



## Mon 1<sup>st</sup> July - Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> July

### Sixth Form Residential Trip to Blackland Farm

You will have been sent information separately via school comms/ParentPay

## Weds 3<sup>rd</sup> July - Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> July

### Year 9 Frylands Trip

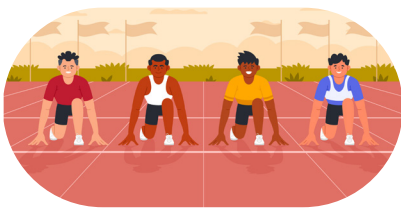
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## Fri 12<sup>th</sup> July - SPORTS DAY

### Norman Park 8.45am - 3.15pm

Students are expected to stay for the duration of the day, even if their events have finished. Travel arrangements have been sent separately.


We look forward to seeing you all there to cheer everyone on!





## Expand your Vocabulary





Vocabulary is an essential part of reading comprehension. Knowing the meaning of words helps with understanding a text. Without a strong vocabulary, children can often struggle to make sense of what they are reading.

 Discuss the meaning of words as you are reading with your child. If you encounter a new word, encourage your child to look it up in a dictionary or online. Help your child with this if they are unable to do it independently.

 If you have an Alexa, get your child to ask for word definitions!

 As you are reading with your child, discuss alternative words. For example, "big" -ask if they know any other words which mean the same, e.g. massive, huge, colossal. Use a thesaurus, or provide your own examples.

 Point out interesting words when you are outside of the home and discuss their meanings. This might be shop names, menu items, signs and labels etc.

 Play word games. Board games such as Scrabble and Boggle, word searches, crosswords and even the 'I Spy...' game are a great way to discover new vocabulary!

## NEWS HEADLINES

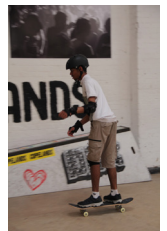
Our adventurous mountaineers are back, having successfully scaled Mount Snowdon - although the climb was challenging, they were lucky with the weather and so at least they were dry whilst tackling it!

They had a fantastic time and showed amazing fortitude - well done everyone.

On the (loong) way home, at the Oxford service station, Daniel serenaded the public with his fabulous piano skills.



Students who attend the after-school Skateboarding club had the opportunity to visit a skatepark this week, to celebrate their commitment and dedication to the club. They had loads of fun trying ramps and obstacles they've never tried before (and we don't have at school!), deliberately dropping onto crash mats and creating some amazing art.



## YEAR 9

Year 9 have been excitedly preparing for their upcoming camping trip to Frylands. There has been lots of discussion about sustainable activities and outdoors safety. We look forward to having a great end of year trip.

Well done to all year 9 girls who participated in the London Youth Games girls football event. All players put in so much effort, were very well behaved and showed great sportsmanship.



Congratulations to Charley C on being presented with a Jack Petchey Award. She is rightly proud of her achievement and plans to share the prize money with her tutor group to fund an exciting activity for all. Well done Charley for upholding Glebe School values!

## YEAR 7

Well done 7W, for showing fantastic social communication and interaction skills and working as a team in Tutor time.

Well done 7C, for being welcoming to one of the school's visitors. She was very impressed with all students and their hard work. A special recognition goes to Tommy D, who gave her a fantastic tour of the school, was very polite, mature and a great ambassador for Glebe.

Well done 7L, for all your hard work in PE in preparation for the upcoming Sports Day.

## PROVISION

Willow Class have been amazed at how the quad transforms throughout the year - these beautiful wild flowers popped up practically overnight! The bees love the bright colours!



KS5 are finishing up their examinations and preparing for their residential stay at Blackland Farm Outdoor Centre. We celebrated our KS5 Leavers at Record of Achievement evening where they looked super smart in their Leavers hoodies!

## YEAR 8

8L recently enjoyed a trip to see the stage production of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang. This was thanks to Lacey winning the Jack Petchy Award earlier this year (well done Lacey!). With the prize fund, she decided to take her form to see the performance as they have been reading the book and thought it would help aid their literacy skills, as well as being enjoyable to watch!



## YEAR 11

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Record of Achievement Evening and Art Exhibition. I hope you and the students enjoyed it. I would like to wish our students the best of luck for their further education - they have been a wonderful year group and I can't thank them enough.

There is still a chance for them to get together again on 4<sup>th</sup> July, to confirm attendance please sign in to your ParentPay account and go to EVENTS, or [CLICK HERE](#).

Have a lovely summer!

**Miss Jacob**  
**Head of Year 11**

