

Camp Hill Girls' Chronicle



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Hello Yellow Wellbeing Prefects

On Friday 10th October, Hello Yellow Day was in full blast! With yellow clothes brightening the corridors, the school's mood was definitely uplifted!

At lunchtime, the gym was filled with happy students doing Just Dance; the CSG room with an ambient chatter while everyone did crafts together, the paper flowers being a particular fan favourite, but the best exhibit of all was the bananas - inciting giggles, if not grins.

Along with raising smiles, we also managed to raise £341.91, all of which will go to Young Minds to help support those struggling with mental health, which anyone can access through calling them through their website.

In light of Hello Yellow Day, we would like to remind everyone to make sure they have enough rest during half term and be careful not to burn out. Have mindful conversations with each other and take care of yourselves! If you do need any support, check out [Young Minds](#)





Summer School 2025

Mr Shaw

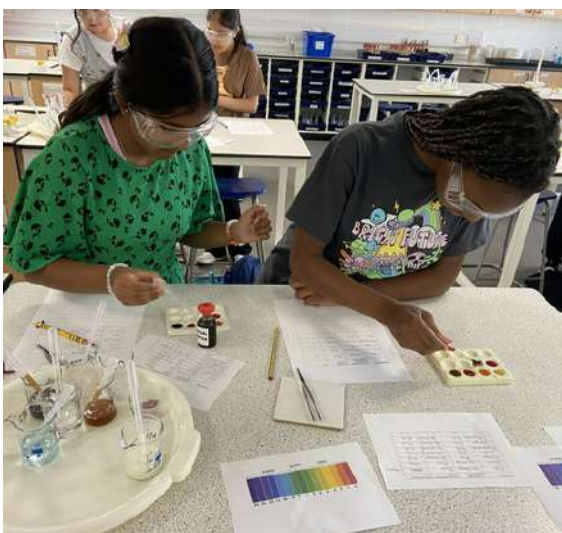


Between Wednesday 13th and Friday 15th August, over 80 new Camp Hillians were welcomed for the annual Summer School. Over the three days, our new Year 7 students enjoyed a range of activities including sports, crafts, Science, History and a visit from a West Midlands Travel representative with a few tips on eco-friendly commuting to school. Despite a few showers, the field and playground were available, with the energetic 6th form supporters leading several different games during break and lunch.

Tutor groups were mixed so that students got to know many different people and lots of new friendships were made. By lunchtime on the first day, the volume in the Studio Dining Room was already rising to House Festival levels.

A personal highlight for me was the baking, which turned into a cookie-making challenge with judging responsibilities somehow resting on my shoulders. Thank you to all of you who asked for feedback on their baking and for sending me home full of cookies each day.

I hope everyone involved enjoyed themselves and arrived in September ready to start their Camp Hill careers.





Cake decorating competition for MacMillan Head Prefect Team



During one busy lunchtime on Thursday 2nd October, the Food Tech room was teeming with year 7 students competing in our very own Camp Hill “bake-off”. This was the first time that we have had held this event – introduced by the Head Prefect Team to further promote Macmillan Coffee Morning and raise house spirit. Year 7 students chosen at random from each form group were given the challenge of decorating a set of 12 cupcakes with the theme ‘Macmillan and Nature’. We were truly blown away by the decorating skills, teamwork, and creativity shown by all the students.

Some standout designs were the detailed fondant MacMillan cake toppers made by 7W, the creative flower designs by 7Y and 7V, as well as the mushroom-themed cupcakes made by 7Z. After careful deliberation, the judges agreed that 7X were the winners of this year’s cupcake decorating competition. Their use of edible paper flowers and insect toppers, as well as their creative ideas of using crushed biscuits as dirt and adding jam to the centre of the cupcakes made their entry truly stand out. However, every single cupcake was a bestseller at MacMillan Coffee Morning the following day! We had lots of fun watching the students decorate and hope this will be a tradition for years to come.



Macmillan Coffee Morning

The Head Prefect Team (Birle, Vidu, Shakthi, Melina & Hannah)

On Friday 3rd October, Camp Hill hosted its annual Macmillan Coffee Morning, in support of people living with cancer. The studio, gym and sixth form common room were busy with students in all year groups who bought as many Krispy Kreme doughnuts, cakes, and other sweet treats as they could in the hectic 20-minute period at recess. This year the Head Prefect Team also introduced a new and exciting addition to the coffee morning – a House Baking Competition. Students were encouraged to bake something and donate it to be sold at the coffee morning, to have the chance of winning a prize. We were overwhelmed by the number of amazing entries from each year group, and the photos below are only a small snippet of them. After careful deliberation amongst the judges, the following winners were chosen in each year group and amongst the staff.



Maira Umar, 7Z

Year 7: Maryam Elasrag, 7Y
Year 8: Lina Chen, 8V
Year 9: Japmeh Kaur Gujral, 9X
Year 10: Adina Suleiman, 10W
Year 11: Jaish Soni, 11M
Year 12: Manha Majid, 12Z
Year 13: Iqra Sahid, 13W
Staff: Mx. Hayward



Japmeh Kaur Gujral, 9X



Lina Chen, 8V

Overall category winners were also chosen.

Best Brownies: Michelle Ganzorig, 13S

Best Cookies: Leena Bahja, 10W

Best Cake: Aaria Noor, 7W

Best Cupcakes: Oninyechukwu Joy Ebube-Awunor, 8V

Congratulations to all our wonderful winners who each received extra house points and a small prize. Every person who baked also received 2 house points which, alongside the house points from the Year 7 Cupcake Decorating Competition, were counted up to find the overall house winner of the baking competition ...WARWICK!!!

This event would not have been possible without all the prefects who helped to sell and organise the donations, as well as everyone who brought in or bought a sweet treat, and the staff who helped to organise it. We are so pleased to announce the total money raised from the Coffee Morning this year – a new record for the school - **£2009.95!!!**



Adina Suleiman, 10W



Maryam Elasrag, 7Y





Total Request Friday The Pastoral Team



After the roaring success of the Pastoral Picnic at the end of the last academic year, we thought we'd bring the joy of music to lunchtimes at the end of each month.

The Head of School and Heads of Year each have a record to present to a student in their year group (or across the school) who has been exceptional that month.

Our first Total Request Friday was a wonderful lunchtime, with students from all year groups dancing and singing together.

We're already looking forward to next month's!



A Trip Down Memory Lane: Welcoming Back a Former Camp Hill Teacher

By Shakthi Sreevats and Deeksha Sharma

This week, Deeksha and I had the pleasure of welcoming back a former physics teacher who taught at Camp Hill between 1980 and 1998 - a remarkable 18 years filled with science experiments, laughter, and memories that have stood the test of time. Among his many students during that period was our very own English teacher, Mrs Tromans.

Having retired and realising that he had spent 50 years of his life in Birmingham, he was able to revisit one of the places that meant the most to him - our school. As he walked through the familiar corridors and classrooms, he reflected on the joy of teaching, recalling the days of writing on blackboards and performing fun science experiments.

With a twinkle in his eye, he also reminisced about the old days when Camp Hill Girls and Camp Hill Boys were strictly separated, with teachers on duty ensuring that no one crossed 'the line' in the playground!

Listening to his stories reminded us of the Camp Hill family spirit - a feeling of belonging that continues to connect students and teachers across generations. His visit served as a touching reminder that although times change, the essence of Camp Hill still remains the same.

As his visit came to an end, we couldn't help but reflect on his words and hope that, years from now, we too might return to this place we now call our second home, finding it both similar, yet different - just as he did.

Year 9 Language Trip to the Goethe Institute and to Institut Français

Written by Emtenan Awadalkarim 9X and Srikha Sreekantam 9X

On Thursday 25th October, forms 9V, 9Y, and 9X went on an amazing trip to the French and German London Institutes. It was an extremely interesting and enjoyable day, where we learnt a lot about language, culture, and creativity. We set off early in the morning (around 7am) full of excitement for what was ahead. The whole trip, including the journey there and back, took about six hours, and everyone agreed it was worth it!

Our first stop was the German Institute. When we arrived, the staff welcomed us warmly and explained what the institute does to promote German culture in the UK. We then took part in a fun and engaging workshop about French cartoons and the story of 'bande dessinée'. We learnt how popular animation is in France and looked at famous characters such as Astérix, Obélix, and Tintin. It was interesting to see how French cartoons often combine humour, history, and clever storytelling.

After lunch, our session focused on German graffiti, an important part of modern German art and culture. We learnt about how graffiti became especially meaningful in Berlin, where it was used on the Berlin Wall to express ideas of freedom and hope during a time of separation.

Later, we walked to the French Institute, which had a very modern and creative atmosphere. We watched two short films, one in each language: Gelato - Die Sieben Sommer Der Eisliebe and Vanille. Although most students preferred the French one, both were interesting and included lots of words and phrases we recognised from our lessons. It was great to realise how much we already understood and how our classroom learning connected to real-life language.

By the end of the day, we had learnt so much about both French and German culture. The trip showed us how art - whether through cartoons or graffiti - can be used to tell stories, share ideas, and bring people together. It was an inspiring and memorable day that made us even more excited about learning languages and exploring different cultures.

After returning to school, we reflected on what we enjoyed most. All three forms agreed that they preferred the French Institute and the French film, as the session was lively, enjoyable, and easy to follow. Many students also said that the German session was very informative and linked well to things we had already learnt in class, especially vocabulary and cultural topics.





Drama Department

“As You Like It”

After a testing set of auditions, rehearsals for our senior play ‘As You Like It’ have now begun!

Our fabulous cast of year 13 and 12 drama students have been exploring Shakespeare’s romantic comedy, where Princess Rosalind and her cousin Celia flee the court for the Forest of Arden, after Rosalind is banished by her aunt - Queen Frederica. Simultaneously, Orlando flees his cruel brother, running away to the Forest of Arden, after falling deeply in love with our main protagonist, Rosalind...

The cast are having a great time in rehearsals, finding ways to bring this most ridiculous and joyous of plays to life! There has already been much discussion about costumes, excitement about the musical soundtrack, and the set design will soon be blooming into life in the school hall. If you love stories about disguise, mistaken identity and romantic entanglements, this is the play for you!

We’ll be posting rehearsal updates and insights on our Camp Hill Drama Instagram page, so make sure you follow us there to see the progress before you come along to watch the performance on 27th/28th November!

Tickets will be on sale in school and online shortly after half term!

National Theatre New Views Programme

For the first time ever, Camp Hill Girls is taking part in the National Theatre’s New Views script writing programme. All students in years 9-13 had the opportunity to apply to take part in the programme, which sees students write a 30-minute script for performance that is then submitted to the theatre in the Spring.

Whittling down the applications that were received was no easy task, but 13 lucky students have now been selected, and in the coming months they will work together in after school sessions to develop script writing skills and techniques. They will also be mentored by the professional playwright, Lorna French, who will visit school to guide our students on their journey and offer them feedback on their scripts.

We can’t wait to read their work and wish them all the very best in learning about this industry and career path!



Trip to the Rep theatre: 'Emma'

On Tuesday 30th September, A-level English and Drama students arrived at the Birmingham Rep Theatre, where we had the exciting opportunity to watch a stage adaptation of 'Emma' on its opening night. The story follows the high-spirited Emma Woodhouse, who is determined never to marry, but loves to meddle in others' relationships and only realises the consequences when it is perhaps too late.

Throughout the course of the play, the audience became immersed in the fictional village of Highbury. We both loved and criticised the headstrong Emma, laughed at the comic Mr Woodhouse, and sympathised with the hapless Harriet.

From the beginning to the end, the play was a delight to watch, regardless of whether you were an Austen fan. The authentic Regency costumes; the romance; and of course, the ice-cream during the interval all made the experience unforgettable. Leaving the theatre, we couldn't help but feel uplifted by the happy ending that managed to triumph in the end, despite Emma's machinations.



My Work Experience Placement with the Civil Service

By Ayla Hussain 12T

In July, I had the wonderful opportunity to complete a four-day work experience placement with the Department for Business and Trade (DBT) within the Civil Service, particularly with the Southeast Asia and Asia Pacific teams. This placement gave me an inside look at how government departments operate and how quickly plans must adapt to real-world events as they unfold.

The DBT's is based in the Old Admiralty Building, faces Horse Guards Parade and has previously been occupied by Winston Churchill and Ian Fleming. It became the DBT's London headquarters in 2022. The building was bombed during the Second World War, and the damage is still visible in the courtyard, a reminder of Britain's wartime resilience.

Prior to starting my placement, I was asked to sign a version of the Official Secrets Act, to prevent me leaking any confidential information, which was revealed in meetings; I'm not entirely sure it was necessary, because I didn't understand an awful lot about what was said in the meetings anyway!

On my first day, I was treated to a tour of the building, including a walk past the Secretary of State's and Ministers' offices. The Grade II listed interior has been beautifully restored to create a modern, flexible, and collaborative workspace. My first meeting was a team catch-up, where each member shared their plans and key meetings for the days ahead. I was struck by how relaxed and friendly it felt, complete with tangents about electrolyte sachets and Rod Stewart's Glastonbury set! I even received a copy of that morning's broadcast brief, the document MPs use before media interviews, which showed just how carefully their responses are prepared.

My second day included a speedy visit to the Houses of Parliament before it closed for the second reading and vote on a controversial welfare bill. I was also lucky enough to visit the Chapel of St Mary Undercroft in Westminster Hall, which isn't open to the public. I even managed to impress my tour guide with some very basic Latin translations! I attended a meeting with Caroline Harris MP, who had recently returned from a trade visit to New Zealand, where to my surprise, I learned there is only one H&M in the entire country. I also had the surreal experience of watching Sir Ed Davey, leader of the Liberal Democrats, struggle to get into the building with his pass!

On my third day, I was in a meeting discussing how to move forward with Malaysia following the suspension of its Trade Envoy. I helped set up flags for a visit from the US Ambassador, in the "Flag Room", a rather underwhelming space filled with plastic-wrapped flags and an ironing board! I even helped escort the Ambassador and his team to the Business and Trade Secretary's office.

My final day included a second visit to Parliament, joining an informal tour of the House of Lords led by Lord Spellar, the UK Trade Envoy to Australia, for Australian MP Tom Venning and his wife. I was amused to see the Lords' cloakroom, where every Peer has their own peg, and the bathroom fully equipped with a hairdryer and straighteners!

Overall, this placement was an incredible experience that opened my eyes to the huge variety of jobs within the Civil Service and the importance of the work they do. My biggest takeaway was how surprisingly close and informal interactions are between MPs, Peers, and civil servants – from impromptu phone calls to casual chats about their families. It was fascinating, unpredictable, and unforgettable.

Year 13 Practice Interviews for University Entrance

Mr Chris Revitt

Assistant Headteacher (Head of Sixth Form)

Each year we aim to offer practice interviews to all Year 13 students who will have an interview for their chosen degree course or apprenticeship programme. We are therefore seeking volunteers who have the skills and availability to offer to give some students practice at this element of the short-listing process.

We are hoping to be able to organise a 30-minute interview per student (20 minutes one-to-one interview followed by 10-minutes of feedback, which can either be in the form of a debrief with the student present, or a written report/comment to be passed on to them). Interviews can be facilitated online or face-to-face.

We hope that the majority of interviews will be conducted during the weeks commencing 10th November and 17th November, however we can be flexible in the weeks either side of this.

Morning appointments 1. 9:00 - 9:30, 2. 9:30 - 10:00, 3. 10:00 - 10:30,
4. 10:30 - 11:00, 5. 11:00 - 11:30, 6. 11:30 - 12:00 7. 12:00 - 12:30

Lunch will be from 12:30 to 1:30pm. We shall be happy to provide lunch if you require it.

Afternoon appointments 1. 1:45 - 2:15, 2. 2:15 - 2:45, 3. 2:45 - 3:15, 4. 3:15 - 3:45.

The students applying for 2026 entry, a proportion of whom will be Oxbridge applicants, have applied for a wide range of subjects including:

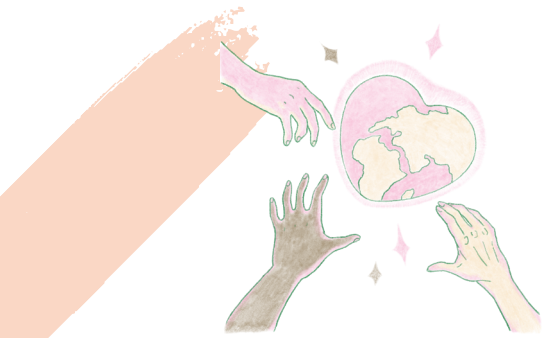
Medicine	Law	Computer Science
Dentistry	PPE	Engineering
Psychology	Modern foreign languages	Optometry
Geography	Economics	Classics
Mathematics	History and Politics	Biochemistry
Natural / Biological Sciences	Mathematics & Computer Science	Classics
History, Politics & Intl.	Relations Archaeology & Anthropology	PPE
Spanish & European Languages	Chemical Engineering	Architecture

If you can assist us with interviews, please indicate your availability and in which subject(s) or subject areas by email to Mrs Akhtar (Sixth Form Pastoral & Admin Support – a.akhtar@chg.kevibham.org) - we will then contact you nearer the time to confirm details. If you are interested in helping but cannot attend at the dates/times attached, please suggest some dates/times you will be available.

The Sixth Form students really do appreciate any support you are able to give them as part of their preparation for further study.

To allow time to draw up a list of interviewers and match them with interviewees, we would appreciate replies by Wednesday 5th November.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.



Student Council



This year, Student Council includes almost 80 members across all year groups, so everyone has access to a student councillor and can have your voice heard.

Each student councillor serves on a committee that focuses on a specific aspect of school life:

- Equality, Diversity & Inclusion
- Facilities
- Sustainability
- Teaching & Learning
- Wellbeing

These committees meet during the second week of each half term in rooms 25 or 26 and are supported by a member of staff, who is often able to add some context to the points being discussed. The first round of committee meetings covered issues including broadening the scope of Culture Day, the one-way system around school, pre-loved clothing, use of Microsoft Teams and tolerance within school and the wider school community. For more information about these discussions, and the school's responses to them, please watch out for the updated Student Council noticeboard on the corridor outside the gym.

If you have any points you would like to raise, please see any of the student councillors, whose names will also be on that noticeboard.





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Warm regards and good wishes for a restful holiday.

Ms J Morris
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Autumn Term 1 Sports Round Up

Sports Council

By Askin Tenekeci and Maira Gull

This year's Sports Captains have been chosen by the PE Department for enthusiasm in a wide variety of sports. Each captain plays a unique and important role in the sporting life at Camp Hill. The aim is to make sure that everyone can have a go at taking part in sports. We want to encourage those who want to stay active and those who would like to try out something new.

The Captains:

Grace Evans - Communication and Recreational Captain

Jaish Soni - Leadership and Recreational Captain

Isobel Mountford - Team Sports Captain

Maia Spencer - Individual Sports Captain

Askin Tenekeci - Media and Promotions Captain

Maira Gull - Media and Promotions Captain

Sukhmani Kang - Leadership Captain

Hibba Hussain - Recreational Activities Captain

Adelene Foo - Netball Captain

Hiba Cheema - Netball Captain

Divine Fakeye - Football Captain

Livia Spencer - Trampolining Captain

Mahnoor Daoudi - Swimming Captain

Anouska Hari - Badminton Captain

Hunain Zaman - Cricket Captain

Keira Sweeney - Rounders Captain

Aditi Vijayakumar - Tennis Captain

At the heart of Camp Hill's sporting community are the eight main Sports Council captains, who lead and organise sport across the school. The four Year 11 Sports Captains – Jaish Soni, Isobel Mountford, Grace Evans, and Maia Spencer – take the lead in overseeing all school sport, helping to plan events, motivate teams, and make sure everyone has the chance to get involved. Working alongside them, Askin Tenekeci and Maira Gull (the Media and Promotions Captains) play a key role in showcasing sporting achievements and keeping everyone informed and inspired through photos, updates, and highlights. Sukhmani Kang, the Leadership Captain, focuses on developing confidence and leadership in younger students, while Hibba Hussain, the Recreational Activities Captain, promotes fun and inclusive opportunities for everyone to stay active.

Adelene Foo and Hiba Cheema lead the way in netball. Divine Fakeye brings passion and drive to football, and Livia Spencer shows skill and dedication in trampolining. Mahnoor Daoudi represents swimming with determination, Anouska Hari showcases talent and leadership in badminton, Hunain Zaman drives enthusiasm in cricket, Keira Sweeney brings teamwork and energy to rounders, and Aditi Vijayakumar promotes excellence and encouragement in tennis. Together, the sports captains and the individual sports captains form a strong, united team – one that ensures every student can enjoy, achieve, and succeed in sport at Camp Hill.

Netball League Article

Hiba Cheema and Adelene Foo

It's been a great first half term for the school's netball teams. Across the year groups, they have participated in many matches.

The U12s have started off strong with a win against both teams. They played KINGS 13-12 and Fiveways 12-8. The U13 team also competed in a couple of games, with the first match being against Selly Park. The U13s displayed outstanding teamwork, leading to a great 10-3 win to Camp Hill. Following this was their second match against Swanshurst, and although they fought and persisted, the game ultimately ended in a 13-7 loss. Thank you and congratulations to all the year 8s who contributed!

The U14 team has so far participated in a match against Kings Norton Girls, where we bid farewell to our star player Zoe, as it was her last match at Camp Hill before she departed to her new school. The first quarter began by the opposition taking the lead by a few goals, and although a few of the team's regular players were missing, we were determined to give our best effort. Following this, in the second and third quarters, we held our attack - scoring a few goals of our own and nearly equalising. However, in the last quarter, we let our defence slip slightly, allowing our competitors to take a larger lead, and despite our perseverance, it ended in a 18-7 loss.

The U16's netball season started off with a match against Kings Norton Girls. In the first two quarters, the score line was tight (with the two teams vying for the lead). The opposition was even, and every goal scored by Camp Hill was met with one from Kings Norton. At the end of the third quarter, Camp Hill trailed being 2 down, but we fought until the very end and secured a solid 16-11 win over one of the toughest teams in the league.

The U12s also won their match against Kings Norton Girls- their first ever match as a school team!

There are still many more fixtures to come, so good luck to all those involved!



KS3 Fun Netball

By: Sukhmani Kang & Hibba Hussain

As the new school year kicks off, so does an exciting opportunity for students to get involved in the KS3 Fun Netball League, taking place every Tuesday lunchtime! This weekly event promises energy, teamwork, and a great chance to enjoy sport in a friendly (yet competitive) environment.

The league is proudly run by Hibba and I, with the incredible support of our dedicated umpires and PE staff (whom we would like to thank wholeheartedly). Their time, effort, and enthusiasm have been instrumental in making each session run smoothly and ensuring that every player gets the best possible experience on the court.

The KS3 Netball League serves as a fantastic platform for younger students to develop - both athletically and socially. It encourages students from Years 7 to 9 to come along, give netball a try, and discover the joy of playing as part of a team. Whether students are new to netball or not, everyone is welcome to join in, make new friends, and spend part of their day staying active while having fun. Through participation, players not only build fitness and skills but also develop essential qualities such as teamwork, communication, leadership, and a positive attitude towards sport.

We are thrilled to have eight teams signed up this year! Each team will play against the others one or two times throughout the season, leading up to an exciting grand finale. The top two teams on the leader board will go head-to-head in the final match to determine the overall champions of the league. All teams will be invited to come along, cheer for their peers, and celebrate what promises to be an unforgettable conclusion to the season.

We cannot wait to see how the season unfolds and are looking forward to many weeks of brilliant netball ahead!



Camphill vs Kings High Warwick KS3 Badminton Match

By Anoushka Hari 10L

The Year 7 badminton team recently competed in an exciting and closely contested match against King Warwick High. The event proved to be not only a fantastic sporting experience but also a great opportunity for teamwork, skill development, and school spirit.

Firstly, the Year 7 students battled it out on court with a tight doubles game, narrowly missing out on the first win. However, they came back even stronger in the next round, quickly winning the match with an amazing final score of 21-11! Throughout the rest of the match, both teams displayed excellent sportsmanship and determination. The games were often neck-and-neck, showcasing the incredible talent and focus of our students.

After the match ended, the Year 7 students were asked to recall what their first badminton match for Camp Hill was like!

Emily Rusk, Srinika Inieti and ETTY Hayes described the overall experience as a “very fun and exciting” opportunity that they thoroughly enjoyed. Saanvi Gupta also said that it was “an exciting opportunity for all of us to use our skills.” Meanwhile, Selina Liu found the experience “very relaxing” and enjoyed having the chance to try something new.

Overall, the match was a brilliant display of teamwork, perseverance, and enthusiasm. Every player gave their best effort, contributing to an incredibly enjoyable and memorable event. A big thank you to all the students—Emily, ETTY, Saanvi, Selina, and Srinika—for their thoughtful reflections and commendable sportsmanship and to the PE teachers for helping organise such a terrific opportunity! We look forward to many more successful matches ahead!

Camp Hill Girls vs Camp Hill Boys: Badminton Match

Pratha Mahadevaiah – 12Z

On 25th September, the CHG and CHB PE departments kindly hosted a mixed doubles badminton tournament between both schools! Teams of boys and girls paired up to compete, and although it was a bit awkward at first (it was very awkward), the sports hall was full of energy and laughter all evening. We started with a quick warm-up before the matches, getting ready to shut down our opponents. Every game was fast-paced and full of great rallies, clever shots, and many funny moments when teammates clashed. A couple of us were diving for shuttles and even doing the splits on court!

The standard of playing was amazing, and every match was different from the last one. Not only did we develop our skills, but we also had a great laugh and made some new friends. My favourite part was CHB doing a quick team cheer before we started playing (as if they weren't about to go against each other), which sounded like a pack of hyenas...

Well done to everyone who participated, and huge congratulations to pairs 1 and 4 (who did not come to play around but defeat everyone). We ended the evening with a very stinky and sweaty picture for the memories.

Thank you to both PE Departments for helping us host it, as well as Jay and Jed for organising the teams. We are all looking forward to the next one!



Upcoming Event

Camp Hill Girls Presents

DANCE SHOW:

“Step into The Spotlight!”

Adults £4.50 Concessions £3.50

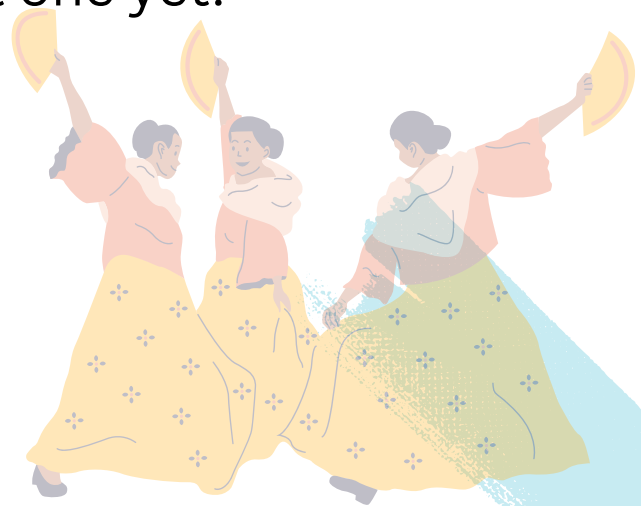
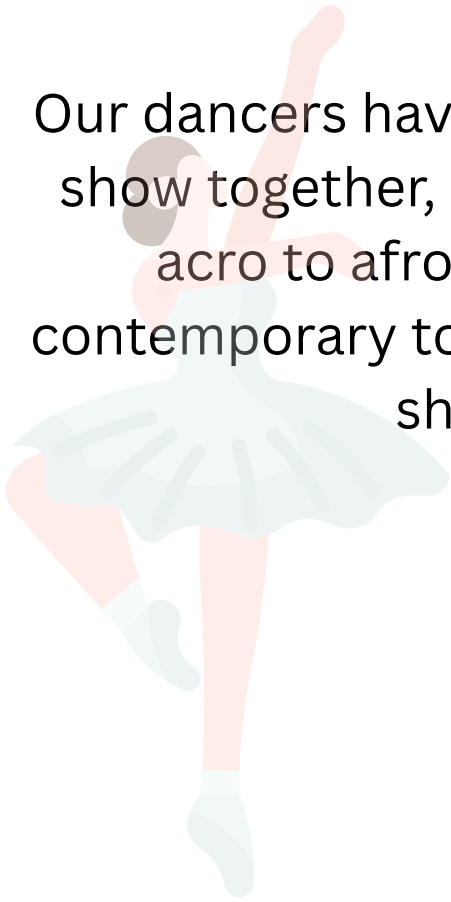
All proceeds in support of the **Red Cross**

Save the date: Tuesday 3rd December 2025 at 7pm – Camp Hill Girls will present this year’s dance show, “Step Into the Spotlight!”

We'd love to see you there!!

All money will be donated to the Red Cross Foundation, and refreshments will be provided during the interval.

Our dancers have been working extremely hard to put this show together, and now we are in the final stretch. From acro to afrobeats, ballet to bharatanatyam, from contemporary to contortion, and even Irish dancing – this show will be the best one yet!



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TIAAS article (Autumn 2025)

Working Together: Parent/Carer Engagement on TIAAS Silver Accreditation

In the summer term, we were pleased to welcome parents and carers to a dedicated session exploring our journey as a TIAAS Silver Accredited school. This accreditation reflects our commitment to trauma-informed approaches that support the wellbeing and development of every student.

During the session, we shared insights into trauma and attachment theory, and how these concepts relate to the teenage brain. Our aim was to foster a deeper understanding of the challenges young people may face and how we, as a school community, can respond with empathy and informed support. Alongside this, we discussed our curriculum changes in our PSHE lessons to ensure all students understand the changes in their brains and ways in which they can self-regulate. Emotion wheels are displayed in each classroom to support this.

We greatly valued the thoughtful input and feedback from those who attended. Your perspectives are vital as we continue to shape our approach and ensure it meets the needs of all our students.

Looking ahead, we're excited to build on this collaboration by forming further focus groups. These will provide ongoing opportunities for dialogue, reflection, and shared learning as we continue to grow as a trauma-informed school. If you are interested in future focus groups on trauma or attachment theory, please look for emails related to TIAAS in the future.



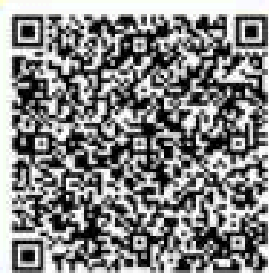
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12.10.25 to 21.11.25**



KINGS HEATH COMMUNITY CENTRE IS FAR MORE THAN JUST A POLLING STATION!

Following the Council's decision to transfer the running of several community centres across Birmingham, a consortium of individuals, voluntary groups, businesses, and local councillors put forward a proposal to take on Kings Heath Community Centre.



We are soon to become a community-led Centre that will serve as a hub for creativity, support and connection to the surrounding areas.

BY INVESTING, YOU ARE SUPPORTING THE FUTURE SUCCESS OF THE CENTRE!



Here's just a brief list of what your investment could contribute to:




- Installing inclusive and accessible toilets
- Decorating the Centre
- New clubs and activities
- Improving the Centre's energy usage
- Refurbished kitchen facilities
- Structural improvements
- Music, staging and AV equipment
- New IT equipment to support an online booking system

We are always listening to the community about the changes that will make a positive difference to you and your use of the space.

Scan the QR code on the reverse or visit <https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/kings-heath-community-centre> to invest!

House Points

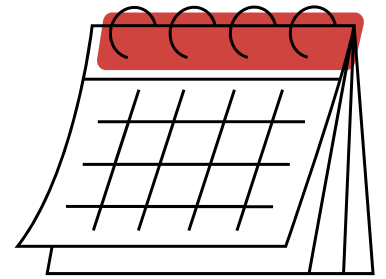
END OF SCHOOL YEAR

House	Points
 Cartland	1609
 Lichfield	1808
 Meriden	1753

House	Points
 Priory	1422
 Stratford	1634
 Warwick	1649



Dates for Your Diary



NOVEMBER



**Monday
3rd**

Half Term Starts



**Thursday
6th**

**Staff Training -
School closes at 2pm**



**Friday
7th**

KS5 Drama Workshop



**Wednesday
12th**

**Yr 11 Languages &
Careers - Warwick Castle**



**Thursday
13th**

Yr 11 Gurdwara Trip



**Friday
14th**

Yr 11 Gurdwara Trip



**Tuesday
18th**

A Level Physics Live



**Wednesday
19th**

**Senior Maths
Kangaroo/Olympiad**



**Thursday
20th**

**Early Closure
6th Form Open Evening**



**Monday
24th**

Year 12 Science Live



**Wednesday
26th**

Year 12 GIS Day



**Thursday
27th**

**Senior Drama
Production**

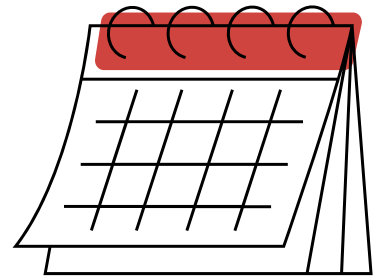


**Friday
28th**

Senior Drama Production

Dates for Your Diary

DECEMBER



**Tuesday
2nd**
Chamber Choir
Highbury Hall
Concert



**Wednesday
3rd**
Dance Show



**Wednesday
4th**
Yr 10 National
Museum of Computing
Yr 12 Progress Evening



**Monday
8th**
Yr 11 Mocks Start
Christmas Concert at
CHG



**Wednesday
10th**
British Informatics
Olympiad



**Thursday
11th**
Two Cities Book Award



**Friday
12th**
Yr 8 Sherlock Holmes
Trip
Prizegiving



**Thursday
18th**
Tinsel Day



**Friday
19th**
Last Day of Term