

Tuesday 1st Feb

Wellesley House v King's Canterbury squash match

We left school at 1:45 in the minibus full of anticipation and excitement but also some pre-match nerves. We got to the squash courts soon after we arrived, the initial reaction from all of us was nervousness however, that soon changed once we got on the court and started to warm up.

Our day was kickstarted by our number 4 and 5 Luis and Spanton. They both started well and things would only continue to improve from here. They were both met with strong opposition but both pulled through in the end winning both their matches in some style.

Next up was Will at number three this was without a doubt the closest and hardest fought match all day. The first two games were shared equally; this made the score to be one all and then the next two games were deservedly won by Will, although not without a tough fight from their side.

Archie started very well against their number two beating her very comfortably in the first game and then continued this form throughout the entire match and beating her three sets to nil.

Xandy had a very tough fixture against a very experienced 6th former who was in fact an Old Welleslian. He ended up losing but played very well and demonstrated real determination against far older and experienced opposition.

Overall, we won four out of five matches which means our first fixture was a success!

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