# Hungerhill welcome summer '23



We love to celebrate the achievements of our students, both in and outside of school. If your child has achieved something you would like to tell us about and you are happy for us to promote this in our assemblies, on our Twitter account, as a Hungerhill Highlight article and on our website, please **click here** to provide further details.



#### Headteacher's Welcome

Welcome to the last Hungerhill Highlights of this academic year. It has been a truly amazing term, packed with a range of extra-curricular activities and events as well as fantastic learning opportunities in the classroom.

This week students, parents/carers and staff have had the opportunity to attend our annual Awards Mornings, where success has been in abundance. It has been fantastic to share these precious moments with students who are clearly very proud of all that they have achieved both in and out of the classroom over this academic year. Not only did a large number of students excel in their academic achievement but once again our focus on the holistic approach came into force with music, art and sporting successes being celebrated. Newly established awards that recognise enrichment and student leadership commitment have enabled even more students to be celebrated at the event. No awards morning would be complete without a 'well done' ice cream for all.

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Thank you to you all for your continued support and I wish you a happy summer. I look forward to welcoming all the students and staff back to school in September.

Mrs Pond, Headteacher



#### Careers Update

# NHS, We Care into the Future External Visit, Doncaster Dome – Year 8

Year 8 students attended the NHS We Care into the Future event at Doncaster Dome. This is a unique careers event, where students were introduced to a wide range of career opportunities within health and social care.

The event was a highly interactive experience where students were guided through a simulation corridor that demonstrated a patient's journey from the ambulance to the emergency department, operating theatres, a hospital ward and lastly to community nursing. Clinical teams specialised in training and delivering care gave students an insight into what happens in each department.

From there students were able to speak with specialists who represented the many NHS career pathways through examples of practice, games, quizzes, interactive models



# Employer Visit Linbrooke- Year 10

Science students in Year 10 got involved in an electricity infrastructure workshop with Linbrooke. They got a taster of day-to-day duties as a Jointing Engineer, learnt about other related careers in the industry and got hands on with all the equipment. Students were also shown the dramatic effect when things go wrong and how a Jointing Engineer goes about fixing it, so we are without power for as little time as possible.





# WeCompose Project

Year 9 Music and Performing Arts students have been working with Music in the Round to compose their own pieces for a Woodwind Quintet. They have been supported in school through a variety of workshops and on Tuesday 4 July finally got to hear the finished product in a performance at Cast Theatre.

Here are the students starting their day by listening to their pieces and giving feedback to the quintet about how they wanted specific sections to sound:





They then engaged in an evaluation session:

# WeCompose Project continued

The final hour of the morning was spent enjoying a concert featuring their composed pieces alongside pieces composed by students in other schools as well as some from famous composers too:





### Creative Arts Festival

# 4 July 2023

The Performing Arts Department joined forces with Art, Food and Graphic Design/ Media to put on a spectacular display of talent within the Arts, on Tuesday 4 July. There was an amazing display of Art, Graphic Design and Media work, including from West Road Primary Academy, as well as tremendous live performances including dance, acting, solo and group singers, choirs from Hungerhill, West Road Primary Academy and Kirk Sandall Junior School, guitarists, drummers, and violinists from Kirk Sandall again.



Solo Singer, Carrie.



Chloe, Chloe, Jana, Lily-Mai, Grace, Devon, Grace, Ellie, Grace, Angelika, Esther, Heidi and Ayla



"The Magic Act That Goes Wrong" Luke, Harvey and Jake

Drummer, Jenson

# Creative Arts Festival continued



Electric Guitarists: Max, Jayden, Josh, Roxanne, Amelia and Callum





# Creative Arts Festival continued

Student Leaders supported the festival by making a selection of sweet goodies. These included chocolate muffins, cookies and sprinkle cake!



# Form Representative and



#### Student Leaders Welcome Events

On Tuesday 26 June and Wednesday 27 June, our elected Form Representatives and Student Leaders arrived for their welcome event. After walking down the red carpet, our Representatives and their parents were greeted by Mrs Pond, Mr Foster, our Chair of Governors, and Miss Elson and invited to take their seats, before the Hungerhill Choir wowed us all with their renditions of two famous songs.

Mrs Pond introduced the event and highlighted the importance of young student leaders to everyday life at Hungerhill School. Miss Elson gave students and their parents an overview of what their year in post will look like and hinted at some of the exciting experiences that await them from September 2023!

For our new Form Representatives, The Head Boy and Deputy Head Girl – Jack Wood and Harmany Gibson gave wonderful speeches talking about the roles and responsibilities of student leaders and what it meant for them to be part of the prestigious Blue Ties in Year 11, something for all our Form Representatives to aspire to!







For our Year 11 Student Leaders, The Head Boy and Deputy Head Girl – Jack Wood and Megan Wood spoke about their experiences leading the year 11 Student Leaders and how they have found this opportunity beneficial in continuing to further education.

Oliver Hynd MBE spoke about his history of leadership and the importance of this in all walks of life, before the party began – Cream Tea was served, as well as the opportunity to ask Oliver Hynd any questions and see his Olympic medals, use the photo booth and have professional photos taken to celebrate their achievements.

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Congratulations again to the Year 11 Student Leaders of 2023 – 2024!

All that is left for us to say at Hungerhill School is: Congratulations again to the Form Representatives of 2023 – 2024!





We look forward to seeing how you impact on the school community.

#### **Enrichment Club in Focus:**

#### KS3 Art Club

Students from Years 7 and 8 have been creative during Art club over the Summer Term. They have been using watercolor paints to create shoe and trainer designs.

Ayla West commented 6 I enjoy art club because
I get to draw and see my
friends 2 2





Heidi Knowles added 661 like art club because it's my favourite subject and it is more relaxing at art club 3





# Inter-Form Competitions

Form groups from Years 7-10 continued to take part in weekly general knowledge quizzes over the last term and the results from these contribute to the overall leaderboards. They have also competed in sporting events to conclude this year's Inter-Form competitive events.

#### Year 7 Dance Competition

During the last week of term, a group of students from each form group in Year 7 will be taught a dance routine by our Dance Leaders. The students will then perform the routine to Mrs Wood in a "dance off".



Form groups from Year 8 competed in rounders tournament after school on Tuesday 4 July. The competition was coordinated by our Year 9 Sports Leaders, who did a fantastic job. After a series of group games, the final was played between 8U And 8H. It was a close encounter but 8U edged the win by 2 rounders. Well done to all form groups who took part.





# Year 9 Basketball Shootout



A team of 5 students from each form had 3 minutes to shoot as many baskets as they could. The standard at the competition was very high. The winning form was 9N with a very impressive score of 22.



Cross Bar Challenge

A team of 5 students from each form had 3 minutes to hit the cross bar as many times as they could. The standard at the competition was very high and the students, as you can imagine, were extremely competitive. The winning form with a score of 16 was 10H.

The results from all the competitions throughout the year have been collated and the winning forms will be announced in the Awards Mornings.

A massive well done to every student who competed in an inter-form competition this year!



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