

AWARDS EVENTS

As we approach the end of the academic year, it has been wonderful to celebrate the achievements of our students this week at the Award Evenings that have taken place at St John's Church, as well as the Key Stage 3 Graduation Ceremony which was in school.

On Monday evening, we had the Humanities Awards. On Tuesday evening, we had the STEM Awards. On Wednesday afternoon, we had the Key Stage 3 Graduation. On Thursday evening, we had the Arts and Physical Education Awards. Thank you to all parents and carers who attended these events, in which students received awards for excelling in different subject areas and for completing the three year journey from the start of Year 7 to the end of Year 9. We are already looking forward to next year's award ceremonies, which include the Enrichment Awards on Wednesday 30 September. Further details to follow at the start of the next academic year!

SPORTS DAY SUCCESS!

On Monday and Tuesday, we celebrated our much-anticipated Sports Day, and it was a fantastic two days of competition, teamwork, and school spirit!



Monday saw students take part in their field events, with the results leaving things incredibly close after day one. The excitement continued on Tuesday with a true whole-school event, as all students headed

out to get involved, cheer each other on, and give their best performances. The track events took place, from the 1500 metres to the 100 metres, along with the students' relays and staff relay, which added even more energy and excitement to the day. It was a brilliant celebration of effort, determination, and participation from start to finish.

A huge thank you goes to all the staff and students who took part and helped make the two days such a success. The results will be revealed soon!



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HAPPY

Showing respect to one another. Looking after our mental and physical wellbeing.

A
ACHIEVING

Working towards our goals, both academic and extra-curricular. Showing resilience and not being afraid to fail.

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READY

Being punctual, equipped and ready to learn every day. Wearing our uniform with pride.

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TOGETHER

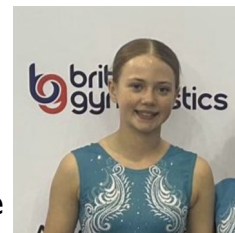
Working together in all things - building a school family characterised by tolerance and kindness.

HART VALUES

Mrs Bolster-Woods, Head of Year 7 writes: I am extremely proud of the way in which all of our Year 7 students have settled into life here at Hartford Church of England High School over the past year and embraced our HART values. Well done to you all! Over the last two weeks, the following students have proudly displayed these values: Annabelle Hough, Isla Torpey, Eden Fung, Alice Jones, Elijah Parry, Noah Thorpe, Sophie Playle-Howard, Isabella Eden Jacob Briggs, Nell Kendall, Sophia Sheriff, Theo Thomson, Ella Goddard, Owen Williams, Joey Brown and Charlotte Yoxall! Well done everyone!

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to Chloe Johnson (Y8), who secured a place in the Inter-Regional Trampoline Championship last weekend. After countless hours of dedication and training, Chloe competed against some of the best gymnasts in her age group. Although she didn't come away with a medal this time, we couldn't be prouder of everything she has achieved and the determination she showed competing at such a high level. Well done, Chloe – your commitment and perseverance are truly inspiring, and we can't wait to see what you achieve next!



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Congratulations also to Lily-Mai Aitken-Sayle (Y10), who competed in the Runcorn Ball Cup Regatta North on Saturday. Lily-Mai won Gold medals in both her Double and Quad rowing races! Well done Lily-Mai!

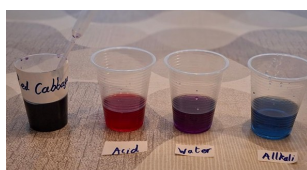


PHONICS AWARDS

Congratulations to Oliver Holmes (Y7), Elsie Longster (Y7), Bella Lee (Y8), Jacob Philips (Y8), George Pratt (Y8) and Christian Donald (Y9) on receiving their Lexonic Leap Phonics Award. This award recognises the hard work, commitment and progress they have made in developing their reading, phonics and literacy skills through the Lexonic Leap intervention. Their determination has strengthened the foundations they need to read with greater confidence, access learning across the curriculum and continue achieving success in school. Well done to all on this fantastic achievement!



THE CURIOUS MIND



Congratulations to Jake Turpin and Michael Goode for their fantastic submissions to Homework for the Curious Mind. Both students produced work of an exceptionally high standard, demonstrating our

school value of Achieving through their effort and commitment, while also showing great curiosity by exploring ideas beyond the classroom. Their enthusiasm for learning and willingness to investigate topics in greater depth are truly commendable. Well done Jake and Michael!



YEAR 8 RESIDENTIAL TO THE TOWERS

Last week, almost 150 students in Year 8 went on one of two trips to the Towers, in Snowdonia for our Year 8 residential. Set in the heart of the stunning



Snowdonia National Park, students took part in a variety of exciting outdoor activities, including mountain walking, canoeing, rock climbing, abseiling, gorge scrambling, mine exploration, and team-building challenges. These experiences



encouraged resilience, confidence, communication, and teamwork while allowing everyone to enjoy the breathtaking natural surroundings.

Throughout their stay, students supported one another, stepped outside their comfort zones, and embraced every challenge with enthusiasm, making the residential a rewarding and enjoyable experience that they will remember for years to come! Well done Year 8!

PERFORMING ARTS

On Sunday Performing Arts represented our school at 'Picnic in the Park'. They did a fantastic job and it was so nice to see all three disciplines represented by our school. Well done everyone!



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On Monday evening we had the Drummers' Showcase. Students from Years 7-10 performed to parents, carers and staff. It was a wonderful event and amazing to see so many talented students at another event representing the Arts. A big well done to everyone involved!

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This week, Miss Haughton would like to congratulate George Dunn as musician of the week, Atticus as actor of the week and Zara Lillis as dancer of the week. Well done!

VALE ROYAL SCHOOL SPORT PARTNERSHIP



This month, Vale Royal School Sport Partnership celebrated its 20th Anniversary! The partnership was created by schools across Northwich and Winsford to provide new opportunities for young people to develop through PE, School Sport and Physical Activity.

The programmes it delivers include competitions, events and sports

leadership for young people of all levels of ability and experience, as well as professional development for staff in schools. Hartford Church of England High School has been central to this work as hosts of VRSSP throughout this time. To celebrate this special anniversary, relay teams from 26 VRSSP schools carried a cake between their schools, covering over 50 miles in total. Each school pledged to continue their commitment to create positive sporting experiences for their students. A massive thank you to Aidan Farrington, Salma Abdelaty, Ava Patterson, and Michael Goode for contributing to the relay on Wednesday morning! Happy birthday! #VRSSP20

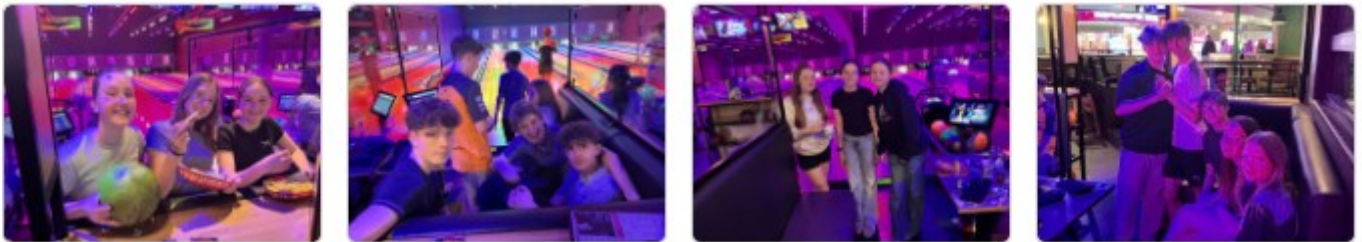
ART CLUB

A huge thank you to our KS3 Art club members, who have been working on a creative project celebrating our Christian ethos and our HART values of Happy, Achieving, Ready and Together. Everyone involved showed commitment and creativity in considering our values and producing their own piece of artwork on canvas. We look forward to seeing these works displayed around our school in the Autumn term!



SCHOOL PRODUCTION

On 29 June, students involved in this year's school production enjoyed a well-deserved end-of-year bowling trip after school to celebrate their hard work, commitment and fantastic performances throughout the year. Accompanied by Mr Williams, Miss Little, Mr Wootton, Mr Mason and Miss Thorpe, students spent the evening enjoying bowling, arcade games and plenty of food while celebrating together as a cast and crew. It was wonderful to see everyone having such a fantastic time with their friends and reflecting on another successful production. The evening also included an exciting announcement, as these students were the first to find out that next year's school musical will be **High School Musical!** We can't wait to see our talented students take to the stage once again. Auditions will take place in September, and we look forward to welcoming both familiar and new faces next year!



SCENE SETTING EVENINGS FOR PARENTS/CARERS- SAVE THE DATE!

Year 7 - Monday 14 September, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Welcome and New Beginnings

Year 8 - Wednesday 16 September, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Avoiding the Dip

Year 9 - Wednesday 16 September, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Shaping Success Together

Year 10 - Thursday 17 September, 6.30pm-7.30pm - Ready for the Future

Year 11 - Tuesday 15 September, 6.30pm-7.30pm - The Road to Success

Further information, including venue details and a booking form, will be sent out by email in advance of these Scene Setting events. All parents and carers are encouraged to attend.

AND FINALLY...

Congratulations to the Family Prefects who were announced today - Grace Martin (Hollies), Lucas Travis (Riddings), Oliver Barker (Whitehall) and Joey Crowder (Beeches)!

Have a lovely weekend! Rachel Pickerill