

Court Fields School

Parent Weekly 'What's Happening' Bulletin



Message from Mrs Matthews

Thank you for your support this week as we welcomed visitors from Ofsted. I'm not able to give you any update as yet, until the report is published, which will be in around 35 working days. I would like to say that we were overwhelmed by the support from our school and wider community. Thanks to all our students, parents, staff and families.

We were thrilled today as our students took part in the Rotary Technology Tournament at Bishop Fox's School. Supported by Mrs Brown, we had some stunning results, with the Year 9 boys in 1st place, Year 9 girls in 3rd, and Year 10 boys 1st in their category too! Students included Zak FT, Oliver S, Oliver B, Harvey G, Willow BC, Layla C, Olivia D, Nikki B, Max P and Joben B.

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

Friday 24th March 2023



Year 10 Mock Interviews

As a school, we are so proud that our Year 10 students stepped up to this challenge. Promptly attending, overcoming their fears and taking a mature approach to their interview. We have received lots of positive feedback from our interview panel, who we are so grateful to for taking the time to support our students. From both the private and public sector, from local to national organisations, the business community have made a lasting contribution to the future of our Year 11. A huge thank you to all that got involved.



Duke of Edinburgh's Award Programme

A huge thank you to WPA Benevolent Foundation for funding the purchase of additional equipment for the Duke of Edinburgh's Award programme in school. The extra kit was essential to enable us to accommodate the large cohort of Year 10 students taking on the challenge this year. We have 45 students signed up, double the number from last year, which is nearly a third of the Year group. This also enables us to lend some of the kit needed, to help remove financial barriers to achieving the award. We are looking forward to using the equipment on the practice expedition day next week. The group pictured were attending their expedition training on the safe use of Trangia cookers and putting up tents.



Achieve | Belong | Participate

Year 10/11 District Cup

The girls pulled out all the stops in a dominating game v Bishop Fox's today, winning 7-0.

Goals from:
Hatti hero Zoe M
X2 Chloe P
X1 Madi
X1 Arabella C
One proud Miss Overington!



Inter-house Maths Competition

Some pupils in Year 9 and Year 10 have battled valiantly, representing their house in an inter-house Maths challenge. This has taken the form of a Countdown style numbers competition, where pupils have applied their mental maths skills in solving a numerical conundrum. In Year 10, Adam B, Millie H, Oliver B and Oliver B managed to score top points. Special mention must be given to Oliver B, who managed to solve two conundrums in the fastest time! In Year 10, Warren M was the only student to crack the mathematical problem (the numbers were particularly tough that morning) which was an amazing achievement. Well done to all who took part. We look forward to launching the competition for Years 7, 8 and 11 very soon.



FA Whistlers

Huge thank you to Alex from SASP Somerset for giving these girls the opportunity to further their footballing knowledge to officiating the game. These girls are now equipped with the knowledge and building confidence to referee/line youth games/tournaments/school primary festivals.



More footballing success with the talented Year 11 Eddie T representing Somerset County Schools earlier in the month v Berkshire. Eddie lived up to his reputation scoring and getting man of the match in a very close game. He is selected again for another upcoming county game v Southampton. Keep up the great work Eddie!



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Eddie!



A big thank you to these wonderful netballers, who helped SASP Somerset run their bees netball tournament for our local small schools. The girls coached and officiated, showing great knowledge and leadership.



READING ALOUD TO KIDS...



Books of the Week—Carnegie Shortlist 2023



WELLINGTON NETBALL CLUB

ATTENTION JUNIORS!

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CAMP

We're excited to announce our school holiday camp at Court Fields School, Sports Hall
1pm - 4pm (11 - 16 yrs)
email: wellington.netball@outlook.com

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Somerset Motorhome Centre

DIARY DATES

- 30th March**
Year 11 Parents Evening
- 30th March**
Last day of term
- 31st March**
Inset Day
- 31st March**
Duke of Edinburgh expedition practice day
- 17th April**
Return to school
- 20th April**
Year 8 Parents Evening
- 24th—28th April**
Madagascar Week
- 28th April**
Non-uniform day for Madagascar

Ski Trip 2024

There are 5 places left on next year's ski trip! Get in touch with Mrs Greenfield for more information—dgreenfield@courtfiels.net.



How are you feeling right now?
All feelings are acceptable and valid. Don't try to change the feeling. All feelings are allowed. Accepting a feeling doesn't mean you have to like it. Notice the feeling and remember our emotions are like the weather, always shifting and changing. They will pass.

