

Court Fields School

Parent Weekly 'What's Happening' Bulletin



Message from Mrs Matthews

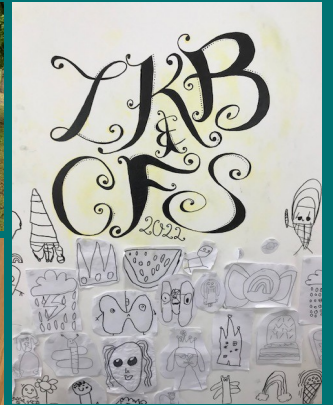
Wow, what a busy week!

We've had Enrichment Week with visits going out to local colleges (BTC & Richard Huish), activities around the prevention of knife crime, relationship and sexual education and trips to Chepstow Castle, Paignton Zoo and Go-Ape, to name just a few of the wide range of enrichment activities. I would like to thank all the staff for their support, especially Mr Hold, who coordinated the organisation of the week. Thanks also to the students who engaged so well throughout the week.

Next week, there's no slowing of the pace with Year 6 Transition, Year 10 Work Experience and Year 11 Prom. Photos to follow next week.

Thank you as always for your support. Have a lovely weekend. Mrs Matthews

Friday 1st July 2022



Barclays Life Skills 2022

A celebratory day held at the Taunton Rugby Football Club was the perfect way to recognise and reward our Barclays Life Skills students 2022. A great programme for young people created and facilitated by Barclays Bank PLC in partnership with The Talent Foundry. This year, our group of nine students fully engaged with the virtual workshops aimed at building employability skills and confidence, key to their futures. We would like to thank our two mentors who supported our students with enthusiasm and energy, which they conveyed at the Awards Day when students were able to meet them in person. We are very excited to offer this opportunity to our students again next year.



Year 7 and Year 8 Team Area Athletics

A fantastic day full of learning, fun and success at the area athletics champs. All of our students were incredible, with lots of PBs and 1st places from our students. We await the results, however all students involved should be very proud.



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School Formula 1 Championship Race Report

Race Rundown: Autodromo Nazionale di Monza - 53 Laps
In a very interesting race to say the least, Hutchinson took the lead on lap 3, never looking back as Vinall ran out of fuel on lap 22, being the only retirement of the race. Witton's quiet consistency got him to 2nd place, as Pickard, in a race where he took 6 stops, clumsily made his way to the final spot on the podium, and Miles picked up decent points in P4. Hutchinson's win gave her the championship with a race to spare.



Next Race (Season Finale): German Grand Prix - Hockenheimring (67 Laps) - 20/07/2022

Army Careers—A captive audience last week when Sergeant Chris Stone, Army Careers Advisor came in to speak to our Year 9 students.

Explaining the many and varied opportunities of joining the British Army, including the support to further develop skills and qualifications.



Court Fields Year 5 and 6 Sports Festival

Court Fields School welcomed hundreds of Year 5s and 6s from the local feeder schools in Wellington for a feast of sport on Thursday 23rd June. The event, organised by primary lead Mrs Lees, was run by the fantastic Year 9 and Year 10 Sports Leaders at Court Fields. The event consisted of various sporting challenges including running, jumping, throwing, football and many more.

A really big well done to Mrs Lees and our fantastic Sports Leaders for making this a day to remember.



India D, Year 11

Trials last week for Bristol Bears - There were only 4 girls from Somerset that went through to the South West trials, the other 3 were 2 years above India.

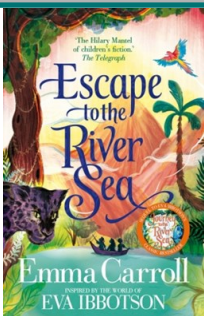
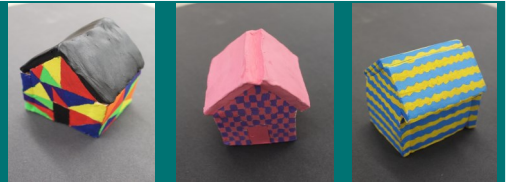
They had to run 1200m for a fitness test, did drills to see what their positioning was like and then played a game. India is waiting to hear back. Good luck!



Year 9 and Year 10 Team Area Athletics

Unfortunately this event was postponed halfway through due to a downpour, however in the events before the downpour, there were some exceptional performances including lots of 1st places and PBs. Well done to all involved.

Year 9— Ceramic Beach Huts



Book of the Week Escape to the River Sea by Emma Carroll

In 1946, Rosa Sweetman, a young Kindertransport girl, is longing for her family to claim her. The war in Europe is over and she is the only child left at Westwood, a rambling country estate in the North of England, where she'd taken refuge seven years earlier. The arrival of a friend of the family, Yara Fielding, starts an adventure that will take Rosa deep into the lush beauty of the Amazon rainforest in search of jaguars, ancient giant sloths and somewhere to belong. What she finds is Yara's lively, welcoming family on the banks of the river and, together, they face a danger greater than she could ever have imagined. Featuring places and characters known and loved by fans of Journey to the River Sea (including, among others, Maia, Finn, Miss Minton and Clovis) this spectacular new chapter in the story tells of the next generation and the growing threats to the Amazon rainforest that continue to this day.



Parent Community Group
Location: The Beambridge Inn
Date: 11th July 2022
Time: 5:30-7:00pm



Anybody welcome, please drop in to have an informal chat with a member of our Senior Leadership Team. This is a great opportunity to find out more about our school and your child's educational experience. We would welcome your feedback and ideas for school development, as well as suggestions for wider community engagement. We look forward to meeting you.

DIARY DATES

- 4th-8th July**
Year 10 Work Experience Week
- 5th-6th July**
Year 6 Transition Days
- 8th July**
Year 11 Prom
- 12th July**
Sports Day
- 11th-16th July**
Uniform Pop-Up Shop is open

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