

Athletics

2007/8



The season culminated with five of our athletes competing at the National Championships in Birmingham covering seven events.

Hannah Manton reached the final of the U13 girls 200m. Isabelle Powell came 5th in both discus and long jump, Heloise Buxton competed in the shot for the second year running, Josh Jones competed in both long and triple jump and Edward Rogers came 4th in his shot put, attending the Nationals for the second year in a row.

At the start of the season we had our usual Head to Head with DPS Cranbrook and finished with our closest ever points margin after some fantastic track results in all age groups.

At the Tonbridge Trophy we competed in all events across two age groups and the highlight was Isabelle Powell coming 2nd, competing against the boys from all the other schools and she was the only girl to receive any medal from any school!

The athletes competed in the Crawley and Hurstpierpoint Sussex Championships and there were great performances in track and field.

Plans for next season are already in my head and we are certainly looking to get the profile of athletics raised. The new red shorts for the boys' teams certainly help - thanks to the Friends for their support.

