

WEEKLY ROUND-UP

BLYTHE BRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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CONGRATULATIONS YEAR 11



Thursday marked the last GCSE examination for Year 11. The way the students have conducted themselves during this summers' exam series has been exemplary and they should all be very proud of themselves.

After the last exam yesterday morning, students received their prom invitations and hoodies for those that had ordered them.

For any student that did not pick theirs up, they are available in reception to be collected. Yearbooks will be available on results day.

DONATED DEFIBRILLATOR INSTALLED



Following our fundraising appeal to fund a defibrillator for our school community, we are delighted to share this photograph with you of the equipment in-situ.

As you can see, the potentially life saving equipment has been installed on our reception wall where everyone who comes onto the school site can see. On behalf of everyone in the Blythe Bridge High School & Sixth Form community, thank you.

WELCOME

Our celebration evenings take place next week where we invite all nominated students and their parents/carers into school to recognise their hard work and determination.

There are form tutor awards, as well as subject nominations and awards from each Head of Year. I know that these events have been missed over the last two years and it is wonderful to see them return.

Well done to all our nominees!

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Johnson

#PRIDERESPECTKINDNESS

QUIZ & CHIPS IS BACK!



Tickets are available on ParentPay. Save the date!!

ANOTHER COLOURFUL CONTRIBUTION TO THIS YEAR'S MARDI GRAS AT ALTON TOWERS



On Tuesday 14th June, Art teacher Mrs Johnson took a group of Year 10 GCSE Art students to see sculptures created by themselves on exhibition at the Alton Towers Mardi Gras Festival 2022. All students involved volunteered to take part in the community project and were set a brief to decorate objects to be used to create community sculptures. In return they were rewarded with free tickets to go and view their work on exhibiton. Ten schools took part in total.

On the day, our students were able to view last years entry made up of guitars and their entry for this year which was made up of umbrellas. Alton Towers resort named this years sculpture 'umbrellasphere of cultures'. Well done to all students involved. We hope to see you continue to take part in more Art competitions within the wider community in the future.

ECO GARDEN SUMMER ADDITIONS



The school Eco garden has some new additions this week. A giant chess board for budding players to enjoy in this lovely weather as well as being a peaceful place for staff to relax, mark or simply enjoy a bite to eat and a cup of tea.

Staff and students have also had the opportunity to pop in and say hello to our 6 hens and Chico the cheeky cockerel. Let's not forget Bertie as well, our new bearded rabbit. They all love a fuss and a treat on a daily basis!

The garden is really coming alive now and we will love sharing the progress we are making with you.



ENCOURAGING STAFF TO GROW THEIR OWN!



There was an opportunity for staff to get green fingered with the appearance of a Botanical Bargain stand in the student leadership area. On offer are tomato plants, French beans and strawberry plants, all looking for a new home. All donations are welcomed as the funds raised will allow students to carry out more eco projects in school.

The next items for sale will be broad beans and potatoes, as well as home made lavender sachets (for wardrobe and drawers) & poppy seeds for the garden.

SCHOOL CROSSING PATROL VACANCY

DON'T FORGET YOUR TICKETS!



Staffordshire County Council are recruiting for a school crossing patrol on Cheadle Road Forsbrook.

YEAR 10 BIOLOGY LESSON SEES ENTOMOLOGISTS IN THE MAKING!



After completing transects last week, the fabulous 10Y1 used pooters in biology today. They used keys to identify the animals collected and investigated the advantages and disadvantages of tree beating versus direct collection.

We also discovered that we definitely have some potential entomologists in the group. Brilliant work Year 10.

