



Swimming



Vinehall School 2002-2003

Inter Schools galas:

We had six inter school galas through the year, home and away against St Bede's, which were clear wins for Vinehall. Then four very close galas against Bodiam Manor and St Andrews. We lost both galas to Bodiam Manor, one by 6 points and the other by 2 points. Against St Andrews we shared the results, one win each.

Win.	St Bede's	60.5 points	Vinehall	86.5 points	Away.
Lost.	Bodiam Manor	208 points	Vinehall	202 points	Away.
Win.	St Andrews	128 points	Vinehall	139 points	Away.
Lost.	St Andrews	194 points	Vinehall	182 points	Home.
Win.	St Bede's	98 points	Vinehall	142 points	Home.
Lost.	Bodiam Manor	198 points	Vinehall	196 points	Home.

St Bede's Prep gala:

Vinehall senior squad competed in the St Bede's Prep gala against eight other schools and for the third year running we came third overall winning the Dicker shield.

Inter-House swimming gala:

In the lent term we swum the inter-house swimming gala and Saxton won all age groups.

The overall score was:	Saxton	222
	Paxton	197
	Ashton	172
	Rushton	166

Also in this event we swum the boys and girls senior championship races and the winners of these were:

- Girls 1st Louise Floyd 30.32sec (new record).
- Boys 1st Adam Boothroyd 30.09sec (new record)



I.A.P.S. National championships 2003.

In March over 40 Vinehall swim squad members took part in the I.A.P.S. national championships heats at St Bede's senior school. The results were fantastic with 26 pupils reaching the finals. (15 girls and 11 boys.)

At the girls finals at Wolverhampton we had great success.

Results:

Mixed squadron 3 rd place.	L.Canetty-Clarke. H.Blackstone. I. Edgar. C. Flint. S.Petzal. C. Petzal. E. Howard-Smith. A. Wright.
U/12 Medley relay 7 th place.	C. Mursell. N.Chapman. C. Edgar. C. Petzal.
U/12 Freestyle relay 4 th place.	G. Maclean. S. Petzal. C. Petzal. C. Edgar.
U/13 Medley relay 7 th place.	E. Howard-Smith. A. Wright. S. Maudslay. L. Floyd.
U/13 Freestyle relay 8 th place.	L. Floyd. S. Maudslay. L. Wright. E. Howard-Smith.
U/12 50m Backstroke 13 th place.	C. Mursell.
U/12 25m Butterfly 4 th place.	C. Edgar.
U/13 50m Breaststroke 12 th place.	A. Wright.



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Eleven boys competed in the national finals on Saturday June 28th 2003 at Millfield School, Somerset with great success. Some 120 schools took part and our results showed what a great achievement it was for our boys. Our school is classed as a small school with less than 120 boys in years 3-6. We swim in a 15 metre pool which is 10 metres less than most pools these days.

Results

U/10 freestyle relay 2 nd place.	J.Floyd . W. Thavisin. W. Howard-Smith. T. Harvey.
U/10 medley relay 4 th place.	J. Floyd. W. Howard-smith. W. Thavisin. T. Harvey.
Mixed aged squadron. 4 th place.	J. Floyd. T. Harvey. R. Allan. C. Bowie. S. Flint.
	R. Perry. M. James. H. Todd.
U/10 Freestyle 6 th place.	J. Floyd.
U/11 Breaststroke 8 th place.	C. Bowie.
U/11 Butterfly 10 th place.	F. Canetty-Clarke.

Well done to every boy who took part, a great effort.

The squad has trained very hard this last school year and has achieved a lot. I would like to wish the 6th year good luck when they go to their new schools in September. Keep up the swimming if possible.

Mrs Callard has been a great help over the past year at swimming galas