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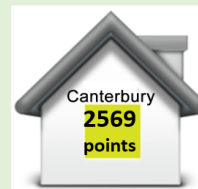
Newsletter 3 Friday 24th September 2021

Congratulations to our Year Stars of the Week

Year 7	Ricardo
Year 8	Chancelor
Year 9	Siya
Year 10	Samuel
Year 11	Ivan
Year 12	Sam
Year 13	Sumera



HOUSE TOTALS THIS WEEK



The King's Values - Empathy - Respect - Responsibility - Forgiveness

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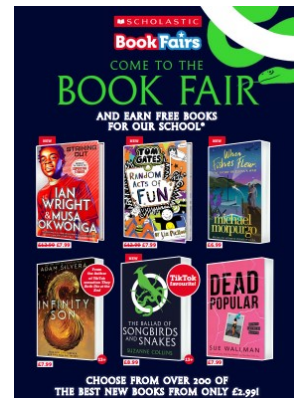
York	Alisha
Lichfield	Debi
Canterbury	Williams



Scholastic Book Fair

The KS3 Scholastic Book Fair will be in the library from Thursday 23rd - Tuesday 28th Sept. All information for students about paying will be available from the Library. This will be a cashless system and payments will be made online.

Lots of exciting books at great prices!



Congratulations to our Tutor Groups of the Week

7	CMIL
8	LVAN
9	YMCC
10	CSHO
11	LEAS
6	LTAT



This week we have welcomed volunteers from All Nations Church to lead our House Worship as we consider the difference that prayer makes in our lives.



National re-cycling week.

This week is national recycling week and pupils have been set a challenge to upcycle something they would normally throw away.

Parents & Carers' Edition

Recycling Eco Week



What is Recycling Eco Week?

<https://friendsoftheearth.uk/sustainable-living/7-benefits-recycling#:~:text=Recycling%20reduces%20the%20need%20to%20water%20C%20soil%20and%20air>

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For Parents & Carers...

What is recycling?

What recycling and why do we do it?

As the world's raw resources are running out recycling becomes more crucial. Recycling allows for products we no longer need or use to be reinvented into new ideas. This reduces the need to grow, harvest or extract new raw materials and help preserve them for future generations.

Coding It's not just kids who can learn to code <https://codingweek.org/its-not-just-children-who-can-learn-how-to-code/>

Founder of Coding Week tells his story <https://codingweek.org/richard-rolfe-founder-of-national-coding-week-tells-his-story/>

<https://www.gov.uk/recycling-collections> - When are recycling bins collected in your area?
https://www.sandwell.gov.uk/info/200160/bins_and_recycling/496/what_happens_to_your_recycling_and_rubbish - What happens to your rubbish?
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qfqsX4voayY> - Recycling in the UK

"Be joyful. Grow to maturity. Encourage each other. Live in harmony and peace. Then the God of love and peace will be with you." 2 Corinthians 13:11

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Creative Faculty News

Extra-curricular:

This week has been an outstanding turn out at many clubs across all year groups. There were over 30 students at football club on Monday after school. And the Thursday Art/Photography and Theatre clubs also had impressively high numbers, displaying so much talent. I think it's also been made very clear that performances this year from the Theatre club will be fantastic!!!!

Inter-house:

This week Lichfield stole the points from the Year 9 dodgeball tournament, which I know York and Canterbury were not happy about, as all matches were so close!



The School of Rock:

What a successful evening! Our music and performing arts students have not stopped speaking about how much they enjoyed the experience of the Theatre on Thursday evening. Some students expressed that they were "so excited they felt scared to go in," and some students rated it "435 out of 10". This was an experience that most students had never had, and it was such a rewarding evening to witness. Students had bought new outfits, had researched the show and were extremely appreciative towards the staff involved.



Next week:

Thursday after school the Year 9 football team have their first match against The Royal School. We wish them all the best, and we are looking forward to a very competitive match.

Miss Pugh

Head of Creative Faculty

Open Events

Applications are now being taken for secondary school places for students starting Year 7 in 2022, the deadline is 31st October.

We are delighted to publish our Open Events on:

Open Evening Wednesday 6th October 6-8pm

Open Morning Saturday 16th October 9.30am-12.30pm

Open Mornings Tuesday 19th and Thursday 21st October 10am-12pm

The King's CE School is one of the most improved secondary school in Wolverhampton and is an exciting and inspirational place to work and study.

We are a school united by a shared vision, clear values, and a warm welcome.

We welcome pre-bookings, please use this link to [book now](#).



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Thank you

A huge THANK YOU to our friends at St Michael's Church and Rev Cath for allowing us to hold our welcome service for Year 7 pupils last week. We had a lovely time.



Macmillan Coffee Morning

Parents, students and staff enjoyed coffee and cake at our Macmillan Coffee Morning today to raise money for cancer support and in remembrance of past friends and colleagues.

A very successful morning, thank you to everyone for your support and donation of cakes.



Thank you too, to Claire Shaw, Director of Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education, Steve Rayner from the Lichfield Diocese and Kevin Bruerton School Governor, for joining us today to run 5k around the sports field at lunchtime with staff and students.

Well done everyone!



Year 11 Focus Evening

What a great turnout at yesterday's Year 11 Focus Evening! It was lovely to meet parents and pupils face-to-face and set some aspirational targets for the year ahead.



Lockers

All pupils are encouraged to rent a secure locker for this academic year to store their coat, books, PE Kit etc.

They can be purchased via the following website:

www.locker.rentals



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From the Chaplain....

'What difference does prayer make?' we ask ourselves this week, as we read the amazing story in Acts 12 of Peter being set free from prison, much to the initial disbelief of the band of believers who were gathered together praying for him. And many of us might be able to tell stories of prayer being answered in miraculous ways: of healing, of reconciliation or of help being provided when it was most needed. But if we are honest, we will also be able to point to times or situations where we have questioned why God does not seem to be putting everything right and prayers don't seem to have been answered... at least yet. So what difference does prayer make?

When God created humankind in his image, he gave us some of his characteristics: imagination and creativity, hope and compassion; and he called us to join him and to be co-creators with him. He did not make us mere puppets to do his bidding with no will of our own and neither did he make us solitary beings, cut off from himself and from one another to find our own ways in life. Just as the Christian God is community: Father, Son and Holy Spirit; so he called us into community with him. For me, prayer is a vessel for being community with God. In prayer I can 'pour out my heart' (as one of our pupils said this week), I can lament or rejoice, I can tell God my concerns and know that he is interested, I can ask for his help or thank him for his blessings already received. And I can listen.

Last week I left you with a quote from Mother Teresa, which included the words: I used to believe that prayer changes things, but now I know that prayer changes us and we change things. Perhaps as we pray this week, as we share with God all that is in our hearts and all that we desire, we can try to be aware of the change that our prayer is producing in us. And then as we go about our daily lives we can continue to listen and to notice where God is calling us to be, what he is calling us to say and where he is calling us to act.

For there is power in persistent prayer – Micah 7:7

Wishing you all a blessed weekend.



Next Week's Theme for Worship

How do we approach God?

Matthew 6: 5-13 (The message)



At The King's CE School we believe that everyone is unique and created in God's image. We enable all to achieve their God-given potential; to grow, learn and aspire; to transform their lives and the lives of others and to journey in faith without limits within a unified, respectful and harmonious community.

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