

# WEEKLY ROUND-UP

BLYTHE BRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL & SIXTH FORM

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#### **CAREERS FAIR**



A big thank you to all the representatives who supported our careers fair last week, where our students had a choice of almost 40 stands to visit and find out more about colleges, universities, apprenticeships, training, and employment. The feedback received on how our students engaged with the event was so positive and many visitors commented on what a credit to the school they were. We're very proud as always.

#### **CAREERS WEEK**



Thank you to so many of our partners for giving up their time last week to deliver evening talks to our students and parents/carers as part of our careers week. We really appreciate the support given to our school in providing our students with the best opportunities.

### WELCOME

With only a month to go, rehearsals show that the school production of Matilda is really coming together. Staff and students have worked incredibly hard to prepare this musical and we are all really looking forward to seeing the show, which runs from 1st to the 3rd March. The set is already in place on the stage and looks incredible.

Tickets are selling fast, with the Friday performance almost sold out, so get your tickets soon to avoid disappointment!

Mrs Johnson

#PRIDERESPECTKINDNESS

## PARLIAMENT PRESENTATION





This week our Year 9 students experienced an enriching presentation from UK Parliament Learning, to supplement their work in citizenship lessons.

Students heard from education officer Fiona Payne about the structure and workings of Parliament, and how laws are made. They were also able to question her about careers in politics.

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# **HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL**

To commemorate this year's Holocaust Memorial Day, Year 7-10 had assemblies with Mr Biggs discussing the origins of HMD and

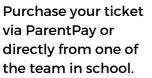


how we pay respects to the victims of the atrocities experience in the Holocaust and subsequent genocides.

Next week. Sixth Form students will be visiting Auschwitz with the Holocaust Educational Trust. They will visit the Great Synagogue at Oświęcim, meet Holocaust survivors and then be guided around both sites at the Auschwitz concentration camp.

#### VALENTINE RAFFLE

Raffle tickets are now on sale for the chance to win this yummy hamper of goodies. Proceeds towards the ongoing fundraising of our Pride Respect Kindness (PRK) committee.





#### YEAR 12 DRAMA



The Year 12 BTEC drama class performed their first big assessment piece on Tuesday for an audience of friends, family and other drama students.

Students Leo P. Daniel B and Madison S multi rolled a wide range of characters in this episodic story of Everyman's ultimate journey to his reckoning with God.

#### STEM CLUB



A fun STEM session involving microscopy last week. Dirt samples were used to make our own microscope slides to investigate if we could identify any micro-

> We also looked at our fingerprints. plant leaves and onion skin under the microscope.

#### YEAR 8 FOOTBALL

The Year 8 football team took on **Ormiston Meridian Academy last** Thursday.

The boys put in a very solid performance to come out 2-0 winners.



Goal scorers: Ryley D with a worldie and Jayden J with a much simpler finish. Player of the match: Mikey P.

Blythe will top their group in the city cup if they can beat Thistley in their next game. Well done lads!

# YEAR 7 PROGRESS EVENING



Message to all Year 7 parents/guardians:

An email was sent out on Friday with information regarding the Year 7 progress evening taking place on Monday 6th February.

Please make sure you check your spam folders in case it has gone into there and email form tutors in the first instance with any questions.

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