



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we were thrilled to welcome Year 5 pupils from Woodlands Park Primary School to enjoy a taster lesson at Cox Green. The pupils enjoyed exploring learning more about sound waves in Science and Music and experienced life at Cox Green. There was also a welcome opportunity for the students to enthusiastically demonstrate their newfound skills playing the African Drums! We hope they enjoyed their visit to Cox Green and their early experience at secondary school.

Well done and congratulations to Year 10 who completed their work experience this week. We received excellent feedback from all employers for our students this week with a number of students receiving job offers and I am delighted to hear how much students enjoyed and engaged with the experience.

I would also like to thank Mr Gullick for all his hard work and organisation for our highly anticipated 'UNITY Festival 2023'. Staff and students enjoyed a day celebrating our beautiful and diverse community, with standout singing, readings, and dance performances from Caribbean Queens, Afrobeat Tik Tok and The Unnamed Band. There were flags and national costumes from all over the world and it was lovely to see a number of parents and visitors in attendance. I would like to thank all of our staff and students for making the day an overwhelming success.

We had a bumper week of rewards with students from all year groups receiving certificates, stars and Trustee awards. Well done to all! Our Sixth Form students have also had an exciting week and thankfully, the weather held for the Year 12 trip to Southsea on Tuesday. Year 13 celebrated their prom on Thursday and we look forward to seeing them on results day in August!

Sadly we had to postpone our Sports Day due to the weather but we will be holding this event on Tuesday 18th July, so a reminder that students should come to school in PE Kit.

As we look forward to our Summer Holidays, I would just like to remind you that the last day of school is Wednesday 19th July which will be a non-uniform day with the students dismissed at 12.30pm. Please remind all students to empty their lockers next week before the end of term.

With best wishes for a lovely weekend, **Mr Edwards, Headteacher**

Weekly Calendar Week 1 Timetable	
Monday 17th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>No Events</li></ul>
Tuesday 18th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Sport's Day—students in PE Kit (rescheduled from Friday 14th July)</li></ul>
Wednesday 19th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>End of Term 6 - Students dismissed at 12.30pm</li></ul>





# Celebrating Success Our Stars of the Week



## Year 7

**James Campling,**

**James Turnbull,**

**Wariyam Sekhon**

**Grace Wallen**

For consistently showing kindness  
to members of staff.

**Charlotte Haward**

For always being polite, hardworking  
and punctual

## Year 8

**Millie Benaim**

For her outstanding contribution  
to the Cox Green community.

**Brodie Allen**

For his outstanding commitment to  
Cox Green School.

## Year 9

**Lucy Hayward**

For kindness demonstrated  
during DofE.

## Year 10

**Leah Parslow**

For great effort at work experience.

**Mya Johns**

For showing great determination and  
school spirit all week.

## Inclusion Stars of The Week

**Zane Reid**

For resilience and determination.

**Micah Jeffry**

For great creativity and determination.

## Sixth Form Stars

### Star Of The Week



**Jordan Brierley**

For keeping the Sixth Form team  
daily updated on how his work  
experience in Paris was going.

### Random Act of Kindness



**Zoe Mabungu**

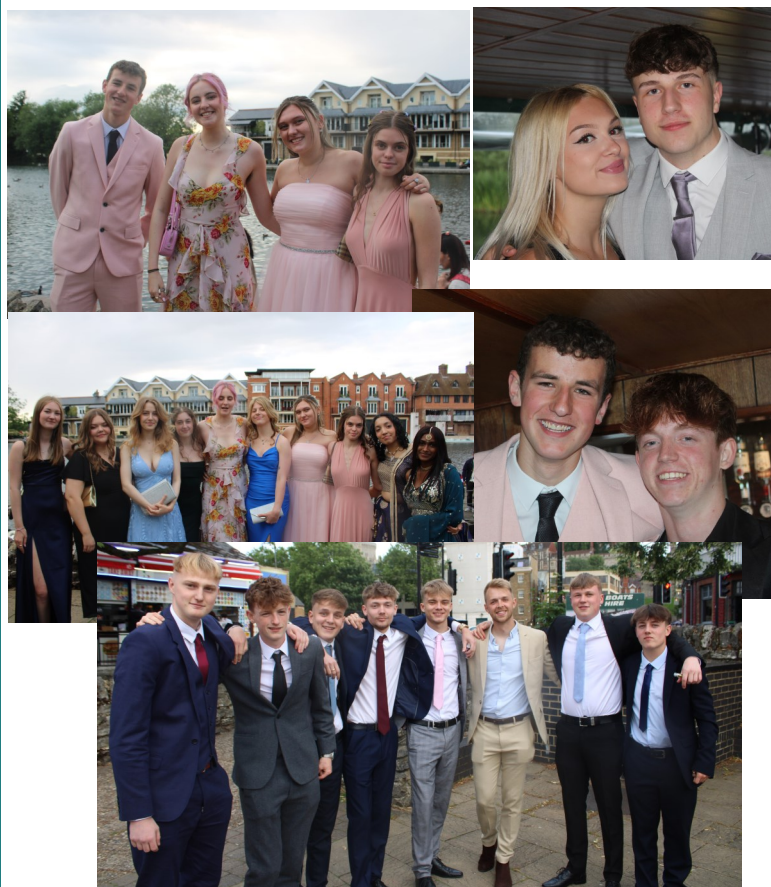
For helping a friend get through  
her song during Unity festival.





# Student and Sport News

## Year 13 Prom—Thursday 13th July 2023



## Year 5 Visitors

Woodlands Park Primary students came for a taster lesson at Cox Green this week. They were involved in a cross curricular lesson looking at sound waves in Science and Music.



## Congratulations to all who received an award this week!



Congratulations to Natasha who won 3 Golds in the Southern Areas Paddlesports Competition in canoe and kayak cross stream .







# Notices and Requests



## Sports' Day

**Rescheduled for Tuesday  
18th July 2023 due to  
weather forecast**

### Bike Shed

Any padlocks and chains left in the bike shed at the end of the academic year will be removed and disposed of.

### Locker Hire from September 2023

Lockers will be available on sQuid from 6pm on 12<sup>th</sup> July, on a first come, first served basis. <http://cgss.co/lockers>

**Please remember to empty your lockers at the end of the year!**

### Lost Property Display

Tuesday 18th July 2023



There will be a lost property display at Main Reception from 3pm on Tuesday 18th July 2023.

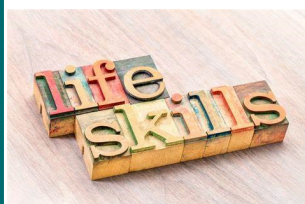
Parents and students are warmly invited to attend to check if any missing items have been handed in.

### Online Parenting Courses:

We are signposting a series of free, online summer parenting sessions on a range of topics: Online Safety, Social Media, Consent, Porn, Having "The Talk" and Contraception.

For dates, times and more detail please see: [Summer Parent Sessions \(rabbitsrse.co.uk\)](https://rabbitsrse.co.uk)

### Year 11 Family Life Skills



As part of Year 11 PD in the Autumn, we would like to run a family life skills session for our students. If you are (or know) any of the following and could give an hour of your time on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September or Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October, please contact me for more details: [f.kirby@coxgreen.com](mailto:f.kirby@coxgreen.com)

- Work in a pre-school or nursery or are a childminder
- Family Lawyer
- Financial Advisor
- Travel Agent
- Cleaner
- Car Sales
- Electrician
- Plumber
- Construction/Builder
- Gardener/Landscaper

### Careers

Are you able to support careers at Cox Green next year? This is working with your future employees and clients! If you, or someone you know, are able to help with mock interviews, WEX, careers fair or subject specific events please complete this form: <https://forms.office.com/e/JAAcrKhDfU>. For more information please contact [h.thompson@coxgreen.com](mailto:h.thompson@coxgreen.com)