Therfield School

A Specialist Sports College

Youth Sport Trust

Gold Partner 2011/12

Healthy School

&

a GET SET Network School

Implementing the 'Get Set' programme

Living the Olympic and Paralympic Values

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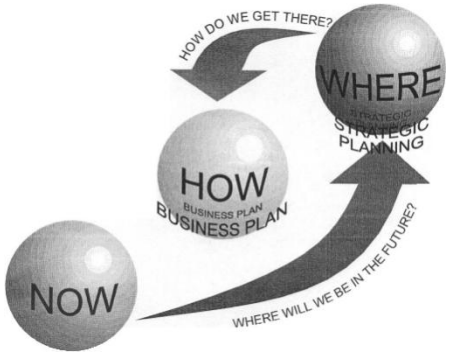
Why we wanted to join..

- We believe the Olympic Values underpin our whole school ethos of ‘Best For All’.
- We believe that the Olympic Values run through all aspects of life and by whole-heartedly embracing them, students can enrich their education and achieve their full potential both in school and beyond.
- We want to be part of the network that can offer exclusive opportunities to schools, communities and individuals, showcasing and celebrating the lead up to 2012 and creating a legacy after the Olympics.

Our journey ~ Planning!

- Introduced via Youth Sports Trust Conference
- Research (Driving your existing objectives)
- Support from Leadership Team
- Added to School Development Plan
- Applied to become a network school..& were successful!



Our journey ~ Implementing!

- Visit to Lords Meade Vocational College Uganda
- Olympic committee for staff & students formed
- Assemblies (Therfield & local Primary Schools)
- Faculty Olympic showcase event
- Leadership provision
- Festivals
- Embed values into house system

Taking the values to Uganda

In July 2010 our Year 12 Higher Sports Leaders visited Lords Meade Vocational College in Uganda which is linked with Therfield School.

- Our 8 leaders were trained in the delivery of Quadkids Athletics before departure and whilst in Uganda they assisted in a whole school Sports Day and lead Quadkids training for 40 Ugandan students. They then planned and delivered together a Quadkids festival to 120 non-English speaking local primary school children.

- They have delivered assemblies both here and in Uganda, based on the Olympic Values. The students describe this experience as a life-changing one.

Therfield
'On your marks'.....for 2012

Living the Olympic
and Paralympic Values

Thursday 10th March 2011

Live performances at 7.00pm, 7.40pm & 8.20pm,

Refreshments

500 days until the greatest show on earth!

Activities & displays All evening

See how we are living values in EVERY faculty

Admission by donation. Donations will be given to our Partner School, Lords Meade in Uganda & Liquid Connection, Leatherhead

Therfield
"Enhancing opportunity in the community"
For more information please call 01372 818123

Our journey ~ Impact and opportunities

World Record

at George Abbot

School, Guildford

Our local hero, Vicki Hansford speaks at the PE & Sport Faculty Awards evening

Exciting and inspiring our students

- Year 6 Induction days: cross curricular OLYMPIC PROJECT
- Year 7 PSHE values and ‘My World' projects
- Competitions – poetry writing, design a t-shirt, Film Nation, Supporter to Reporter
- Specific value focus e.g.

Equality: set up Boccia club & extend links with local Special School

Determination: individual & group goal setting tasks

- Faculty showcase 2!
- Olympic assemblies

Congratulations to:
Leah Fullalove,
Lynsey Jones,
Julia Munday,
Natalie Ostheim.

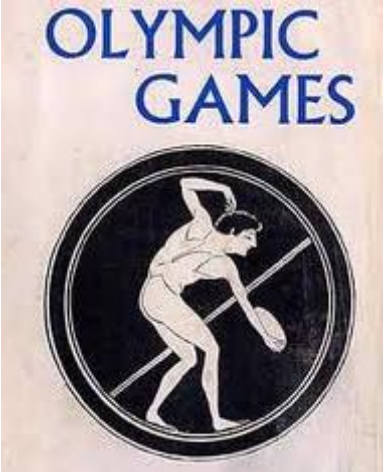
Their flag is displayed here but it usually flies outside the front of school ….

Thanks to all staff involved in making this project a success, but a special mention to Ms Collins & Miss Bishop for their guidance, time and inspiration!

Giant making - Celebrating the Olympics 2012 and Surrey's ancient tradition of Hill Top Picnics.

Roald Bradstock – the 'Olympic Picasso' workshop, attended by GCSE Art students and now implemented into a Year 8 scheme of work

Ever fancied building your own motorcar?



A History of the Olympics

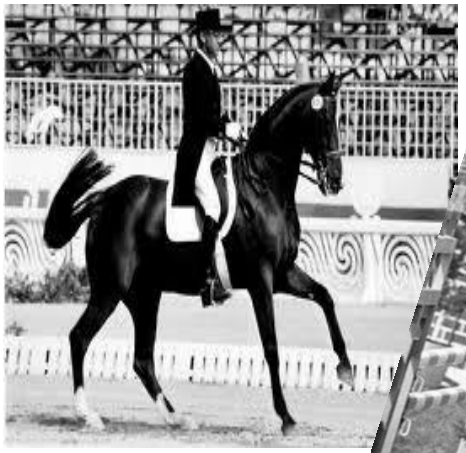
from Olympia 776.BC

By Michael B

My Top Show Jumper. Stroller.

Show Jumping is the only sport were men and women compete against each other. My top Show Jumper is Reiner Klimke - he has won the most Olympic Equestrian Medals ever, he has won 6 gold medals 5 silver and 4 bronze. The most famous horse is ‘Stroller’ - he is the only pony/shortest horse to have ever competed in the Olympics (he is 14.2 hands) and has won a silver medal in the

1968 Olympics Mexico, getting a clear round.



My Top Swimmer

…IS Mark Spitz in the Munich games where he (considered the under dog) won all 7 of his races, breaking the WR each time! He broke virtually every existing swimming record. His gold medal tally was beaten in 2008 by Michael Phelps.

Torch relay
How many miles?

Sainsbury's 1 million kids challenge:~

Higher sports leaders commit to introducing Paralympic sports to the masses!

Inspiring young people to get active!

It’s really happening!

Young Ambassadors meet Lord Sebastian Coe at Boxhill, to celebrate part of the 2012 cycle route. James Young, 15, of Therfield School, said: "I was really excited about today. He's an Olympic hero so it was an honour to meet him."

In October Therfield had submitted an application to be “Young Games Makers” (which allows 16-18 year olds to volunteer at the greatest show on earth) and we’ve just had confirmation they will be officials at the 7-a-side Paralympic Football Competition

Has it been worth it?

GET SET has helped support our:

- Key theme of 'Leadership' across the school
- Healthy Schools work
- YST Partner School Status Gold
- Leadership, Coaching and Volunteering bid
- International Award
- Sports Leaders UK Academy status
- Young Ambassadors
- Young Games Maker application
- Step into Sport opportunities
- Bid for 'Plan Your 2012' - Olympic themed work across our confederation…*hopefully!!*

What we've gained:

- A catalyst to focus lots of different projects together
- Online ticket bid!
- Celebrity visit
- Publicity events/ opportunity to work with local schools & community: Invited to host GET SET research & networking event locally, Faculty Showcase evenings, Confederation Olympic Festival and Torch Relay
- New focus for staff
- Free resources to support teaching and learning
- Special events for students:
  Sports Makers convention
  Invited as one of six schools to the launch of Surrey School Games
  National School Sports week
  World Sports Day
  Meet an Olympian
  Subject specific workshops
  Take part in World record event
  Festivals/Torch relay

Questions!