

# SPORT REPORT



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## **BAD WEATHER AFFECTS FIXTURES**

### **FOOTBALL**

Once again the weather has impacted on our fixtures schedule with five games being postponed due to waterlogged pitches. Fortunately, our Football Fourth team did not fall foul of the weather and were able to put in a solid performance against Wadham School. The final score was 4 – 1 to Yeovil.

### **HOCKEY**

All other fixtures and tournaments took place indoors this week. The Men's Hockey team took part in the Somerset Colleges' Indoor Tournament in Taunton. In previous years, Yeovil have had good success with the indoor game. Yeovil started slowly, losing their first game to Strode College. This was followed by a win against Somerset College of Art and Technology, which meant Yeovil could challenge for the top spot. Yeovil's final game was against Richard Huish College. It proved to be a fiercely contended game which saw Yeovil's chances edge inches wide of the opposition goal. Yeovil pushed but Richard Huish managed to gain a 1 – 0 win. Yeovil came third overall in the tournament.

### **BADMINTON**

Yeovil hosted the second round of the British Colleges' Badminton Team Cup this week. Yeovil were put under pressure from the start by Truro College, who dominated the opening exchanges. Alex Drummond in the Men's Singles and the pairing of Abi Taylor and Nicki Hutchings controlled their games well, but unfortunately it was not enough. Truro ultimately took the tie 2 – 8. Yeovil then took on Bridgwater College and controlled the tie, winning 9 – 1. This gave Yeovil overall second place.

### **RUGBY**

The Men's Rugby team travelled to Filton College for their British Colleges' league fixture this week. Yeovil put some good passages of play together, but were overcome late in the second half by the sheer force of the Filton forwards. A good game overall, although Filton ultimately won 29 – 10.

### **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

Yeovil College has an excellent reputation for nurturing sports performers. In recent years, students have regularly competed at regional, national and international level. Students in all subjects have access to sports enrichment and Academies. The College offers a range of Sport courses, from Level 3 A Level and vocational courses to a

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