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Friday 18th March 2022

# Congratulations to our Year Stars of the Week

Year 7 Raeesah Year 8 Emma Year 9 Daniel Year 10 Prabaljit Year 11 Sharanjit Year 12 Glaudia Year 13 Manav





# Congratulations to our House Stars of the Week

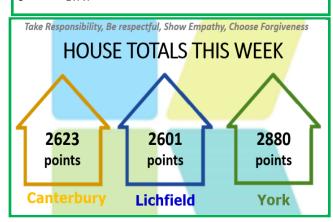
York Prabaljit Lichfield Debi Canterbury Sharanjit



# Congratulations to our Tutor Groups of the Week

7 **CMIL** 8 **LVAN** 9 **LMIT** 10 **YDEA** 11 **CKUD** 6 **LTAT** 





# We are hiring.

We are currently looking for a Teacher of MFL to join our team! Please see our vacancies page for more information.



### Ukraine

We have been spending time in forms this week reflecting on

events in Ukraine and around the world where there is

We have been writing prayers for all those fleeing conflict and seeking refuge.

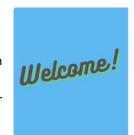




We were delighted to welcome our new September 2022 Year 7 pupils and their families into school on Tuesday evening for talks and activities. There was a fantastic atmosphere around school.

Our student leaders represented the school superbly when they welcomed our new Year 7 cohort for September 2022.







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# News from PE.....

### Monday 14th March—Year 10 Boys Football Match:

The Year 10 boys played their first football match of the year against a very talented Colton Hills team. The team played superb, and their teamwork was fantastic throughout. Not only did we come out 3-1 winners, but it was also great to see some Year 9 boys also make the step up to the Year 10 team. Well Done!

#### Monday 14th March—Year 7 & 8 Basketball Match:

On Monday, the Yr 7 and 8 boys basketball team demonstrated high levels of teamwork and resilience against one of the strongest teams in the West Midlands. The result is not what we wanted; however, the team performed so well demonstrating sportsmanship and determination throughout. It was a fantastic game to witness; the team have improved so much since September. Keep going boys!

#### <u>Tuesday 15th March—Year 7 & 8 Girls Wolverhampton City Volleyball Competition:</u>

6 girls took part in the Year 7 and 8 volleyball competition on Tuesday evening. The atmosphere was fantastic and the pupils showed determination when competing in every match. At the beginning of the competition one of the pupils stated "I'm very nervous, I'm not sure I'm very good" which was a very different reaction to the end of the competition where the same pupil said, "That was amazing, can we organise games each week like this". A tough match against The Royal was head-to-head up until the last minute when The Royal won the match 9-8. After the match each of the pupils shook each others hands to show respect and congratulated each other, a credit to the school. Well done to all involved.



#### Wednesday 16th March—Year 10 Leadership with Year 5 classs from Fallings Park Primary School:

On Wednesday we had the 2nd Year 5 class from Fallings Park Primary School visit us for our continued Sports Leadership assessments with Year 10. The primary school children had a lovely time, and again we've had really positive and grateful comments received. The students were absolutely incredible, some of the students involved were: Laila, Raja, Lateesha, Roman, Emiliya— all of which did not stop smiling throughout! All students involved were an absolute credit to the school!





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# News from PE continued.....

#### Wednesday 16th March—Staff Vs 6th Form Volleyball:

On Wednesday lunchtime, the sixth form pupils were challenged to a very exciting Volleyball match against staff. Seeing members from different faculties come together was brilliant and their skills definitely came as a surprise to the pupils! After a fight for points the staff stormed ahead with some great blocks, even with a player who encountered an injury. The pupils had a good streak of serves but in the last couple of points the staff delivered some great pick ups and won the match. Fantatic atmosphere and thank you to all those who came down!

### <u>Thursday 17th March—Year 7 & Boys Wolverhampton City Volleyball Competition:</u>

Wow! What an evening at The King's last night. 11 teams were hosted at the Year 7 and 8 Volleyball. Well done to our pupils who came in 5th place, throughout the competition they advanced their skills in order to continue improving! Having substitutions on each team allowed for the pupils who were off at the time to give value feedback, following on from this the pupils developed after each game showing some brilliant 3 touch Volleyball. After the competition, the Tettenhall Tigers coach stated "Your boys showed brilliant teamwork and progressed throughout. It was great to see even when they lost a game the first thing they did was shake the oppositions hand; great sportsmanship" Well done to all the teams involved!

#### Friday 18th March Year 7 Football Match v St Peter's:

Report to follow next week! .....

Creative Extra-curricular clubs					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime 1.10-1.40	Steel pans/ ukulele Dance studio (MCA) Basketball KS3: Sports Hall	Drama club G8 (SHO) Volleyball – Sports Hall Dodgeball – Sports Hall	Choir G6  KS3 Art club G3  Badminton – Sports Hall  Female fitness club – Fitness room	Jewellery Club Tech building – T4 Inter-house – Sports Hall Y9 and 10 basketball! Ks4 Basketball – Sports Hall	
Afterschool 3.35-4.35	Football training Y7&8 Basketball Match Y10 Football Match Dance fitness (dance studio) Duke of Edinburgh sessions	Year 7 and 8 girls Volleyball tournament	No club/ fixture	King's Theatre Group G8 GCSE Art & Photography G3 Year 7 and 8 boys Volleyball tournament	Y7&8 Football Match







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# From the Chaplain....

This week we have been reflecting on one of Jesus' parables:

"A man had a fig tree growing in his vineyard, and he went to look for fruit on it but did not find any. So he said to the man who took care of the vineyard, 'For three years now I've been coming to look for fruit on this fig tree and haven't found any. Cut it down! Why should it use up the soil?' "'Sir,' the man replied, 'leave it alone for one more year, and I'll dig around it and fertilize it. If it bears fruit next year, fine! If not, then cut it down.'" Luke 13:6-9

I wonder as you read the parable, who you most identified with?

Perhaps you felt empathy for the vineyard owner, whose resources are being taken up by a tree which is not bearing fruit. Where in our lives are we spending our energy and not seeing any results? Is it time to cut back on an activity which leaves us feeling drained and frustrated?

Perhaps you empathised with the gardener, whose patience, generosity and optimism lead him to plead on behalf of the tree for one last chance. Is there a person in your life who needs someone to speak up for them? Who do you know that needs to know someone believes in them? On what do we pin our own hope for the future, and who might we share that with?

Or perhaps you saw yourself as the unfruitful tree. So much of life has been put on hold in the last couple of years and there has been little certainty on which to make our plans. Are we feeling that are lives aren't progressing or struggling to feel hope for our own futures? As a society and as individuals we find it difficult to be patient; we are much more inclined to instant gratification than to the discipline of waiting. Yet God's timing is not our timing, his ways are beyond our ways and his thoughts higher than our thoughts. Let us be patient with ourselves and with him as we remember his promise to us:

"For I know the plans I have for you,' declares the Lord, 'plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future. "Jeremiah 29:11

As our gardens come back to life after the long, dark winter months and as new green shoots start to appear, let's look with hope and gratitude for the signs of God at work in our lives and in our community.

Please join us on

Thursday 24th March 2022

For Choirs in Reflection

From

6pm-7pm



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### The Theme for Worship w.c 21st March

The Lost Son

Luke 15: 11-32







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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