

KEY MESSAGES

- Assembly Theme: Focused around School Standards
- Please note that all school letters can be found on **Information, Letters to Parents** on the Toot Hill School website
- This year we raised an amazing £3345.31 for Children in Need, thank you all so much for your support!

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending: 22 November 2019

YEAR 7

It has been another busy week for our Year 7, following on from their fantastic efforts last week to support Children in Need. As a school we exceeded our targets and records raising a huge amount of money for a great cause; thank you all for your support and contributions.

This week during active tutoring, we have been focusing on Road Safety week and planning for our second inter tutor set competition. Next week the year group will be competing against each other in a cross country run on Wednesday 27 November, we will be sure to keep you updated with the results!

Head of Year 7: Mrs L Munro Pastoral Lead: Mr M Leslie



YEAR 8

We would like to say a huge well done to our new Year 8 prefects who sent in some excellent applications for the role. We look forward to them supporting the Year 11 prefects, in the up coming months with a variety of different initiatives across school. The Year 8s have also had a sporty week with the Year 8 boys team winning three out of four of their matches at Southwell Rugby Club - it's great to have rugby on the curriculum.

It has been wonderful to see so many Year 8 pupils at Extended Study again, and we look forward to seeing even more pupils in the coming weeks.

Head of Year 8: Miss L Hughes Achievement Coordinator: Miss I Ridley



YEAR 9

Well done to all the students that took part in the Navy cooking workshop on Wednesday 20 November. It was a fantastic opportunity for them to develop their skills and learn about different career pathways as well as enjoying making curry and brownies.

We would also like to say a massive thank you to all the students who have donated to Children in Need last week. We are really proud to hear of so many creative ways students have raised money including baking, sponsored runs, sweet stalls and many more.

Head of Year 9: Miss N Ward Achievement Coordinator: Miss B Marshall



YEAR 10

The first report of Year 10 has been the main focus in tutor time this week. Pupils have been analysing their effort and homework scores so they can see if there are any areas for improvement and specific subjects they can target.

The Year 10 Well-Being Ambassadors have also met this week to discuss their ideas for how they can promote mental health and well-being across the school, thanks to Mrs Evans for all of her support and guidance.

Head of Year 10: Mr D Mordue Achievement Coordinator: Miss I Sheldon

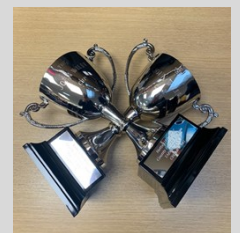


YEAR 11

Well done to Year 11 who have now successfully completed their GCSE Mock exams. We have been so impressed with their positive attitude and behaviour, they have been a real credit to themselves. Attention will now turn to Tuesday, 10 December when pupils will receive their results in a GCSE Mock Results experience. We are confident that their results will give them a good foundation as they progress through the year.

Huge congratulations to Dan Wright, Ollie Firth, James Harvey and Tom Lager who were the champions in the Year 11 County Table Tennis event on Thursday 21 November.

Head of Year 11: Miss V Salt Achievement Coordinator: Miss A Hall



Teacher - Pupil Table Tennis Competition Christmas 2019

Is taking place on Thursday 5 December 2019 in the red gym from 3-5pm. £3 pp entry fee includes competition entry, pigs in blankets pizza (or veggie option), roast spuds, drinks, live Christmassy music and a charity donation. Only 32 Team places available. Get in the festive mood and encourage your child to reserve a space **now** by asking their teacher to sign them both up in the staff room asap!

Year 11 Careers and Networking Fair - 9 January 2020

All Year 11 students and parents are invited to attend the Year 11 Careers Fair taking place on 9 January 2020 starting at 5.30pm - 8.00pm. There will be a variety of employers, apprenticeship providers, colleges and universities attending. This is an impartial event for students and parents to explore a variety of career pathways. Booking slots are now available - please follow link to book a place: www.toothillschool.co.uk/careers

Activities Week 2020 (Years 7/8/9) - Information Evening for Summer Residential Trips

There is an information evening for parents and pupils to find out more about our AW20 residential trips to Paris (Les Folies Francais), Barcelona (Destino Barcelona) or Cornwall (Surfs Up!) on Wednesday 4 December from 6.30-7.30 in the concert hall. Pupils from Years 7-9 are welcome to attend. Letters can be collected from Reception.

YouNG Christmas Market in West Bridgford - Christmas Light Switch

Students are invited to have a stall at the YouNG market in West Bridgford on Saturday 23 November 2019. If you are interested in this entrepreneurial activity and would like to send your own products please get in touch with Mrs Farmer.

