

Summer Newsletter

As you will see from the newsletter we have been continuing to explore and experience a wonderful variety of learning opportunities again this term and this is all down to the great attitude of the students and the brilliant enthusiasm and motivation of the staff. I am sure that you will enjoy reading through and seeing the photos of the brilliant trips and activities that have taken place in school and out and about.

You may already be aware, but I will be retiring as Head teacher at the end of August, and I am really pleased that George Harrison will be taking over as Headteacher from the 1st September. He will also have Kat as an Assistant Headteacher to join the Senior Leadership team along with Diane and we have appointed a new Assistant Headteacher Claudette. We have also appointed a new teacher for September Matthew, who has a lot of experience working with SEMH students. I know with this team in place the school will continue to develop and provide the fantastic learning environment, which we have striven for over the last four years. I will stay in touch with the school, as I will be working part time for On Track at Wisbech and another three schools to support the SLT teams.

Also leaving us this term is Laura who has been at On Track for 14 years, she has made an amazing contribution to so many students especially in giving them confidence and experience in a range of sports and activities, a huge thank you to her for her commitment and dedication. Laura is hoping to be spending some time travelling abroad and exploring -restrictions dependent, but we want to wish her all the very best in her new adventures.

Have a very enjoyable 'staycation' holiday and keep safe.

Jane and Millie



OFF TRACK VS ON TRACK FOOTBALL!



In highlight of the Euro games, our students have been working on their football skills and we finally got another match in with On Track Mildenhall v On Track Wisbech!

18th June. All students involved in the game behaved incredibly well and did not let the poor weather affect their moods what so ever (even during students turn as substitute). Although the game finished with Mildenhall victorious to the score of 13 - 4, this did not affect the attitudes of the students with the officials complimenting how they had behaved throughout. After the match both sets of players went into the pavilion, shared drinks and cakes and engaged in conversation.

Ryan

Cows About Cambridge - Mini Moo

During July all of our students had the opportunity to visit Cambridge and see the "Cows about Cambridge". This is a free sculpture trail around the city of Cambridge, with statues of cows placed around the city. Large cows were designed by professional artists with many reflecting Cambridge's history as a seat of learning such as a cow named "Sir Isaac Moo-ton". Smaller cows, named mini moos, had been designed by school children and community groups. We were able to see "Oatie", a mini-moo designed and decorated by our staff and students on display in a shop front near King's College, and "Lazy Cow" designed by a member of staff in their previous job, on display in the window of T K Maxx. George was able to provide extra commentary and information about the city and university which may or may not have been appreciated!

George



On Track Wisbech

2021-2022

Academic Year Calendar

- Training & Preparation days for staff
- Holidays
- Bank Holidays

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Geography

This term we have been looking at the Tropical Rainforests around the world and how they are being destroyed. Students have created posters and made a rainforest corner in the Humanities classroom. We also have introduced Shrek and Fiona African Land Snails into the classroom so that we can nurture and learn about their habitat along with other rainforest creatures.

Lin



This term in the kitchen has been fun and interesting. We have made everything from Colin the caterpillars to Carrot cake cupcakes and Cornish pasties. (We also made some other things that do not begin with a C!). It was sad to have the last cooking lesson with the year 11s. They will be missed for their crazy adaptations to many of the recipes, hence the Giant Cornish pasty! It has been great when students have suggested recipes for us all to cook. Some of those were, chocolate oaties, pretzels, stir-fry, and pasta bake. Sometimes recipes do not come out as expected! I have loved when that has happened, and we have worked together and altered recipes to improve them! Well done everyone on a successful term of cooking and learning!

Keep up the enthusiasm!!

Clare

