

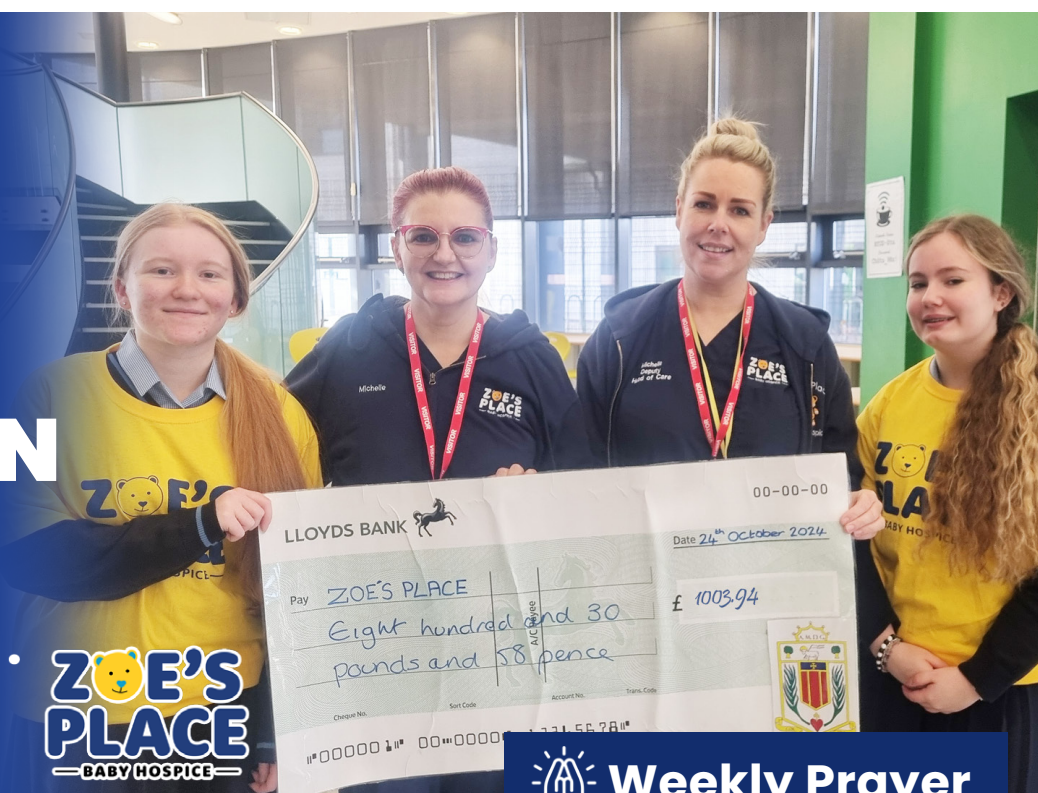


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Wonderful Celebration

Our Year 7 Mass today was a truly wonderful celebration; with Canon Conor presiding, our year 7 parents attending and our wonderful year 7 students prepared for an opportunity to celebrate all that they have achieved since September. The behaviour of our students was respectful of such an occasion and somehow, Canon Conor always brings reverence, serenity and Joy to Mass. Our readers, read beautifully and all those who supported from years 8, 9 & 6th Form were fantastic in their roles.



After our Mass service today, parents were treated to a video of their daughter's achievements and a song to celebrate performed by the whole year group.

Thank you to the year 7 team: Mr. Narey, Mrs. Bartsch and Mrs Davies. Also, to Mrs Taylor, Mrs Fletcher, our Year 7 Form Tutors and Mrs Hayes (Head of Music). Thanks to Canon Conor Stainton Polland, and Finally, a huge congratulations and well done to all Year 7 students. This half term the first for our year 7's has been full of positive challenge and success. We would like to wish All our students a restful and peaceful half term and send a huge thankyou to our wonderful, dedicated staff.



Weekly Prayer

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, Amen.

Top Attendance Forms

| | | |
|-------|-------|-------|
| 99.3% | 94.8% | 93.3% |
| 7NIC | 8CAT | 9NIC |
| 93.6% | 96.1% | 99.6% |
| 10OSC | 11FRA | 12FRA |

October Half Term

School closes for the October Half Term on Thursday 24th October. All students return to school on Monday 4th November. Have a restful peaceful half term!



School Fundraising

This past week we have been fundraising for Zoes Place, we are delighted to announce that we have raised a total donation amount of £1923.10p! Well done to all involved!



Further fundraising continues over the coming weeks as a large amount of staff are taking part in the Santa Dash, lead by Mr Parry (who will no doubt be wearing a blue Santa costume). Several staff lead by Mr Preston are also taking part in the half marathon, good luck!






Year 7/8 Liverpool Football League

On Tuesday 22nd October the Year 7/8 football team competed against Archbishop Beck Catholic College. The team delivered a stunning performance, securing a commanding 6-0 win! This victory not only highlights the skill and determination of our players but also sets a positive tone for the rest of the season. A special mention goes to Nicole S, who was voted Archbishop Beck's Player of the Match. Nicole's outstanding performance, marked by her skilful control and relentless effort, played a crucial role in our team's success.

Our captain, Ava T, was voted Broughton's Players Player for her ability to read the game and support her teammates, exemplifying the spirit and sportsmanship that we value in our school community.

We are incredibly proud of our Year 7/8 team and can't wait to see what they will accomplish in their upcoming matches. Keep up the fantastic work!

| Goal scorers | | |
|--------------|--|-----------|
| 1 |  | Olivia T |
| 2 |  | Ava T |
| 3 |  | Ava T |
| 4 |  | Jessica R |
| 5 |  | Jessica R |
| 6 |  | OG |

| Teamsheet | |
|-----------|-----------|
| 1 | Halle T |
| 2 | Isla M |
| 3 | Amelia C |
| 4 | Lacey M |
| 5 | Poppy A |
| 6 | Erin S |
| 7 | Nicole S |
| 8 | Ava T |
| 9 | Jessica R |
| 10 | Olivia T |



Broughton Hall Catholic High School

Bronze Award 2023-2024

Congratulations to Ruby C, Abigail H and Orlaith D in Year 10 - these three pupils (the only ones so far) have completed all four sections of their Bronze Award; skills, physical, volunteering and expedition. Their Award has been forwarded to the external verifier and they should receive confirmation soon that they have achieved their Duke of Edinburgh Award.

Pupils in Year 10 who began their Bronze Award last year need to check their school e-mails and log onto their e-dofe accounts.

Once they have finished the 3 (or 6) months of their chosen activity, they must upload a fully completed and correct assessor report to their e-dofe account.

They should be aware that all four sections must be complete in order to achieve their Duke of Edinburgh Award. This should all be wrapped up in the next two weeks.

If you have any issues, see Mr Halewood in D9.



Harry Potter

After a 'Potterific' celebration last Thursday for Harry Potter Day, the English department wanted to celebrate and congratulate the writing talent of year 7. During the day, Year 7 pupils were asked to write a description of a mandrake, which is a creature from the Harry Potter world and a description of a magical setting from the Harry Potter stories. The English department were blown away by the power of the pupils writing and cannot wait to see what else these spellbinding pupils can do with their writing! Pupils whose writing was particularly bewitching were Melissa S, Jessica R, Summer B, Erin D, Darcy K, Neve H, Ruby G, Millie P, Ella A and Lily O. Unfortunately, we couldn't give the girls letters to Hogwarts for their efforts so instead they settled for chocolate and sweets!



GCSE Dance Moderation

On Monday 21st October and Tuesday 22nd October, Year 11 GCSE Dance students filmed their set phrase moderation. Students had to dance individually and all performed 2 sequences. All students had excellent work ethic and were a credit to the school.



Celebrating Great Attendance

Well done to our Year 8 students who have achieved excellent attendance over this school term, students were rewarded with treats at our Pop Up Attendance event.

Being on Time Really Matters!

Being a little early in reality means you will be on time for that trip, that treat, that plane or train, that interview, that concert or film! You would enjoy the trip, feel happy and successful and in control of your life. It's a key ingredient in what makes for success in life.

Being punctual is an important life skill, one that we are taught, take on board and learn and we copy through the role modelling the adults around us provide.

Imagine if no one ever showed us how important good punctuality is.

The planes, buses and trains you would miss, the school trip that's gone without you, the concert you would miss the first half of because the doors are closed.

The "sorry you're too late" you'd hear time and time again when you turn up flustered for that important exam or driving test, or important career opportunity you that you've just blown.

Remember:

"I want someone who'll be late"

Said no employer, ever.





Year 10 Foodbank Collection

Year 10 have been collecting donations for our local Foodbank, St Mary's Millennium Centre, to celebrate Harvest Festival and give back to our surrounding community. These donations will directly help those around us and allow us to share what we have, showing the Mercy Values that we are proud to uphold.

We are here for you

Whether you want to understand how you're feeling, find ways to feel better, or support someone who's struggling, we're here to help.



I am a young person

Help and advice

Whether you want to understand more about how you're feeling, get information about a mental health condition or find support, our guides can help. If you need help speaking to someone, start with our [guide to reaching out for help](#). Your feelings are valid and things can get better.

If you are a young person struggling to cope, Shout can provide 24/7 text support. For help, text SHOUT to 85258.

Visit the young minds website.
www.youngminds.org.uk

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I am a Parent

We know that being a parent or carer isn't always easy. Although it's often amazing and rewarding to watch your children or young people grow up, it can also be really hard work. Things might feel especially difficult if your child or young person is struggling with their mental health at the moment. Or if their mood and behaviour seem different, and you're not sure why or what you can do to help. But you are not alone.

We have lots of practical advice to help you support them – from encouraging them to open up, to navigating mental health services and finding them the right help. No matter what you're going through, things can get better.

Call our Parents Helpline for free on **0808 802 5544**.

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Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

| | |
|---|--|
| Chickenpox | at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over |
| Diarrhoea and Vomiting | 48 hours after their last episode |
| Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19) | they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19. |
| Impetigo | their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics |
| Measles | 4 days after the rash first appeared |
| Mumps | 5 days after the swelling started |
| Scabies | they've had their first treatment |
| Scarlet Fever | 24 hours after they started taking antibiotics |
| Whooping Cough | 48 hours after they started taking antibiotics |

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

| | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Hand, foot and mouth | Glandular fever |
| Head lice | Tonsillitis |
| Threadworms | Slapped cheek |



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Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minftec>.



Mini Bus Fundraising!

A big thank you to our amazing supporters who raise free funds for us on #easyfundraising. If you're not signed up yet, please join today and you can raise free donations for Broughton Hall Catholic High School every time you shop online.

All the big names like John Lewis & Partners, Expedia, Argos, Just Eat and many more are ready to make a free donation at no extra cost to you. Plus, when you sign up today, we'll get a £5 bonus:

Join us now!

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