



Newsletter

8th October 2018

Swimming Stars

On Tuesday 2nd October, eight DSHS swimmers travelled to Malvern College to compete in the regional round of the ESSA Secondary Schools Team Championships. The two teams competed in the 4 x 50m freestyle and individual medley relays. Swimmers were racing to achieve their best times as their results will be ranked nationally with all competing teams. The top 30 teams in each event will qualify for the National finals in November. Droitwich senior girls are currently placed 10th in the freestyle and 14th in the individual medley out of the total 23 teams in the West Midlands region. Droitwich intermediate boys are currently 9th in the freestyle and 8th in the individual medley out of 22 teams in the West Midlands region. Well done to **Jasmine Kilmartin (Yr9), Elize Smith, Anja Kristy, Erin Huxley (Yr11), Nathan Redfern, James Rushton, Will Hughes (Yr9), Oliver McCullough (Yr10).**



String Group



The String Group met for the first time last week. New players are always welcome. The group meets from 8.30 – 9.00 am every Tuesday morning.



Year 11

We are delighted to welcome **Sushi Cottam**, 11FS, from Belgium, who has joined Year 11 for a three month period. She has settled in well and is making an impressive contribution.

Mrs Thompson congratulates **Aaron Chung, Heather Kirkby, Erin Huxley, Josh Hancock, Luke & Scott Newell and Milan Goranovic** on their excellent progress in Electromagnetism.

Top students

1. ● Calum Green (11PMH G16) (226)
2. ● Isobel Moore (11IED J6) (175)
3. ● Joe Harrison (11DI K15) (59)
4. ● Lucy Scott (11PMH G16) (56)
5. ● Luke Cox (11SJG L10) (53)
6. ● Sophie Harris (11HLR J7) (50)
7. ● Anele Mbatha (11FS K7) (48)
8. ● Yasmin Brookes (11MSA K13) (47)
9. ● Ella Eacock (11HLR J7) (46)
10. ● Jack Morris (11SJG L10) (45)

This week

1. ● Calum Green (11PMH G16) (199)
2. ● Isobel Moore (11IED J6) (164)
3. ● Lucy Scott (11PMH G16) (20)
4. ● Zerri Lines (11PMH G16) (16)
5. ● Lydia Golden (11SJG L10) (14)
6. ● Yasmin Brookes (11MSA K13) (13)
6. ● Charlie Conroy (11ALT K8) (13)
8. ● Marc Chorley (11DI K15) (12)
8. ● Luke Cox (11SJG L10) (12)
8. ● Rhiannon Mitchell (11HLR J7) (12)

(Calum and Isobel have carried their points forward from last year which is why they are unusually high)

Year 10

The year 10 boys got their season off to a winning start, with a comprehensive 5 - 0 victory over Tudor Grange. Goals from **Ben MacCullum Banks, Jake Andrews, Connor Farrell, Harry Wilesmith and Sam Hurdman** and a clean sheet for **Harvey Lloyd and Luke Payne** leads us nicely into the County Cup next week.

The Team: **Harvey Lloyd, Ross Beesley, Connor Farrell, Harvey Newman, Fin Whitehouse, Oli McCullough, Sal Silwimba, Ben MacCallum Banks, Sam Hurdman, Harry Wilesmith, Mackenzie Rawlings, Will Macrae, Jake Andrews, Luke Payne.**

Six year 10 boys assisted St Pater's First School in their football tournament involving six local Primary schools. The boys refereed all the matches and assisted in coaching some of the weaker teams; the feedback from the teachers and parents was outstanding. Well done to **Oli McCullough, Harvey Lloyd, Ban MacCullum Banks, Mackenzie Rawlings, Luke Payne and Harry Wilesmith** for representing the school in such a positive light.



The Y10 GCSE Dance group (**Sinead Calder, Ellie Hart, Millie Jordan, Lucy Middleton, Emily Perry, Isabel Richards**) worked really well in their practical lesson this week. They worked very effectively as a group to choreograph a dance using a piece of a music by Vivaldi as a stimulus. The work they produced was of a very high quality.

The **Year 10 GCSE Music** class worked hard to master some difficult musical terminology this week.

Year 10 Top E-Praise Students

Top students

1. ● Adam Stott (10HSF T1) (297)
2. ● Charlie Hunter (10JS P11) (283)
3. ● Jessica Probert (10JHS N14) (62)
4. ● Jacob Wilesmith (10MJ N2E5) (56)
5. ● Liam Cox (10MDD S9) (55)
6. ● Elleisha Neal (10MJ N2E5) (53)
6. ● Kanon Misawa (10CT P14) (53)
8. ● Thea Duncan (10MJ N2E5) (52)
9. ● Charli Head (10CT P14) (51)
9. ● Ella Elvins (10MDD S9) (51)

This week

1. ● Adam Stott (10HSF T1) (267)
2. ● Charlie Hunter (10JS P11) (254)
3. ● Deven Tibbetts (10OG N9) (17)
4. ● Liam Cox (10MDD S9) (16)
5. ● Ellie Checketts (10CMR E8) (14)
5. ● Jessica Probert (10JHS N14) (14)
7. ● Archie Hartles (10MJ N2E5) (13)
8. ● Courtney Sirrell (10CT P14) (12)
8. ● Olivia Harris (10HSF T1) (12)
8. ● Evelyn Styler (10TFS S8) (12)

(Adam and Charlie have been credited with their points from last year which is why they are unusually high.)

Year 9 Top E-praise Students

Top students

1. ● Freya Patterson (09DS A5) (315)
2. ● Joshua Fawdrey (09OJC D1N1) (296)
3. ● Zack Ford (09FJL C1) (92)
4. ● Eve Skillern (09FJL C1) (82)
5. ● Hayley Smith (09OJC D1N1) (79)
6. ● Matty Woodings (09OJC D1N1) (77)
7. ● Daria Romanczuk (09FJL C1) (72)
8. ● Ross Clark (09OJC D1N1) (71)
9. ● Tamsin Baker (09DS A5) (67)
10. ● Michal Romanczuk Fiedorowicz (09SAG C7) (65)

This week

1. ● Freya Patterson (09DS A5) (293)
2. ● Joshua Fawdrey (09OJC D1N1) (259)
3. ● Zack Ford (09FJL C1) (22)
4. ● Kira Shekells King (09HLG J8) (18)
4. ● Eve Skillern (09FJL C1) (18)
4. ● Olivia Hale (09SB1 D5) (18)
7. ● Hayley Smith (09OJC D1N1) (16)
7. ● Ross Clark (09OJC D1N1) (16)
7. ● Daria Romanczuk (09FJL C1) (16)
7. ● Tia Summers (09SB1 D5) (16)

(Joshua and Freya have been credited with their points from last year which is why they are unusually high.)



Year 9 Music students worked hard last week on their music theory.

Year 8

In Maths 8RR have shown impressive attitude to learning in class work and homework. Special mention to **Rhianna Dunn, Ayane Misawa, James Stanford and Katie Bowman** for completing extension homework on multiplying three brackets.

8LW worked very well in PSHE this week. They listened respectfully to each other and their contributions were thoughtful and mature.

Year 8 Top E-Praise Students

Top students

1. ● Maddie Baskerville (08DCC L11) (83)
2. ● Logan Clark (08LAH T2) (76)
2. ● Ayane Misawa (08SB T7) (76)
4. ● Willow Brookes (08RLS D3) (75)
5. ● Samuel Ballard (08AJH K16) (73)
6. ● Liam Grindrod (08HAB B2) (71)
6. ● Katie Bowman (08RHB C3) (71)
8. ● Jake Semmens (08HAB B2) (70)
9. ● Izzy Gough (08AJH K16) (69)
9. ● Molly-Anne Webb (08AJH K16) (69)

This week

1. ● Ayane Misawa (08SB T7) (23)
2. ● Katie Bowman (08RHB C3) (20)
2. ● Rhianna Dunn (08DCC L11) (20)
2. ● William Colley (08AJH K16) (20)
5. ● Mackenzie Bevan (08RHB C3) (18)
5. ● Jacob Wilson (08DCC L11) (18)
5. ● Olivia Lewis (08DCC L11) (18)
8. ● Porcha Bridgwater-Harding (08AKH N10) (17)
8. ● Bella Allen (08DCC L11) (17)
8. ● Edie Collins (08ADM A11) (17)



Results of The English Transition Project

Over the summer Year 8 students created their own superheroes and designed an outfit for them, justifying their decisions in writing. The finalists were:

Jonathon Rogers – Earshot
Dan H – Inspector Stealth
Jack Millwood – Bionic Boy
Priya Sharma – Bella
Anonymous (no name) – Frezena
Will Chance – Flame
Logan Clark – Dark Parts
Kiah Rooley – Karasu
Holly Halston – Fireball
Emily Horton – Ice Queen
Jayden Dorans – Raven

Jacob Watson – Adam/
Holly Jackson – Aqua Girl
Rochelle Harris – Aqua Woman
Miles Warriier – Omega
Rhianna Dunn – Alta
Uzile Mbatha – Violet McGuire/Invisiviolet
Molly Kieren – Chameleon
Frankie Walker – Mary Robinson
Felix Cross – Bulk
Emy Pearce – Black Bunny

The Runners Up are:

Jacob Watson – Adam/Genji
Kiah Rooley – Karasu
Frankie Walker – Mary Robinson

The Winners are:

Rhianna Dunn – Alta (The Teachers' Choice)
Emy Pearce – Black Bunny (The People's Choice – voted for at the Open Evening)