



**U11 GIRLS HOCKEY  
QUALIFIER  
FRIDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2022**



**Oundle School**



## WELCOME FROM OUNDLE SCHOOL

A huge welcome to all the participating schools and especially the players, staff and of course the Parents and supporters.

Here at Oundle School we are very excited to be hosting this IAPS event for the first time and I would like to thank all the staff from many departments who have contributed and made it possible.

I hope you all have an amazing day and if at any point you have a question please ask one of the many Oundle Staff who will be around. It may be as simple as where to find a cup of coffee or where to park they are here to help and support.

So, good luck to everybody and have a great competition.

Regards

***Grahame Mansell-Grace***

Head of Hockey

Oundle School



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## WELCOME FROM IAPS

First and foremost, sport is about participation and enjoyment. Sport is an incredibly important part of the personal development of children. Thanks to our eager and enthusiastic membership, over 22,000 children take part in the IAPS Sport programme every year. With 22 sports to choose from and over 170 events organised annually, there are plenty of opportunities for our member schools to get involved in.

Whether this is your first time at an IAPS event, or you have been entering them for many years, we hope you enjoy the competition and good luck.

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## **SAFEGUARDING**

IAPS believes that the welfare and wellbeing of all children (young people under the age of 18) and adults at risk attending an IAPS event is of the highest concern. All such persons have the right to safety and protection and any suspicions, concerns or allegations of harm will be taken seriously and will be dealt with swiftly and appropriately.

IAPS expects all adults who are engaged with the delivery of sports events to fully comply with safeguarding procedures as laid out in the IAPS Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, and the KCSiE document (these are available on our website: [sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding](http://sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding)).

IAPS expects all coaches present to be DBS checked and have received relevant safeguarding training at their school/club.

IAPS expects that all adults attending events have read the IAPS code of conduct, photo policy & anti bullying policy. These are available to read and download from our website here: [sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding](http://sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding).

If you have any safeguarding concerns today, please don't hesitate to speak to Emily Connell, Mike Kershaw or a member of the organising team.

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## CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SPECTATORS

Your school is a member of IAPS, the Independent Association of Prep Schools. IAPS is a school's association with 670 member schools, both in the UK and internationally. IAPS was founded in 1893 and for over 120+ years we have been committed to supporting head teachers in their roles as leaders of the top prep and independent junior schools in the country. Membership of IAPS says a great deal about the quality of the school you send your child to for their education.

We provide services to our members offering support and guidance to head teachers and professional training for staff. We also provide opportunities for children to take part in sport and art competitions. We are not a private company solely engaged in running sports competitions.

The annual sports programme offers a range of team and individual events for children who attend IAPS schools. The children are able to compete in a fun, safe and competitive environment. Every year, over 160 events are organised, in 22 sports, with 22,000 children participating. All organisers and qualified officials are passionate volunteers, who help us to deliver the events in line with National Governing Body rules and regulations.

Where permitted, we are delighted to welcome spectators to attend IAPS events to support the children. Our agreed code of conduct highlights IAPS's expectations of spectators, to ensure that all events are enjoyable and fair for the children involved, and we hope you would support us by reading and applying the following code;

1. Be a positive role model and lead by example; children are involved in sport for their enjoyment and without undue spectator pressure.
2. Encourage children to play by the rules.
3. Respect the officials and their decisions at all times.
4. Respect the coaches and their decisions. They give their time, energy and experience to coach your children.
5. Refrain from verbal or indeed physical abuse towards players, officials and fellow spectators.
6. Be friendly and respectful to the opposition.
7. Teach children that effort and teamwork are as important as victory so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
8. Turn defeat into victory by helping children work towards skill improvement and a positive sporting attitude.
9. Be aware that IAPS events have comprehensive safeguarding policies and procedures, available on our website: <https://sport.iaps.uk/safeguarding>
10. Relax and enjoy the event.  
IAPS wants all the competitions it runs to pass without any negative incidents. Excitement and emotion can run high at the events, not least amongst the supporters.

Despite this, unpleasant and inappropriate behaviour is very rarely in evidence at our events but you should be aware that IAPS retains the right to ask you to leave the event, if you fail to comply with the code of conduct.



## EVENT INFORMATION

### Parking

We will provide a separate document to show parking for School Buses and Minibuses together with where Parents and other Spectators can park

### Tournament schedule

There will be access to pitches from 10am for Schools to warm up and practice. We will make a 3<sup>rd</sup> Astro available for this purpose throughout the day. Full schedule with timings can be found elsewhere in the programme

### Umpires

Each team will need to bring a competent umpire and neutral umpires will be used in the Finals Stages

### Qualification process

There will be a Cup and Plate competition on the day.

The top **two** placed teams from the cup competition will qualify for the national finals at Cheltenham College on Friday, 11 November 2022.

### First aid

All Schools should bring their own First Aid kits and we will also provide Medical Support to the event

### Changing facilities

These will be available in the Sports Centre on arrival and also we will make some facilities available in the Cricket Pavilion





## Refreshments

Refreshments such as tea, coffee and cakes will be provided free of charge at the pitch side Athletics Hub and also at the cricket pavilion a 2 minutes' walk away from the pitches. We also have a café called Beans in the main Sports Centre where you can purchase hot and cold drinks and a selection of sweet and savoury food.



## MERCHANDISE

IAPS are delighted to have Shirt Logos as our official merchandisers, to sell branded products both online and at events throughout the year. All commission made from merchandise is directly put back into running the sports programme. Merchandise can be bought online at: [iapssport.shirtlogos.co.uk](http://iapssport.shirtlogos.co.uk)

## RESULTS

Results for team events will be published live using SOCS. Results for individual sports events will not be available live but will be published on our website as soon as possible after the event.

Please note all results are now published in the member area of our website which is only accessible to school staff. Parents should request any information from the school.

## PHOTOGRAPHY ADVICE

There is no professional photography at IAPS Sport events, however parents and spectators can take their own pictures. There is no law against taking photos at public events for personal use, including pictures of other people's children ([Ask the Police, 2018](#)). IAPS asks parents and spectators to be cautious when sharing any images on social media.

The NSPCC have useful advice on sharing images here: <https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/research-resources/briefings/photography-sharing-images-guidance/>



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# ORDER OF PLAY

## POOL MATCHES

- This qualifier consists of 2 pools of 5 teams.
- Matches will be 6 minutes each way.
- The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> placed team in each pool will progress to the cup competition.
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> placed team in each pool will progress to the plate competition.
- The 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> placed team in each pool will progress to the bowl competition.

	POOL 1		POOL 2
<b>A1</b>	Bedford Girls' Junior	<b>B1</b>	Bilton Grange
<b>A2</b>	Gresham's Prep	<b>B2</b>	Laxton Junior
<b>A3</b>	Orley Farm	<b>B3</b>	Spratton Hall
<b>A4</b>	Stamford Junior	<b>B4</b>	The Elms
<b>A5</b>	Warwick Prep	<b>B5</b>	Wellingborough Prep

## POOL MATCHES SCHEDULE

	<b>Pool A – Astro 3</b>	<b>Pool B – Astro 4</b>	<b>Pitch</b>
<b>Round 1</b>			
<b>11.00am</b>	Orley Farm v Gresham Prep	Spratton Hall v Laxton Junior	1
	Warwick Prep v Bedford Girls Juniors	Wellingborough Prep	2
	Not playing: Stamford Junior	Not playing: The Elms	
<b>Round 2</b>			
<b>11.20am</b>	Warwick Prep v Gresham Prep	Wellingborough Prep v Laxton Junior	1
	Bedford Girls Prep v Stamford Junior	Bilton Grange v The Elms	2
	Not playing: Orley Farm	Not playing: Spratton Hall	
<b>Round 3</b>			
<b>11.40am</b>	Orley Farm v Bedford Girls Juniors	Spratton Hall v Bilton Grange	1
	Stamford Juniors v Warwick Prep	The Elms v Wellingborough Prep	2
	Not playing: Gresham Prep	Not playing: Laxton Junior	
<b>12.00</b>	Break	Break	
<b>Round 4</b>			
<b>12.20pm</b>	Orley Farm v Stamford Junior	Spratton Hall v The Elms	1
	Gresham Prep v Bedford Girls Juniors	Laxton Junior v Bilton Grange	2
	Not playing Warwick Prep	Not playing: Wellingborough Prep	
<b>Round 5</b>			
<b>12.40pm</b>	Orley Farm v Warwick Prep	Spratton Hall v Wellingborough Prep	1
	Stamford Junior v Gresham Prep	The Elms v Laxton Junior	2
	Not playing: Bedford Girls Juniors	Not playing: Bilton Grange	
1.00pm	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	
1.40pm	Knockout Matches Commence	Knockout Matches Commence	
3.00pm	Medal Presentations	Medal Presentations	

## **KNOCKOUT MATCHES**

- Matches will be 6 mins each way.
- The top **two** placed teams from the cup competition will qualify for the national finals at Cheltenham College on Friday, 11 November 2022.

## **CUP COMPETITION**

<b>SF 1</b> 2.00pm Astro 3 Pitch 1	<b>SF 2</b> 2.00pm Astro 3 Pitch 1
1 <sup>st</sup> place Pool 1 v 2 <sup>nd</sup> place Pool 2	1 <sup>st</sup> place Pool 2 v 2 <sup>nd</sup> place Pool 1
<b>FINAL</b> 2.45pm Astro 3 Pitch 1	<b>3RD &amp; 4TH PLAY-OFF</b> 2.45pm Astro 3 Pitch 2
Winner of SF 1 v Winner of SF 2	2 <sup>nd</sup> place of SF1 v 2 <sup>nd</sup> place of SF 2

## **PLATE COMPETITION**

<b>SF 1</b> 1.40pm Astro 3 Pitch 1	<b>SF 2</b> 1.40pm Astro 3 Pitch 2
3 <sup>rd</sup> place Pool 1 v 4 <sup>th</sup> place Pool 2	3 <sup>rd</sup> place Pool 2 v 4 <sup>th</sup> place Pool 1
<b>FINAL</b> 2.20pm Astro 3 Pitch 1	<b>3RD &amp; 4TH PLAY-OFF</b> 2.20pm Astro 3 Pitch 2
Winner of SF 1 v Winner of SF 2	2 <sup>nd</sup> place of SF1 v 2 <sup>nd</sup> place of SF 2

## **BOWL COMPETITION**

<b>FINAL</b> 2.20pm Astro 4 Pitch 1	
Winner of SF 1 v winner of SF 2	



## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

All IAPS Hockey tournaments follow the In2Hockey Rules and regulations. The full rules and regs can be found on the England Hockey website here: <https://www.englishockey.co.uk/governance/rules-and-regulations/rules-of-hockey>

### **SCORING**

- 3 points for a win
- 1 point for a draw
- 0 points for a loss

### **Pool stages**

The group order will be decided by the number of points scored by each team.

In the event of a tie on points, the following will decide final placing's:

1. Goal difference
2. Goals scored
3. Winner of match between the tied teams\*
4. Barrage of 3 penalty strokes
5. Sudden death penalty strokes\*\*

\*Head-to-head result between two teams is the result of the match played between the two tied teams.

\*\*Sudden-death is started by the team that did not start the shoot-out and players may proceed in a different order from the initial best-of-three round.



## **Knockout stages**

In the event of a draw in the knockout matches, the winner will be decided by:

1. A period of “Golden Goal” extra time up to a maximum of 5 minutes
2. Barrage of 3 penalty strokes
3. Sudden death penalty strokes

NB - In the U11 competition, penalty strokes can be taken 5m from the goal line rather than 7m.

**Over Age Players Policy** If a school has a pupil who is out of age and wishes to play Hockey with their year group, they can apply directly to England Hockey for approval to play out of age.





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