



# SPORTS REPORT

2021/22





This has been an action-packed year for sports at New College Bradford.

Our first team (male football) had another successful season with their third promotion in three seasons. Since the college opened in September 2019 the male football team have been promoted every year and now will begin season 2022-2023 in the AoC division C.



The New College Bradford Netball team finally got up and running with four wins in season 2021-2022. These included two great victories against our local rivals Dixons Sixth Form Academy.

The very successful New College badminton club continues to grow with exceptional numbers attending every week. This is also the case with the ever-growing New College table tennis club which continues to grow every lunchtime.

## Continued growth

Our sports provision continues to grow year upon year. In 2021-2022 there have been over 200 students involved in either sports teams or sports enrichment. Football continues to be the most popular with over 60 players involved on a regular basis, closely followed by badminton and table tennis clubs. Netball and basketball teams continue to grow with over 20 different players involved this academic year.

We ended 2022 with a very successful Sports Awards event where players from each sports team received several awards including “Players’ Player of the Year”, “Coaches’ Player of the Year” and “Sports Personality of the Year”. Alongside individual team awards we also had winners for “Sports Leaders of the Year”.

## Sports visitors

Another highlight of the year were the sports professionals who visited the college to share their experience and insights with students. These included current FIFA and Premier League referee Andy Madley, who ran a workshop on rules and regulations whilst sharing his experience of being an elite referee in the Premier League.

Probably the highest profile visit of the year, though, was the Men's and Women's Cricket World Cups, which were on display in college in October 2021. This was a great occasion for both staff and students to have pictures taken with these two marvellous trophies.



## Student leadership

NCB have started delivering Sports Leaders Level 2 qualification this academic year. We currently have around 60 students completing Level 2 Sports Leadership awards, with these leaders attending primary schools in the Bradford area delivering high quality PE lessons. Next academic year NCB will have over 100 active sports leaders on both Level 2 and Level 3.

## Exciting plans for 2022-23

Next year will see our sports students involved in the Turing Scheme sports coaching trip to Malta in October, in a ski trip to Bormio, Italy, in December and a tour of Lake Garda, Italy, in April 2023. From September 2022, we will be starting a Dance Leaders Level 2 qualification, where our drama and dance students will be delivering dance sessions in primary schools in partnership with the sports department.



## Achievements

5 competitive AOC league and cup teams running within the colleges first 3 years with extra teams added for season 2022-2023.

Men's football 1st team: runners up of AOC Cat 3 League - West

Men's football 2nd team: mid-table of AOC Cat 4 League - West

Basketball team: mid-table in AOC Cat 2 League

Netball 1st team: fourth in AOC Cat 2 League - West

Cricket team: Bradford indoor college champions

Zeeshan Suleman: Regional boxing champion 67kg and National Runner up.



## Number of students participating in sport across NCB:

Over 200 students have been involved in sports teams and sports enrichment across college this year.



New College Doncaster has seen some exceptional sports achievements this year.

Highlights of the last twelve months include our first Sports Awards event, attended by 120 students, which saw Adam Winder and Amelia Summerill awarded the male and female Sports Personality of the Year awards respectively.

## Student leadership

NCD applied to become a Centre of Excellence for Sports Leadership in Summer 2022 and aims to be accredited with this in early 2023, providing more opportunity for our young people to develop their individual leadership skills and have this recognised with a national qualification. We currently have around 60 students completing either Level 2 or Level 3 Sports Leadership awards, delivered in partnership with Activ8 Coaching, which provides students with a progression pathway into employment.



Opportunities for student leadership don't stop there, though. Our sports ambassadors, students from Year 12 and Year 13 studying either A-Level PE or BTEC Sport, have specific roles such as Trips and Visits Co-ordinator and Events Co-Ordinator, contributing significantly to our ethos and department.

## Development of TASS students

The college became a TASS provider in 2021. This is a qualification given to 16 colleges to deliver a bespoke programme to any talented athletes. We currently have 18 students on this programme with sports including athletics, swimming, diving and football, providing specialist support to students competing at the highest levels regionally and nationally. Students meet with a bespoke member of staff on a regular basis, ensuring their success both on and off the pitch, track or pool.





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## Achievements

This is the first year all competitive teams have been in AOC leagues, with seven competitive AOC league and cup teams.

Men's football 1st team - winners of AOC Cat 3 League - West

Men's football 2nd team - winners of AOC Cat 3 League - East

Women's football 1st Team - second in the AOC league and reached the last 16 of the AOC Cat 3 National Cup.

Basketball team: third in AOC Cat 2 League

Netball 1st team: fourth in AOC Cat 1 League - East

Netball 2nd team: fourth in AOC Cat 2 League - East

Men's rugby: fifth in AOC Cat 2 League



## Competitive Sports Offered

Men's football x 2, women's football, netball x 2, mixed basketball, men's rugby, women's rugby, men's and women's futsal teams.



## Social Sports Offered

Mixed badminton (cup only), volleyball (cup only)





## Trips/tours/residentials for competitive teams



Bormio ski trip – February 2022 – 48 Yr12/13 students



Sheffield Hallam University – Yr12 BTEC Sport students



EIS Sheffield – Yr13 Diploma and Extended Diploma in Sport students



Leeds Beckett trip for Sport students



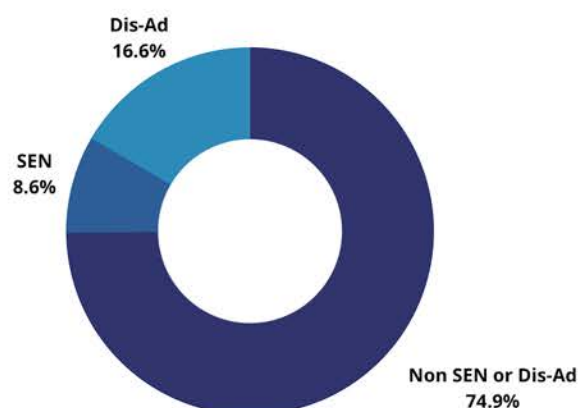
National Football Museum – women's football 1st team



Go Ape – Yr12 and Yr13 Sports ambassadors

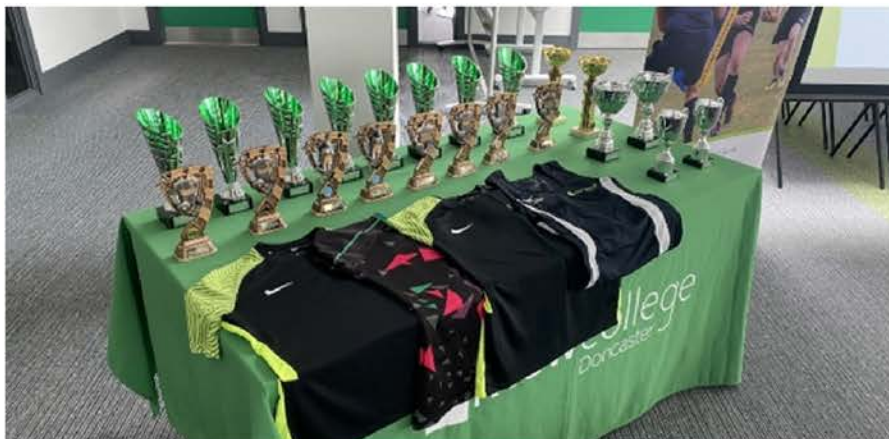
## Numbers participating – approx. (Including SEN and Dis-Ad)

Total: 175 across 8 teams. 29 are disadvantaged (17%) and 15 SEND (9%)





## 1st New College Doncaster Sports Awards



## Sports Personality of the Year



Adam Winder: Male Sports Personality of the Year



Amelia Summerill: Female Sports Personality of the Year





Students at New College Pontefract have had some fantastic opportunities this year, with literally hundreds of students engaging in a wide range of sports and enrichment activities.

### **Exceptional international sporting opportunities - Malta trip and more**

Once again, dozens of our students took up this terrific opportunity to develop their confidence and communication skills alongside gaining cultural capital and inspiring other young people abroad through sport. Over one hundred applications were shortlisted to the interview stage, and some exceptional responses were given by the thirty-two students selected. Most successful applicants were regular volunteers, already coaching junior sports teams in their local communities.

Our students also participated in the fantastic ski trip to Bormio, Italy, which coincided with the Team GB alpine ski trials!

### **Additional sports qualifications**

Thirty students completed a personal training qualification in partnership with Wakefield council's Sport and Active Lifestyles department, demonstrating the benefit to our students of our on-going collaboration with the wider community.

Students also completed the FA referees' course, part-funded by the college and the county FA. The course specifically targeted women's football referees and was open to the wider community. Six current students passed the qualification and now referee league matches and cup fixtures in the West Riding leagues at all age groups.

### **Support of TASS students**

The Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme means that we support sporting success alongside academic performance. The scheme ensures students who have commitments to compete during term time and in tournaments overseas are able to compete at an international level whilst also thriving academically. Harrison Lee (triathlon), Asia Harris (squash), Alex Tikhonov (Yorkshire Tennis Champion) and Jack Smith (rugby league) have all benefitted from the scheme this year. One of our recent TASS graduates, Keara Bennet, played in a full international for England in their victory against France in June 2022.





## Achievements

### Men's football (league positions)

1st Team = finished fourth

2nd Team = finished eighth

3rd Team = finished second

4th Team = finished first

### Women's football (league position)

1st team = third

### Basketball team (league positions)

1st team = sixth

### Netball (league positions)

1st team = fifth

2nd team = fifth

3rd team = fourth

### Men's rugby team (league positions)

1st team = second

2nd team = second

National Cup Semi-finalists.

### Women's rugby (league positions)

1st team = No league, just friendlies.

### Rugby union

Yorkshire and Humber Champions. Runners up in the North of England Championships.

### Cricket

North of England runners up.

### Badminton

Ben Page and Laura Keith: selected for Yorkshire Colleges team.

### Tennis

Alex Tikhanov: Yorkshire Champion, and national finalist.



**Squash**

Asia Harris: number 1 in the country. Won U18's American Open.

**Triathlon**

Harrison Lee: Team GB

**Swimming**

Scarlett Strathie: Team GB. Scarlett has secured a swimming scholarship in America at Florida Gators.

**Cross country**

Harrison Lee, Elliott Prentice, Josh Weston Yorkshire representatives in AOC finals.

Elliott Prentice National XC Schools Finals

**Athletics**

Elliott Prentice Yorks Runner up in 1500m

Amy Hunt - Yorkshire Long Jump Champion and National Finals in July

**Indoor cricket team**

Yorkshire and Humber champions. Finished 6/11 at the National championships.

**Hockey**

Ella Haigh and Olivia Millican, selected for England Colleges hockey team.

**Boccia**

Yorkshire champions

National champions

**Badminton**

Yorkshire & Humber runners up

National cup finalists

**Golf**

George Vickers Yorks Runner up / Alysia Rigg Yorks Runner up / Team Silver in Yorkshire & Humberside and 2nd team fourth place

**Volleyball**

Men's , Womens and Mixed all Yorkshire and Humber runners up.



## Number of students participating in sport across NCP:

Approx. 270 students this year competed for / represented college.



# Wingfield Academy

This has been an important year for sport at Wingfield, helping our young people bounce back from the restrictions of the pandemic. The benefits of sporting activity, whether that be physical, social or mental, have never been as important as they are now for our young people.

## Football

We have had an excellent season for both our boys and girls in terms of participation and success.

### Boys

Year 7 – Semi finalists Rotherham cup

Year 8 – Semi Finalists Rotherham cup

Year 9 – Rotherham plate winners. The final was held at Brinsworth Academy and after an outstanding performance, the boys successfully beat Swinton 4-2!

Year 10 – Semi finalists Rotherham cup



### Girls

U13: 6-a-side Rotherham Schools Utilita Cup winners. The girls then represented Rotherham United in the 6-a-side Northern Utilita Cup competition and performed outstandingly to reach the semi-finals, narrowly defeated by Hull! During the tournament Lyla Jenkinson (Year 7) was scouted by Sheffield United Academy and was also successful at an EFL trust 'discover my talent' trial held at Leeds.

U15: South Yorkshire finalists. The final was held at Barnsley FC Academy training pitch. The girls were so unfortunate to lose 4-2 to Kirk Balk after an excellent team performance.

## Netball

We have had an excellent season where we have had four netball teams competing in the Rotherham schools' fixtures on a weekly basis from September to Easter. All the girls showed great commitment and improved throughout the season. Our stand-out year group are our Year 10s who qualified for the Rotherham school's finals day and won the final against Wickersley with an outstanding performance!





## Rugby

We have had lots of interest in rugby throughout the year from our Year 7 and Year 8 boys. They have regularly committed to training on a weekly basis and have shown brilliant progress throughout the year. They have been undefeated in their first ever games, winning all their fixtures against Rotherham schools.

## Rounders

We are currently under way with our rounders season in the Rotherham schools league. Our Year 7 and Year 8 girls are currently undefeated with victories against Clifton, Wath and Swinton. We are looking forward to the Rotherham school's tournaments where we are hoping to qualify for finals day.

## Indoor athletics

Both our Year 7 girls and boys performed brilliantly at the Rotherham school's indoor athletics events held at Clifton. Both teams finished in fourth place, narrowly missing out on qualifications for the finals day.

## Outdoor athletics

The outdoor athletics season is underway and at the Rotherham school's trials, three of our students have qualified to represent Rotherham at the South Yorkshire championships held at the Keepmoat Stadium in Doncaster! Huge congratulations to Esme Milbourne who has qualified for the 800m, Ameera Kelly who has qualified for the 100m and 200m, and Milly Wood who has qualified for the 100m and 200m.



## English Institute of Sports day

Our entire Year 7 experienced a day at the English Institute of Sport. The students took part in various activities such as indoor athletics, team building and problem-solving activities. It was a brilliant, memorable day which all our students thoroughly enjoyed.

## Non-Competitive Sports

This year we have also offered non-competitive sports on a weekly basis as part of our enrichment. These have included boxing, fitness, cheerleading, basketball and badminton. Each week these clubs have been regularly attended by lots of keen students.

## Local Links

This year, Rotherham United have delivered various football training session for the girls across all year groups. We have also had Rotherham Cheer-leading Academy delivering cheer-leading lessons to various year groups which our students have thoroughly enjoyed.

## Participation Numbers

