



Welcome to our Sixth Form Newsletter.
Here you will find a summary of the week,
useful tips, career opportunities dates and
celebrations of successes!

UPCOMING DATES

Mon 13th April = First Day Back

Thurs 16th April, Break 2 in H8 = RAG Meeting

**Wed 6th May = our Pre-Loved/Re-Loved Clothes Sale to
raise money for Thames Hospice**



PRE-LOVED

**TO RE-LOVED
SALE**

**Donate an item
of clothing to
the Sixth Form
Pre-Loved Sale**

**To be held in
Sixth Form
both BREAKS
& REC
WEDNESDAY
6th MAY**

**DONATIONS TO THE SIXTH FORM OFFICE
CLEAN, IN GOOD CONDITION AND ON A
HANGER, NO SHOES PLEASE**



On Wednesday, some of our Raise & Give Society students, along with Mr Ging, Mrs Jennings, and Mrs Beale went to visit The Baby Bank and present a cheque from the funds we raised for them with our event in February: Palentine's.

They were delighted that we had chosen them so thank you to all those who bought a Palentine's gift and therefore contributed.

Did you know that although it is called The Baby Bank, it actually provides clothes and shoes, including uniform, to families with children aged 0 to 18 years old? They also provide books and toys.

They have helped 50 families at this school alone.



Would you like to support the Baby Bank?

There are 3 ways to do this!

- 1) You can donate money via their [Just Giving Page](#)
- 2) You can purchase items from their [Amazon Wishlist](#)
- 3) You can donate items. The best way to see which items they need is to check their social media pages or their website. You can also email them on info@thebabybank.org



CLOTHING NEEDS LIST

- Sleepsuits/baby gros & vests in all baby sizes
- Tiny baby/prem baby winter clothing
 - Boys 9-12m winter clothing
 - Girls 2-3yrs winter clothing
- Girls & boys 3-4yrs winter clothing
 - Girls 4-5yrs winter clothing
 - Boys 5-6yrs winter clothing
 - Boys 6-7yrs winter clothing
 - Boys 9-10yrs winter clothing
 - Girls 12-13yrs winter clothing
- Girls & boys 14 years/small adults winter clothing

We are desperately low on warm winter coats and sleepwear for all ages.

Clean, lightly worn white school shirts & polo shirts all ages



@the_baby_bank

We kindly ask that clothing donations are freshly washed and presorted in to clearly labelled bags

ITEMS NEEDED

- Double buggies (under 10yrs old)
- Prams suitable from newborn (under 10yrs old)
 - Stroller buggies (under 10yrs old)
- Cots & cot beds & clean bedding (under 10 yrs old with instructions)
- Moses baskets with stands and clean bedding (under 10yrs old)
 - Cribs (Next to Me, Snuzpods) and clean bedding
 - Sterilisers (fully working and clean)
- Baby carriers/slings (please no wrap around ones)
 - Baby baths
 - Monitors
- Clean changing bags & stain free changing mats
- Size 5 and size 7 nappies (open packs are fine)
 - Formula (Aptamil, SMA & Cow & Gate)



@the_baby_bank

The Baby Bank

Providing essentials
to families in extreme need

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/TheBabyBankWindsor

Instagram: @the_baby_bank

If you and your family are in need or you know someone who might be, please look at the [referral page](#) to find out more

They also offer voluntary work to those completing their Duke of Edinburgh. Please email info@thebabybank.org to find out more

Easter Bunny Fun Run



A huge well done to our Head Student, Ed Foxton, and the Raise & Give Team for organising and running the Easter Bunny Fun to raise money for Teenage Cancer Trust. And a huge well done to all those who took part with such joy and enthusiasm!

If you want to find out more about the Teenage Cancer Trust, please click [here](#)



Mindful Moments

Remember Mr Ging's words from assembly, the next two weeks it is important that you make the time to rest, relax and revise.

However, relaxing does not always come easy especially with deadlines and exam dates looming. Here are some fun ways to take those mindful moments to help ground you when things get a bit too much.



[Headspace YouTube channel](#), they also have other social media accounts and an app that is great for finding time to relax

Here are some mindful moment tips from [WWF](#), this is encouraging you to get outdoors and find joy amongst the nature around you.



By taking regular breaks, you are helping to improve your focus, reduce stress, and achieve your full potential. While getting that revision in during the break is important, it is just as important that you are taking care of yourself. Taking breaks will allow you to build health habits that will ensure you are getting the most out of your studies and set up good habits for the future



Year 13

Remember the 8-8-8 rule to help organise your time.

1. 8 Hours of Honest Work: Dedicate this time to professional tasks, career advancement, or other productive pursuits.
2. 8 Hours of Peaceful Sleep: Prioritise quality sleep to recharge your body and mind.
3. 8 Hours of Self-Care: Spend this time on activities that nurture your well-being and happiness, focusing on the “3 F’s, 3 H’s, and 3 S’s.”



A well-structured day ensures you meet both your professional and personal needs without burnout.



#beusain



Just want to finish off with a huge well done this term. It has been very full on, but you have smashed it.

Make sure to find that time to rest, relax and recharge over the break. That is just as important as getting that revision in, especially as you start to approach the final leg.

Your anthem for this holiday is a great song by Mika- [reminding you to relax and take it easy](#). It is important to make time for revision but also make sure to rest and recharge. Have a great two weeks!

Year 12



Deadline is today, 27th March. Thank you to all those who have spoken to me regarding your work experience.

If you are one of the few that are waiting on Eton College or other placement choices please can you get this uploaded to unifrog as soon as you hear from them.

Thank you to all those that have uploaded. Remember to put me, Ms Palocsai, as the placement coordinator and it must be uploaded to unifrog under the placements section. If you are unsure how to do this let me know and I will provide a step-by-step guide.



Just want to finish off with a massive well done this term. It has been great getting to know you as a group. You have done amazingly, and this is clearly reflected in the celebration assembly and classcharts.

As a year group you have managed to achieve 200,666 praise points in total over terms 3 and 4. Which is amazing, and your target by the end of summer is to increase that by at least 100,00.

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Careers

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Y13 apprenticeships

Level 4 Apprentice Engineer with Chelton (Aerospace & Defence Engineering)

Start date : Sept
Location: Marlow
Salary: £20,000
Requirements: A-Levels in Maths and Physics



Find out more about [Chelton](#) and apply [here](#) by 31st July

Level 6 Degree Apprenticeship in Civil Engineering with Kier

Start date : Sept
Location: Gerrards Cross
Salary: £22,000
Partner university: Coventry University
Requirements: BBC or 112 UCAS points including Maths



Find out more about [Kier](#) and apply [here](#) by 1st April

Level 6 Degree Apprenticeship in Electro-Mechanical Engineering with Kier

Start date : Sept
Location: Gerrards Cross
Salary: £22,000
Partner university: The University of Nottingham
Requirements: BBB including A-Level Maths

Find out more about [Kier](#) and apply [here](#) by 1st April

Level 6 Degree Apprenticeship in Civil Engineering with Simpson

Start date : Sept
Location: Henley
Salary: £17,500
Partner university: University of West London
Requirements: B in A-Level Maths & Physics



Find out more about [Simpson](#) and apply [here](#) by 29th May

As always, I am here if anyone wants to meet for a 1:1 careers appointment.
Just speak to me in person or email me on claire.beale@furzeplatt.net