# Court Fields School Parent Weekly 'What's Happening' Bulletin



#### Message from Mrs Matthews

#### Friday 28th March 2025

Well, it's been a super busy week this week, with our Year 11s getting their feedback from their PPEs, Year 8 visiting Bristol M-Shed, our Art & Photographers visiting galleries and photographing street art in Bristol, our Year 4 Primary Netball Festival supported by our fantastic Sports Leaders, our Battle of the Band runners-up visiting the music faculty of BTC, and Food Practicals for our Year 11 students, with some amazing cookery across the group, especially from Charly J and Wilf B amongst others. We also held our latest Community Breakfast as part of our work with our local Wellington Community to support improving outcomes for children and families across our town. It was great to see over 60 participants from local organisations, charities, churches, the voluntary sector, education, health and much more. It shows the strength of our community and the appetite to work together.

I hope you have a lovely weekend. We've got some warmer weather to look forward to next week, so hopefully that'll last into the Easter Holidays! Happy Eid to our Muslim families and students. Best wishes, Mrs Matthews

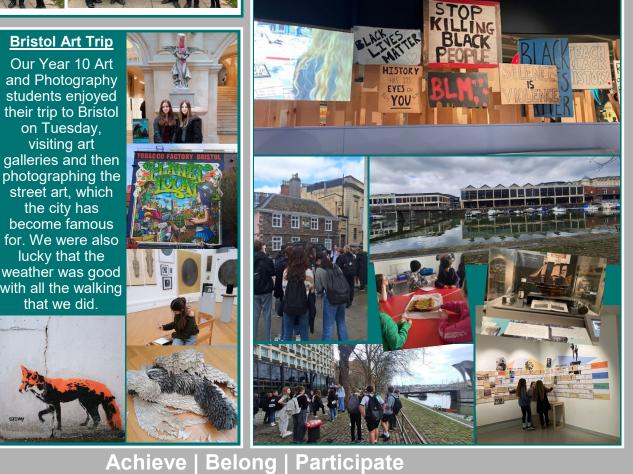
#### **Cheque Presentation**

Our Year 10 members of the West Somerset Police Youth Independent Advisory Group (pioneer project) were delighted to be presented with a cheque for £200 from the President of the Rotary Club of Wellington on Monday. The money will be spent on items for the Community Hub in the Kings Arms.



### M Shed Slavery Trip To Bristol

Year 8 students went to Bristol to see local history in action. They partook in an artefact session that outlined the history and culture of Benin, through to the merchant records taken onboard ships and items that were used to punish enslaved people on the plantations. The museum displayed Colston's statue that was removed during the Black Lives Matter protest, as well as outlining the history of the slave trade. Finally, students were taken on a guided tour of various places in Bristol to see the impact that the vast amount of wealth produced during the slave trade had, how Pero is remembered as a slave and whether Bristol represents its history accurately.



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#### Insight Into Apprenticeship

Two trips for our Insight into Apprenticeships group last week, our first to Hinkley Point C. Students were able to see first hand the largest construction site in Europe, no photographs allowed, along with having a quick trip to the visitor's centre, experiencing the interactive displays.



For the second trip last week students visited the Bridgwater & Taunton College, Taunton campus. Experiencing college lessons and gaining a useful insight into apprenticeships students left with a goody bag and full understanding of what's on offer.



## Thank you for all your donations!

# £910 Raised for Comic Relief!

# Year 7-10 Area Netball Finals

A huge well done to all Court Fields netballers who travelled to Taunton Vale on Wednesday to compete against all other local secondary schools in the area finals. The final results were:

Year 7- 2nd place (only losing one game all day) Year 8- Joint 3rd place Year 9- 6th place Year 10- Joint 2nd place (only losing one game all day)





DIARY DATES

4th April Prefect Cinema trip 4th April Last Day of Term, early finish 12:45

7th April-18th April Easter Holidays 21st April Bank Holiday 22nd April Return to School 4th June War Horse trip 4th July Inset Day 7th July Year 10 Thorpe Park trip 11th July Inset Day

<u>3G Pitch Availability</u> Please contact 3gbookings@courtfields. bep.ac with all enquiries.



#### Upcoming trips

Year 10 are going to Thorpe park on 7th July. If your child would like to attend, please contact the school office as soon as possible & if you have consented for your child to go on this trip, payment needs to be made on Scopay by Friday 4th April. Years 8, 9 & 10 are going to

see War Horse at the Bristol Hippodrome on 4th June. if your child would like to attend, please contact the school office as soon as possible & if you have consented for your child to go on this trip, payment needs to be made on Scopay by Friday 4th April.

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