



Cox Green Newsletter



Newsletter 14th to 18th November 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to Air Commodore Phelps for leading our Service of Remembrance today. The responsibility of playing The Last Post fell to Jonathon Peace (Year 13) and he did a sterling job, as did the students tasked with laying wreaths. I am always so impressed with the respect shown by everyone at this poignant event and this year was no exception.



Huge congratulations to all involved in the Badminton tournament this week – the standard of play was exceptional and led to some really impressive results, with Cox Green departing as overall winners in both the Boys and Girls competitions. Our Year 11 Netball squad played in the RBWM League beating Furze Platt 12-2 and Miss Anderson was delighted with the team performance. We have had some amazing feedback from Wessex Primary about our Sport Leaders students following our Enrichment sessions this week and I am so proud that our students are having such a positive impact in our local schools.

I have the pleasure of awarding Year 8 student Liam Okoro with the Headteacher Community Award this week. I have been most impressed with his kindness and respect within the school community this week, a great example to others.



We begin a two week period of Mock exams on Monday for our Year 11 and 13 students. This period is an excellent opportunity for students to get used to the experience of sitting a formal exam and also give teachers and students a really clear picture of strengths and areas of development in each subject, in preparation for the summer exams.

I look forward to seeing our Year 11 students at our Sixth Form Open Evening on Thursday next week – please do share this date with anyone interested in Post-16 pathways as we have some exciting new courses in our offer for September 2023.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr Edwards, Headteacher

Recent Letters

- [Flu Jabs Parental Consent Letter—Year 7-9](#)
- [Safe Drive Stay Alive Trip](#)
- [Year 11 Mock Examinations](#)
- [Year 13 Mock Examinations](#)
- [KS5 – Chemistry in Action Trip](#)

Weekly Calendar Week 2 Timetable

Monday 14th November	 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wear Odd Socks Day - Anti-bullying Week • Assembly - Be Determined - Good Learning Practices • Mock Exams Begin—Year 11,12 and 13
Tuesday 15th November		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No events
Wednesday 16th November		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No events
Thursday 17th November		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sixth Form & Sports Academy Open Evening 5.30pm – 7pm
Friday 18th November		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No events

Date for your diary

Friday 16th December—Term Ends at 12.30pm





Celebrating Success Our Stars of the Week



Year 7

James Campling – for being kind and polite to his peers and teachers



Amar Rattan – for displaying resilience and determination since joining Cox Green

Lily Hill – for being consistently outstanding in PE

Year 8

Alfie Gourlay - for working independently in English to complete the tasks on the board and complete a PETE paragraph.

Thomas Croucher - for working calmly to complete a PETE paragraph in English.

Hector Anderson - for always being enthusiastic about Science and having brilliant discussions on difficult topics!

Year 9

Dawid Brogowski, Faith Paul and Matthew Barnes – for excellence in PE; holding a wall sit for 5 minutes!

Noah Crocombe – for excellent engagement across different subjects.

Ava-Mae Hewitt – for showing fantastic enthusiasm in Unihockey.



Year 11

Sophia Hussain - for top class defensive performances every week in Year 11 Games.

Sixth Form Stars



Star of the Week



Sean Long - for having a very positive plan and starting Mrs Gibbon's day in a positive way, every day.

Cameron Slavern

- for remembering how to perform CPR.



Random Act of Kindness

Dominion Carter - for helping Miss Langford-Thomas hand out lanyards.



Flu Vaccinations - Years 7, 8 and 9 Parental Consent Letter

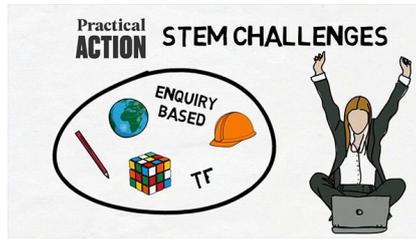
Please note that all students in Years 7, 8 and 9 are eligible for a Flu Vaccination at CGS on 13th December. Please follow the link and complete the consent requirement in the letter before 10th December. <http://cgss.co/flu>



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



Events News



All students in Year 7—10 can come along to find out more.

**Monday 14th November
Break 1 in L4**

BRONZE AWARD

Bronze

An introduction to STEM project work for 11+ year olds working individually or in teams.

Typical age: 11+

Time to complete: 10 hours

Entry fee from £5 per student



We are delighted to offer all Year 7 - 10 students the opportunity to participate in the CREST Bronze Award this year. This is an award that is widely recognised by Universities and employers due to the skills demonstrated by students through completion. It introduces students to project work that empowers them to work like real scientists, technologists, engineers and mathematicians.



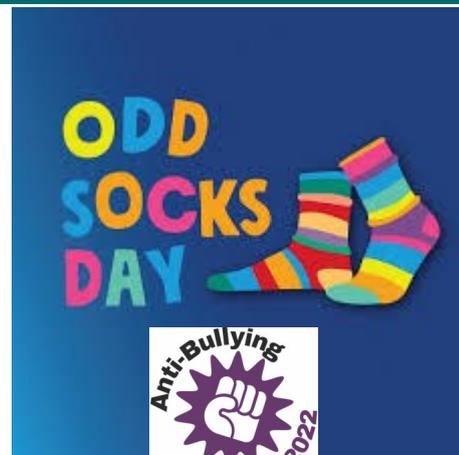
Cox Green School Student Christmas Lunch and Festive Activities

**Wednesday 14th December at 2nd Break
£2.50 to include Christmas Lunch and a Christmas Cookie**

Please order and pre-pay on sQuid by
Tuesday 15th November 2022

All usual food options will be available at Break 1 only.

Please remind students to purchase food at Break 1 or bring a packed lunch.



Monday 14th November

**All you need to do is wear odd socks!
It's a great way to celebrate what makes us all unique in support of Anti-bullying week.**

Parent Online Workshops

We held the first of our Parent Online Workshops on 'Dealing with Anxiety' this week which was very well attended.

If you missed it, you can view the presentation [HERE](http://cgss.co/wellbeing) <http://cgss.co/wellbeing>

The next workshop is

Tuesday 13th December 2022 - Grief and Loss Workshop 12pm-1pm





Sport News

Fixtures List

Date	Day	Sport	Age Group	Location	HOME / AWAY	Time	Tournament
16-Nov-22	Wednesday	FOOTBALL	U15 Girls	Esher CofE High	HOME	3.30pm	National Cup
		NETBALL	Girls	Furze Platt Tournament	AWAY	4.00pm	Tournament

Recent Results

Date	Sport	Age Group	Location	HOME / AWAY	Tournament	Result
10-Oct-22	FOOTBALL	Y11 Boys	Bradfield College	HOME	National Cup	L 1-5
12-Oct-22	NETBALL	Y7 Girls	Furze Platt Tournament	AWAY	Tournament	Won all games
17-Oct-22	FOOTBALL	U15 Girls	Winston Churchill, Woking	AWAY	National Cup	W 6-4
19-Oct-22	NETBALL	Y7 Girls	Furze Platt Tournament	AWAY	Tournament	D 2, L 4
01-Nov-22	BADMINTON	Y7	CGS Tournament	HOME	Tournament	Boys: 1st. Girls: 1st.
02-Nov-22	BADMINTON	Y8	CGS Tournament	HOME	Tournament	Boys: 1st. Girls: 1st.
	FOOTBALL	U13 Boys	Heathside, Weybridge	AWAY	National Cup	L 0-8
	NETBALL	U14 Girls	Brampton Manor, East Ham	AWAY	National Cup	L 2-26
03-Nov-22	BADMINTON	Y9	CGS Tournament	HOME	Tournament	Boys 2nd. Girls 1st.
07-Nov-22	BADMINTON	Y10	CGS Tournament	HOME	Tournament	Boys: 2nd. Girls: 2nd.
08-Nov-22	BADMINTON	Y11	CGS Tournament	HOME	Tournament	Boys: 1st. Girls: 1st.

Badminton

Cox Green School enjoyed tremendous success at the Badminton Tournament where we had 8 different schools competing and around 60 students involved. Cox Green were victorious in both the Boys and Girls sections with Year 11 Boys and Girls winning Gold and Year 10 Boys and Girls winning Silver.



The Y11 Boys and Girls both won Gold!



The Y10 Boys were runner's up to Windsor Boys School.



The Year 10 Girls were runner's up to Altwood School.



Events & Notices

Recipe of the week

Apple Caramel Crumble Muffins

Ingredients

Crumble

15g soft butter
25g plain flour
15g demerara sugar

Muffins

15g soft butter
25g plain flour
15g demerara sugar
300g plain flour
1tbsp baking powder
190g caster sugar
210ml milk
1 large egg
100g butter, melted
300g apple, peeled, cored and chopped into chunks
jar of salted caramel/duche de leche

Method

STEP 1 Preheat oven to 200c/180c fan. Line 12 hole muffin tin. Make the crumble topping by rubbing together the butter and flour till it resembles breadcrumbs. Stir in the sugar and set aside.

STEP 2 For the muffins sift the flour and baking powder into a bowl then stir in the sugar. In a jug, combine the milk, egg and melted butter.

STEP 3 Stir the wet mixture into the dry mixture till combined. Fold in the chopped apple pieces.

STEP 4 Spoon one tbsp of the mixture into the cases. Then place a tsp of salted caramel into the middle of each case, followed by another tbsp of apple mixture on top.

STEP 5 Sprinkle over the crumble topping. Bake for 20-25mins

Why not try out this seasonal recipe this weekend and send in any pictures of your creations to Ms Williams at k.williams@coxgreen.com



Christmas Card Orders DEADLINE REMINDER

Every Year 7, 8 or 9 student who submitted a Christmas card design before half term has the opportunity to order and purchase their designs from www.apfsorders.co.uk. Students will need the QR code on the back of their designs to be able to order their cards.

The online shop is now open and all orders must be placed by midnight on **Monday 14th November**.

The estimated dispatch date of cards to school ready for students to collect is **Thursday 1st December**.

Staff Vacancy - Progress Assistant

Are you looking for a job to fit around school hours and holidays now your children are slightly older?

Do you enjoy supporting children and young people with their learning and emotional development?

Would you like a job in an environment where all staff are valued and appreciated?

Cox Green are advertising for a Progress Assistant to work with our students to support them with their learning. Full training is provided and the role can lead to lots of other exciting career opportunities within education.

Full details and an application pack can be downloaded from the school website

www.coxgreen.com

The closing date is **Friday 25th November 2022**.

Stationery Shop

Do you have all the correct exam equipment?

If you need to purchase any equipment needed for your upcoming exams, including a clear pencil case, please visit the Student Stationery Shop which is open daily from:

8.15am - 8.30am and Break 1 only
(Closed Monday's - 8.15am—8.30am)

Located at the Student Services Office in Fifield.
(Cash only)

Medical Appointments

Where appointments are necessary within school hours, **please ensure your child's absence is reported at least 24 hours before to the Attendance Officer.**

If you are unable to provide these details 24 hours prior to the appointment could you please ensure a copy of the supporting document is given to the Office or the text shown.

You can also use the Reporting of Absence option on your Edulink or alternatively, email the school at enquiries@coxgreen.com to confirm the details of the appointment. All leave of absence is recorded on your child's school file.



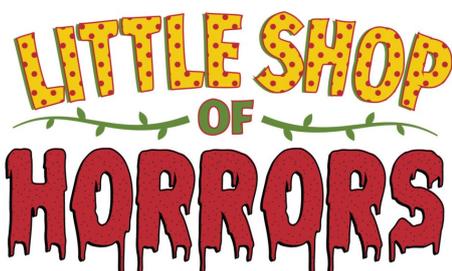


Events



Rehearsals Timetable

Date:	Cast needed:	Time:
Monday 14 th November	Dentist, Dentist Chorus, Mushnik, Seymour, Audrey.	3.15-5.00
Tuesday 15 th November	Audrey 2, Seymour, Ronnette, Crystal, Chiffon, lead chorus, plant chorus.	3.15-4.30
Friday 18 th November	Dentist, Mushnik, Seymour, Audrey, Audrey 2, Ronnette, Crystal, Chiffon, lead chorus, plant chorus, dentist chorus.	3.15-5.00
Monday 21 st November	Dentist, Seymour, Audrey, Mushnik.	3.15-5.00
Tuesday 22 nd November	Audrey 2, Ronnette backing group.	3.15-4.30
Friday 25 th November	Dentist, Seymour, Mushnik, Audrey, Audrey 2, Ronnette, Crystal, Chiffon, Ronnette backing group, lead chorus, dentist chorus, plant chorus.	3.15-5.00
Monday 28 th November	Mushnik, Ronnette, Audrey, Customer (Jack B), Seymour, chorus.	3.15-5.00
Tuesday 29 th November	Audrey, Seymour, lead chorus.	3.15-4.30
Monday 5 th December	Audrey, Seymour, Audrey 2, Mushnik, Ronnette, Crystal, Chiffon, Ronnette backing group.	3.15-5.00
Tuesday 6 th December	Mushnik, Seymour, Audrey 2.	3.15-4.30
Friday 9 th December	Mushnik, Seymour, Audrey 2, Ronnette, Crystal, Chiffon, Ronnette backing group, lead chorus, chorus.	3.15-5.00



The School Production of The Little Shop of Horrors will be on Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th February 2023.



Events & Notices



COX GREEN SCHOOL



COX GREEN SPORTS ACADEMY

Sixth Form and Sports Academy Open Evening

We offer a nurturing Sixth Form environment and a highly bespoke learning and personal development programme for all students to support their future pathways.

Thursday 17th November 5.30-7pm

Ofsted recognised exceptional practice in our 6th Form where students make "well above average progress" in our "friendly and harmonious school". (Ofsted 2018)

For information: 01628 629415 | sixthform@coxgreen.com | www.coxgreen.com
Cox Green School, Highfield Lane, Maidenhead, Berkshire, SL6 3AX



COX GREEN SCHOOL



COULD YOU INSPIRE OUR STUDENTS ?

YOU'RE HIRED

Mock Interview Days

Wednesday 7th & Thursday 8th December 2022

Year 11 Students

9:15am - 3pm

Do you have any spare time to help our students develop their interview skills?

You can assist for just one day or both.

AM or PM sessions also available.

Student interviews will start at 9:30am and there is a refreshment

break at 11am & 1:30pm - food and drinks provided.

Please contact Mrs Thompson for more information.

h.thompson@coxgreen.com

COX GREEN



PTA

AGM

Tuesday 29th November 4pm

JOIN THE AGM HELD BY THE NEW PTA

Join in person or online via TEAMS for our first hybrid AGM to plan events and activities to enrich the school experience for every pupil and fundraise for projects.

RSVP HERE

<https://forms.office.com/r/evLSxWyWkm>

Click [here](#) to RSVP for the AGM.