



COX GREEN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

01-05
DEC 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Congratulations to our Year 11 and Year 13 students who will be finishing their mock exams on Monday! We have been impressed with their hard work, resilience, and focus while preparing for and sitting these important assessments. As the exams conclude, we hope students take time to celebrate the end of term, relax and recharge as we begin the countdown to the well-earned holiday break. Well done everyone!

Thank you to our Year 8 volunteers who helped decorate the Christmas tree in our reception. We are all starting to look forward to our annual 'Christmas Doors', where all year groups are invited to decorate their form room doors. 'Christmas Doors' begins on Monday 15th December - start saving your decorations and we look forward to seeing the entries!

With the weather set to get colder, we would like to remind parents and carers that we do have some winter coats in various sizes, available for a cash donation in our pre-loved uniform shop. Please contact reception via email at enquiries@coxgreen.com if you would like to check availability.

Please note the school will be closed for INSET day on Friday 5th December. School will re-open on Monday 8th December for all year groups.



RECENT LETTERS:

- ATTENDANCE LETTER - WHOLE SCHOOL
- ATTENDANCE LETTER - SIXTH FORM
- YEAR 10 AND 11 GCSE GRAPHICS TRIP TO THE MUSEUM OF BRANDS
- YEAR 11 CAREERS LETTER
- YEAR 11 GCSE ART TRIP TO THE TATE MODERN

Mr Edwards

Weekly Calendar: Timetable Week 2

Monday 8 th December 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
Tuesday 9 th December 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal Development (Period 2)
Wednesday 10 th December 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 13 Parliament Tour Trip
Thursday 11 th December 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>You're Hired!</i> (Year 11 only) • Winter Concert: Doors open at 5.45 pm
Friday 12 th December 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None

COX GREEN SCHOOL SCHOOL NOTICES

Upcoming Dates



Term Two

Monday 15th December 2025
Christmas Doors Competition

Tuesday 16th December 2025
Year 7 & 8 Christmas Lunch – Pre-booked only
A-Level English Trip to see *Othello*

Wednesday 17th December 2025
Year 9, 10, 11 and Sixth Form
Christmas Lunch – Pre-booked only

Friday 19th December 2025
Christmas Jumper Day



Students are welcome to wear non uniform (Christmas jumpers optional) for a cash donation of £1 to take part.
End of Term: School finishes at 12.30pm

Christmas Holidays:

**Monday 22nd December 2025
to Monday 5th January 2026.**

**Term 3 resumes on Tuesday 6th January
2026 for all year groups.**

Access to the Buildings:

Please be aware that the Cookham Building is now access controlled, and students are only permitted to enter during lesson times (8:30 am – 3:00 pm).

This measure has been introduced because the building is not fully supervised outside of these hours, and we want to ensure student safety at all times.

If your child needs to visit Reception or Finance before school, they will need to enter through the main front entrance between 8:15am – 8:30 am, where appropriate supervision is in place.

During the school day, a member of staff will be on duty during break times to allow students supervised access to Reception or Finance:

Break 1: 11:00am – 11:30am

Break 2: 1:30pm – 2:00pm

Access to rear field gate

(access from Elizabeth Hawkes Way)

This gate is locked: School days between 8.30am and 3pm.

Overnight between 9.30pm and 7am.

Weekends between 6pm and 8.30am.

Deadline for
donations:
**Thursday 4th
December**

This November, we are supporting a number of important charities through fundraisers, toy drives and foodbanks! If you would like to support us, the below items are welcomed and can be dropped off at reception:

Items for Foodbank: Anything you can give will be appreciated, but no fresh items that will spoil please.
We are supporting Foodshare Maidenhead.

Toy Drive: We would appreciate pre-loved and/or new toy donations.
We are supporting Make-A-Wish and the Salvation Army.



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YOU ARE INVITED TO



WINTER CONCERT

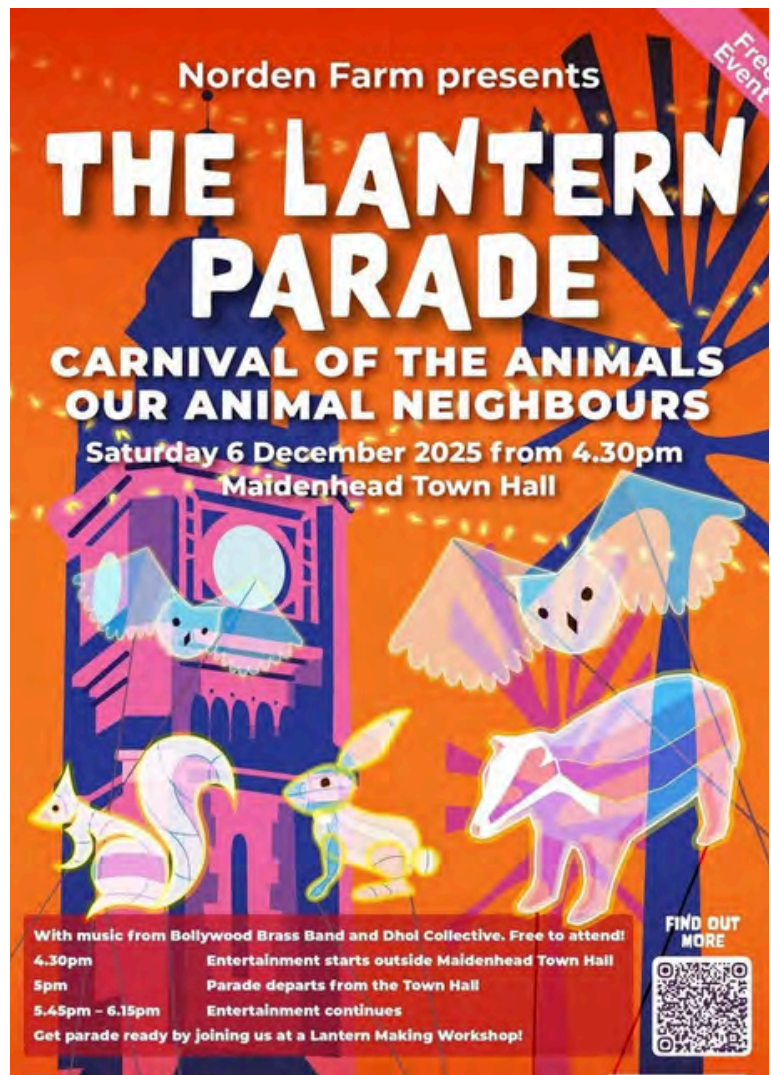
Cox Green School Theatre
Thursday 11th December

Doors open at 5.45 pm
Performance at 6.00 pm

Tickets available to purchase on iPay
Adults £6
Concessions £4

Parking available on the Basketball Court
from 5.30 pm

Refreshments and food available to purchase
from the PTFA



Norden Farm presents

THE LANTERN PARADE


CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS OUR ANIMAL NEIGHBOURS

Saturday 6 December 2025 from 4.30pm
Maidenhead Town Hall

With music from Bollywood Brass Band and Dhol Collective. Free to attend!

4.30pm Entertainment starts outside Maidenhead Town Hall
5pm Parade departs from the Town Hall
5.45pm - 6.15pm Entertainment continues
Get parade ready by joining us at a Lantern Making Workshop!

FIND OUT MORE



THE PTFA
IS ASKING FOR DONATIONS OF

CHRISTMAS MINCE PIES

FOR OUR WINTER CONCERT

PLEASE BRING ANY DONATIONS TO
RECEPTION BY THURSDAY 4TH DECEMBER



A huge thank you to everyone who supported the JSL charity bake sale! The students were thrilled to raise over £100 which will be donated to Water Aid. The students are still welcoming donations to the charity. If you would like to make a donation, please scan the QR code on the left. Thank you once again to all involved!

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RBWM Libraries

Design the Vibe: Library Poster Challenge

We need **YOUR** creativity!

- Design or doodle a poster that shows why coming to the library is the place to be.
- Whether you're all about the books, the free wi-fi, the quiet study spots or just hanging out, we want to see it in your style!
- Our favourite entries will be used on display and promotions.
- The prizes? 1st, 2nd and 3rd winners will get FREE Rio Deli drink vouchers!

Deadline: Friday 5 December

Send entries to: advocacy@rbwm.gov.uk

Tag us on Instagram: @RBWM_Libraries and hashtag #rbwmlibraries

Open to ages: 12-18

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Last week, our young carers took part in first aid training. The students learned vital skills such as CPR, wound care, and knowing what to do if someone has a seizure. The training session increased the students' confidence and provided them with the knowledge to support in an emergency situation. Thank you to Mrs Doyle and Miss Last for supporting the session for the students.

BERKSHIRE SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday 17th January 2026 12.45pm

Newbury Showground, Newbury, Berkshire



We are excited to announce the launch of Magic School, a resource designed to enhance our students' learning experiences. This platform will offer various benefits, including a safe and structured environment for utilising AI tools that support academic growth.

Please find a link below for video and introduction to this new resource for the students:

<https://cgss.co/magicschool>

If your child would like to take part, please ask them to speak to Mr Critchley or a member of the PE Department. Deadline for entries is 9th January 2026.

WHAT WE DID THIS WEEK



Year 7

Stars of the Week

Hannah Armsdon, Marcus Oakley, Amelia Brigdale, Casey-Mae Sharp, Liam Kyte, Luke Laws and Sofia Aldescu
Nominated for excellent participation in Spanish lesson.

Emily Percival-McKeever

Nominated for amazing texture drawings in Art this week. Well done!

Mykhailo Tyshkovskyy

Nominated by Mr Bali for excellent participation in Design Technology.

Fleur Titmuss and Emily Purser

Nominated for effort and commitment in French.

Luke Borg Filletti, Sophia Matthews and Jaylen Williams

Nominated for being kind, courteous and representing the school values.

Last week, the Year 7 team took to the courts at Furze Platt to compete against other local schools in our weekly netball tournament. Both teams showed exceptional progress from their previous fixture, with each team securing multiple wins and finishing the night with a Cox Green derby. We look forward to seeing them take to the court in 2026, and continue with their success. Well done! Thank you to our Year 7 and Year 9 volunteers who kindly decorated the Christmas tree in Mr Edwards' office on Thursday!

Year 7



Year 8

Stars of the Week

Skylar Hicks

Nominated for excellent contributions in Geography.

Freyja Nielsen, Isaac Carrillo, Ella MacFarlane, Bonnie Batchelor, Leo Spencer and Ollie Saunders

Nominated for excellent homework in Art.

Khalid Badhwal, Aran Esterhuysen, Thomas Golding and Joanna George

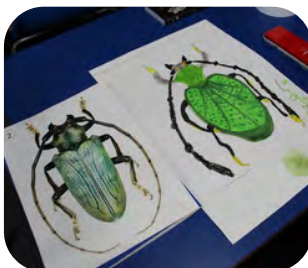
Nominated for outstanding work in Music.

Amelia Khan and Reece Mourant-King

Nominated for outstanding work in History.

Janikah Choji, Oliver King, Avani Ghatore, Nathan Przepiorka, William Leggatt and Amy Mooney

Nominated for dedication and effort in Religious Studies.



Year 8

Year 8 brightened their classroom with vibrant watercolour bug paintings after an introduction to watercolours and practicing sketching techniques. The students were very pleased with their final paintings. Well done Year 8!



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Year 9

Stars of the Week

Oscar Burton, Jay Swift and Leyton Bartlett

Nominated for excellent progress in Religious Studies.

Ekamveer Chhokar

Nominated for consistently displaying the Cox Green values.

Amrita Sihra

Nominated for effort and commitment in English.

Ella Aviss and Amy Bennett

Nominated for providing outstanding answers in Food Technology.

Ethan Fonebi, Lorenzo Busseni, Ralph Duxbury, Jack Williams, Kian Collins and Layla Halligan

Nominated for outstanding quality of work in Science. Well done!



This week, Year 9 took part in the team cooking challenge. The students had to work in teams and had 1 hour to design and cook their dessert recipes.



Year 9



Creative Arts Award

Bo Daly and Ava Koldashi

Nominated by Mrs Williams for their creativity and innovation within Food Technology. Both students consistently represent the school values and demonstrate effort and commitment to the subject.



Year 10

Stars of the Week

Madison Peach

Nominated for demonstrating focus and commitment in her option subjects.

Jamie Gillard

Nominated for excellent effort and helpfulness in Design Technology

Ryan Qasim

Nominated for brilliant work in lessons this week. Well done!

AJ Paterson, Lewis Baker, Oliver Lovell, Sophie Tull, Liam Ford, Georgia Leroy, Wariyam Sekhon, Nikhilesh Shrinivasa and Tommy O'Dowd

Nominated for great first attempts at their tasks in class.

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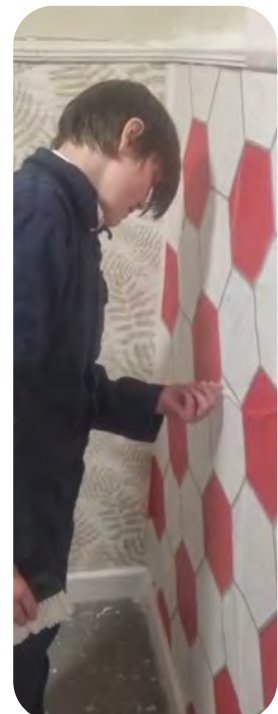
Nominated for supporting the JSL bake sale.



This week at Manor Green, students on the construction course learned how to hang wallpaper and practised measuring, cutting, and aligning the patterns with care.

They developed skills in surface preparation, adhesive application and smoothing techniques.

Year 10



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Year 11 Stars of the Week

Maya Ahmed

Ian Balfe

Aiden Barske

Marcos Dunlop

Hannah Flatau

Leah Hanson

Pokmihang Jabegum

Lucas Richardson

Ethan Sherrington

and Jeremy Squire

Nominated for hard work and consistent effort in class this week.

Well done!

Kiera Satchwill

Nominated for demonstrating the Cox Green Values.

**GOOD LUCK TO
ALL STUDENTS
FOR THEIR
MOCK EXAMS**

We wish our Year 11 students well as they undertake their final week of mock exams. We appreciate that for some students this can be an incredibly stressful time - if your child is feeling anxious about their exams, please encourage them to reach out to Ms Cummings, Mrs Cowling or any of our staff who will be able to offer additional support if required. While Year 11 are busy with their exams, we have enclosed a summary and reminder for upcoming key dates for Year 11 below:

Thursday 11th December 2025: You're Hired Careers Event

Thursday 8th January 2026: Year 11 Mock Results Day

Thursday 15th January 2026: Year 11 Parents Evening

Friday 16th January 2026: Sixth Form Taster Day

Monday 2nd February 2026: Meet the Sixth Form Team

Year 11

Deadline for Sixth Form applications:

Sunday 22nd February 26

Internal admission interviews start:

Monday 9th March 26

External interview evening:

Thursday 5th March 26

Sixth Form Induction Day:

Tuesday 23rd June 26

GCSE Results Day:

Thursday 20th August 26

Enrolment interviews:

Thursday 20th & Friday
21st August 26



DON'T FORGET

Please note the deadline for the prom deposit is due by 10pm on Wednesday 10th December



SIXTH FORM

Stars of the Week

Maisy Atkins, Kyla Burke, Jada Ellis, Jay Hosey, Mia Howse, Anna Koldashi, Aaliyah Richardson-Ruan, and Brandon Westfallen

Nominated for brilliant work in Health & Social Care.

Kirtan Dosanjh, Jay Gohil, Barney Johnson, Freya Mennie, Isla Moore, Ruby Purser, Casey Sparks and Harsajjan Tiwana

Nominated for excellent work in class this week.

Well done!

Leon Bull, Macey Florez, Asha Freeman, Jaiden Smith-Gil and Kassra Tavakoli

Nominated for great participation in their debate!

Gabriel Chis

Nominated for representing school values.