

# WEEKLY ROUND-UP

BLYTHE BRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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## BBC TRAITORS STAR VISIT



A 'faithful' former student came back into school on Friday to talk about her time on the BBC's Christmas hit, The Traitors. Hannah Byczkowski went to Blythe back in 2008 and came in today to speak with students about her experiences. Taking questions from excited fans, Hannah gave them an insight into life behind the scenes on the show. She also spoke to media and drama students about the industry and how she'd begun her career in comedy.

## WARHAMMER SOCIETY



The Warhammer Society started off the new year with a battle during their session on Friday. It is wonderful to see students from different year groups working

together to lead this after school activity and using creativity and problem solving essential skills - even if it does involve a battle or two!

## WELCOME

Staff are looking forward to welcoming Year 11 students and their parents/carers into school for the progress evening on Monday. Students have recently received their full reports, which include strengths and weaknesses analysis from each subject following their mock examinations. The progress evening will be an opportunity to discuss these reports with teaching staff and agree strategies moving forward.

Mrs Johnson

#PRIDERESPECTKINDNESS

## ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY

BBHS DRAMA, DANCE AND MUSIC DEPARTMENTS ARE VERY EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT THIS YEAR'S SCHOOL MUSICAL WILL BE...



The school musical production team are seeking companies who would like to advertise in the programme. The latter will be available to 800 people watching our school play Matilda in March.

For £30 for a quarter page advert or £50 for a half page advert, you could support the cast and crew of the school show as well as promote your company to the local community.

For more information, please contact [a.mitchell@bb-hs.co.uk](mailto:a.mitchell@bb-hs.co.uk) or [m.goodwin@bb-hs.co.uk](mailto:m.goodwin@bb-hs.co.uk)

## IN THE HOTSEAT



In the Hot Seat returned on Monday with nominated students from Year 7 and 8 meeting with Mrs Johnson and Mrs Kadri to discuss interests and achievements. Staff heard all about talents in football, cricket, karate, and drumming. Well done to you all.

## PRK COMMITTEE



Our PRK committee met to start to sort through items donated for our Chocolate Bingo. In exchange students will get a 'Golden Ticket', which will allow enable them to wear a jumper/hoodie to school on Friday 20th January. Chocolates will then be used for a fundraising event later this term.

We look forward to sharing the arrangements for the Chocolate Bingo over the next couple of weeks.

## MATILDA REHEARSALS

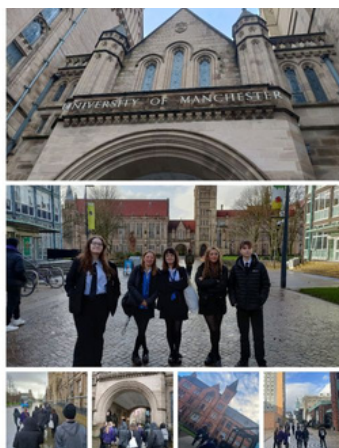


Here is a sneak peek of rehearsals from the past week for our fabulous production of Matilda. Miss Housley has been working hard on the choreography with the whole cast and smaller scenes, like this one with our Acrobat and Escapologist!

Huge thanks to the Art and DT teams for our great set.

Tickets for the show on 1st, 2nd & 3rd March are available on ParentPay: £6 for adults, £4 for children under 16.

## BRILLIANT CLUB



It is great that more of our students will be part of the Brilliant Club this year. Along with staff and students from Thistley Hough Academy, they attended the launch event at the University of Manchester . We are sure the success of this programme will continue this year and look forward to collaborating further with this new partnership.

## ONLINE SAFETY



Our January online safety newsletter is now available on our website for your perusal.  
<https://www.bb-hs.co.uk/.../Online-Safety-Newsletter...>

## CHINESE NEW YEAR

On Thursday students and staff celebrated Chinese New Year with a delicious menu from our catering team and in maths, Year 7 students

solved a range of Chinese themed maths problems.

