

# Glebe School NEWSLETTER

Spring Term #4 - 15/3/24



## 21<sup>st</sup> March - Year 9 Parents' Evening

ONLINE 3.30-6.30

Bookings on **SchoolCloud** are now closed. If you have not yet booked your appointments, please contact the school office who will assist.

## 28<sup>th</sup> March - Wear Green to be Seen

Charity own clothes day - see News Headlines!

## 28<sup>th</sup> March - End of Spring Term

School will finish at the usual time of 3.15pm

## Give books as presents!



- You can give books, or book vouchers, as presents to friends and family.
- Encourage your children and friends to swap books with one another.
- It will give them a chance to read new stories, and get them talking about what they are reading.

## NEWS HEADLINES

➤ Bromley Youth Council elections will be taking place in school on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> - elected candidates will represent Glebe School on the Bromley Youth Council (BYC) championing for young peoples' rights in their community.

This year's candidates are



Ali      Mayla      Tilly      Tiffany

➤ The last day of term, Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March, is **Wear Green to be Seen** day! Organised by CASPA, a local Bromley charity, we are supporting them to highlight Autism Acceptance and Celebrate Differences. For a suggested donation of £1 (or anything you wish to contribute), your child can wear own clothes, including something green! You can donate via the event inParentPay (more information will be sent separately).

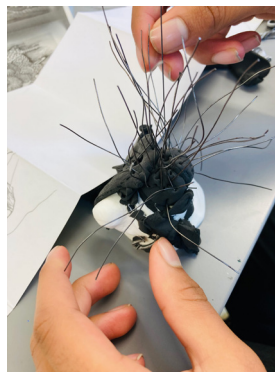
## PROVISION

KS3 have been looking at sustainable planting - creating pots from newspaper to germinate seeds. These can then be planted straight in the ground so are a waste-free alternative to using plastic pots.

KS4 Art Award students took part in a workshop at Bethlem Gallery, creating hairy houses inspired by Sue Morgan's work project depicting places she felt safe when suffering with mental illness.

In Enrichment, lower provision students also visited Bethlem Gallery and made their own friendly creatures and pylons for planets, inspired by a different project of Sue Morgan's.

In English, students visited the local post office for some real-life context for their books Meerkat Mail, The Jolly Postman, and Herman's Letter.



## YEAR 8

Year 8 have been looking at First Aid and Epilepsy training in PSHE, learning valuable skills that can help them and others in life.

Well done to Sasha who won Student of the Week for improved engagement, focus, independent and collaborative work.

## YEAR 9

Students took part in a creative writing workshop with Emma Rosen, an independent author, where they had a great time learning the skills that are needed to bring stories to life.

Students have also been busy taking interviews with Mrs Kitteridge, in preparation for choosing their Year 10 Option subjects. Options booklets have been sent home to parents/carers so that you and your child can have discussions about their preferences at home.

We must highlight 9M this week, for producing some great work in Tutor Time, focussing on building teamwork skills. Well done everyone! Special mention to Archie, who was named their 'Tutor Referee' thanks to his charisma and leadership skills!

## YEAR 7



All Year 7 students took part in an anti-bullying workshop run by Spotlights Theatre School. Everyone showed fantastic engagement and were on their best behaviour.

The drama teacher from Spotlights was also very impressed with our students' acting skills! Well done Year 7!

## YEAR 11

As we approach the end of term, Year 11 thoughts are not only on exams, but also their work experience placements for June. We are so impressed at the efforts that they have made to independently secure placements for themselves, and the impression they are making in their interviews.

Congratulations to Grace and Max who have both received Student of the Week recently.

**During these final months in year 11, our young people need their friends more than ever. As such, some are spending a lot of time chatting and interacting with each other online.**

**However, issues on social media are now frequently spilling over into school life and at this time especially, it is crucial that students have a positive mind set and focus.**

**Please monitor, and speak to, your young person about their social media accounts and activity. Please find links to specific pages on these websites that may be of help.**

**YOUNGMINDS**  
fighting for young people's mental health

internet  
matters.org

**NSPCC**

## YEAR 10

Well done to Isaac who represented Year 10 in a London Youth Games Boccia competition. They came third in their group, with everyone working really well as a team.

A huge welcome to new Year 10 student Abdul - Year 10 have their own uniform lottery and Abdul won the first draw he was involved in! A huge congratulations to him and warmest of welcomes to the Glebe community.

The uniform lottery is a competition which celebrates students who wear the correct uniform to school. The winner of the draw gets a small prize for their efforts. We really appreciate parents working with us on this matter, ensuring students turn up to school wearing the expected uniform.

