

Hythe Youngsters Shine at Kent Polo Festival

Hythe Aqua had a record number of players at the annual Kent Water Polo Festival at Folkestone Sports Centre. With young but enthusiastic players we knew we would face tough competition against older more experienced teams.

Hythe Aqua had 2 teams in the 2003/U mini polo competition. The A team with older more experienced players had a fantastic competition easily winning all their games and becoming Kent mini-polo Champions. The younger B team displayed great team spirit and determination hard work to get come 4th in the competition with more years to come in the competition.

A team: James Croud, Tom Broadbridge, Abbie Oakes, William Cavanagh, Libby MacArthur, William Dixon. Goalscorers: James, Abbie, Tom and William C

B team: Rico Newman-Morgan, James Roberts, Harris Lindsay, Freya Ling, Chloe Warman, Harry Oakes, Goalscorers: Rico , Harris and close misses by Freya and Chloe,

The 2001/U team was the Hythe A team plus Toby Masray, Joel Dawkins, Mhari MacArthur, Harry and Rico. The other teams were older and bigger but the Hythe team showed excellent game awareness, attacking tactics and were unfortunate not to score more goals or win any of their matches.

The 1999/U team was only entered for match experience and boy did they gain that especially against Beckenham who had 5 GB full age players and several county players! All the Hythe team displayed great determination and guts in tackling, defending and even attacking and the parents and coaches were proud of their efforts. 1999/U Team - Tom Dixon Toby Masray Joel Dawkins Mhari MacArthur William Cavanagh, Abbie Oakes, Libby MacArthur, James Croud Tom Broadbridge

