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Newsletter 25 Friday 24th March 2023

# **Dear Parents and Carers**

As we approach the end of the Spring Term, it is with great excitement that I can confirm that The King's will be officially joining Three Spires Trust on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2023. Three Spires Trust is creating a family of schools which can encourage and support each other, and together make a significant contribution to the educational provision in Wolverhampton. This includes St Peter's school, whom are already part of the Trust. It is so encouraging to have finally reached this point - a new chapter is dawning.

This is another fantastic development in a year which has seen the school recognised by as "Excellent" by SIAMS and "Good" by Ofsted, and one which should see the school continue to go from strength to strength. We look forward to welcoming both Three Spires Trust, and St Peter's to work alongside us here at The King's in the summer term.

This week has seen significant disruption caused by the Midland-wide bus strikes. My thanks go to everyone that has managed to make alternative arrangements in order to keep students in school and hopefully those students that have not been able to make it into school have benefited from the online work set by their teachers. We continue to monitor the situation and my hope is that an agreement can be reached this weekend to ensure we can welcome all students back to school as normal next week.

Many thanks

Mr Parry

Vice-Principal







Three Spires

'Life in all its fullness'

# **Creative Zone News**

A fantastic performance from our Year 8 football team at a home fixture against Smestow on Thursday. Our team showed great confidence from the start with being 2-0 up at half time. At our half time talk our pupils were ready to put in 100% effort in the second half with a great motivational speech to ensure we played to the best of our ability.

The game ended in a 5-1 result to King's, a huge well done to all and a special well done to our Year 11 pupil, Roman who refereed the whole game and was very respectful to both sides!

Miss Key





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# Congratulations to our House Stars of the Week

York Elfrida

Lichfield Joshua

Canterbury Jesse





# Congratulations to our Year Stars of the Week

Year 7 Jesse

Year 8 Amelie

Year 9 Roshaní

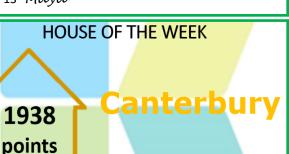
Year 10 Dennis

Year 11 Harrison

Year 12 Sky

Year 13 Maya





# Iftar Dinner (Free Entry) Saturday 25th March 2023 | 5:25 pm Arrival - Iftar Dinner 6:30 pm Location: Baitul Atta Mosque & Community Center 146 Willen hall Road WV1 2HT Next to Park and Ride Organised by Ahmadiyya Muslim Community - Wolverhampton To reserve space text 07466851321 Email president.wolverhampton@ahmadiyyauk.org

# We're recruiting at The King's!

- Cover Supervisor
- Evening Janitor and Minibus Driver

Please visit our website for more information:

kingswolverhampton.co.uk/vacancies



# **BBC Young Reporter Competition**

A fantastic opportunity for 11-18 year olds in the UK to share an original story idea with the BBC. Please click here to be taken to the website for further information.



# Remember.....

British Summer Time starts this weekend, please remember to put your clocks *forward* one hour 1am this Sunday.



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# World Poetry Day 21st March 2023.

World Poetry Day is a day held annually to celebrate all forms of poetry. It was originally started by UNESCO in 1999 with the aim of promoting the reading, writing, publishing and teaching of poetry around the world. The day is also used as a reminder to encourage people to write and recite poetry. As part of our celebrations for World Poetry Day, we would like as many King's students as possible to enter the King's Coronation Poetry Competition 'We have one Chance' A poem about the Environment.



We know King Charles III is a passionate advocate of the planet and so the City of Wolverhampton is going to celebrate HRH Coronation with a poetry competition to inspire all ages.

The Mayor of Wolverhampton, in partnership with Wolverhampton Libraries, invites you to create a poem in the celebration of the King's coronation in May.



Finalists are invited to perform their poems to a panel for the overall winner of each category. All finalists will be invited to tea with the mayor and receive a copy of the published anthology.

### Age categories:

under 7's, 7-11, 12-15, 16+ Voting opens 7th-10th April Competition opens: 20th March Competition closes: 5th April



World Poetry Day

Please see Mrs Black in the English Department for further details.

# 6th Form RE Morning

Our annual Sixth Form RE morning took place on Tuesday 21st March. We were pleased to welcome 7 visitors into school as part of the morning. Our visitors represented Buddhism, Hinduism, Islam and different Christian denominations. Our theme this year was 'Religious Responses to the Cost-of-Living Crisis'. Students enjoyed the opportunity to discuss Big Questions around the use of money, stewardship, moral responsibility, duty and where God is in times of suffering and hardship. Several students presented questions to the panel and answered some of their questions. We are very grateful to the visitors for sharing their thoughts and insights with us-it certainly enabled students to pause and reflect on their

personal response to the current Crisis.

Mrs Manser

**Ethos Co-ordinator** 







# **Easter Break**

Students will break up for the Easter Holidays on **Friday 31st March** at **3.30pm**.

It will be a full school day and full school uniform should be worn.

School will re-open to all students on **Monday 17th April** .



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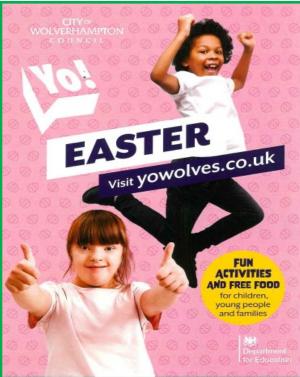




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# **David Hyner Workshop**

It was wonderful to see our students embracing learning experiences to last a lifetime with the fantastic David Hyner.

David delivered a workshop to our Year 11, 12 and 13's about

motivation, memory recall and going 'Rhino'. It was a great session, and the students were truly inspired!

Many thanks to Mr Wust for organising the event.







# **School Ties**

We are pleased to announce that we now have a full stock of ties in school. They are available from Mrs Douglas' office, priced at £ 7.50 each.



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