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Dear Parents/Carers

Term 3 has seen great success in PE, in terms of both participation and performance. During lessons, extra-curricular clubs and fixtures The Malling School students have shown character and resilience, engaging in and enjoying physical participation across the range of sports on offer. At fixtures we have seen such a warm, encouraging, and supportive environment created by parents and carers, teachers and team-mates throughout those competitions and continue to encourage you to attend these fixtures if at all possible.

Term 3 saw the launch of home learning, to assist students who have not been able to attend all the clubs that they would like to. If students are unable to attend extra-curricular clubs before or after school, they can keep engaged through Microsoft Teams which is monitored by the PE department. Students are aware of how to access this, but please do not hesitate to contact me if there are any questions regarding this.

As outlined in the end of term letter from Mr Vennart, we had numerous successes that I would like to highlight. The students involved have worked so hard to get to this point and represent the school. The PE team and teachers at The Malling School are immensely proud of what the students have achieved. Well done to them all!

Year 7 boys Rugby - silver medallists for the district Year 8 boys Rugby - silver medallists for the district Year 9 boys Rugby – silver medallists for the district Year 10 boys Rugby - gold medallists for the district Year 11 boys Rugby – silver medallists for the district

Year 7/8 girls Basketball - unbeaten gold medallists for the district Year 9/10 girls Basketball - gold medallists for the district

The PE department have been working hard to improve and create new extra-curricular clubs to increase participation for all students. Our new additions to term 4 will be Trampolining, Volleyball, and Yoga. We really encourage all students attend a PE club as there are endless benefits to this including health, wellbeing, friendship, enjoyment, and skill acquisition. I have included a current plan of the extra-curricular clubs that will start the week commencing 28th February. At times these clubs may need to be cancelled due to other events or unforeseen circumstances and we will inform parents and carers of changes if they occur.

Monday	Volleyball (CDE/TKL)	Year 7+8 Fitness (CBA/RCR)	Girls Football (CKI)	
Tuesday	Boys basketball (TKL/JSM)	Trampolining (CKI/JBU)	8	
Wednesday	Gymnastics (JBU)	Girls Basketball (CDE/RCR)	Fitness (Mr De Roeck)	Boys football (TKL/JSM)
Thursday	Netball (CKI)	Year 9+10 Fitness (CDE)	Yoga Morning (8:30-8:50)(CKI)	

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National Teaching School designated by National College for Teaching & Leadership Alongside the extra-curricular clubs, we strive for engagement at a competitive level against other schools. During Term 4 there will be fixtures organised for netball and volleyball as well as the boys football semi-finals and additional girls football tournaments.

The PE department cannot wait for another term full of success and enjoyment.

Yours sincerely

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