

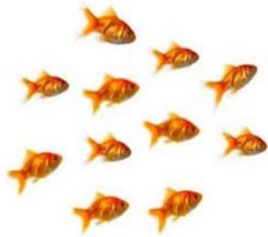
School Summer Fayre today and of course School exam week next week to look forward to!

So this week I start with Ms Govin's exam related 'Thought for the Week':

Ms Govin's PSHCCE Challenge

End of term exams. Get started to get ahead. Research some revision tools. Which ones do you find more useful? Revision cards, mind maps, YouTube videos, books, illustrating your notes, chocolate bar method, practice questions?

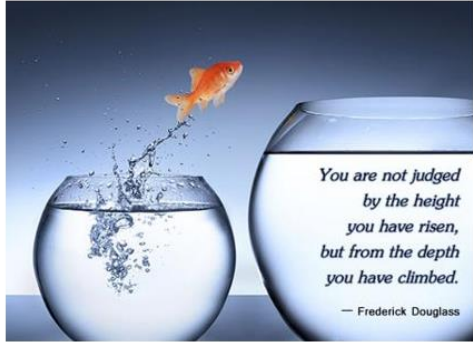
THE SECRET TO GETTING AHEAD IS GETTING STARTED



w/c 19th June

Thought for the week

Revision



You are not judged by the height you have risen, but from the depth you have climbed.

— Frederick Douglass

Teenage Cancer Trust:

Mr Brook's 'retirement' collection: Currently at 67% of his target.

Lets get Mr Brooks to 100% of his £500 target for Teenage cancer trust: Some lovely messages and a great cause. Thank you!

Bronze D of E success:

A week after the successful Silver expedition it was the turn of our Year 9 pupils to take on the challenge of their Bronze expedition. Following an early start in school on Friday morning pupils travelled to the Church Stretton area of Shropshire. Friday was a warm day which added an extra layer of difficulty and there was some trepidation as they set out.

The groups showed huge determination and perseverance as well as demonstrating how much they had developed their teamwork and navigation skills - with only minor instances of getting lost! Big bags, wonky tents and blistered feet rounded out their DofE experience. They will certainly have created memories to last for many years - and definitely discovered that reheating pizza on a camping stove might not be the best idea after all! They should be hugely proud of their achievements and we look forward with excitement to some of them continuing their DofE journey with Silver next year.

Huge congratulations to:

Betsy Ebbage, Juliette Mawby, Beth Ridley, Hannah Icke, Antonius Makar, Edward Leon, Tom Worth, Charlie Chorley, Oliver Andrews, Peter Rushton, Dan Underwood, Harry Carter, Kieran Wall, Charlie Rush, Cyrilla Makar, Sofia Merlin, Harriet Easton, Izzy Wilcox, Lottie Tocknell, Heidi Styles, Joe Treloar, Will Fawdry, Mustafa Ahmad, Myles Lynch, Ayana Govin & Rose Halligan.



News from the Prep School.

This week our assembly looked at The Parable of the Sower and also the anniversary of the Windrush Generation.



The Prep teachers have selected the following Star Pupils:

N - Skye Worth for lovely manners.

R - Ryder Cassidy for good work in maths.

I1 - Elina Woodward for super progress in reading.

I2 - Luca Carmine for a fantastic story.

J3 - Sienna Comens for brilliant contributions in lessons.

J4 - Harriet Smith for excellent reading this week.

J5 - Rosalie Bolt for an excellent science poster showing an electrical circuit.

6NS - Ed Fallows for 'Working With Pride.'

6SR - Amelie Laws for her mature attitude in all she does.

Congratulations everybody.

2 dates for your diary:

Next Tuesday 27th June the Prep children will be having a transition morning. This will involve meeting their new teacher for September and having two lessons in their new classroom.

And finally:

Mrs Stephens and I would like to invite all of the Year 6 parents to our final Prep assembly on Thursday 6th July as we say 'farewell' (but not really) to our Year 6 pupils.

Have a super weekend.
Mrs. Ridge

Attached is this week's report from the PE department.

Success at the National athletics.

Cricket and rounders Reports from U9s, U11's U14's and U15's

As well as a report on our Year 10 Sports Leaders.

Music Enews

Summer Concert Date: Please make a note in your diary. Our Summer Concert this year is taking place on Wednesday 5th July at 7pm in the marquee. All students from N/R to Year 9 as well as selected Year 10 students are involved and participating. As usual, Infant Choir will perform at the very beginning of the concert so that they can then be taken home; additional information for Infant parents will be going home soon. Students are expected to arrive in School Uniform no later than 6.40 to take their seats. Instrumentalists should arrive at 6.20 to tune their instruments. Thank you for your support.

Class J6: Please look out for a letter which will be going home with J6 students regarding a 'change of clothes' for their Samba Band performance in the Summer Concert.

Curriculum: Year 8 have rehearsed very hard this term to form a Rock/Pop band and have performed cover versions of a famous song this week. It was marvellous to hear some students taking on the role of the lead vocalist and to hear our guitarists and keyboardists share their talents - very well done Year 8!

Year 9 have also been performing this week; sharing their compositions of their own pop/rock pieces. I was very impressed with the attitude of many of our students who have stepped out of their comfort zone and performed their own creations with confidence. Super work Year 9!

Music Star of the Week: A pupil in 9JS has received news this week that she has come second place in the ISA Composition Competition for the KS3 Category. This

is fantastic news and a first for Bowbrook! Congratulations to her for this excellent achievement.

Thank you
Mrs Izod

Don't forget the Summer Concert on Wednesday 5th July!