



# YARROW HEIGHTS NEWS BITES



## Happy Easter

I am sure you will agree, this term has absolutely flown by! Thank you to all of our pupils for their hard work and effort over the past 12 weeks, and to you the parents and carers for your continued support of them and of us. It has been heart-warming to see their progress, not only academically, but also socially in the way in which they can engage maturely with staff and with each other. This term has been rounded off with Tutor Group trips over the last week, which I am sure the pupils will tell you were enjoyable!

We are already excited to welcome in the new term, with a focus on learning and development, new Tutor Groups, some new pupils and new staff and loads of new experiences planned and waiting for the children. We are in the process of creating a YHS Staff Gallery of Who's Who to put up on our website to enable you to put faces to names.

We are also looking forward to the warmer weather with some exciting events on the calendar. Not only have we got our residential trips to Tile Barn, Brockenhurst (Secondary) and Foxlease Lyndhurst (Primary) in May, but we will also be continuing with our preparations for the eagerly anticipated summer production of The Lion King in July.

Before we embark on another full and stimulating term, we hope that you all manage to have a relaxing break and that the children return to us ready to take on the final term of 2022-23.

We often find that during holidays comes an increase in time that our pupils may spend online. Just a reminder to remain vigilant over the break of our pupil's online activity.

Happy Easter to you all.





## Silly Science

Our lower school enjoyed a visit from silly science this week. All the pupils were really engaged in watching, and even taking part in some of the wacky experiments!



## Celebration Assembly

With the end of the term comes an end-of-term reward assembly. We have trophies for our 5 values, Kindness, communication, Resilience, Initiative and responsibility. The winners were all very excited to receive their trophies. Our winners for this term are Communication: William (KK) Initiative: Amber (SM) Kindness: Henry (KC) Resilience: Olivia (RL) Responsibility: Izzy (KK).





## Mock Interviews

On Wednesday 30th March, we had a visit from Gloria Vessey, a local barrister who represents children with SEN in the area.

The purpose of her visit was to provide the year 10 pupils with a mock interview scenario, preparing them for their upcoming work experience.

Each pupil spent 20 minutes with her answering and asking questions. They were all assessed on their engagement, appearance, confidence, communication, body language and how they answered the questions.



The pupils performed to a very high standard, all achieving grades of good to excellent.

Next up Work Experience in May.

Calendar Update	
20 <sup>th</sup> April	Birdworld GCSE trip
8 <sup>th</sup> May	Kings Coronation
2 <sup>nd</sup> May – 30 <sup>th</sup> May	Monday and Tuesdays Swimming for RL and MJ
9 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Tile Barn Residential
11 <sup>th</sup> May	Get Inspired Event, Southampton.
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Pizza Express Workshop
22 <sup>nd</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Foxlease Residential
22 <sup>nd</sup> May – 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Work Experience week
7 <sup>th</sup> June	Who Dunit Event



## Return to School

Just a reminder, we will be returning to school on:

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023**

