

# This Week

**NEWS AND INFORMATION FROM YOUR SCHOOL** 

## **News this week from the Executive Principal**

Well done to all staff and students who have gone to extra lengths to make sure they attended work / school. Particular well done and thanks to staff who live a long way from the school and still managed to find away in to work.

### **Camping**

Thank you to Mr Collis and Ms McRill who took Year 9 students camping on Monday and Tuesday overnight – some lovely activities including camp fires and games. What a lovely experience for our students.





**Year 7 Shakespeare Theatre** 

On Tuesday all of Year 7 had a wonderful opportunity to watch live acted clips from Shakespeare plays. Thanks to Ms Higgins for organizing this with a London Theatre Company.

## **Culture Day**

On Wednesday Year 12 students had their Culture Day. It was really lovely to see so many students engaging with the day and showing and explaining their cultural heritage through clothes and dance. Something now we will have with other year groups.









(GCSE and A level Public exams finished this week. Well done to all Year 11 and 13 students for their excellent behaviour and dedication to their exams and the process. Thank you to Mr Law and to Ms Rehman for their leadership of exams.

Good luck to II students for their results in the Summer.

Thank you,

Mrs Ruth Holden,

Executive Principal

# Sixth Form Update

Year 12 BTEC Business students are currently studying Unit 4 which requires them to plan and stage an event. This is a fantastic unit where students learn the importance of teamwork, organisation and budgeting. Yesterday, three groups staged their





bake sale events selling items such as doughnuts, cookies and cupcakes. It was an amazing experience for the students as they were able to put their classroom knowledge into action. Also, all groups were thrilled to have made a substantial profit! Look out for more events during careers week.

# **JustGiving**<sup>\*\*</sup>

The last year has been extremel difficult for our students. As we come out of lockdown and our school begins to return to normal, there is an urgent need to give all our students the opportunity, not just to return to the classroom, but to have fun, to experience a trip somewhere, to feel the freedom of the seaside or a camping trip and to enrich their lives and undo the mental and emotional damage that lockdown will have caused. If you feel passionate about helping us to do this for our young people aged 11-18 - please donate to our JustGiving page - no matter how little or how much - you will make a different to children's lives and we will acknowledge this. Please visit:

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# Un jour en France

On Thursday 16th June Ms Anthony, Mr Robertshaw and Mr McDonald took a group of Year 8s, 9s and 10s to Northern France. After travelling through the Eurotunnel, it was fantastic seeing the beautiful town and beach of Boulogne. They visited a typical French boulangerie where the students listened amazingly well in order to understand the explanations that the French baker gave about the ingredients and the process for baking their baguettes. They tasted their pain au chocolat as well - délicieux! The students also tested their French-speaking skills in the market stalls and shops of Boulogne and in the shopping centre in a town nearby. What a wonderful day! Fantastique!



















#### Table Tennis s on... Monday Tuesday Wednesday **Thursday** Friday Breakfast Club 7.00am-8.30am **Girls** Boys **Mixed** Lunch **Girls Girls** Boys **Boys** 1.00pm-1.40pm **After School Girls Boys** Training Competitions Trips **Get a letter from Coach Simon** (PE department) if you want to join Greenhouse www.greenhousesports.org Sports



Lovely to see so many students enjoying Mr Proddaturi's chess club - there was such a buzz! It is on every Tuesday lunch time in 321





Two lovely Year 8 students showing their half and half pizza. They were 'Chefs of the lesson' as they followed the recipe independently and made a perfect pizza.



The MAS English Department celebrated National Writing Day on Thursday with a summer themed writing workshop in the library at lunchtime led by Ms Fletcher. It was a fabulous event which included English teachers sharing their favourite writing about summer, and students producing their own writing on this theme.

## MULBERRY STEM ACADEMY

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# GREENPOWER

What a fantastic day for our Sixth Form STEM Academy race team on Sunday! They headed to Lotus cars test track in Norfolk for a day of Greenpower racing and were absolute champions, coming first and second in their category! Well done to the drivers and their team and a big thank you to Mr Farmer, Ms Scott and Ms Gillott for their support!

















## **Alumni Reunion**



On Monday we had a visit from some of our sixth form alumni- some who left as long ago as 2015 and some who left as recently as 2021.

We were proud to hear about how they are thriving!

- Aysha is the editor of the student newspaper at LSE
- Amal is the Welfare Officer of the Somalian Society at King's College
- Chayton is working as a police officer
- Ethan and Elijah are working as teaching assistants
- Mischa is training to be a Physiotherapist

Our alumni said that what they loved about Mulberry was:

"Seeing classmates and teachers every day", "the teachers", "the opportunities given to me", "the atmosphere and the continuous support"

# **Globe Players**



On Tuesday, the Globe Players theatre company performed a play about Shakespeare's life and plays to Year 7, who have been studying A Midsummer Night's Dream in their English lessons. The performance was informative, but also entertaining - Year 7 laughed their socks off.

#### Faiza Rahman 7E:

"I was amazed by the performance. It was funny and full of excitement. My favourite piece was from A Midsummer Night's Dream because of the humour. One thing that amazed me was the language. The old Shakespearean language was fun to listen to. It was hard to understand but it was exciting. I hope I can go to the Globe Theatre and watch these plays again".

# **Year 9 Camping trip**

Earlier in the week a group of Year 9 students went camping at Walton Firs Activity Centre in Surrey. They had a fantastic time, building shelters, making rope and sitting round the camp-fire toasting marshmallows. They also did a blindfolded night line, a vertical obstacle course and archery.







**Year 7 Sailing** 

The final week of the Year 7 sailing course was great fun, learning how to capsize the boat and get it back up out of the water! Students spent more time in the water than in their boats this week! The progress they have made over the three sessions is fantastic!







Year 9 Meningitis ACWY and Diphtheria, Tetanus and Polio vaccination Boosters Pupils that have not received their vaccination will have this on Tuesday 28th June. If you have a consent form, please can this be returned to school.

Year 8 HPV If your child has not received their 2nd dose of the HPV, this will take place on Tuesday 28th June.



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