London Youth Games 2015







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SPORTS DEVELOPMENT

Team Richmond secure 2nd place

On Sunday 5 July, Team Richmond celebrated another successful year, securing a second place finish at the 2015 London Youth Games out of the 33 London Boroughs.

London Youth Games is Europe's largest annual youth sporting event where the 33 London boroughs compete against each other in over 30 different sports, including sports for young people with disabilities.

The first event of the 2015 Games kicked off back in November 2014, as the Cross Country teams took to Parliament Hill to begin the campaign. Nine months of competitions followed, with the Games taking the teams all over London, from the Copper Box to Lord's, the London Watersports Centre to Redbridge Sports Centre, before the finals weekend took place at the National Sports Centre in Crystal Palace. During this time Team Richmond collected 4 team gold, 2 team silver and 3 team bronze medals, as well as the competitors winning over 130 individual medals. Team Richmond were also crowned Regatta Champions once again! This combines the results of the Canoe Slalom, Canoe Sprint, Rowing and Sailing teams. To see a full list of Team Richmond's results please visit www.londonyouthgames.org

The mini Games which are open to those in primary school saw many competitors have their first taste of the competition. Four top 10 finished were to follow, with the Boccia team finishing in 5th place overall, the Football team 9th place, the Swimming team came 10th and our sole Paragames swimmer won a Silver medal. 2015 was an exceptional year for the talented athletes of our Borough and Team Richmond look forward to another successful year in 2016, which starts with Cross Country in November 2015.

For information on how to get involved in the London Youth Games 2016, please visit www.richmond.gov.uk/londonyouthgames or contact daniel.hughes@richmond.gov.uk

Holt, Michael Sweeney, Tan Lam, Alice Obsorn, Angelica Parke & Paige Cole (B)

Presentation Evening 2015

The Twickenham Stoop played host to the 'Team Richmond' London Youth Games presentation evening on Tuesday 14 July, to celebrate the boroughs outstanding achievement of securing 2nd place in the final Jubilee Trophy standings.

The evening was hosted by Richmond Council's Sports Development Team and attracted over 200 participants, parents, team managers, volunteers and VIP's, who were packed into the home of Harlequins to witness the presentation of the respective medals and trophies won across this year's competition.

This was another special year for Team Richmond. After finishing in 3rd place in last year's competition, it was a great achievement to move up a place on the podium by securing 1133 points on the final leaderboard. Participants were lucky enough to have their medals and trophies presented by 3 outstanding athletes on the night. Harlequins Centre Harry Sloan, was joined by former Team Richmond participants Maddie Edwards (Handball) and Rory Atkins (Aquathlon, Cross Country and Cycling), to commend the Richmond competitors on their achievements. Trophies were also presented to clubs, schools and individuals in recognition of their outstanding contribution to the 2015 Games. The winners of these awards can be found to the right.

As the evening came to a close, Cllr Clare Head, accepted a cheque for £4500 from Harlequins to contribute towards the 2016 London Youth Games.

The Sports Development Team would like to thank the participants, team managers, parents and volunteers for their contribution to a very successful 2015 London Youth Games!

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Special award winners

Most improved main team: Boys Athletics Mini team manager of the year: Gina Heyn (Mini Swimming) Main team manager of the year: Rob Beer (Canon Slalom) Schools Participation (boys): Orleans Park Schools Participation (girls): Waldegrave **Overall Contribution:** Regatta Teams Volunteer of the year: Simon Edgington (Cycling)



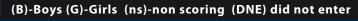
London Youth Games 2015 FINAL RESULTS SCOREBOARD

SPORT	2014 position	2015 position
Angling	8th	6th
Aquathlon	8th	4th
Archery	4th	3rd
Athletics (G)	18th	13th
Athletics (B)	18th	3rd
ParaGames Athletics (G)	5th	9th
ParaGames Athletics (B)	12th	7th
Badminton	9th	25th
Basketball (G)	20th	8th
Basketball (B)	18th	25th
Inclusive Zone Basketball	2nd	1st
BMX	15th	16th
Boccia	5th	5th
Mini Boccia	13th	5th
Canoe Sprint	1st	1st
Canoe Slalom	3rd	1st
Cricket (G)	9th	7th
Cricket (B)	9th	9th
Cross Country (G)	3rd	3rd
Cross Country (B)	3rd	2nd
Cycling (Road)	1st	5th
Diving	DNE	18th
Fencing	7th	10th
Football (G)	21st	17th
Football (B)	13th	21st
Mini Football	3rd	9th
ParaGames Football (G)	21st	13th
ParaGames Football (B)	25th	13th
Handball (G)	-	5th
Hockey (G)	7th	9th
Hockey (B)	7th	12th
Indoor Rowing (inc Para)	-	2nd
Judo (G)	5th	11th
Judo (B)	8th	4th
Netball	2nd	7th
Rowing		1st
Sailing	6th	9th
Squash (G)	9th	DNE
Squash (B)	4th	8th
Swimming (G)	1st	1st
Swimming (B)	3rd	5th
Mini Swimming	6th	10th
ParaGames Swimming (G)	7th	7th
ParaGames Swimming (B)	8th	7th
Mini ParaGames Swimming	5th	7th
Table Tennis (G)	7th	DNE
Table Tennis (B)	9th	9th
Tennis	DNE	5th
Trampolining	11th	10th
Volleyball (G)	3rd	5th
Volleyball (B)	5th	5th
Waterpolo	501	
-	- 18th	1st 7th
Weightlifting		7th











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