.

Overall, the girls enjoyed an evening of football against a strong Hornsea side and improved throughout the game.

They look forward to more fixtures in the near future.

Team:

Connie Youd, Scarlett Bunker, Winnie Fenwick, Millie Kidd, Morgan Gartside, Tiffany Ling, Clemmie Bottomley and Betsy Fenton



FOOTBALL

On a beautiful night for football, the Drifffield School Year 8 B team travelled to Headlands to experience 11 a side football. The boys were keen to develop their skills and their understanding of a number of different positions. Despite going 4-0 down to a strong Headlands team the boys rallied after a rousing halftime team talk from coach Brown. After an early setback and conceding another goal, the boys started to have more confidence, passed the ball better and scored two goals to make the final score 5-2 and a much fairer result. The team were pleased with their second half performance and are eager for more games in the future.

Team:

Oliver Dodds, Oliver Thompson, Harry Smith, Alfie Beasley, Lucjan Olecha, Callum Potter, Lennon Slaughter, Jakub Trzeciak, Devon Bemrose, Ethan Marshall, Lyndon Harrison, Isaac Melia



NETBALL

Drifffield School participated in the annual 'Year 10 End of Season Netball Tournament' which was held at Market Weighton School on Thursday 29th February competing against South Hunsley, Market Weighton, Wolfreton, Snaith, Longcroft and Goole. Our Year 10 girls played at a high level with many of the opposition being club players of a high standard.

The girls' fitness levels were put to the test as they worked hard to keep or regain possession, playing some lovely netball and working well as a team. One of the highlights from the evening was when Betsy Fenton scored our first goal of the evening from the outer circle - we all gave a huge cheer and secondly our game against Snaith which was our best game of the evening.

Credit to the girls for how well they represented the school, not only on the court but off the court, being respectful to both their teammates and the opposition and having a great work ethic giving 100% effort in every game.

Year 10 Netball team:

Annie Connor, Katie Harrington, Betsy Fenton, Ava Windsor, Andriana Drewery, Ruby Irvine, Scarlet Bunker, Connie Youd, Phoebe Goodlass, Tiffany Ling, Amelia Crawford and Millie Kidd



FOOTBALL

After success in the second round, Driffield's U12 boys football team progressed to the quarter final of the Humberside Cup and found themselves drawn against Baysgarth School, Barton-upon-Humber. The boys made the trip over the Humber bridge and were excited to be representing the school again and hoping to progress in the cup.

The Driffield boys found themselves under immediate pressure from the start, with the home side dominating the play within the Driffield half. Unfortunately, Baysgarth opened the scoring but that made Driffield more determined to get into the game. Driffield were able to get hold of the ball and started playing some good football and were rewarded when a cross into the box found Liam Evans, who skillfully found the back of the net.

With the score of 1-1 at half time, Driffield were full of energy knowing the game was open for both teams.

Even though Driffield were giving their all, Baysgarth were able to score two quick goals in the early stages of the second half. Driffield rallied round and from then on had most of the possession. Freddie Johnson was strong down the left-hand side, being a real threat to the Baysgarth defence. Driffield had some really good chances, a strike from Liam falling narrowly wide and Harry Burkinshaw's free kick hitting the crossbar, but it was Freddie who was able to sneak one past the Baysgarth goalie when he found himself one on one with the keeper. With the scoreline 3-2 in Baysgarth's favor and Driffield on top, it made for a very competitive final 10 minutes. Unfortunately, Driffield couldn't find the equaliser that they worked so hard for.

The boys are looking forward to more matches in the future.

Brad Cole, Ryan Renshaw, Charlie Gibson, Liam Evans, Harry Burkinshaw, Alec Massey, Louie Kelly, Freddie Walker, Noah Bryan, Freddie Johnson, Finlay Harrison and Harvey Woodward



BASKETBALL

On Tuesday 20th February, a group of Year 7 and 8 students travelled to Beverley Grammar school to participate in a Schools Basketball Competition.

Firstly, thank you to Beverley Grammar and the Sports School Partnership for hosting and organising a very enjoyable evening of basketball.

All the boys put in a great performance with lots of goals and team spirit on display. They enjoyed 5 competitive games against Withernsea, Beverley Grammar A, Hornsea, Beverley Grammar B and Headlands in which they improved throughout the evening. The boys showed the power of teamwork and worked well together, pulling on everyone's strengths.

Team: Austin Woodcock, Will Raines, Alfie Shelton, Harry Burkinshaw, Noah Bryan and Lucjan Olecha



Drifffield Rugby players watch England Men train



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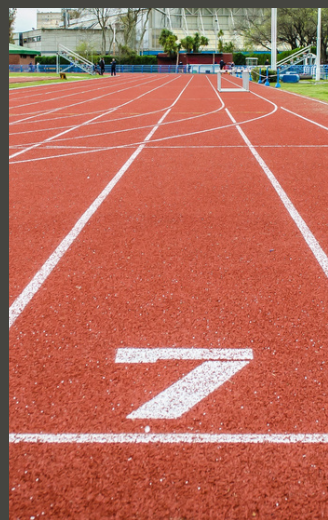
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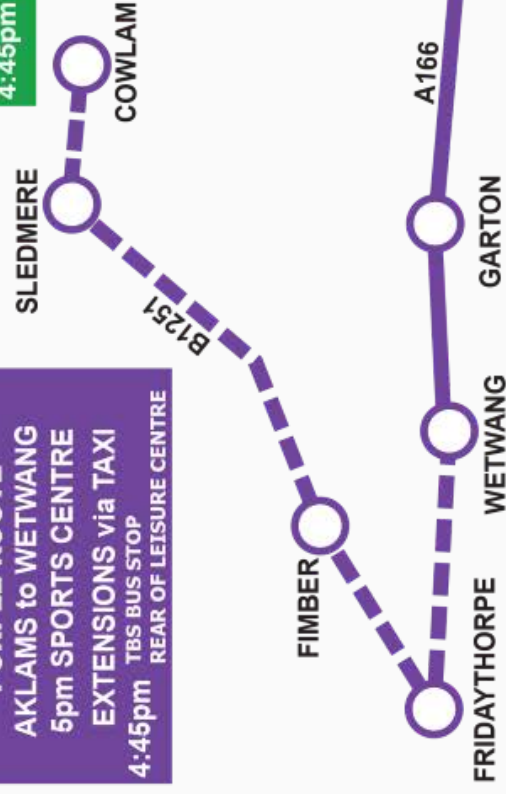
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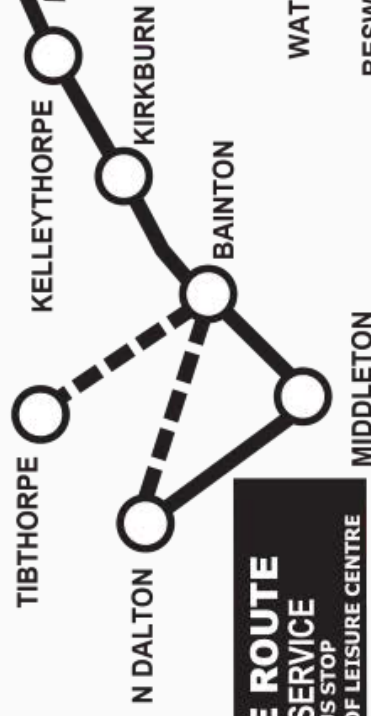
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