

Brentwood School Sport

# Match Programme

*Saturday 17th May 2025*

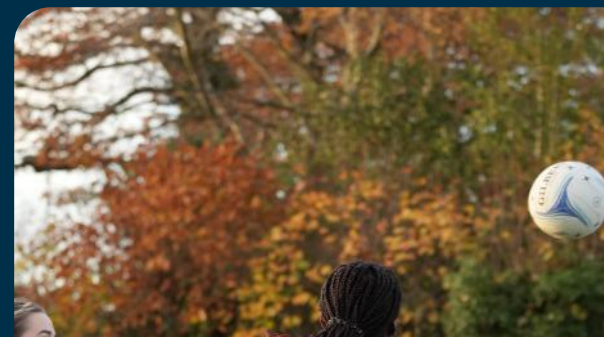
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# Glimpses of Brilliance

It has been a busy few days in the sports department, with several team and individual successes. Here are some of the highlights.

Many of our students recently competed at the District Schools Athletics Championships, with many securing places to represent the Brentwood District team at the upcoming Essex Schools Championships. Special congratulations go to Dan E (Year 11), Sean A (Year 11), Tobi O (Year 11), Emily S (Year 11) and Amelia P (Year 9), who all won their respective events.

This weekend also saw the first Saturday athletics fixture of the season, where we competed against King John School, Dame Alice Owen's School and Highgate School. In glorious weather, many students delivered excellent performances and achieved personal bests. A particularly well done to Aimee L (Year 10), who jumped over 5 metres in the Inter Girls Long Jump. We also had students competing at the Essex Club Championships, where Tobi O (Year 11) impressed, running 11.07 in the 100m and winning the 200m in a championship best performance of 21.63, which is an outstanding achievement.

Our Inter Girls, Inter Boys, Junior Girls, and Junior Boys teams delivered exceptional performances at the ESAA Track and Field Cup County round this Tuesday and Wednesday. Standout athletes included Aimee L (Year 10), Fawaz A (Year 10), Jojo F (Year 9), Tobiah F (Year 8), Molly B (Year 7) and William A (Year 8). The Inter Girls achieved a remarkable score, securing them a place in the Regional A final. Both the Inter Boys and Junior Boys earned enough points to progress to a regional final, and we await confirmation of whether they will compete in the Regional A or B event.

It has been another successful week for our cricket teams, with our u13, u14, u15 and 1st XI boys teams all winning their respective county cup games. Impressive performances included a sensational knock from Ossie E (U6), who scored 121 runs off just 49 balls, while Udai A and Kieran C (both Year 10) produced a destructive innings, scoring 56\* and 60\* to secure a win against New Hall. In the national cup, our u15 girls' team were drawn against a very strong Uppingham side and despite losing the game, produced a strong performance that bodes well for the rest of the season.

Our tennis teams performed exceptionally well in the Essex Independent Schools Tennis Championships on Tuesday, which saw Brentwood win five out of the available six county titles. Congratulations to Cassy P and Grace C (both U6) who won the senior girls title, Rocco B and Benji V (both Year 10) for winning the senior boys cup and Jesse S and Toby B (both Year 10) who defeated Callum S and Ashveer B (both Year 10) in an all-Brentwood u15 final. There were further successes for Holly B and Chloe S (both Year 9), who won the u15 Girls cup, while Mayr B-D and Oscar V (both Year 8) secured the u13 boys cup to round off a very successful day for our tennis teams.

Our u13 Boys defeated Forest in the Essex Cup on Monday and now qualify for the Essex Cup final, which will be played after half term. Our u15 boys are still going strong in this event with a win to love against Forest, they will now play their final match against Coopers after half term. Our u15 girls had a great win against Chelmsford County High School on Wednesday and remain on course to do well in their county division.

There has been further Equestrian success for Lucy C (Year 8), who has been shortlisted for the Great Britain u16 Horseball team, who will travel to the European Championships in July. Lucy only started playing the game back in October, and despite being the youngest player in the squad, being in contention for selection is a tremendous achievement – well done Lucy!

Some of our students have also had great success with their respective representative football teams. Archie N and Teddy V (both Year 7) were part of the successful Mid-Essex district football team, which recently won the Essex cup, where Teddy scored the only goal in the final. Both students will hope to be involved in the imminent national final against Dartford. There has been further representative football success for some of our Year 9 students. Jojo F, Matthew W and George B (all Year 9) were part of the Mid-Essex team who recently lost in the national final to Croydon, however, Jojo and Matthew bounced back the next day when they represented Essex in the national counties final, where they secured a hard-fought win against Greater Manchester. Well done to all the students involved.

We look forward to hearing about more Glimpses of Brilliance after the half term break.





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Shenfield Road  
**Overflow car park**



Hough Car Park  
**Coaches Only**



Heseltines Car Park  
**Spectator Parking (LIMITED)**



Courage Hall  
**Spectator Parking (LIMITED)**

# Today's Fixtures 17.05.2025

Sport	Team	Opposition	Venue	Pitch Details	Home Changing	Away Changing	Meet time	Start Time
Fencing	Mixed-U18A	Squad Training	H	Salle	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	9:45	10:00
Athletics	Mixed -U18	Millfield Open meeting	A	x	x	x	N/A	13:30
Athletics	Girls-Inter	New Hall School	H	Athletics Track	Arrive Changed	Arrive Changed	8:30	8:45
Athletics	Boys-Inter	Dulwich College / Southend High School	H	Athletics Track	Arrive Changed	Arrive Changed	8:30	8:45
Athletics	Girls-Junior	New Hall School	H	Athletics Track	Arrive Changed	Arrive Changed	8:30	8:45
Athletics	Boys-Junior	Dulwich College / Southend High School	H	Athletics Track	Arrive Changed	Arrive Changed	8:30	8:45
Cricket	Boys-1st XI	Framlingham College	H	1st XI Square	Pavillion 1	Pavillion 2	9:30	11:00
Cricket	Girls-1st XI	Bishop Stortford College	H	Heseltines Square	Heseltines 7	Heseltines 8	9:15	10:00
Cricket	Boys-U15A	Framlingham College	H	Heseltines Square	Heseltines 7	Heseltines 8	13:45	14:30
Cricket	Boys -U15B	Framlingham College	A	x	x	x	12:15	14:30
Cricket	Boys-U14A	Framlingham College	H	Mick's Sqaure	Heseltines 3	Heseltines 4	13:45	14:30
Cricket	Girls-U14A	Bishop Stortford College	A	x	x	x	8:30	10:00
Cricket	Boys-U14B	Framlingham College	A	x	x	x	12:15	14:30
Cricket	Boys-U13A	New Hall School	H	Shenfield Road	Huddleston 1	Huddleston 2	8:45	9:30
Cricket	Girls-U13A	Bishop Stortford College	H	Mick's Square	Heseltines 1	Heseltines 2	9:15	10:00
Cricket	Boys-U13B	New Hall School	H	Mick's Astro	Heseltines 1	Heseltines 2	8:45	9:30
Cricket	Boys-U12A	New Hall School	H	Hough Square	Arrive Changed	Arrive Changed	8:45	9:30
Cricket	Girls-U12A	Bishop Stortford College	A	x	x	x	8:30	10:00
Cricket	Boys-U12B	New Hall School	H	Scouts Astro	Scouts 1	Scouts 2	8:45	9:30

# Today's Fixtures continued

Sport	Team	Opposition	Venue	Pitch Details	Home Changing	Away Changing	Meet time	Start Time
Tennis	Boys-U18A	Felsted School	A	x	x	x	12:45	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U18A	Felsted School	A	x	x	x	12:45	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U15A	Felsted School	H	Heseltines Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U14A	Felsted School	H	Heseltines Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U14B	Felsted School	H	Heseltines Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U14C	Felsted School	H	Heseltines Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Boys-U14A	Felsted School	H	Hough Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Boys-U14B	Felsted School	H	Hough Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Boys-U14C	Felsted School	H	Hough Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	13:30	14:00
Tennis	Girls-U12A	Bancroft's School	H	Hough Astro	Arrive changed	Arrive changed	9:00	9:30



# Sport Locations

## Senior School field

### Cricket Squares : 1st XI, Hough Square

### Tennis: Hough Astro Turf

## The Heseltines

Cricket Squares: Heseltines Square, Micks, H5A/B Square, Scouts Square

## Running Track

Tennis: Senior Hard, Heseltines Astro Turf

### Brentwood Sports Ground (Shenfield Road)

### One Square for use by Brentwood School

### Additional Cricket Squares found at:

## Old Brentwoods Club

Ashwells Rd,

Bentley,

Brentwood,

CM15 9SE

## First Aid

Today's first aid cover is being provided by:

## School Sanatorium

## Local Hospitals

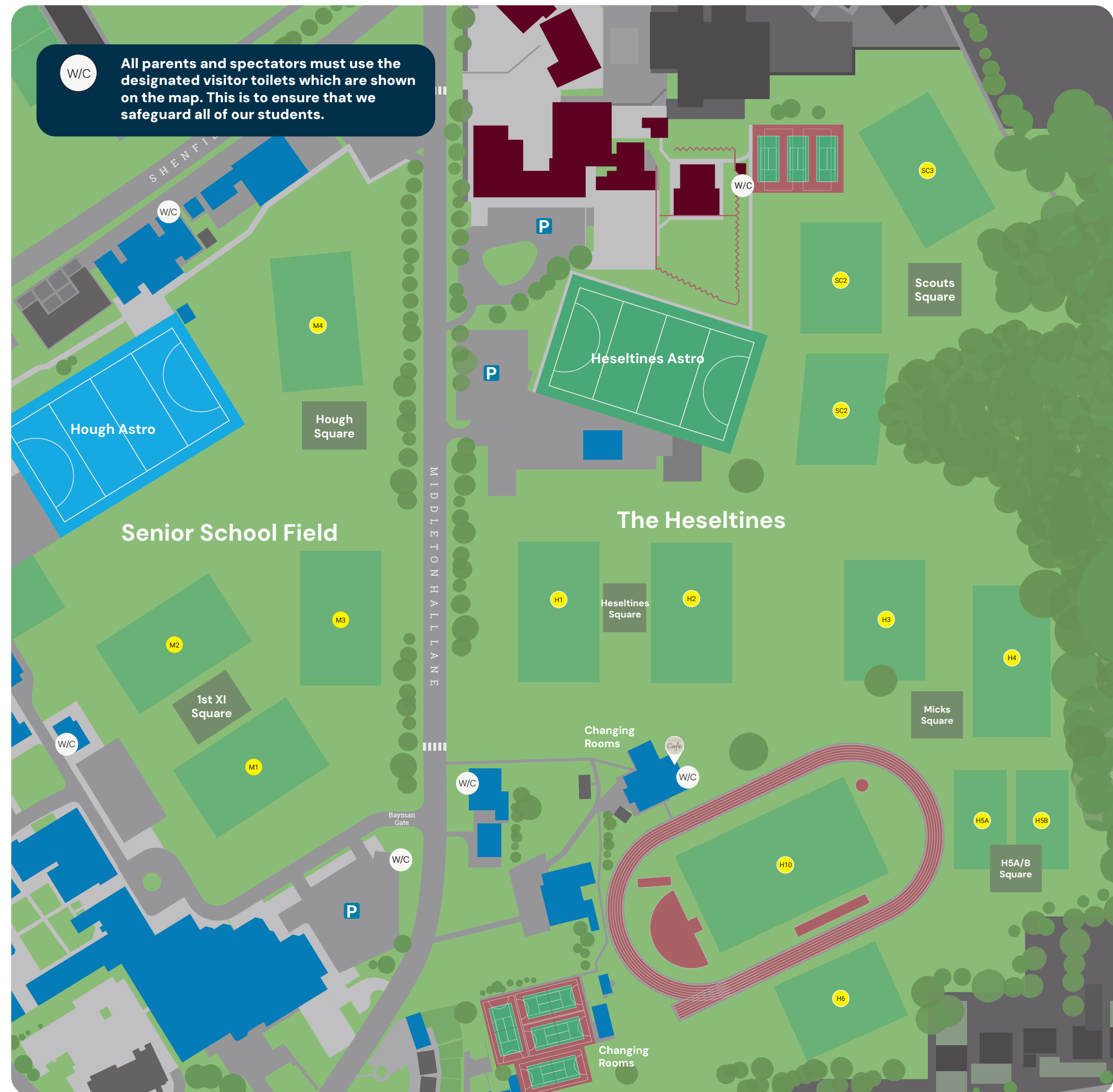
Queen's Hospital: 01708 435000

Basildon Hospital: 01268 524900

King George Hospital: 0330 4004333

## Spectator Toilets

1. Courage Hall Reception
2. Outside Heseltines (next to the servery)
3. Hough Astro
4. Scouts Building
5. Pavilion (downstairs only)





# Visitor Information – Sports Fixtures

As part of our safeguarding procedures, please be aware of the following:

## Midweek Fixtures

For all midweek fixtures, all visitors must sign in and retrieve a spectator lanyard. You will then be escorted to the relevant sporting area by a member of staff – we thank you in advance for your patience as there may be occasions when you will need to wait in the Sports Centre reception as staff will be returning from pitches/courts. Please ensure you remain in the designated spectator area. We ask that you do not walk around the site unattended. At the end of the fixture, we would be grateful if you could sign out and return your lanyard to reception.

## Saturday Fixtures

For Saturday fixtures, there is no signing-in process, but please ask staff if you are unsure of the pitch locations (all of which can be found in this programme).

For all fixtures (midweek and Saturday) please note that there is no access to any toilets in the changing rooms or school buildings. The visitors' toilets are located next to the Sports Centre reception and beside the food service at the Heseltine's pavilion.

There are no dogs allowed on site at any time.

All of the above is in place to ensure we safeguard our students at all times.

# Parking

With the boarding house project now underway, I must stress that parking at school is extremely limited and is in most cases unavailable. We advise that all spectators find alternative parking close to the town centre before making the short walk to the school. We thank you in advance for your support with this.

Several complaints have been received by the School concerning the behaviour of parents parking on Middleton Hall Lane, particularly from pedestrians required to walk out onto the road or off the pavement to get around parked cars. Please note that this road has double yellow lines and a zebra crossing. If you are attending Saturday morning sports and park on Middleton Hall Lane, please be considerate to pedestrians and avoid blocking the pavement.

Parking is only available at the following, but is extremely limited:

- Courage Hall
- Heseltines car Par (beside Heseltines Astro)
- Middleton Hall Car Park (**morning only, this car park will be locked at 1:30pm**)





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Following

Good luck to our Junior Boys and Girls who compete in the ESAA Track and Field Cup today



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Following

Congratulations to our senior boys A and B golf teams who have been competing at the ISGA national finals over the last two days. We believe this is the first time that two teams from the same school have reached the national finals.







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Following

A great morning of Athletics in the sunshine! Fantastic competition with @SchKingJohn @HighgateSpEx @DAOSPEDept



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Following

All set today for our morning block against @STAHSPe and afternoon games against @RHSSport

Good luck to all our cricketers this weekend





# As a parent/guardian, I will strive to always:

- Encourage my child to play within the rules and respect officials' and coaches' decisions, never arguing with or harassing coaches, officials or other spectators or using inappropriate language;
- Ensure that my child understands that School sport commitments are as compulsory as curricular commitments such as lessons and that playing for the School and with one's teammates is a real privilege that takes priority over other sporting engagements, including club fixtures;
- Help my child to understand that competition is about both winning and losing and that results should be accepted with good grace and without undue disappointment;
- Promote this code of conduct to other parents, carers and supporters;
- Support my child's efforts and performance, giving positive comments that motivate and encourage continued efforts and participation, never criticising or ridiculing my child or other children for making a mistake or losing a game;
- Be a good role model – applauding positive play by both my child's team and their opponents and thanking the coaches, officials and other volunteers;
- Help my child to recognise good team and individual performance and the importance of skill improvement and good sport rather than simply winning;
- Teach my child to respect the rights, dignity and worth of all people involved in sport, regardless of gender, race, colour, disability, sexuality, age, occupation, religion or political opinion;
- Ensure that technology, such as smart phones or tablets, and related social media, such as Facebook, are used responsibly and do not bring into disrepute or cause offence to children, coaches, officials, volunteers or the School;
- Ensure that my child arrives on time and is collected promptly at the end of training and fixtures, informing the School in advance (when possible) if my child is unavailable for callendared School sport.

## Brentwood School's Code of Sporting Conduct

Brentwood School's Code of Sporting Conduct is driven by its core values of integrity, teamwork, participation and excellence. Our code requires the highest standards of conduct from everyone involved in sport to ensure that their behaviour and actions embody our values of virtue, learning and manners. When they are involved in School sport, the enjoyment and safety of your child is of paramount importance to us. Every child will be encouraged and asked to ensure that their behaviour and actions meet the values and standards expected of them at all times. As parents/guardians, you are also asked to support our Codes of Conduct and embrace the spirit of sportsmanship.

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# Head Injuries & Concussion

Knocks on the head are common in Rugby. Fortunately most of these do not result in concussion. Concussion is a complex process caused by trauma that transmits force to the brain either directly or indirectly and results in the temporary impairment of brain function. Its development and resolution are rapid and spontaneous. Ultimately if you are unsure at any stage if a player has a head injury or is concussed you should seek medical attention.

Listed below are some of the possible signs of concussion:

**Headaches** – It is only normal after a blow to the head to suffer a mild headache. There could be some bruising or mild swelling over the scalp which may be tender, but this doesn't necessarily mean a player has concussion. If the headache seems to be getting worse this could be a cause for concern so seek medical attention.

**Drowsiness** – means they cannot be roused. It can be common for players to want to sleep for a short time (especially children) and it will be okay to let them do so. If there are further concerns you can wake them a few times during the night, especially if a knock on the head has happened just before bedtime. If, on the other hand, they are difficult to wake or show signs of confusion, seek medical attention.

**Other Symptoms** – Confusion, unsteadiness, memory loss and convulsiveness.

**If players show any signs of the above they should seek medical attention.** These are merely guidelines as you know your student better than anyone else, but please remember signs and symptoms could take up to 48 hours to develop and should be monitored.

