

Latest News and Events

From The Green Room

May 2016

Summer is nearly here, this half term has flown by as usual, and the summer holidays will soon be upon us, but before that we will sadly have to say goodbye to our current year 11s. It will be a very strange place without you all next year, and will take some getting used to! Lots of our pupils have already been offered places at college for next year which is great and we wish you all the best for whatever choices you have made. The leavers lunch will be on Thursday June 9th after the last Maths GCSE.

Arts Award

We had a fantastic day filming the short promotional film about The Green Room for the Arts Award Leadership project, where pupils developed their leadership skills by planning the film locations, directing the various film clips and organising the wrap party at the end. There were 3 film locations, each with different scenes going on.

Katy, Leon and Luke ran the filming at the park and allotment location and shot scenes called 'hole in the



ground', and 'wheelbarrow skate park'!

Louise, Emma and Skye ran the shoot at Clewer pond with a scene called 'the boat' and also ran another scene called 'water from window' at The Green Room, pouring water out of a window over people holding umbrellas and wearing snorkels!

Jamie and Hoppo ran two scenes at The Green Room called 'clown car' and whack a mole (human), where they made a giant whack a mole game using themselves to pop up from a hole in a box to see if someone else could whack them on the head with a blow up hammer!

The clown car scene was a classic comic scene with loads of people getting out of the minibus.



These scenes are all being put together and made into a film in the style of The Monkees and will be called Hey Hey We're The Green Room!

Higher Project Qualification

All history projects have been submitted and there is some



really brilliant work ranging from working models of the first car to power point presentations covering topics from Greek Mythology to Marilyn Monroe. Pupils have been working on Projects throughout the year and it has given everyone the opportunity to improve their planning, research and time-management skills, as well as allowing them to explore a topic in which they have a particular interest. Everyone should be really proud of themselves because managing and completing a Project is a really challenging task; but everyone has kept on top of things, been organised and shown self-motivation, and that's the reason why, we are confident, we can expect some really good results in the Summer.

English

First of all we would like to say well done to everyone for completing the language and literature exams! In class pupils have been doing some exciting stuff on poetry with some insightful and imaginative responses. They had a particularly interesting debate and analysis of the poems Piano and War Photographer that brought up great reactions. We also had a great trip to London to see an Inspector Calls.

Science

We are coming to the end of our first year of teaching science and pupils have been refreshing their memories of topics covered, in preparation for sitting the core sci-

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GCSE, by doing mini experiments practising calculations using data sheets and lots of exam question past papers. There has been the added excitement of Tom teaching about medicine and drugs, nuclear energy debate and expanding universe.

Maths

Pupils have been working really hard in preparation for their exams and covering past papers, they have made fantastic progress and had a really positive attitude which will undoubtedly be reflected in their results in the summer.

The Edge

Everyone has been working towards completing their apprentice level. This year we will have 14 pupils receiving their certificates, and these students will be attending the main PiXL meeting in London on the 23rd June to receive their certificates.

Sport

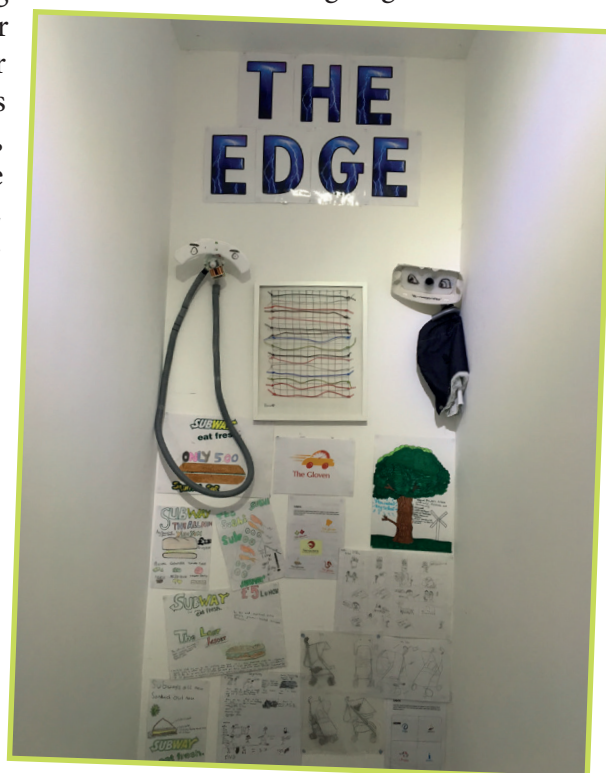
This term has seen the return of benchball and the game has never been better, we would like to

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mention the girls for getting stuck in with the team sports and being phenomenal throughout, this is a massive improvement on previous years and a really exciting prospect leading into The Green Room Games, which will start immediately after half term. Congratulations to this half terms inductees into The Green Room Hall Of Fame, Katie and Jonesy.

London Pixl Award Ceremony

Four of our pupils went off to London to the PiXL Celebrating Success Award Ceremony, to receive their awards for their ongoing contribution,



enthusiasm and achievements here at The Green Room. We were very proud of them as they received their prizes from Sir John Rowling on the 17th floor of the News Building by the Shard.

Allotment

The allotment crew have really pulled out all the stops this year, after spending the wet cold winter digging up bindweeds and working on soil improvement, they have finally got to the good bit, and have planted more fruit and veg than ever before and they now have 2 new poly tunnels making it possible to grow melons peppers and sweet potato.

Windsor Horse Show Trip

ON Friday 15th May we made another trip to the Royal Windsor Horse Show, which was a nice break from exams as we watched international show jumping, tasted lots of interesting food, and

experienced what top of the range Land Rovers can do.

Trip to Ash Barton

On Monday 4th July to Thursday 7th, there will be a school trip to Ash Barton Estate in Devon, where pupils will have the opportunity to surf, swim, play games, make arts and crafts, have BBQs and generally enjoy the countryside, **m o r e** information will follow.

Next Year

We have very exciting plans afoot for next year, the first one being to establish Chimney Farm as our second project and turn it into a place which offers Therapeutic Education to SEN pupils in Surrey, plus a working farm and animal sanctuary. This is obviously a huge project and we can't wait to see how it develops over the coming months!



Photos From The Term



Term Dates
Half Term - Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June
INSET Day Monday 6th June
Last Day of Term - Wednesday 13th July