

NEWSLETTER

BY HANDE BESCELI

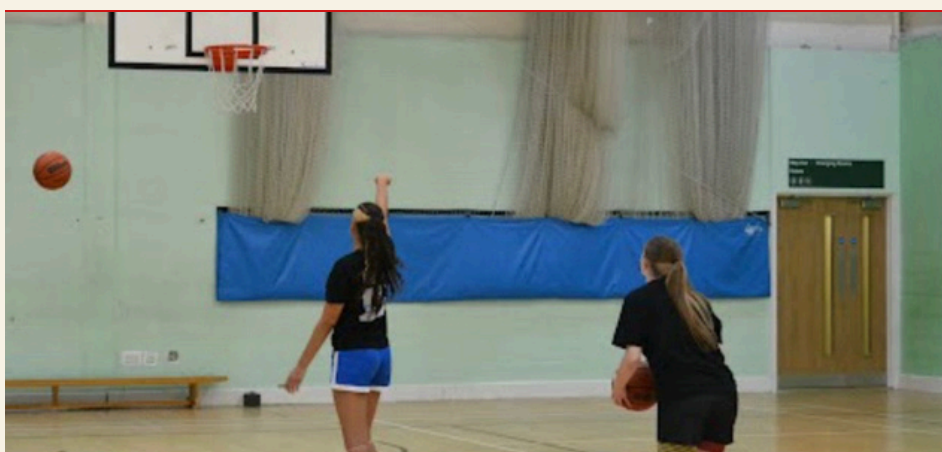
SIXTH FORM BASKETBALL ACADEMY

Hazeley Academy is proud to represent the next generation of elite student-athletes competing in the Women's Elite Basketball Academy League. This is a national basketball competition featuring the top academy programmes across England. At our partner school Shenley Brook End School, the boys academy will be competing in the College's Basketball League against top schools across the nation. In the weeks ahead we will be sharing our preparation for upcoming games, basketball sessions lead by our student-athletes, words from head coach and game reports. Follow along with us for our journey this year in the upcoming basketball season.



PREVIOUS SUCCESS OF THE MK5D ACADEMY AT HAZELEY ACADEMY

Since the moment we first tipped off last year until the final buzzer we made history for the Hazeley academy by placing 4th in the north conference and making an appearance in the Elite 8 of the playoffs. The girls are back again this year bringing ultimate hype every game to put on their best performance.



BEHIND-THE-SCENES AT TRAINING SESSIONS

This weeks focus goal at the girls training is on-ball pressure and getting as many shots up as we can to be at the best advantage for our next fixture against Birmingham Rockets.

SAVE THE DATE!!

WEABL – Girls Academy @ Hazeley

- Wednesday 7th October – Vs Birmingham Rockets
- Wednesday 4th November October – Vs Copelston High School

CBL – Boys Academy @ SBE

- Wednesday 30th September – Vs Riverside School
- Wednesday 14th October – Vs Dagenham Park

Note: Admissions to games are free. To catch the action live at Hazeley drop an email to 20hbesceli@haz5d.com to secure your spot at the next home game!

SOCIAL MEDIA & CONTACT

 [mk5dbreakers](#)

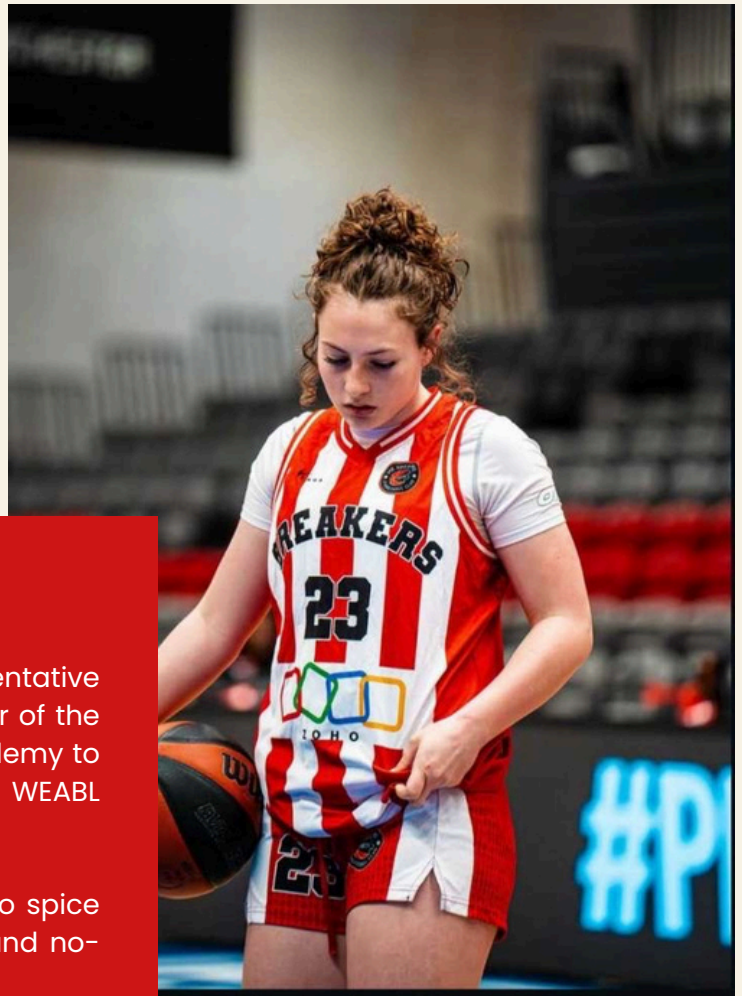
 [thehazeleyacademy](#)

 [mkbasketball.club](#)

 20hbesceli@haz5d.com

GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY – YOUNG GIRLS BASKETBALL SESSIONS AT HAZELEY ACADEMY

The academy girls will be coaching skill development drills and hosting mini games for the school community to inspire and increase participation in girls basketball. The MK5D team are dedicated to raise awareness in girls basketball as they feel girls should be able to take part in sports without the worry of others thoughts. In this environment we only encourage to keep the energy high and aim to have fun. To attend these sessions, sign up through Arbor to attend!



TALENT ON THE WEABL TEAM ROSTER

Future star Faith Deakin, a Team England representative who has previously been awarded Youngest Player of the Year in the 2025/26 season is now at Hazeley Academy to continue her studies alongside competing in the WEABL again this season.

Our streetball phenom Jovy Chan is back again to spice up the game with her famous behind-the-back and no-look passes and her sniper like 3 point shots.

WORDS FROM HEAD COACHES PAIGE VYSE

"I'm super excited to start the season. We have been working really hard at practice in anticipation for our first game on 7th October. We have big goals for this season and I feel confident we are in a good position to achieve them." – Coach Paige Vyse

THE BOYS ACADEMY AT SHENLEY BROOK END

Over at Shenley Brook End, the boys academy have been a successful team throughout the years by winning 2 national championships in the 2022/23 and 2025/26 season, also runners up in the finals in the 2023/24 season.

The boys have been putting in the work over the pre-season rearing to start the 2026/27 season with a blast aiming to put on another show for the games to come.



IMAGES TAKEN BY OLIVIA PERRY