



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had an enjoyable Easter break and we are delighted to welcome our school community back for Term 5. There are a number of shorter weeks this term with bank holidays and two scheduled strikes (27th April and 2nd May), but we have a packed calendar with trips, sporting fixtures and events.

A letter has been shared regarding the next strike day on 27th April – we will be open to Year 11 students only and Year 13 Art students who are completing day 3 of their exam. All other years will be accessing their lessons on our online platform, Century Tech. There will be provision at school for a small number of students with Key Worker parents/carers who are unable to stay at home. If you consider that your child may fall into this category, please let us know by emailing us at enquiries@coxgreen.com before Tuesday 25th April.

Personal Development this week focussed on Relationships and Sex Education and, in particular, consent. Thank you to our guest speaker Dan Allchurch who led a fabulous session for our Year 11 and 12 students.

Sixth Form Theatre Study students enjoyed a trip to the National Theatre to watch “Dancing at Lughnasa” this week and we wish our Silver Duke of Edinburgh students well in their practice expedition this weekend.

Thank you for all of your continued support with ensuring students arrive to school in the correct uniform – this week we have all been impressed with improved uniform and engagement of students in lessons.

Mr Edwards, Headteacher

Recent Letters

- [Year 10 OddBalls Science Talk](#)

Weekly Calendar Week 2 Timetable

Monday 24th April	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be Respectful—World Earth Day• Year 12 Careers Appointments
Tuesday 25th April	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 12 Careers Appointments
Wednesday 26th April	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 12 Careers Appointments
Thursday 27th April	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL STUDENTS EXCEPT YEAR 11 Planned Strike Action Day ONLINE HOME LEARNING FOR ALL OTHER YEAR GROUPS.• Year 7 Parents’ Evening - POSTPONED
Friday 28th April	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 12 Careers Appointments

Dates for diary

Key Stage 3 (Years 7, 8 and 9) Presentation Awards Afternoon - 4.30pm– 7pm
(Students and Parents by invitation only)

Year 11 Leavers Afternoon—Wednesday 28th June—12.30pm-2.30pm

Year 13 Leavers Afternoon—Friday 30th June 1pm—2.30pm



If you have any items for the Newsletter then please email enquiries@coxgreen.com



Celebrating Success Our Stars of the Week



Year 7

Poppy Burrows and Mia Burrows – for being continuously kind and helpful during Science lessons by handing out worksheets and practical equipment.

Adnan Aykan – for volunteering at the Salvation Army over the holidays to help feed the homeless.



Inclusion Star of the Week

Nominated by Mrs Brennan for all Cox Green students who have made a contribution to the Inclusion Department.

Ed Holland - for excellent determination in lessons.



Year 8

8GRS3 – for an excellent start to the term with Mrs Kirby in R.S.

Oumar Dandi and Carrel Cumberbatch - for superb contributions in R.S.

Freddie Barnard – for superb contributions in P.D.

Year 11

Alisha Gumedde - for coming back with a good determined attitude for her last term.

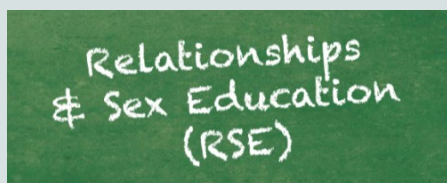


Student News

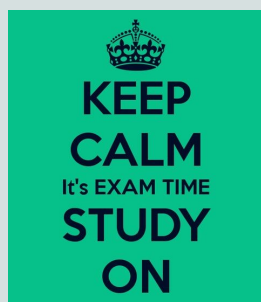
Personal Development

PD this term is on Relationships and Sex Education (RSE). Please look at PD Newsletter for more information on content being covered.

[Personal Development \(coxgreen.com\)](http://coxgreen.com)



Young Minds



This is a great website with excellent resources for students and parents to stay mentally healthy during exams.

[Staying mentally healthy during exams](#) | [Resources](#) | [Young-Minds](#)

[YoungMinds](#) | [Mental Health Charity For Children](#)
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Duke of Edinburgh Practice Expedition

Mr Morris and three members of staff set out with 26 students on their DofE Silver practice expedition today.

If you would like to keep up to date with their news then please follow the new school DofE Twitter account @CoxGreenDofE



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Student News



National Theatre Connections Festival Tickets at Reading Rep Theatre

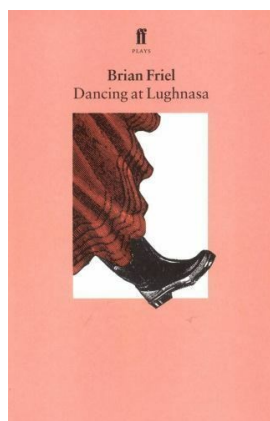
Following the visit last term from National Theatre Director, Vicky Moran, tickets are now on sale to see the Cox Green students perform in the next stage of the festival at the Reading Rep Theatre on the 11th May.

We are proud to present Cox Green's performance of "Old Times", described by Ms Moran as: "a really strong ensemble production that has great momentum, moments of tension and really clear characterisations."

The performance will take place on Thursday 11th May at 7.00pm.

Tickets are £5.00 and are available here [National Theatre Connections 2023 - Reading Rep Theatre](#)

The performance is recommended for 14+ and contains some swearing and adult content.



National Theatre Trip

Our Year 12 and 13 Theatre Studies students enjoyed a wonderful trip to the National Theatre to watch 'Dancing at Lughnasa'. We were very lucky to watch the opening night of this brand new production of this award winning classic, with an all star cast including actors from Derry Girls and Father Ted!

Year 13 Theatre Studies

The students completed their final practical exam just before Easter. They performed extracts from 'The Importance of Being Earnest' by Oscar Wilde and 'Want' by Barney Norris. Here they are hard at work in rehearsal in full costume. Costume and set must be completely accurate at A level so they had muffins, butter, jam and tea!





Sport News

Berkshire Schools Combined Events Championships

We are now at the beginning of our Athletics season and look forward to participating in the RBWM League at TVAC this year which starts in a few weeks time. I would encourage any students who are interested in taking part to come along to Athletics training on a Wednesday evening to prepare for this.

We also have another event running on Friday 5th May which is the Berkshire Schools Combined event for students in years 8-11. This event is for students who have experience in the below events and have been specifically trained in hurdling and high jump. Students must take part in all 5 events listed below for their age group.

Junior Girls (Y8 and 9) Pentathlon - 75m Hurdles, Shot, High Jump, Long Jump and 800m

Junior Boys (Y8 and 9) Pentathlon - 80m Hurdles, Shot, High Jump, Long Jump and 800m

Inter Girls (Y10 and 11) Pentathlon - 80m Hurdles, Shot, High Jump, Long Jump and 800m

Inter Boys (Y10 and 11) Pentathlon - 100m Hurdles, Shot, High Jump, Long jump and 1500m

If there are any students who would be interested in taking part in this event, please can you let Miss Anderson know via email on l.anderson@coxgreen.com by Wednesday 26th April 2023.

Year 7—Year 11 Netball League Results

A big well done to all the students who participated in the RBWM Netball League this year. The Year 7-11 teams have been training since September and shown commendable work ethic and determination.

The results of the overall scores are in and a special congratulations needs to go to the Year 10 team who finished 2nd in the league to Windsor Girls School which is a fantastic achievement. Further congratulations go to the Year 9A Team who finished 4th out of 15 teams and the Year 9B Team who finished 6th out of 15 teams. Both Year 9 teams have shown excellent progress this year and their hard work in training has paid off. Well done to everyone involved!

Football

The Year 9 B Team, led by Conor Phelan, took on the Windsor Boys School. Joseph Santacaterina opened



the scoring with a sensational goal. In the 2nd half Rio West doubled the lead with a left foot shot into the top corner of the net. Windsor pulled one back, before an incisive through ball from Adam Nour found Isaac McDowell who slotted the ball home to restore Cox Green's 2-goal lead. With 5 minutes remaining, Windsor scored again, to make it 3-2, but our lads held on for a well deserved victory!

Recent Results

Date	Sport	Age Group	Opposition	Home/ AWAY	Time Start	Competition	Result
20-Apr-23	BASKETBALL	U14 Boys	Chessington	AWAY	3.30pm	Junior NBA	L 20-48

Upcoming Fixtures

Date	Sport	Age Group	Opposition	Home/ AWAY	Time Start	Competition
24-Apr-23	FOOTBALL	U15 Girls	Altwood	HOME	3.30pm	League
25-Apr-23	FOOTBALL	U12 Boys	Furze Platt	HOME	3.45pm	League
	FOOTBALL	U15 Boys	Bohunt	HOME	3.15pm	County Cup



Notices



PTFA King's Coronation Bake Sale



Click here to
sign up to
help

CALLING ALL BAKERS

Please can you help us by baking or helping at the sale on the day?

Sign up here

<https://forms.office.com/e/T6eGi5syKr>

WE NEED

150 portions of cakes, biscuits and
treats for the Coronation Cake Sale
Parent and Carer helpers from 10.30am -
11.45am - sign up here!

CAKE DROP OFF IS 8AM-9AM ON FRIDAY 5TH MAY

Kings Coronation Bake Sale

Friday 5th May 2023

Break 1

In celebration of King Charles III's coronation, we
are holding a Bake Sale.

Please sign up here <https://forms.office.com/e/T6eGi5syKr> if you can help by providing bakes or
assist with the stall on the day!

Many thanks

PTFA Team



Happy Eid!

Menu

Chicken Tikka Masala
(Served with Rice & Kachumber Salad)

Or

Roasted Bell Pepper Masala
(Served with Rice & Kachumber Salad)

Spicy Naan Pizza
Dahl Pakora with Sweet Chilli Sauce
Chicken Biryani

Eid Cookies



LATIN AMERICA & CARIBBEAN

Menu

Beef Empanada
Vegetarian Empanada
Jerk Chicken Wrap
Trinidadian Chicken Curry Roti
Yaroa
Jerk Chicken Wings

Mexican Spiced Chicken Enchilada
with Salt & Pepper Wedges & Corn

Mexican Spiced Mushroom
Enchilada with Salt & Pepper
Wedges & Corn



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Careers Corner

ROYAL BERKSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE



Summer Internship Scheme

The Summer Internship Scheme is aimed at 16 and 17-year-old residents of Berkshire who are from ethnic groups that are currently under-represented within our Service.

The internship will run from Monday, 17 July to Friday, 18 August.

It is a paid internship designed to help young people develop their workplace skills and discover the opportunities available in a modern fire and rescue service.

Through a tailored programme of activity, as well as career development workshops and learning sessions, the five-week summer internship supports interns in gaining transferable skills and real-world experience for their future education or career ambitions, whatever these may be.



Learn more about
the scheme by
scanning the code
or online at
rbfrs.co.uk/interns

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British Cycling Female Endurance Talent Identification



Dear Parent/Guardian

I am getting in touch to make you aware of a Female Talent Identification Programme for Cycling we are running this year. Which hopes to identify the cycling potential of talented young people from across England, with those successful going on to join British Cycling's Talent Development and Performance Pathways. Please find more details of this opportunity below and how to get involved.

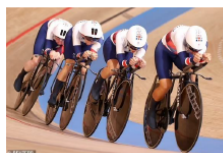
This could be the start of a journey that could lead to potentially going to the Olympic games and following in the footsteps of British Olympic medalists Dame Laura Kenny, Katie Archibald, Elinor Barker and Neah Evans.

If your child would like to get more involved in this Talent ID Program and the sport of cycling. Then please complete the below application form which can be opened by scanning the QR code below with your mobile phone camera. Applications will close on **Friday 28th April 2023**.

Following completing an application your child could be invited to one of our 3 testing days taking place across England throughout May and June. Each cycling day will typically broken down into 3 parts; a workshop delivered by coaches from the Great Britain Cycling Team explaining the cycling pathway and the exiting journey riders could go on, a number of physical test using Wattbikes and off the bike tests for a chance to show us what you can do!

- Manchester – Sunday 14th May 2023
- Derby – Monday 29th May 2023
- London – Sunday 11th June 2023

You must be born in the years 2008 and 2009 to apply and be eligible for a British passport, but no prior racing experience is required – just the ability to ride a bike!



Or follow this link: <https://forms.office.com/e/8w62xVb237>
Instagram – @British_Cycling_Talent_Dev

Thanks
Tiffany Fletcher

British Cycling Talent Development Coach – Female Lead
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Pan Disability Football Session



PAN Disability Football @ Maidenhead United

Magpies in the community are proud to offer PAN Disability Football session here at Maidenhead United FC. These sessions are made for players to enjoy a variety of different football games/drills to have fun and learn different football skills in a fun and safe environment.

Every Monday @ The Cage 7pm— 8pm

Age range 13—16 years old

For further details contact: Mark Nisbet -
mark.nisbet@maidenheadunitedfc.org

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