



PRIMARY SCHOOL FESTIVAL OF SONG HUGE SUCCESS

Collingwood celebrated a huge success on Monday 1 July with its first ever Primary School Festival of Song! Choirs from Collingwood, Connaught Junior School and Frimley C of E school came together, along with our own in house band, for a space-themed concert that was out of this world!

Special thanks to Mr Connell for the incredible stage decorations and Archie Mynott for his work on lighting and sound.



Mrs Truglio - Performing Arts Department

INTERNATIONAL PRIDE DAY CELEBRATED BY STAFF AND STUDENTS

On Friday 28 June we celebrated international LGBTQIA+ Pride Day with a Pride March around the Sixth Form field. Both staff and students attended this proudfest celebration with special guests Anna and Kelly, LGBTQIA+ representatives, from Surrey Police. They kindly brought along a stall for our participating students where rainbow-themed merchandise was handed out, ranging from shoelaces to stationery. They also brought the Police Pride car to the event, where students were allowed to sit inside.

I am proud that our first ever Pride March at Collingwood proved to be a success; the Collingwood Value Inclusivity was clearly evident with all the support given! Special thanks to everyone who helped me, both at the event and behind the scenes, to make it a huge success.

Emily Smith 12MB - Head of Culture



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - DON'T MISS OUT!

Wednesday 10 July:	Report to Years 7-9 Parents/Carers
Thursday 11 July:	Summer Showcase, 7.00pm until 9.00pm, Kingston Theatre
Friday 12 July:	Reports to Years 10 and 12 Parents/Carers
Friday 19 July:	End of Term, Early Closure, finishing at 12.30pm

WATER BOTTLES

As the weather is now warming up, please could you remind your child to bring in a full water bottle which can be refilled onsite during the school day.

Many thanks.

Barossa and Kingston Reception

DOES YOUR CHILD SUFFER FROM HAY FEVER?

We are beginning to see more students in first aid suffering with Hay Fever.

Please Note – We do not supply antihistamines in College.

If your child suffers from Hay Fever, can you please ensure that they take their medication before coming to College. We can, however, hold your child's own medication in College. Please hand in to Barossa or Kingston Reception along with a completed Parental Agreement to Administer Medication form, which can be found on Edulink – Noticeboard – Forms.

Many thanks.

Barossa Office

ATTENDANCE - LEAVE OF ABSENCE/ HOLIDAY REQUESTS

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority, they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

STUDENTS RECEIVE VALUES AWARDS

The following students have received Values Awards within Collingwood College for their actions around school. Well done to these students!

Achievement: Isla Barron (7E), Isla Batalli (7A), Jack Dennis (7B), Chris Duffain (7J), Dexter Gray (7D), Macy Gunawardena (7I), Cristabella Hall (7F), Genevieve Hearn (7H), Karim Kagitci (7I), Ava Kendall (7A), Eshaan Khalid (7B), Rayyan Latif (7G), Tommylee Long (7G), Layla Morris (7F), Thomas Moss (7D), Lexi Nurse McArthur (7F), Swaraj Pradham (7G), Kareem Rashid (7B), Grace Rodenburg (7E), Chloe Smith (7B), Oliver Southey-Stanciu (7D), George Stokes (7A), Elsa Tansiri (7E), Jayden Young (7E), Joshua Bailey (8D), Louie Collins (8H), Carla Comaneci (8E), Angel Cook (8F), Christal Dela Cruz (8H), Chelsea Dodson (8G), Toby Gilchrist (8H), Chun Him Tang (8J), Matthew Hodge (8G), Aoife Hollis (8H), Lewis Reid (8I), Sara Sattar (8G), Huey Savill (8D)



Inclusiveness: Declan Collingwood (8I), Maya Chana (7C), Taylor Hotchkiss (8E)

Integrity: Ellie Fitzpatrick (7A), Dexter Burwell (7D), Declan Collingwood (8I), Sadia Rahman (8I), Will Harris (8G)

Perseverance: Sophie Ross (9H), Harvey Sylvester (10A), Jenny Hallaways (8A), Tegan Garrett (8C), Lily Birks (8C)

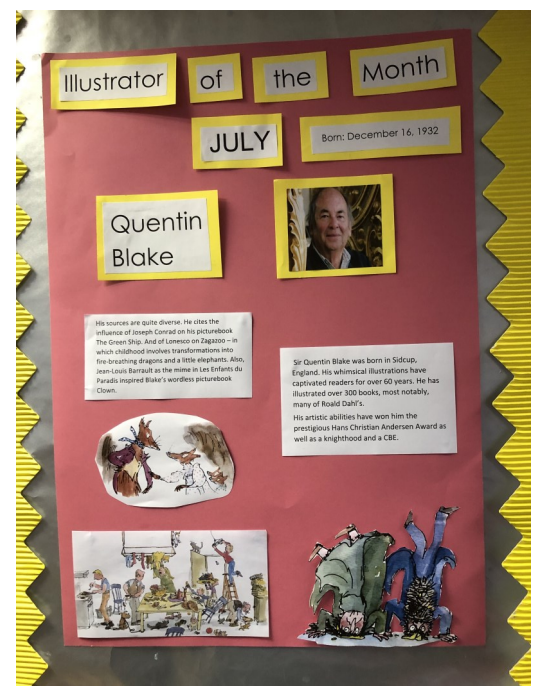
Special shout out to Declan Collingwood (8I) who received two values award cards this cycle, one for inclusiveness and one for integrity!

Mrs Vabu - Acting Assistant Principal / Head of Performing Arts

LIBRARY DISPLAY DESIGNED BY DOFE STUDENTS

This display was designed and completed by Jay Harindranath 10I and Sebastian Beamish 10I as part of the DofE Volunteering in the Library.

Ms Blay - Library Manager



STUDENTS EXCEL AT THE DANCE WORLD CUP



Last week, six talented Collingwood students had the privilege of representing England at the Dance World Cup in Prague.

The girls who performed as part of a team from the Classical Ballet Centre in Lightwater took part in several dances which included ballet, acro, national and lyrical.

The event is the largest dance competition in the World and attracts an impressive 9600 participants from 66 countries. The dance school submitted videos back in November 2023 and were told of the results at the beginning of February. The girls then dedicated their time to rehearsals as they prepared for the finals.



There were many highlights for the group that included 3rd in the World for Lila and her lyrical partner Rafferty, 3rd in the World for the children's acro group, 5th in the World for the junior ballet group, 6th in the World for Amy and her acro partner Isla and 7th in the World for the small children's ballet group.



These achievements are a testament to the countless hours of practice and commitment they have shown.

Congratulations to Rosie Quirk (Year 11), Lila Bishop (Year 10), Amy O'Donnell, Cerys Wilkinson-Ingram (Year 9), Sydney Thomas (Year 8) and Yasmina Kirtley (Year 7).



Mrs Daniel - PE Department

YEAR 5 PUPILS ATTEND COLLINGWOOD STEM EVENT



Collingwood was thrilled and delighted to host **NINE** Primary Schools on Monday 24 June and Monday 8 July for our STEM Event. Year 5 pupils were invited to take part in STEM innovative and creative challenges hosted by our Science, Maths and Technology Departments.

98 talented Year 5 pupils attended the 'STEM Event' where the aim of the event was to aspire and engage pupils in STEM careers and to showcase the world of opportunities for the next generation.

Just wanted to email to thank you for putting on a great STEM event, our kids loved it!
Head teacher - South Camberley School

There were a range of activities throughout the afternoon that included the following:

- ◆ **Science**
The pupils were given the challenge to demonstrate their creativity by designing and building the Pneumatic Rockets which were also launched to measure the distance rocket travelled the furthest.



- ◆ **Maths**
The pupils thought strategically and logically before putting together the pattern and design papers to create flexagon where all the same colours were on the same side.
- ◆ **Technology**
Pupils were given a range of wooden templates to design and colour before adding their rings to make them into a keyring. They were given first hand experience to use a pillar drill to make their own key ring.

I wanted to take the opportunity to thank you for organising a great STEM event. All of the children thoroughly enjoyed each activity and a big highlight for the students was using the pillar drill to make their own key rings.
Mrs Bryan - Ravenscote Junior School

"I had the greatest time and each activity was my favourite."
Pupil from Ravenscote Junior School

The two days were full of excitement with a very positive atmosphere for pupils to flourish and inspire to further their understanding of STEM subjects. We look forward to welcoming the pupils and their parents for the celebration STEM evening on Wednesday 17 July.

Mrs Pari - Science Innovation and Achievement Lead / STEM Co-ordinator

STUDENTS BUILD BRIDGES ON PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY

Last week, during the Personal Development Days, Year 9 students were given the task to design and make a bridge out of paper to hold a given weight and be well designed.

All students worked very well throughout the sessions. It was a difficult choice, but the winners are as follows:

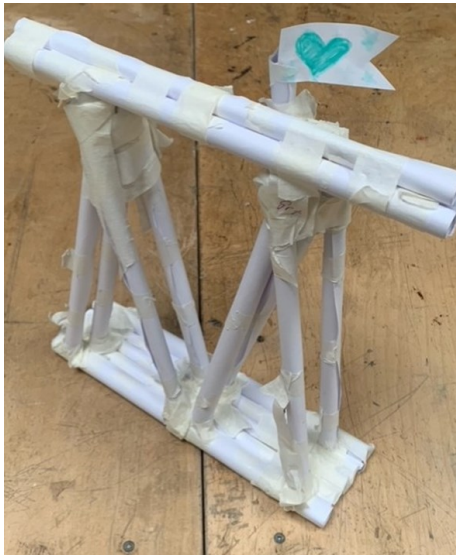
Group 1:

1st - Blue, Bernice, Sarah, Gracie, Ryan – Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

2nd - Tera, Havisha, Lyla, Mia – Good construction, held all the weight, good design.



Overall Winners of the day
Group 2: Dan, Ben, Jake



Second Place Group 4 - Alex, Caleb G,
Caleb H, Dylan, Ben

Group 2:

1st - Dan, Ben, Jake – Good design, held all the weight and good construction.

2nd - Bethany, Liv, Grace, Soph – Good construction, held all the weight, colourful with a good design.

Group 3 :

1st - Lottie, Violet – Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

2nd - Kayden, Remi, George, Sam – Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

Group 4:

1st - Alex, Caleb G, Caleb H, Dylan, Ben – Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

2nd – No names.

Group 5:

1st - Alicia, Niamh, Charlotte. Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

2nd - Mais, Ben, Megan B, Megan A, Maddie, Lily - Good construction, held all the weight, good design.

Mr Calder - Design and Technology Department

LIBRARY INFORMATION

Overdue Books/DVDs

Please can you encourage your son/daughter to return any overdue library books/DVDs as soon as possible to avoid possible behaviour points. If you have any issues. please email: s.blay@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk. Many thanks.

Opening Hours

The Library is open from 8.00am until 4.00pm every day.

Reading Club

The Reading Club takes place every Thursday after school.



UNIFORM BANK

**DO YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS OF COLLEGE
UNIFORM THAT YOU NO LONGER NEED?**

If so, please donate them to our uniform bank (in a good, clean condition). Please hand in to any reception during the period Monday 1 July to Friday 19 July only.

Year 11 uniform may be donated at any time.

**The Uniform Bank will open from
Thursday 25 July to Friday 23
August in Barossa reception
between 10am and 2pm**



If you are visiting the shop during the summer, please ensure you bring your child's measurements, especially if you require trousers (waist and leg length) and skirts (waist).

Our service is complimentary, but if you wish to contribute to the College Fund, a donation box will be provided.



Performing Arts at Collingwood

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Summer

SHOWCASE

11 July 2024
Starts at 7pm

Kingston Theatre

Celebrate the creative talent of students from across year groups showcasing, acting, musical talent and dance.

Tickets

£2.00
Book on ParentPay

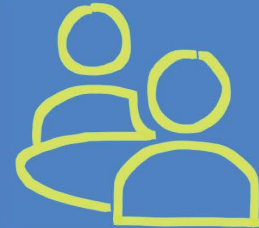
Refreshments

Available to purchase, please bring small change





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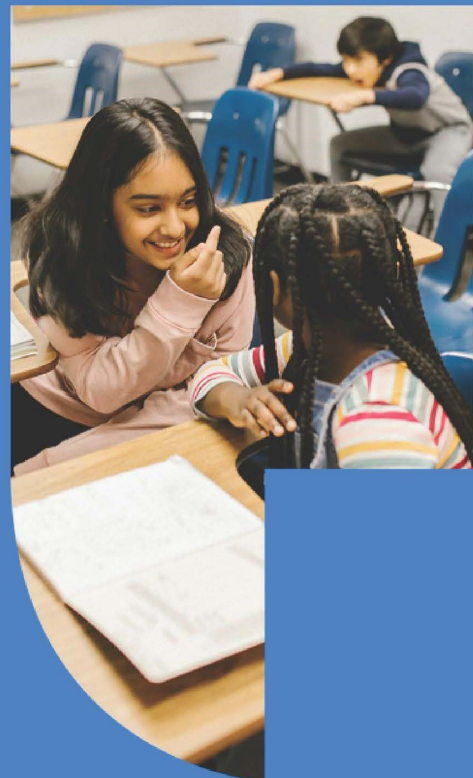
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Free period products available!



We have a range of products available. If students would like a supply for home please email tc@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk for further information.



Students have access to free products whilst at school in Q and F block toilets as well as from 6th Form student toilets, receptions and Year Managers.



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FREE* Summer Holiday Camp

AGES 5 - 11

JAM CODING™
COMPUTING WORKSHOPS



SUMMER CAMP

Venue:
Heather Ridge Infant School,
Martindale Avenue,
Camberley, GU15

Time:
9:30am - 3:30pm

August 5th - 22nd

The Jam Coding Holiday Activity Clubs combine online and offline fun with educational activities to engage and inspire children during the holidays.

- Coding activities covering a wide range of topics including 3D Gamebuilding, Stop Motion, Minecraft Challenges and much much more!
- Offline activities including arts, craft and games!
- We provide all equipment and resources alongside lunch and refreshments!
- Students on free school meals can book their **FREE** placement through the E-voucher System!

Early drop-off and late pick-up are available for an additional charge.

- ✓ Fully Insured
- ✓ DBS Checked and Safeguard Trained

Trophies, Certificates and Prizes for star attendees!

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SURREY ARTS

COME & TRY WOODWIND, BRASS UKULELE & GUITAR

AT CORDWALLES JUNIOR SCHOOL

FREE!

Hands on session!
Saturday 13 July 2024
at 10.30 to 11.15 am

Register your interest and book your space by emailing:
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apply online at:
surreycc.gov.uk/music



SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

Cordwalles Junior School



Yoga at Heatherside



Mondays 8:00 - 9:15pm

Thursdays 6:30 - 7:45pm

£12 per session

Heatherside Community Centre
Martindale Avenue, Camberley, GU15 1BB

No drop-ins. Pre-book and pre-pay your place online.
For more information and booking, please visit www.yogawithedyta.com
or email hello@yogawithedyta.com for inquiries.



Sound Bath at Heatherside

slow down, unwind and immerse yourself in the
healing power of sound & silence

Wednesday, 8:00 - 9:00 pm

£12 per session

Haven House
at Heather Ridge Infants School
Martindale Ave, Camberley GU15 1AY

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POLITE NOTICE

Please treat our staff with the same respect you would expect to receive.

Verbal and physical abuse will not be tolerated, in person or on the telephone.

We reserve the right to ask anyone giving verbal abuse to members of staff to leave the premises or end a telephone call. (The conversation will be continued at a more suitable time).

Please remember that all our staff are always trying their best and are here to help you and your children.






This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in.


Links are underlined.

Remember, you can use Unifrog and Career Pilot any time to research your career options, take part in quizzes and see which jobs might suit you.



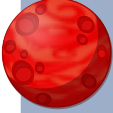
OPPORTUNITIES




This free, online webinar is geared at Disabled and Neurodivergent school, college, and university leavers, looking to take their first step on the career ladder. Join the panel of Disabled and Neurodivergent individuals, at various stages of their own careers, who will share their journeys and experiences so far. The session will also cover; gaining work experience, developing your first CV and finding accessible routes into employment. Think of this as a practical, informal session to help prepare you for finding your first job.



Open Learn's interactive and educational games are played and enjoyed by hundreds of thousands of visitors every year. They've pulled together 15 of their favourites for you to enjoy, so check out this collection. Here are some of the ones we thought sounded interesting:

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- Can you be the curator? Put yourself in the shoes of a specialist charged with the V&A's collections. Can you place a range of objects into the correct place in the museum? Try this interactive game!
 - Put yourself in a crime scene officer's shoes and try to solve a suspected murder when time and resources are tight. Can you link the suspects to the forensic evidence?
 - 15 minutes on Mars! In this interactive activity, you can explore the geology of Mars and find out what the future holds for the planet. Will humans ever step foot on Mars? Will we find evidence of life? There's only one way to find out...



The UK Graduate Careers Survey has been tracking students from the 'Class of 2024', to examine their career plans and expectations, their reactions to this year's on-campus and virtual recruitment events & promotions, and their applications for graduate jobs in 2024. You can read more here. This will be helpful for those of you going to university to learn more about graduate recruitment.

If you have any questions or need support, please email careers@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

JOB OF THE WEEK



This week's video focuses on the job role of a Orthodontist.

They use fixed & removable dental devices, like braces, retainers, and bands, to change the position of teeth in your mouth. After becoming a Dentist, they do an additional 3 years of training to specialise in aligning your teeth and jaw. Watch the video to learn more.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

790 Music Teacher jobs were needed in 2023 and just 216 roles were filled!

If you're passionate about music, don't think there aren't opportunities available for you.

Source

CAREERS NEWSLETTER

OPPORTUNITIES



Are you thinking of taking a gap year in the future? Check out this article from National Geographic on the [value of responsible and purposeful Gap year travel](#).



Explore the Success At School '[Career Zones](#)' to learn more about how to develop your employability based on each individual industry. This provides more in depth information that just learning about general employability as all the information is sector specific.



University of Law have a [range of online events](#) happening throughout the summer that can help you to decide if the Legal industry is right for you.



EDF is Britain's biggest generator of zero-carbon electricity, and they've pioneered a number of innovative and groundbreaking projects to get there. If you're curious to learn how your skillset could fit into the energy industry, [this programme will help](#).



It's never too early to start thinking about your university application and the summer holidays can be a great time to gain skills and experiences that will give you plenty to write about in your personal statement and improve your chances of getting a place at your dream university. [This session from University of East Anglia](#) will help you to get a head start on your university application.



[The University of Bright online summer school](#) offers you the chance to get a taste of what it's like to study a subject you love at university. You'll take part in taster sessions and a subject-specific project that could be used to support your personal statement. The programme includes lectures, project support, informal discussions, careers and university information, study skills and fun online social events. There is no cost to take part in an online summer school. All students are invited to attend. You need to apply by 19th July.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"Resolian is a Contract Research Organisation (CRO) that helps drug development and consumer healthcare companies develop medicines and products to improve the quality of life. Every day is different; we are empowered to solve a range of scientific problems, and embrace continuous improvement."

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UNI SPOTLIGHT

"At Newman University we do things differently. We believe that learning is nothing without the development of the whole person, which is why we place equal importance on personal wellbeing and high academic achievement. At Newman you will discover something new. A traditional ethos. A modern approach. A sense of belonging."

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