



Cox Green Newsletter



Newsletter 25th—28th March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

As you know, we had our OFSTED inspection last week on Tuesday 19th March and Wednesday 20th March. I would like to thank the parents who emailed or called to wish us luck. The outcome and full report will be published at the end of May/beginning of June.

On Monday, students from Year 13 studying Criminology visited Reading Crown Court where they were able to see a live court room and listen to a barrister making their closing argument for a trial. Wednesday saw 85 of our Year 12 students head off to Bournemouth to learn more about applying for higher education. We have also been treated to some tempting Easter dishes produced by our Year 11 students. The results of their efforts can be seen further on in the Newsletter.

Assemblies this week continued to focus on awarding students with their Bronze and Silver awards. We also had our end of term celebration assembly today for the whole school and students were awarded for displaying the Cox Green Values, Head of Year award, Literacy Award and SEN award. As always we are very proud of our Cox Green Community and it is always a lovely way to end the term!

Wishing you all a very happy Easter, enjoy the break and I look forward to seeing students on their return to school on Monday 15th April.

Mr Edwards, Headteacher.



Year 11 Hoodies

Deadline for ordering:

Wednesday 24th April 2024

Please click on the link below for details on how to order your Y11 Leavers Hoodies:

Leavers Hoodies:

<https://cgss.co/leavershoodie>



Recent Letters

- Year 10 End of Year Exams and Parents' Evening
- Year 12 Trip to Brighton
- Year 7 Parents' Evening Letter

Weekly Calendar: Timetable - Week 1

Monday 15th April 2024	• Start of Term 5
Tuesday 16th April 2024	• None
Wednesday 17th April 2024	• Year 13 Trip—Standing at the Sky's Edge
Thursday 18th April 2024	• Year 8 Parents' Evening from 4:30pm-7:30pm
Friday 19th April 2024	• Duke of Edinburgh Silver Practice Expedition



Cox Green School
Year 11 Prom
Masquerade Ball



Windsor Racecourse, SL4 5JJ
Arriving from 6.45pm till 11.00pm



£47.00 per head
Payment via sQuid

Closing date Monday 15th April 2024

Thursday 27th June 2024



Celebrating Success Our Stars of the Week



Year 7



Charlie Walton

Consistently shows great focus and has a fantastic attitude to learning.

Lewis Nagy

For displaying his exceptional dance skills within PE lessons.



Year 8



Michael Shrimpton

Nominated for his resilience whilst recovering from a broken arm.

Ethan Pavia, Daya Tiwana, Charlotte Plant, Rumbidzaishe Chademunhu, Isaac Poole and Jaya Brar
Nominated for consistently demonstrating Cox Green's values.

Viraj Kerpel and Hayden-Lilly O'Dwyer

Nominated for a successful first term.



Year 9



Sai Amwita Anumala

Nominated for being considerate of the feelings of others.

Charlie Lawrence

Nominated for great attitude to persuasive writing in English.



Year 10



Mason Holley

Nominated for having excellent focus and work ethic in Business lessons. Mrs Morgan-Russell was very impressed with your commitment to learning!



Year 11



Jodie White and Katelyn Skinner

Nominated for always making people smile.

Ellie-Louise Smith and Charlotte Quick

Nominated for perseverance and determination.

Kai Bullen

Nominated for always displaying a positive attitude.



Sixth Form



Megan Howse

Nominated for continuous supportive nature.



Notices



Earth Day

Monday 22nd April 2024

In celebration and recognition of Earth Day 2024, Years 7, 8 and 9 will be taking part in completing a creative task, promoting the importance of sustainability.

Further details to be announced soon!

QUEST FAMILY FEST

FRIDAY 29 MARCH

JOIN US AT NORDEN FARM THIS EASTER FOR A DAY OF BRILLIANT WORKSHOPS TAILORED FOR DIFFERENT AGES

WORKSHOPS £4.50 PER SESSION OR £16.00 FOR 4

9.30 SCULPTURE - OLD BOOKS INTO NEW CREATURES

9.30 MAGIC - BACK STAGE TRICKS AND TIPS

10.45 VISUAL ARTS - MAKE YOUR OWN BOOK

10.45 CERAMIC ANIMAL COIL POTS

12.00 DRAMA - INTRO TO TV AND FILM MAKING

1.30 CHOCOLATE EGG AND LOLLY MAKING

1.30 SPECIAL EFFECTS STAGE MAKEUP

2.45 CIRCUS SKILLS

2.45 SILKSCREEN PRINTING

ALL WORKSHOPS
1 HOUR

AGE 11+



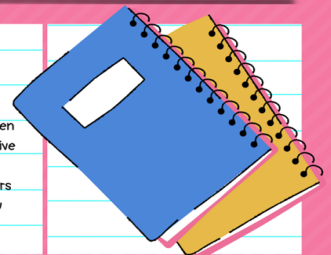
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National Scientific Thinking Challenge 2024

01 Background

In 2021, a group of friends from 6 different university Chemistry Departments created a test for Year 10 students to try. It was the middle of the pandemic and learning had been horribly disrupted. They wanted to encourage students and give them something positive and enjoyable to try at a difficult time. Now, after more than 20,000 people had a go, teachers and students stated how much they enjoyed it, the university student group have decided to keep running it every year.



02 2024: We're entering!

This year, we would like to provide this exciting opportunity for students at Cox Green School. The online challenge involves completing a 50-minute multiple choice assessment that does not require recall of taught material. Instead, you will look at data, graphs and text to make deductions, spot trends, suggest hypotheses and identify anomalous results – essentially, think like a scientist!

We have 30 spaces available to participate in this year's online challenge.

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How to sign up

EduLink Club: National Scientific Thinking Challenge 2024
Date: Monday, 22nd April 2024
Time: Period 1 (9-10am)
Location: C1



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Student News

Year 7 Awards Assembly!



Year 13 Trip to Crown Court

Year 13 Criminology students attended Reading Crown Court for the day, where they were able to better understand the processes of law and the relationship between agencies by watching trials in action.

Throughout the day, students watched a murder trial and listened as a defence barrister made a closing argument. In addition, students developed an understanding of the physical geography of the courtroom and how the jury, judge and defendant interact.



EXAMS



Staying mentally healthy during exam time (Young Minds)

As we head towards the main exam time, it's worth revisiting how we can support young people at what can be a very stressful time.

Young Minds have a series of support pages aimed at helping with exam stress and anxiety. Their advice is available to help parents and carers and, of course, young people themselves.

You can find this helpful advice at the links below:

[Parents](#)

[Young people](#)

Attendance Workshop via Teams

Monday 29th April 2024 from 5:30pm-6:30pm (More information to follow)

Do you have any items for our newsletter?
If so, please email Ms Chate @ p.chate@coxgreen.com



Student News

Year 11 making Easter dishes this week in Food Technology!



Year 12 Trip to Bournemouth—UCAS Discovery!



Year 11 Rewards Assembly!



Year 9 students receiving awards for getting 500 Achievement Points!





Sports Results

Date	Sport	Age Group	Opposition	Home / Away	Time Start	Competition	Result
Monday 25th March 2024	FOOTBALL	U12 BOYS	Desborough	Away	3:30pm	League	L 1-4
	BASKETBALL	U16 BOYS	Emmbrook	Home	4pm	Friendly	L 43-71
	FOOTBALL	U15 GIRLS	Maiden Erlegh	Home	3:45pm	County Cup	L 2-6
	FOOTBALL	U13 GIRLS	Altwood	Away	3:45pm	League	Cancelled
Tuesday 26th March 2024	FOOTBALL	U14 BOYS	Waingels	Away	3:45pm	League	Cancelled
	FOOTBALL	U13 BOYS	Forest	Home	3:45pm	League	Cancelled
	FOOTBALL	U16 BOYS	Waingels	Home	3:45pm	League	L 0-1
Wednesday 27th March 2024	FOOTBALL	U12 BOYS	Altwood	Home	3:45pm	League	Cancelled

Sports Fixtures

Date	Sport	Age Group	Opposition	Home / Away	Time Start	Competition
Tuesday 16th April 2024	FOOTBALL	U15 GIRLS	St. Crispins	Away	3:45pm	League
	FOOTBALL	U13 GIRLS	Waingels	Home	3:45pm	League
	FOOTBALL	U13 BOYS	Forest	Home	3:45pm	League
Wednesday 17th April 2024	BASKETBALL	U14 BOYS	Bohunt	Home	3:45pm	Friendly
	FOOTBALL	U15 BOYS	Waingels	Away	3:45pm	League
Tuesday 23 April 2024	FOOTBALL	U13 GIRLS	Sandhurst	Away	3:45pm	League
Wednesday 24th April 2024	BASKETBALL	U13 BOYS	Bohunt	Away	3:45pm	Friendly
	FOOTBALL	U15 BOYS	Charters	Away	4pm	County Cup
	FOOTBALL	U12 BOYS B TEAM	Garth Hill	Home	TBC	Friendly
	FOOTBALL	U13 BOYS B TEAM	Bohunt	Home	4pm	Friendly