



# WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending: 29 June 2018

## KEY MESSAGES

**AW18...3 weeks to go!**

Thank you to all pupils who have made their payments and brought their consent forms in. If you have lost your letter please ask for a new one at Reception as soon as possible to make sure your position on your activity is saved.

## YEAR 7

The Year 7s have had a fantastic week! The History department organised a re-enactment of the Battle of Bosworth on Wednesday, 27 June for the whole year group. It was a great event where all the students enjoyed creating a shield and sword and participating in the battle. The students were all engaged and their behaviour was outstanding. We are really proud of them all.

The Year 7 girls' rounders team have had their first game. The team played very well and were able to establish their positions ready for the next fixture. Well done girls!

*Head of Year 7: Ms N Ward and Assistant Head of Year 7: Miss B Marshall*



## YEAR 8

Well done to Sophie King, Faye Taylor, Chloe Smith and Alice Booker who raised £73 from a cake sale on Wednesday, 27 June. The money will go towards a new park-style bench for the Year 8 area.

The boys' football team have added more silverware to their collection by winning the Nottinghamshire County Cup for a second year running. They beat Outwood Valley Academy thanks to goals from Daniel Warren and Oliver Hoyland. Thank you to Mr Lynas for his time and commitment to the team.

Students have been preparing for T-Fest during active tutoring over the past week. Please encourage your child to contribute to what is always a fantastic day!

*Acting Head of Year 8: Mr M Jepps*

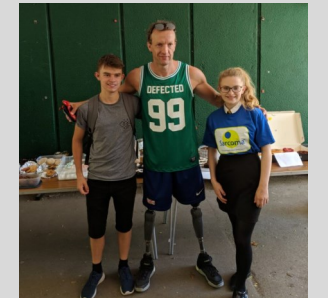


## YEAR 9

Year 9 have had a busy week. Several Year 9 students attended the Big Bang STEM trip on Thursday, 28 June, demonstrating exceptionally high standards whilst representing the school. Pupils were involved in interactive workshops and visits from a variety of different companies, universities and experts.

On Friday, 29 June we held a charity cake sale organised by Emily and Jonathan Radford, raising money for Sarcoma UK. We were delighted and privileged to welcome Richard Whitehead MBE, ambassador for Sarcoma UK.

*Head of Year 9: Ms V Salt*



## YEAR 10

Pupils are now on the verge of completing their internal assessments.

Next on the calendar is PSHCE day which takes place on Thursday, 12 July. This will be a timely opportunity for pupils to reflect on some topical themes in society such as relationships and health.

In school, pupils are receiving daily advice and guidance on how to secure a work experience placement for 22-26 October 2018. A big thank you to all parents/carers for their support with this initiative - it is very much appreciated.

*Head of Year 10: Mr D Lynas*



## GCSE RESULTS DAY 2018

Just a reminder that GCSE Results Day is on Thursday, 23 August 2018.

## SEAN FAY WOLFE SKYPE SESSION WITH YEAR 7

During their Learning Lounge lesson, 7f were very lucky to meet Sean Fay Wolfe who skyped Toot Hill School all the way from America. Sean is a young American author who has written a series of books named 'The Elementia Chronicles' and the setting is in the world of Minecraft. New players are forced to defend themselves as the more experienced players try to boot them off the servers as the world's resources plummet.

Sean spoke with the class about his ideas, his journey to publishing and how you can turn your favourite hobbies into an amazing book! 7f were extremely thrilled with the session and asked some fantastic questions at the end of his talk. What a perfect activity to be held on National Writing Day!

To find out more about Sean and his books feel free to visit his website: <http://sfaywolfe.com/>

