



## Jonelle's Fitness

Jonelle is doing a weekly fitness session for us all, Wednesdays 6.30 - 7.30pm. They have been great fun and can be done by all ages, including any keen parents! You will receive a link from your Year Group Admin, so do remember to login, and if you are able please turn on your cameras so that Jonelle can see you all.

## Fitness with Saracens Mavericks Superleague Player, Jo Trip

As explained previously, club favourite Jo Trip ran a fitness session for year 3 to year 7 last night, and next Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> Feb, she will be running a fitness session for year 8 and above. You will receive a link from your Year Group Admin.

## Finances

Despite offering superleague player zooms, fitness sessions and match analysis sessions, we are very conscious that currently we are not able to provide all the netball that members have paid for. Please be assured that we are monitoring the situation and we will be addressing this at the end of the season once we know how much netball has been missed.

## 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner and Dance

Sadly our Dinner Dance on 24th April is looking less and less likely, and this means that we may be forced to move the event to the reserve date of 11<sup>th</sup> September, or even later. We are currently in discussions with Epsom Racecourse and will confirm as soon as we know more. We are very conscious about holding people's deposits at this time, but we can assure you we will definitely be holding this event as soon as we are able. It is good to have something exciting to look forward to!

## And finally...

I write with sad news about our lovely Jonelle and her daughter Izani. Jonelle and her family have had to take the really tough decision to move back to South Africa for business reasons. Jonelle hopes the move is temporary and that they'll be back sometime in the future but they cannot put a date on this.

Jonelle has been a huge part of AAS. She has been the heart and soul of the adult A team since the adult section started 6 years ago. Her mental toughness, incredible work ethic, kindness and above all her amazing sense of humour have made her an exceptional player and team mate.

In the early days Jonelle joined my old "Back to Netball" group, just because she wanted to get back into netball, but her enthusiasm and talent shone through, and we soon managed to convince her to play competitively for us, and join us on the coaching team. Jonelle is currently coaching 3 age groups and I know that all her age groups love her and will be sad to see her go.

Most importantly, Jonelle is a dear friend to us all, and we are really going to miss her. We would like to thank her for everything she has done for Ashtead All Stars and we wish her and her family all the very best for the future. Jonelle leaves us at half term, so if you would like to send her a message please do so soon. Jonelle's commitment to AAS is such that whilst we are in lockdown, Jonelle will continue with her Wednesday night fitness sessions even if they are live from South Africa. 😊 I would also like to mention Izani, Jonelle's daughter, who is just as committed as Jonelle, and we are all going to miss Izani's energy and enthusiasm.

Finally, stay safe, stay well, stay cheerful and stay fit!!!

See you all again soon,  
Jane and the AAS Committee  
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