

Press release – 5/2/16

School Games County Level 3 Badminton Competition

Wiltshire and Swindon Sport were very pleased with the high standard of play and sportsmanship at the School Games Level 3 county Badminton Competition at Tidworth Leisure Centre on the 2nd February.

11 schools took part from across Wiltshire and Swindon - Stonehenge, Leehurst Swan, St Augustines, Clarendon, Matravers, St Laurence, St Edmunds, Bishop Wordsworth, Hardenhuish, Devizes, Isambard.

KS3 boys was a really close competition with any of the top 3 schools in a position to win until the final match

Results KS3 boys

- 1st – Bishop Wordsworth
- 2nd – St Augustines
- 3rd – Devizes
- 4th – St Laurence
- 5th – Stonehenge

Hardenhuish were comfortable winners in the KS3 girls section but it was very closely fought for the remaining places. Special mention to Leehurst Swan school who were taking part in their first ever School Games event.

Results KS3 Girls

- 1st – Hardenhuish
- 2nd – St Edmunds
- 3rd – Leehurst Swan
- 4th – Matravers
- 5th – Clarendon

The KS4 boys and girls competitions were hotly contested between the top two places with many games ending 21-20!

KS4 boys

- 1st – Devizes
- 2nd – Isambard
- 3rd – Matravers
- 4th – Bishop Wordsworth
- 5th – Stonehenge

KS4 girls

- 1st – St Augustines
- 2nd – Isambard
- 3rd – Hardenhuish
- 4th – St Edmunds
- 5th – Stonehenge



The 20 Young Leaders from Matravers, Clarendon, St Augustines and Kingdown did a great job of officiating, scoring and the event would not be able to take place without them and their professional approach.



A special thanks goes to the Heart of Wiltshire Community Badminton Network coaches for all their help in supporting Wiltshire and Swindon Sport (WASP) run the event on the day. John Murphy, John Earney and Steve Boocock CEO of WASP presented the awards to the winners.

The winners will go on to represent Wiltshire in the Regional round of the National Schools Championship on March 10th 2016 at Plymouth Life Centre.