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INTER-HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

YEAR 7

1st	Rutherford	200pts
2nd	Nightingale	125pts
3rd	Gainsborough	85pts
4th	Shakespeare	75pts
5th	Wellington	35pts

YEAR 8

1st	Wellington	175pts
2nd	Nightingale	110pts
=3rd	Rutherford	100pts
=3rd	Gainsborough	100pts
5th	Shakespeare	35pts

YEAR 9

=1st	Nightingale	150pts
=1st	Rutherford	150pts
3rd	Shakespeare	110pts
4th	Wellington	75pts
5th	Gainsborough	35pts

YEAR 10 BOYS

1st	Rutherford	100pts
2nd	Nightingale	75pts
3rd	Gainsborough	50pts
4th	Wellington	25pts
5th	Shakespeare	10pts

YEARS 10 & 11 GIRLS

1st	Rutherford	100pts
2nd	Gainsborough	75pts
3rd	Wellington	50pts
4th	Nightingale	25pts
5th	Shakespeare	10pts

YEAR 11 BOYS

1st	Shakespeare	100pts
2nd	Rutherford	75pts
3rd	Gainsborough	50pts
4th	Nightingale	25pts
5th	Wellington	10pts

OVERALL CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

1st	Rutherford	725pts
2nd	Nightingale	510pts
3rd	Gainsborough	395pts
4th	Wellington	370pts
5th	Shakespeare	340pts

OVERALL HOUSEPOINTS AWARDED

1st	Shakespeare	375pts
2nd	Gainsborough	325pts
3rd	Wellington	220pts
4th	Rutherford	210pts
5th	Nightingale	170pts

OVERALL HOUSE SCORES AFTER 1 EVENT

1st	Rutherford House	935pts
2nd	Gainsborough House	720pts
3rd	Shakespeare House	715pts
4th	Nightingale House	680pts
5th	Wellington House	590pts

PAYMENT REMINDERS

TRIP	PAYMENT No.	AMOUNT	DUE DATE
Music Tuition - Autumn term	Payment 3	£25	Now due
Christmas Markets 2019	Final	£100	Now due
Poetry Live Event	Full	£34.70	Now due
Le Touquet 2020	Deposit	£30	Now due
Canoe & Coast 2020	Payment 4	£150	8th November
Parc Asterix	Deposit	£30	15th November
Ski 2020	Payment 5	£150	29th November
Madrid	Payment 2	£150	29th November

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KARATE GOLD MEDAL WINNER

Lex, a Year 9 student, was selected and sponsored by his karate club to compete for England at the IKD African Challenge Cup in Durban, South Africa. He competed in a similar competition in Barbados during the summer holidays in 2018 having been actively training in karate for five years.

On Saturday, 19th October Lex lined up with other international competitors to represent IKD England. He took part both in Kata, performing a detailed sequence of choreographed moments individually, and Kumite, free sparring against an opponent for two minutes or until one competitor reaches six points. Lex performed his Kata flawlessly, a single mistake would have seen him disqualified, and achieved the highest score in his division thus winning him the gold medal.

In Kumite he achieved 4th place against very determined and experienced competition and an unlucky draw saw him fight his final two bouts back-to-back. It was a tough competition but a great experience for Lex, who was recognised for his performance by Shihan Woon A Tai - the head of the IKD organisation - as well as other Senseis and competitors.

Well done Lex, a brilliant achievement, and we wish you good luck in future competitions.



DIARY DATES

- Monday 11th November**
Year 11 Pre Public examinations continue
- Tuesday 12th November**
Year 9 Road Safety Play Pd 1
- Wednesday 13th November**
VEX IQ competition at Thurstable School
- Thursday 14th November**
Presentation Evening 4.30pm - 6.00pm
- Thursday 21st November**
Year 7 Tutor Evening 4.00pm
- Wednesday 27th November**
Sports Award Evening 5.30 - 7.00pm
- Thursday 28th - Saturday 30th November**
GCSE German trip to Germany
- Friday 29th November**
INSET - non-pupil day

DofE EXPEDITION SUCCESS 'AGAINST THE ELEMENTS'



Students participating in this year's Duke of Edinburgh award successfully achieved their qualifying expedition over a weekend at the beginning of October.

The expedition took place in the Rendelsham Forest area of Suffolk, with the students hiking in groups and starting from different locations between Snape Maltings and the Suffolk coast north of Orford. Navigation skills were practised in negotiating the Tunstall Forest with two groups taking the historic Butley ferry en-route to the overnight campsite in Rendelsham Forest.

Campcraft included cooking a 'culinary experience' on Trangia stoves and was followed with some astronomic star gazing, or was it keeping an eye out for the elusive alien spacecraft first 'seen' back in 1980?

The sunshine enjoyed on Saturday was in stark contrast to the deluge of precipitation on Sunday. Packing rucksacks and striking tents in the wet tested the students' resolve in preparation for the second day's hike through the Suffolk countryside.

All the students impressed with how they engaged with each other as a team and met the challenge with a positive attitude. They coped admirably with the wet, muddy conditions underfoot, whilst the support staff struggled with the surface water on the surrounding roads.

Congratulations to one and all on a job well done!

Mr S Callaby
Duke of Edinburgh Co-ordinator

WINSTREE ROAD COMMUNITY LED STREET DESIGN PROJECT UPDATE FROM SUSTRANS

Our first round of community pop-ups and school workshops, which took place last term, explored how the community would like to see Winstree Road and surrounding streets improved. Since then we have been working hard to get all the plans in place for our first round of street trials, in response to all your feedback.

We can now confirm these trials will take place from 11th November until 25th November 2019 using our street kit (flexible interlinking bollards) at three carriageway locations along Winstree Road/Chapel Road. These trials will begin to address some key concerns including bad parking, vehicle congestion and pedestrian safety in locations highlighted by the community.

We would also like to say a big thank you to the very many Stanway School students, staff and parents/carers who have already been involved in the project. We look forward to continuing our work with you all.

To find out more about the project and street trials, you can read the project newsletter at:

[Facebook.com/sustranseastofengland/posts/3098868686849839?__tn__=-R](https://www.facebook.com/sustranseastofengland/posts/3098868686849839?__tn__=-R)

Willow Mitchell

Sustrans is an active travel charity, working in partnership with Essex Count Council

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Last month was Black History Month. Alexis and Faith, Year 7 students, volunteered to share some of their background during morning registration. They showed some clips from Horrible Histories presented by Oti Mabuse (from Strictly Come Dancing) which showed the struggle against racism in the 1950s and 1960s. They also showed photographs of their families and played some Bob Marley music on the guitar. The highlight was tasting some traditional Nigerian and Caribbean food they had brought in for us to try.

Thank you very much girls and well done.

Dr H Marr

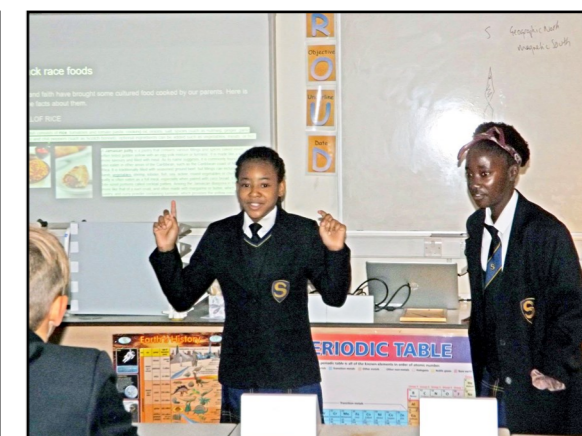
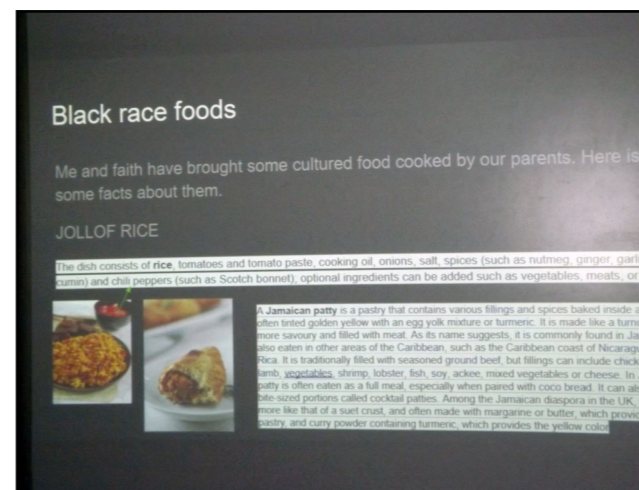


Photo top left: (left to right) Alexis and Faith play a Bob Marley song.

Photos bottom: (left and middle) Thomas and Fleur enjoy tasting the food brought in

Photo far right: Alexis and Faith giving their presentation

ESSEX WEDDING AWARDS

Our Assistant Site Manager, Mr M Douglas, has reached the final in the regional wedding awards. In his spare time he runs a company called 'Mirrored Moments', which is very similar to a photo booth which is becoming more and more popular.

This award is a recognition for exceptional levels of quality and service delivered by a business. As a finalist or a winner the transparent independent judging process will give a business the chance to be recognised.

We would like to wish Mr Douglas the very best of luck.

