

House Swimming Gala

On Thursday we held a House Swimming Gala for Years 7 and 8, the first time we've done for a few years. This was a popular event with over 50 children across the year groups taking part. The atmosphere in the pool was fantastic; the support pupils offered one another great and the House community spirit really shone through. Every child's time was recorded, and there was an abundance of personal best times.

It was exceptionally close – after all the individual events, the scores were Latham and Newton joint 1st place with 80 points, Bentley with 79 points and Chaucer with 68. The first three places were going to be decided by the final race – the House shuttle relay. Sixteen lengths of the pool needed to be swum. The lead exchanged places several times, but in the end it finished Bentley, Newton, Latham, Chaucer, meaning the final scores were:

1st= Newton 83 points

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3rd Latham 82 points

4th Chaucer 69 points

That, folks, is as close as it gets!

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Teacher in Charge of Swimming