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Secondary Schools' Friday Bulletin





Year 10B & 11B were visited by representatives from National Citizen Service on Thursday

Headteacher's Message

Assalamu alaikum wa ramatullahi wa barakatuhu,

i hope this message finds you in the best of health and emaan. Firstly, I would like to reassure parents that the school celling leak issue is being resolved this weekend and we will be ready to welcome everybody back on Monday. Speaking of school closures, in the unfortunate event of having to shut down due to Government CoVid advice, we are busy preparing contingency plans so that there is minimum disruption to your children's education. More details will follow as required although, Insha'Allah, it will not come to this. In the meantime do continue to follow the CoVid 19 advice emailed to you on Friday by the school.

On a lighter note, I would like to extend a personal thanks to all the parents who attended our Parent's Focus Group on Thursday. Alhamdulillah the turnout was great and I look forward to building on this strong partnership going forward. I hope all parents received the minutes of the meeting and look forward to the next one. If you would like to be involved please do contact your class rep or email us directly. May Allah bless you and keep you and your families safe, until next week, Ma'Assalaama.

Hadith of the Week

Anas (RA) narrated: I heard Rasoolullah (SAW) say: Allah the Almighty said: O son of Adam, so long as you call upon Me and ask of Me, I shall forgive you for what you have done, and I shall not mind. O son of Adam, were your sins to reach the clouds of the sky and were you then to ask forgiveness of Me, I would forgive you. O son of Adam, were you to come to Me with sins nearly as great as the earth and were you then to face Me, ascribing no partner to Me, I would

bring you forgiveness nearly as great at it. (Tirmidhi)

Upcoming Events

Monday 24th Feb to 27th March



Year 8B & 8G's Four-Week Tenner Challenge



Thursday 12th March Safety Around

Dogs Assembly

Tuesday 17th March to Friday 20th March Exam Week (Year

Monday 23th - Friday 27th March

Careers Week (postponed)

7- Year 10)

Friday 3rd April Last day of Term (Half Day 1:30pm

(Half Day, 1:30pm end)

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Fairtrade Breakfast

On Thursday, the boys' and girls' school joined forces to take part in our annual Fairtrade Breakfast event. The students were split into their house groups and sold food and beverages made with Fairtrade products. Alhamdulillah the Fairtrade message was strong, and there was a wide selection of food and drinks available, from Fairtrade iced coffee and smoothies to toasties, waffles, pancakes and tiramisu.

The event was a success largely due to the huge efforts made by the students and the house masters and mistresses. Not only did the students have a better understanding and awareness of how the food they buy is produced but they also learnt key employability skills like collaboration, marketing, sales and resource management.

Next year we hope to make the event bigger and better with greater parent participation and turnout insha Allah. In the meantime, we hope you will continue to support Fairtrade, an

important part of our deen.



ROYAL SHAKESPEARE COMPANY'S LIVE SCREENING OF MACBETH

In our drive to enrich our curriculum and expose our students to wider cultural experiences, the English Department arranged a live screening of Royal Shakespeare's Company's Macbeth for Year 10B and Year 11G.

The live screening was broadcast to the Al-Khair classroom and our students were able to engage with the Scottish Play in a way they hadn't before, and as a result were able to better understand the play and characters.

After the play ended, the students watching around the country were able to submit questions to the actors to be answered live, and Mariam Bouazza's (Y11G) question was selected among the hundreds submitted Masha Allah.

We hope we will be able to offer many more opportunities like this for all our students insha'Allah.

