



## Newsletter

26th February 2022

### Football Success

#### Year 9



Congratulations to the Year 9 football team on progressing to the semi-final of the County Cup with a convincing 8-1 victory over Trinity High School. In blustery conditions the team played some great football to turn out worthy winners. Goals came from **Callum Jenkinson (4)**, **Aaron Cooper-Aston (2)**, **Jacob Dyke** and **Alex Morris**. The team now faces South Bromsgrove for a place in the final. The team is:

**Tom King, Matt Oliver, Bobby**

**Patel, Lewin Thomas Merideth, Sonny Wood, Will Ross, Harris Boderick, Marcus Osbourne, Callum Jenkinson, Jacob Dyke, Aaron Cooper-Aston, Fred Dale, Alex Morris.**

#### Year 11

The West Worcester Youth Football Team are through to the Worcestershire FA County Cup Final after beating Perdiswell Colts in the Semi Final on Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> February.

After a very tight game, West Worcester finally won 1-0 thanks to a first minute goal by Jack Turberville. Players from Droitwich Spa High School who play for West Worcester are **Miles Buffery, Mateusz Nestorowski, Noah Read, Jack Turberville, Leo Goddard, and Harry Pugh.**

The final will be played at Worcester FA Headquarters in May against either Meadow Park or Lickhill Colts, the remaining semi finalists.

#### Sixth Form

**Aaron Hall** is commended for the quality of his solution to a hash tables problem in Computing

**Rowan Dennett** is assembling an impressive range of material as the basis of his EPQ.



The Pre-GCE year 12 students have completed some impressive work, showing a mature insight and understanding. The class has been working on planning the opening of lessons, 'starters', aims and objectives. The effort put in by **Amy Ford, George Knowles, Daria Romanczuk, Kim Jones, Maizie Jordan and Sam Price** is absolutely first rate.

#### Year 11

**Tom Quinn** is commended for his consistent effort in Science.

**Miles Buffery** and **Jon Rogers** are making excellent progress with their French speaking

#### Year 10

**Alice McElroy** achieved an excellent recent test score and is making good progress in Science.

In Maths **Stefan Darby** particularly impressed through his hard work in the use of angle facts to solve problems.

In Maths **Oliver Jesion** and **Corey Fincher** have demonstrated great resilience and application in solving complex interior angle problems.

**Sophie Gomersall** has received a commendation point for her contribution to Loserville and for being one of the first to get off script.

**Rhyanna Fallon, Ella Blakemore, Leona Calder and Cassie Smith** are commended for their creativity and hard work in hair and beauty, producing two different hair designs, one involving curling.

In Science **Ella Blakemore** has shown impressive initiative in creating some revision flash cards for Biology.

In PSHE **Hayden Pimley, Joseph Summers, Charlie Harris and Lucy Cure** have made mature contributions to class discussions about mental health, and suggestions for managing change in school.

#### Year 9

Students in **9A Art** are commended for their pencil sketches in relation to 'What makes us British?'

In Science **Rhys Maidment** received a commendation point for his informative and eye-catching leaflet on digestive enzymes.

In Maths **9LT** have been enthusiastic and willing in tackling some tricky circumference questions in unfamiliar contexts.

**Kai Murphy** has been awarded a Commendation Point for his kindness.



## Year 8

In PSHE there have been thoughtful contributions from **Molly Pritchard**, **Stuart Bostock**, **Ruby Lodge**, **Romeo Midani**, **Ted Kirton**, **Joe Munday** and **Oscar Putt** in relation to emotional and mental health.

**Amelia Scattergood** has been awarded a Commendation for consistently being kind, friendly and happy. She is always holding doors open and offering a friendly greeting.

**Bethan Evans** has received a Commendation point for her determination and contributions to class discussion in Maths.

**Tristan Crook** has worked particularly hard on sequences in Maths.

**Charlie Edge** works hard in every lesson and offers support to other pupils with calmness and maturity. (He also has an impressive knowledge of Formula 1.)

## Apprenticeship and training Event

Please note this event that is taking place at the Westlands Community Centre on Wednesday. We are encouraging students to go along after school.



### APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING EVENT

#### WESTLANDS COMMUNITY CENTRE

Meadow Way, Westlands, Droitwich, WR9 9BF

Wednesday 2nd March

1.30pm - 4.30pm

Come and meet local companies who have training and apprenticeship opportunities including Aspiration Training, NHS Trust, Heart of Worcestershire College, Nova Training, Civicare, ITS Construction, Platform Housing, Menzies and more!



For more information contact Charly on  
07716 915783.



## West Mercia Rape & Sexual Abuse Support Centre

The school has been asked to circulate the following appeal:

WMRSASC is part of The Big Give's Women & Girl's Match Funding Campaign 2022.

The campaign is to support charities dedicated to improving the lives of vulnerable, disadvantaged, or underrepresented women and girls in England and Scotland. All donations pledged to us via the platform ([theBigGive.org.uk](https://thebiggive.org.uk)) during the week of the campaign will be matched by Tampon Tax Fund.

The campaign will be launched on March 8<sup>th</sup>, which is International Women's Day, and will run for one week. Our target is an ambitious one: £50,000, that's £25,000 from public donations and £25,000 from matched funding. The money would enable us to employ a specialist Children & Young Persons' Counsellor to work with young women and girls. A link to our project campaign is here... <https://donate.thebiggive.org.uk/campaign/a0569000029koP7AAI>