



# Carshalton Boys Sports College

# NEWSLETTER

'Safeguarding the rights of others is the most noble and beautiful end of a human being.' Khalil Gibran

December 2023

## Headlines

## FEMINISM IS FOR EVERYONE



Dear Students, Staff, and Parents & Carers,

First and foremost, I extend a heartfelt congratulations to the entire school community for their outstanding contribution to our recent Christmas performance, "MATTY". The production was a resounding success, and the students involved embraced the experience wholeheartedly. I am confident that this cherished memory will remain with them for years to come.

Throughout this half term, we have delved deeply into our school value, "**Feminism is for Everyone.**" This exploration has permeated our tutor time discussions, News Day Tuesdays, and assembly presentations. Building upon our previous efforts for White Ribbon Day (<https://www.whiteribbon.org.uk/>), we have focused on understanding the nuances of anger towards women, fostering a sense of allyship, and empowering our young people to play a proactive role in treating women and girls with respect. As we extend into the holiday period, we encourage our students to express gratitude and admiration towards the amazing women and girls in their lives.

Remarkably, there have been numerous achievements to celebrate during this half term. As you will discover throughout this edition of the CBSC Newsletter, our students have excelled in various facets of our enriched curriculum, extracurricular activities, and creative pursuits. These experiences have fostered invaluable skills that will serve them well in their future endeavours.

As we bid farewell to the year and embark on a well-deserved Christmas break, we extend our warmest wishes for a joyous holiday season and a prosperous New Year. We eagerly anticipate the outstanding contributions our students will bring in 2024.

With heartfelt gratitude,

Mr Barber



### Highlights From the Autumn Half Term 2:

- Y12 Amex Stadium trip
- CBSC Remembrance Ceremony
- Kenya fundraisers
- Polish Independence Day
- Y7 Pastoral Evening
- Roehampton University Trip
- Student Power Events
- 6th form bands playing at the Sound Lounge
- Saturday Kitchen
- Y11 Construction NEA days
- Y8 AimHigher Trip
- Y11 Mock Results Day
- Sixth Form BFI Media Trip
- Y11 Food Practical Exams
- Chelsea Foundation Academy fixtures
- LOTS of sports fixtures
- Y9 Holland Football Tour
- Chinese Cookery Workshops
- Come and Sing Y7 Trip
- Y9, 10 & 11 Trips to the Old Vic - A Christmas Carol
- LPO Brightsparks Trip
- Our Annual Christmas Performance - Matty
- Mr Norton's Y8 Bootcamp
- Y11 Motivational Speaker
- Annual Christmas Dinner
- Warner Brothers Media Trip
- Matilda Theatre Trip

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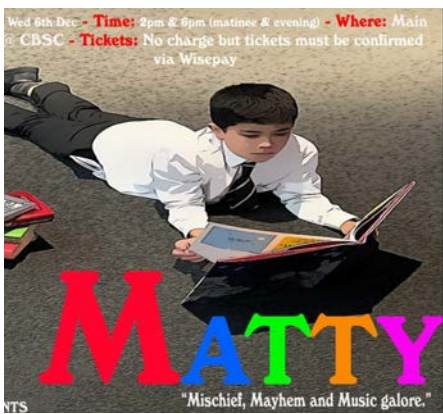
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WE BELIEVE KNOWLEDGE IS POWER, BLACK LIVES MATTER, LOVE IS LOVE, FEMINISM IS FOR EVERYONE,  
NO HUMAN BEING IS ILLEGAL, BE GENTLE WITH THE EARTH, BE THE BEST VERSION OF YOURSELF, BE REALLY KIND





The Half Term In Photos







The Half Term In Photos







# Key Dates



## Term Dates & Calendar

### Carshalton Boys Sports College

#### 2023-2024 School Calendar

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- Teaching Days
- Holiday
- Bank Holidays
- CPD Days (All Staff in School)
- CPD (TOIL)
- Yr's 7 and 12 Induction Days
- All students in school at 8:30am

### Key Dates

- 8th Jan - 12th Jan  
Y12 Mocks
- 11th Jan  
Y11 Parents Evening (in person)
- 15th Jan - 19th Jan  
Y11 Mocks
- 17th Jan  
Y10 Media Trip - BFI
- 22nd Jan - 2nd Feb  
Y11 Food NEA Practical Exams
- 22nd Jan - 26th Jan  
CARE Trip - Jamie's Farm
- 31st Jan  
Y10 & 11 Maths Challenge
- 2nd Feb  
Y8 & 9 French Trip - BFI
- A Level Biology Trip - Juniper Hall
- 8th Feb  
Y12 Parents Evening (in person)
- 11th Feb - 14th Feb  
Sixth Form trip to Disneyland Paris

We have now shared a Student/Parent & Carer version of our School Calendar on our Website.

This can be found [HERE](#)

This is a working document and as events are planned, the document will be updated

If you have any questions about any upcoming events, please email [contact@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:contact@carshaltonboys.org)



# End/Start of Term Arrangements

## End of Term

We have staggered dismissal times for the end of term, please read the information below carefully. If you have any questions about end or start of term arrangements, please email [contact@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:contact@carshaltonboys.org)

### Monday 18th December

Time	Activity	Who
Period 4 12.20pm-1.20pm	SF Rewards Assembly	Sixth Form will be Dismissed at the end of the assembly. <b>Sixth Form are NOT in on Tuesday 19th</b>
Period 5 2pm - 3pm	Y11 Rewards Assembly	Y11 Dismissed at the end of the assembly. <b>Y11 are NOT in on Tuesday 19th</b>

### Tuesday 19th December

Time	Activity	Who
Period 1 8.55am - 9.55am	Normal Lessons	Y7 to Y10 (Y11 & Sixth Form NOT in school)
Period 2 9.55am - 10.55am	Y10 Rewards Assembly Y9 Rewards Assembly  Y7 & Y8 - Normal Lessons	Y10 will be dismissed at the end of their assembly  Y9 will be dismissed at break (10.55am)
<b>Break</b>		
Period 3 11.20am - 12pm	Y7 Rewards Assembly  Y8 Rewards Assembly	Y7 will be dismissed at the end of their assembly  Y8 will be dismissed at the end of their assembly

## Start of Term

Students are expected to be in school on **Thursday 4th January 2024 by 9.40**

They will be asked to get into **Fire Drill Positions between 9.45am-9.55am** and they will be in Period 2 as normal from 9.55am.

Please ensure your child is in full CBSC uniform and that **ALL uniform is named/labelled** ahead of their return in the new year. Students also **MUST have their essential equipment in their pencil case**. You will find this information in the start of term [Newsletter HERE on the CBSC Website](#).



# Reading at CBSC



## Sparx Reader

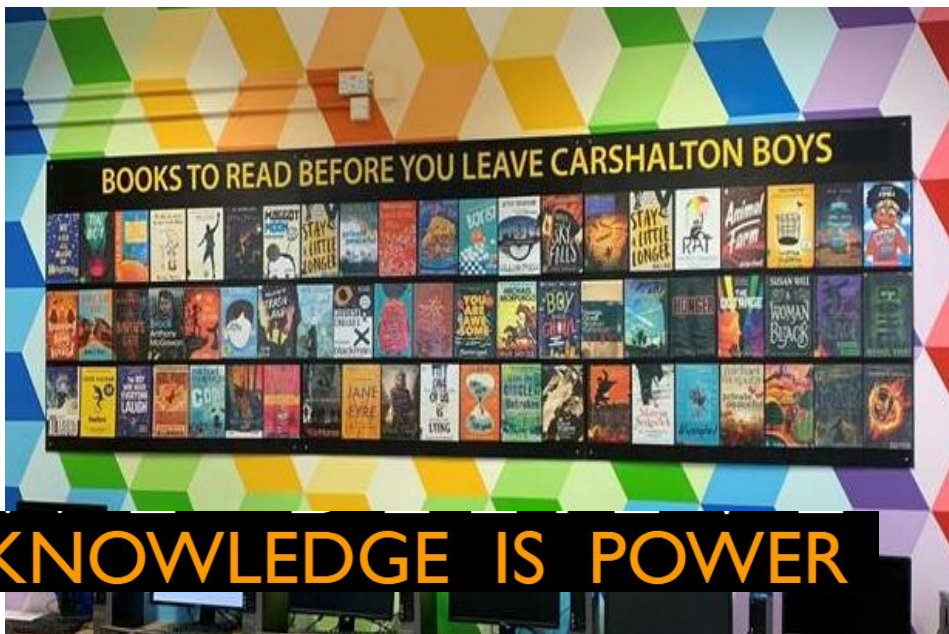


Listen: [\*Can Reading Really Improve Your Life?\*](#)

With more and more research pointing towards reading for pleasure as the biggest indicator of current and future achievement, our new Sparx Reader programme has been a huge success so far this academic year – with pupils already accumulating almost 7,000 hours of careful reading in the short time it has been running. Amazing!

### 5 ways to keep children reading over the holidays!

1. Set aside time for daily reading sessions.
2. Visit the library for holiday events and book recommendations.
3. Allow kids to choose their own books to foster independence and critical thinking skills.
4. Engage in family reading sessions to strengthen bonds and encourage reading habits.
5. Incorporate fun activities and creativity to make reading enjoyable for kids.



Students have completed

# 6,784 hours

of careful reading this year in Sparx Reader. Great effort!

Students have read

# 1,339 books

this year in Sparx Reader. Well done!

## National Literacy Trust

The latest research into audiobooks and literacy (2022) found that nearly 2 in 5 children and young people said they enjoyed listening to audio either very much or quite a lot.







# Food at CBSC

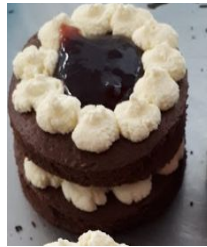


@foodcbsc



Year 8 and 9 took part in a Chinese Cookery workshop learning about Chinese Culture and food

Saturday Kitchen has been popular again this term with two sessions that have been well attended. The Cherry Bakewells and Sausage Roll Wreaths were very popular and the Fakeaway Kebabs were also a hit!



Fab work from some of the Year 8's

Year 9 have been learning about food and culture from around the world



Year 10 have been learning complex skills such as deep frying and sauce making

Presentation from Year 11 has been amazing - check out these fabulous dishes







# CBSC Remembers



## CBSC Remembrance Ceremony 2023

At the going down of the sun and in the morning, CBSC will remember them

CBSC staff and students came together for a 2 minute silence at 11am on 10th November 2023 to mark the signing of the Armistice that ended the First World War in 1918. This commemoration takes place annually at CBSC, and once again, our young people were respectful and a real credit to themselves and the school. This very moving act of Remembrance by our whole school community finished a week of Remembrance assemblies that saw students reflect on the First World War, and explore the case studies of three soldiers who fought – Walter Tull, Hardit Singh Malik and Manta Singh. The level of respect shown towards Remembrance activities has been exemplary by all members of the Carshalton Boys community all week, and we are incredibly proud of all of them.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning, CBSC will remember them







# MATTY! 2023



## Annual Christmas Performance



On Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> Dec our wonderful enrichment club treated audiences to this year's whole school production of 'MATTY'. With over 60 year six pupils from Muschamp primary at the matinee, reward tickets issued to year 8's as well as parents, careers & staff all keen to watch our students, in total nearly 300 tickets were issued!

Students involved in the production took on a range of different roles to make the performance a success. Stage crew, lighting and sound technicians, musicians & singers within the P16 band, student volunteers selling goods to raise money for the Kenya expedition, the year 7 choir as well as the actors on stage – everyone pulled together to make this a truly whole school effort.

All students involved behaved with complete professionalism and should be very proud of the performance!

See you all next year!  
The Drama & Music Dept.







# Notices



## Eco Reps Update

Our dedicated Eco Reps have been at the forefront of positive change. These students have actively contributed to a greener local environment, by conducting litter picks every fortnight, demonstrating remarkable commitment, even in the rain! The Eco Reps have also been busy planning their project ideas for the PiXL Green Edge Award. Their creative initiatives include proposing 'Paper-Free Fridays' to reduce paper consumption in some subjects and implementing 'Walk to School Wednesdays'. We are excited to witness the positive impact their initiatives will bring to our school community next term.

**BE GENTLE WITH THE EARTH**



## Kenya Expedition Update

The Kenya team have been busy fundraising this half term. They have baked delicious goodies, created bags of Christmas sweets and run a rather popular Christmas chocolate tombola. In addition, some students have been helping younger students read, practise handwriting and supervised the playground at the end of the day in order to earn funds. A strong team is developing as they bond and they will be planning more activities to raise more funds after Christmas, so watch this space!



## Toy Appeal Update

There are lots of ways to be kind to others... we could do a good deed, help a friend or family member, volunteer in the community or carry out a selfless task.

This year the CBSC 6th Form POWER launched our annual toy appeal and have been astounded by the response from the school community. Bags upon bags of toys, games, puzzles, books and so much more have appeared. The team are currently in the process of packaging everything up and will be in touch in 2024 with an update.

**BE REALLY KIND**







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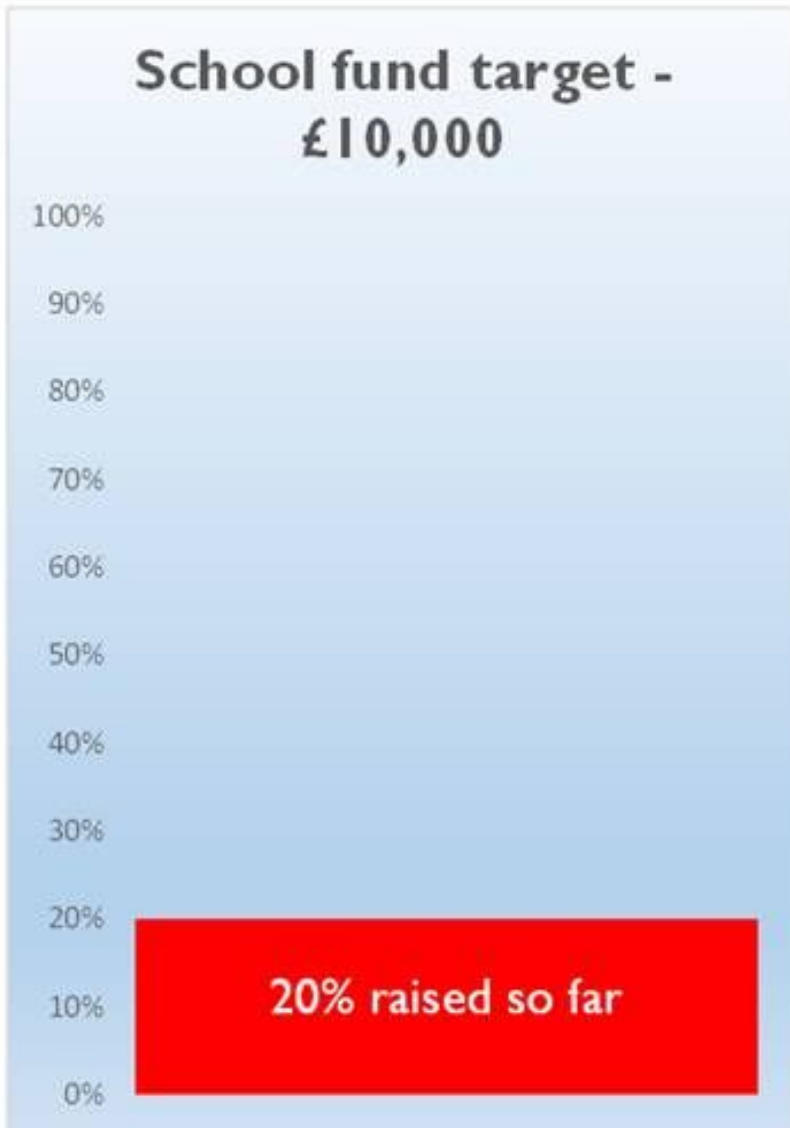


## School Fund Update

Many thanks for all your contributions so far – We are 20% of the way towards our target. Please see the school website for information about how you can make a contribution. – Link [HERE](#)

We also have a Gift-Aid scheme where every £1 you give – or have given in the past – is worth 25p more. [Please click here to find out more.](#)

*Trustees are hoping to raise £10,000 to give to the Student Power committee to invest in projects of their choice. They are currently considering a variety of Eco related projects across the site, but take a look at the leaflet and website to find out more information about how School Fund money has been spent in the past.*







# YEAR 7

Head of Year: Mr Wadman  
Pastoral Support Officer: Miss Awolope  
[LeadershipYear7@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:LeadershipYear7@carshaltonboys.org)

A huge congratulations on all of your success in the first term here at Carshalton Boys Sports College. It has been a long term, but your resilience and determination has paid off. This term, we have introduced a huge number of new and unfamiliar websites, routines and expectations. But you have all risen to the challenge. You have shown kindness, compassion, and a willingness to help others, and you have made a positive impact on our school community.

I am particularly impressed with your academic achievements. You have worked hard in your classes and shown a great interest in extracurricular activities, and I have enjoyed seeing you participate in all of the Enrichment Clubs we have to offer.

As we look forward to the Christmas holidays, I encourage you to take some time to relax and enjoy yourselves. Spend time with your family and friends, and make some new memories that will last a lifetime.

I would also like to remind you to be safe over the holidays. Make sure to follow all safety precautions, and always tell an adult where you are going and when you will be back.

I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I look forward to seeing you all again in the New Year, refreshed and ready to continue your learning journey.

Mr Wadman & Ms Awolope



## Top 10 Achievement Points

- Jack R 7P 193
- Joshua C 7C 181
- Ahmed E 7A 167
- Zani Y 7A 164
- Nathan B 7M 161
- Rayaan S 7E 161
- Amari A 7M 158
- Zander P 7R 156
- Timothy C 7A 156
- Austin L 7P 155

## Total Year 7 Achievement Points

# 25,361



## Uniform Reminders

Students are expected to have the school coat. We do not allow coats from home on school grounds. Students are not permitted to wear trainers. If your child does not have school shoes, we can supply them for the day. Please contact us if you have any questions.





# YEAR 7

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# YEAR 8

Head of Year: Mr Norton  
Pastoral Support Officer: Mrs Howard  
[LeadershipYear8@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:LeadershipYear8@carshaltonboys.org)

As we bid farewell to another exciting term, we wanted to take a moment to celebrate the remarkable achievements of our Year 8 students.

Firstly, a big congratulations to all the talented students who took part in the school musical, "Matty." Your dedication and enthusiasm were truly commendable, showcasing the vibrant creativity that makes our school community so special.

In addition to their artistic endeavors, our Year 8 students had the incredible opportunity to visit a local university, broadening their horizons and inspiring future aspirations. Meeting the legendary Mo Farah was a highlight for many, providing a unique chance to learn from one of the greatest athletes of our time.

The sports afternoon, designed as a reward for a fantastic start to the year, was a roaring success. It was heartening to witness the students' sportsmanship, teamwork, and commitment to a healthy and active lifestyle.

As the term comes to a close, it's essential to acknowledge the hard work and dedication demonstrated by our Year 8 students. They've tackled challenges with resilience and embraced opportunities with enthusiasm, truly deserving a well-earned Christmas break.

Mr Norton and Mrs Howard



## Achievements

### Top 10 Achievement Points

- Jack H 8W 232
- Charlie E 8A 207
- Max A 8M 197
- James G 8C 197
- Andrew N 8W 171
- Raymond B 8M 165
- George R 8A 165
- Caiden T 8C 161
- Shi Xian Z 8F 158
- Ellis A 8S 155

### Total Year 8 Achievement Points

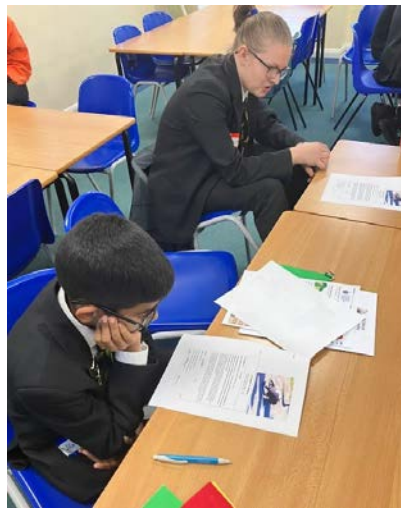
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# YEAR 8

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# YEAR 9

Head of Year: Mr Szeider  
Pastoral Support Officer: Miss McLellan  
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Well done on your first term of Year 9. The transition has been a great challenge, but I am so proud of your hard work and commitment to your GCSE courses. I wish you a fantastic Christmas and New Year. You will be feeling refreshed and ready to go in the new term.

Over the break, take some time to reflect upon how this first term has gone and what you need to change in order to reach your goals. What is your revision hit list? What are your goals and ambitions for the rest of Year 9?

Most importantly, over the break, have a rest, spend time with those who you love most, and look after the people around you.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Mr Szeider & Miss McLellan



## Top Achievement Points

- Jack C 9E 185
- Ryan C 9C 182
- Belmondo V 9F 171
- Samuel H 9E 156
- Samuel B 9M 155
- Harees K 9E 152
- Thomas M 9M 152
- David N 9M 151
- Dorian R 9M 147
- Josef Ely L 9S 145
- Charles C 9F 145

## Total Year 9 Achievement Points

# 18,160

## Uniform Reminders

There are a number of Y9 not wearing school shoes or blazers. Please ensure you have suitable school shoes and blazer (with names in) in the New Year. Students without these items will be expected to borrow them from student services before tutor time.

## WOTC Reminders

Make sure you are using a Time Management Plan. 45 minute blocks twice a day to support Work Outside the Classroom and Revision. This has been discussed with ALL Y9 students in tutor time and assemblies. If you have any questions about this, please contact the Y9 Team [LeadershipYear09@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:LeadershipYear09@carshaltonboys.org)

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# YEAR 9

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## Holland Football Tour

At the very end of the last half term 44 amazing members of the Y9 cohort made the journey to Holland along with 5 members of the PE team for a much anticipated Football tour to Holland. Having built up to it over the previous 12 months and gone through many training sessions and games it was time to go.

### Day 1

This was a day made up mainly of travelling but with anticipation of what lay ahead. An early start with well packed bags started at the sports hall, final goodbyes, photos on the astro and then aboard the coach with the main man our driver Derek for the next 5 days. The rain fell and the wind blew but we safely arrived at Dover and boarded our ferry for a pretty calm crossing and then once arrived on the other side of the channel it was straight to Amsterdam. Later that evening we pulled up to an old style gothic castle which was to be our base for the next few days, unpacked and then sat down to our first home-cooked meal. A quick explore of the hotel and off to bed with thoughts of tomorrow.

### Day 2

An early start with continental breakfast and packed lunches allowed us plenty of time to get to our first major destination which was the KNVB headquarters, the home of Dutch Football. A walk past the statues of Dutch heroes such as Cruyff, Van Basten and Gullit gave the boys an idea of the greats to have graced the pitches and some footsteps to follow in. 3 amazing training sessions followed stretching both attack and defence to the limit, testing individual and team skills as well as lots of fun along the way. The boys left the field knackered but with plenty to take away for the upcoming games. After lunch it was off to the coach again and a trip to the local theme park Walibi World. Although the queues were long, the thrill seekers amongst us were entertained with some of Europe's biggest rides as well as plenty of other options for entertainment, food and drink. Back to the hotel for another home cooked meal and a rest before the first set of fixtures.

### Day 3

We set off early morning around the outskirts of Amsterdam to play our first set of opposition in SV VNC. Amazing facilities met us on arrival and the boys new they had to be up for the challenge.

### CBSC @ SV NVC (22/10)

The boys arrived at the NVC facility fueled with excitement and optimism following a thorough and professional session at the KNVB campus the day before. The team set out in the traditional 4-4-2 formation, with the goal of being resilient in defence whilst exploiting the attacking threats of Arrion and Jack. This plan proved extremely successful from the get-go, with the swans steaming to an early 2 goal lead within the opening 10 minutes with goals from Arrion and Richard. The athleticism and overall quality of the CBSC proved too much for NVC who eventually succumbed to a 7-0 defeat. A brilliant start to the tour.

*(Goals from Arrion x2, Jack x2, Richard, Reggie and Harry).*





# YEAR 9

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## Holland Football Tour

The first match of Holland tour 2023 saw CBSC A team turning up to an incredible facility at NVC. In true Mr Watkins fashion the boys were sent out of the changing rooms with attack, attack, attack as the main message. After 5 minutes with the score at 3-0 it was clear the boys understood what was being asked of them. The attacking mentality continued throughout the first half and at the break CBSC were 7-0 up, a special mention to Micky's incredible headed goal. After a few jelly babies and some fluids the boys were sent back out with some changes made. However, the changes did not stop the swans from increasing their lead further with the match ending 17-1. Aside from the standard of football on display from the boys, the more impressive feature of this match was the level of sportsmanship on display from every member of the Swans team.



After an incredible tour around the Johan Cruyff Arena the boys travelled to AFC 34. With both the C's and B's playing first, the A's had a sell out crowd supporting them for the late kick off. From minute one, '34 made it clear how they play with huge tackles flying in left, right and centre. This seemed to prevent the Swans from entering their characteristic flow; upstep the slide tackle merchant, Ollie. Putting the team on his back, Ollie rose to the occasion and made numerous meaty tackles inside the first 10 minutes. With hints of Thanos' inevitability, the Swans moved the ball around with confidence and '34 began to chase shadows. Into Micky, back to Rylee, through to Oliver...GOAL...1-0. After a slow start the Swans finished the half with a flurry of goals meaning the score stood at 4-0 at the break. After yet more Jelly Babies' (thank you Mr Earley) and to the chorus of "We've got super Mr Watkins....He knows exactly what we need....", the boys put on a show in the second half and the match finished 9-0 to CBSC. A fantastic end to a brilliant football tour.





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## Holland Football Tour

### Day 4

Following a beautiful and insightful tour of the Johan Cryuff Arena, the boys made the short journey to AFC 34's facility for their final fixture of the tour. The playing surface was what the locals would describe as a 'tapijt', much to the pleasure of the boys who relished the chance to play some free flowing football.



The side remained unchanged in formation, however saw the return of George, Bobby, Ivan and Charlie. The game began extremely fast paced with both sides creating good attacking opportunities, it looked like we were in for a cracker. A piercing ball through the back line saw AFC take a deserved 1-0 lead, however the swans did not drop their heads and continued to battle on. This pressure was rewarded with an equalising goal from Ivan just on the brink of half time. The second half continued as the first ended with both sides attacking with energy and purpose, goals from both sides (Reggie scoring for CBSA) saw the sides enter additional time at 2-2. As Cliff Gladwin once said 'cometh the hour, cometh the man', the ball was heroically won by George in his own half with a perfectly-timed sliding challenge. The ball was then sent long over the top of the AFC backline, Arrion was first onto the ball and without hesitation struck the ball on volley into the roof of the net. Pandemonium.

*(Goals from Ivan, Reggie and Arrion)*



The second fixture had come around in no time, meaning the boys' had to recover quickly. On a cold and foggy morning, the boys' struggled to warm up and saw themselves trailing 1-0 within 5 minutes of the match. However, the boys' did not let that affect them and were fired up to respond instantly. Great pressing from the team forced our opponents into a mistake at the back which allowed Liam to take advantage and score an equaliser. Unfortunately, just before half-time, the boys' found themselves behind again, with the aid of some dodgy refereeing. The second half was one way traffic as the boys' completely dominated the opposition, flying into a convincing 4-2 lead early in the half. Thanks to the help of Tsvetan's free kick and Oliver D's brace. Many more chances were created but we were unable to add to the scoreline.

The Swans had earned an incredible 4-2 victory.  
Player of the match - Dorian.





# YEAR 10

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Pastoral Support Officer: Ms Garcia & Miss Ellen  
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As we approach the festive season, we want to take a moment to wish each and every one of you a Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays! Your hard work and dedication throughout the year have not gone unnoticed, and we are incredibly proud of the effort you've put into your studies. It's fantastic to see you evolving into such remarkable and promising young men. Your commitment to personal and academic growth has been truly inspiring, and we encourage you to keep up the great work.

We also want to commend you for your exceptional adaptability in embracing the WOTC intervention sessions. It's evident that your resilience and open-mindedness have contributed to the success of this program, and we applaud you for your positive attitude towards learning. As we celebrate the holiday season, let's reflect on the achievements of the past year and look forward to the exciting opportunities that lie ahead.

Miss Torpey, Ms Garcia & Miss Ellen



## Uniform Reminders

Our POWER students have come to the decision that the CBSC fleece may be permitted to be worn under the school CBSC blazer during the colder months ONLY. Please note, this must be a school fleece, which you can purchase from the school shop.



Y10 Roehampton Uni Trip



## Y10 Achievement

### Top 10 Achievement Points

- Matthew B 10C 111
- Gabriel de CS 10R 100
- Ciprian F 10A 93
- Genael D 10F 89
- Jadon T 10A 88
- Harrison CS 10C 88
- Nithuran T 10N 86
- Morgan S 10S 85
- Jaren C 10C 85
- Andrew P 10W 84

### Total Year 10 Achievement Points

**10,969**





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# YEAR 11

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Well done on such a fantastic start to Year 11. We are so impressed by all your outstanding efforts and dedication throughout this term. You are developing your resilience and have shown just how committed you are.

As you embark on the Christmas break, we encourage you to take this time to recharge and enjoy the company of family and friends. Cherish the opportunity to relax and make the most of the festivities, but it is crucial to strike a balance. Do not get out of a good sleep routine, think carefully about the quantity and type of food you are eating and plan a schedule to tackle school work to ensure a smooth transition into the upcoming term. This mindful approach will allow you to relish the break without feeling overwhelmed when school resumes in January. Remember, you have proven you have the tools to build success and have already laid the foundations, now is the time to start putting the structure together.

We wish you a joyful and restful Christmas break filled with warmth and happiness. Let the holiday season be both a celebration and preparation for the exciting journey ahead.

Stay safe.

Miss McGrath and Mrs Thomposon



KS4 Study Hub will be launched in January, this will be a space for resources for KS4 subjects, including past papers, revision guidance and much more! We will be speaking to students in the new year about this. Students will need to access the website using their @cbcs.co.uk Gmail Accounts. WATCH THIS SPACE!

## Year 11 Results Day Thursday 22nd August 2024 8.30 - 11am

Results will be available for collection from school in person between **08:30 and 11:00 am** on **THURSDAY 22nd AUGUST 2024**.

**UNCLAIMED RESULTS** will be posted to your home address. You should receive them on **FRIDAY 23rd August 2024**.

Please make sure that the school office has the correct address. 6th form enrolment interviews take place from **26th August 2024**.

We will update any changes on the News Page on the Website [HERE](#)

## Y11 Achievement

### Top 10 Achievement Points

- Jeanneau D 11F 126
- Ethan B 11F 120
- Hassam A 11E 92
- Daniel W 11R 90
- Benyameen A 11C 87
- Joe G 11N 86
- Kieran B 11N 85
- Joe T 11R 83
- Thanujan B 82
- Samuel S 11E 82

### Total Year 11 Achievement Points

# 11510





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# Sixth Form

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Pastoral Support Officer: Mrs Barker

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## Year 12

### Academic Update

The first term of sixth form study is coming to an end and the students have made an exceptionally strong start to their academic journey. Many departments have been commenting on the maturity, worth ethic and commitment of our year 12 cohort and their progress to date is really strong. As we head into the Christmas Break I know many students are looking forward to rest and reflection on their achievements thus far.

In the new year we have several public exams and our first set of mock exams for year 12 on the week beginning 8th January. This is an opportunity for year 12 to benchmark their progress to date, understand their strengths and weaknesses and develop KS5 examination skills. The mock exam timetable is published on the website and most lessons will be collapsed during mock exam week to enable students to really focus on revision and preparation. Students sitting public exams have also had their exam timetables issued and are working hard to achieve excellent results. The Christmas break is key to strike a balance between rest and recovery as well as consolidation and preparation for the term ahead.

Once the mock exam results are established we also have parents evening in February where we can celebrate the success of our students and feedback on next steps as we start to look at post 18 destinations later in the Spring Term.



### Pastoral Update

As we approach the end of an amazing half term and start to CBSC 6th Form it is important that students look back and reflect on the journey they have started. Whether they have been a member of the CBSC community since Y7 or they only moved to us in September moving to 6th form is a big change.

Along with our amazing 6th form Pastoral Team and the 6th form teaching staff who have tried to make this transition as smooth as possible it is down to each individual to make the most of this opportunity and they have done an amazing job.

Assemblies have focussed around financial support, exam preparation, health & wellbeing, standards and being gentle with the earth. PSHE sessions have looked at healthy relationships as well as diet, calories and budgeting. There are lots of important messages to take from these sessions that will help all of our students moving forward.

As we look forward to a new calendar year and a fresh set of mock exams know that support is all around for you and you just need to ask. Look after yourselves and your families and we can't wait to welcome you back in 2024.







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## Year 13

### Academic Update

It is the end of a really tough first term for our year 13 students and I know many of them are looking forward to a well earned rest over the Christmas Break.

We recently had our mock exam week where students had the opportunity to demonstrate their progress since the summer exams and it was a pleasure to see so much hard work in the study areas, lessons and departments. Students are really starting to understand how to find those marginal gains in skills and knowledge that really make the difference to securing those top grades at KS5.

Many of our students are seeing progress being secured and this is helping build confidence, inform post 18 destination choices and set a strong foundation as we head into the final stretch before A level exams and final coursework deadlines. The formal summer exam series is only 16 school weeks away and Christmas is a vital time not only to recuperate, spend time with family and rest, it is also key to consolidate work done to date and prepare to hit the ground running when we return in January.

### Pastoral Update

The end of another busy term for our Y13 students has included so much hard work with mock exams, UCAS, interviews, apprenticeship searching, driving tests, meetings and so much more. With only one full term to go there is so much work to be done but light at the end of the tunnel for everyone.

PSHE sessions have focussed on diet, healthy eating, support services, exam stress and anxiety which have a massive impact on all of your people.

We wish everyone a restful Christmas break and look forward to seeing you in 2024.



USA Soccer Talk for the Chelsea Foundation

## Sixth Form Results Day Thursday 15th August 2024 8am - 11am

**GCE – A Level Results** will be available for collection from school in person between **08:00 and 11:00 am** on **THURSDAY 15th AUGUST 2024**

**GCE – AS Level Results** will be available for collection from school in person between **09:30 and 11:00 am** on **THURSDAY 15th AUGUST 2024**

**UNCLAIMED RESULTS** will be posted to your home address You should receive them on **FRIDAY 16th**

Please make sure that the school office has the correct address

**Year 13 transition** consultation may be required with 6th Form Team, between 15th August (all day) and 16th August (until 1pm) The 6th form team will be available to provide UCAS support & guidance

We will update any changes on the News Page on the Website [HERE](#)



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# UCAS & Aimhigher

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## UCAS Year 12 & 13

### Year 12

This term we have started to work on destinations for all of our sixth form students in year 12. All students are now fully up and running on Unifrog. This platform enables students to explore future career pathways, university courses and start to unpick the skills and academic profiles needed for different industries and job roles.

Many of our year 12 students had the opportunity to visit a UCAS fair this term combined with a trip to Sussex University. Students were able to speak to a range of universities about different courses, had a guided tour of a campus and the opportunity to speak to some current undergraduates about their experience.

### Year 13



We have had an extremely busy half term for UCAS applications and the offers have been flying in. Many of our students have been so happy with the opportunities their strong UCAS applications have been affording them and it has been clear that many students have been motivated by the exciting places they are being offered.

The UCAS cycle officially ends in January but we aim to get the majority of the applications off before the end of December to enable our students to be on the front foot when offers are being made. All of our students have worked hard developing extremely strong personal statements which is reflected in the successful outcomes we have seen this term.

We do still have a handful of students who will be making their applications after the christmas break as they make those final adjustments to their course choices and future pathways.

We are very proud of our year 13 cohort and we are very excited by the next term ahead and look forward to celebrating their success in the summer term.



We have had a large number of university trips this half term, including:

- Y10 Roehampton University
- Y8 St Mary's University
- Y12 University & Apprenticeship Fair at The Amex Stadium Sussex University
- Y12 Get Ready for University Event

A massive thank you to all the staff and institutions who supported these trips and to the students for their engagement.



Y12 at The Amex



Y10 at Roehampton Uni





# Notices

## CBSC Vacancies

Would you like to join the CBSC team?

All CBSC vacancies are shared on the CBSC website [HERE](#)

Links are also embedded below.

### Current vacancies

[Bank Exam Invigilators](#)

[Computer Science Teacher](#)

[Criminology & Citizenship Teacher](#)

[Design & Technology Teacher](#)

[EAL Learning Support Assistant](#)

[Head of Criminology](#)

[History Teacher](#)

[Teaching Assistant](#)

[Trustee/Governor Vacancy](#)

## CBSC Policies

[School Behaviour Policy](#)

[School Attendance Policy](#)

[School Safeguarding Policy](#)

You will find all other School Policies on our School Website [HERE](#)

**For the latest News/Events information, please visit the following:**

 [X \(formally Twitter\)](#)

 [Instagram](#)

 [Threads](#)

[CBSC Website News & Events Page](#)

If you have any News to share about your child, for example, they have won a sporting competition, or done something amazing for charity, and you would like this to be shared in our Newsletter, Website or Social Media platforms, please email some details of this and photos to [news@carshaltonboys.org](mailto:news@carshaltonboys.org)





# Sutton Hub - Support for families & young people

## Welcome to the Sutton Information Hub!

An information hub connecting residents to local advice and services in Sutton.



I'm looking for

Search for services, groups and activities in Postcode or town Search

The Sutton Information Hub is a central place to locate support/activities for everyone, from young people, to the vulnerable. You can use the search feature and filters to locate the type of support/information you might need <https://suttoninformationhub.org.uk/>

### Sutton Sea Cadets

Sutton Sea Cadets

Service Cost

Sea cadets training

[View more](#) →

### Sportworks (HAF Winter Activity Offer)

SportWorks

Service Free

The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme

Manor Park Academy

Sportworks is a social enterprise that uses the power of sport, education and well-being to address health inequalities and create healthier, more prosperous communities. We offer a range of different sports, games, and fun activities for young people to play and enjoy while at our sessions.

[View more](#) →

### Circle Library

Sutton Council

Service Free

Circle Library

Providing library services for all who live, work and learn in Sutton.

Example of a search



# EWP - Webinars

**NHS**  
South West London and  
St George's Mental Health  
NHS Trust

**Education Wellbeing Service**

**Upcoming Events For Parents & Carers**  
**Spring/Summer Term 2024**  
Supporting your teenager's mental health webinars

**15TH OR 24TH JAN** Understanding & Supporting Your Teen With Autism Spectrum Condition  
For all secondary & college parents/ carers

**6TH OR 7TH FEB** Social Media & Gaming- What Parents Need To Know  
For all secondary & college parents/ carers

**26TH OR 27TH FEB** Managing Exam & Assignment Stress  
For parents/ carers of Young People in Years 11-13 & college

**11TH OR 13TH MAR** Parenting Teenagers With Characteristics of ADHD  
For all secondary & college parents/ carers

**24TH OR 25TH APRIL** Managing Exam & Assignment Stress  
For parents/ carers of Young People in Years 7-10

**14TH OR 16TH MAY** Supporting Your Teenager With Emotional Difficulties & Self Harm  
For all secondary & college parents/ carers

We also provide free 1:1 early help support programmes for young people to support with anxiety or low mood. Speak to your school to find out more

To view further event details and descriptions, and to book on to any of the webinars, please scan the QR Code or follow the link to our Eventbrite collection.

[Click here](#)

Education Wellbeing Service





# EWP - Webinars



## Education Wellbeing Service Webinar

### Understanding and Supporting Your Teen with Autism Spectrum Condition

This webinar is designed for parents of Teenagers with diagnosed Autism Spectrum Condition

It will provide parents with a variety of approaches, tools and useful resources.

#### DATE / TIME

Monday 15th January, 6-7.30 pm

Wednesday 24th January, 12-1.30 pm

#### LOCATION

Online - Hosted on Teams

Sign up to this event for free on Eventbrite (and check out our others!) by scanning the QR Code or following the link below:



[Link to book HERE](#)

wellbeinginschoolsevents@swlstg.nhs.uk

#### Parent/Carer Webinar – Understanding and Supporting your Teen with Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC)

Our NHS-led Education Wellbeing Service will be delivering a free parent/carers webinar with a focus on understanding and supporting your teenager with ASC on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm and Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 12pm. The webinar is aimed at parents of children diagnosed with ASC and will provide useful resources, tools and approaches to best support your child during the teenage years.



# Dyslexia Club Reminder



We would like to invite you to attend CBSC's Dyslexia Club. Here we will play games, complete smart activities and give you a variety of hints and tips to help support you in class.

When – Wednesday lunch times  
1:20 – 2:00

Feel free to bring your lunch with you  
**Starting Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

Where – F34

With – Mrs Penfold & Mrs McFarlane  
Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

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This club is not compulsory.  
The focus of the club is to tailor individual support for those with dyslexia.