

HALF TERM HOLIDAY - MONDAY 30 MAY - 3RD JUNE



Dear Parents, Carers and Students,

The recent Bridge production of Matilda Jr rightly dominates this weeks newsletter. I had the pleasure of being in the audience for the second nights performance last Friday. I am never more proud to be a headteacher than when I'm watching our students perform; the Matilda Jr cast were absolutely fantastic and the show was fantastic. My congratulations and admiration to *all* involved. Also, a huge thanks to the Performing Arts and The Bridge Team.

Well done to our successful athletes and good luck in the West Midlands Championships in June.

Wishing you all a great weekend,

Mr Clayton, Headteacher

Matilda Jr - Year 7 Perform to a Spellbound Audience!



Outstanding performances from Year 7 students, who took to the stage in The Bridge production of **MATILDA Jr.**

The talent displayed was *incredible*. The students worked so hard and were a joy to teach. They were professional, disciplined, committed and above all, kind! The cast were simply **AMAZING!**

The school theatre was at full capacity; a wonderful audience comprising of staff, families, friends, students and community members, all which conjured up a fantastic atmosphere for the first time since the pandemic began.

Thanks to all who came to watch. I am extremely proud of all the cast! Well done.

Miss Walsh, Leader of Performing Arts

Hello, my name is Izzy, and I was picked to be the lead role, Matilda. This experience has made unbreakable friendships and I have grown a lot in confidence as a person. I have really enjoyed this experience and have improved on my acting, singing and dancing skills. This will take me further on in life and one day, I might even become a famous actor.

Izzy Wheeler - Matilda

This whole show experience has changed my life. It has made me realise what I want to do in my future. I always thought that I would never have the confidence to stand up in front of a crowd and perform, but thanks to all the support around me I was able to do this.

A special thanks to Miss Karolina, Miss Danni and especially to Miss Kelly.

Ella - Adora Adejinmi - Miss Trunchbull



The Carnegie and Greenaway 2022 Book Awards

The Yoto Carnegie and Kate Greenaway Medals are the UK's oldest and most prestigious Children's Book Awards - they are the gold standard in children's literature.

The Yoto Carnegie Medal is awarded by children's librarians for an outstanding book written in English for children and young people.

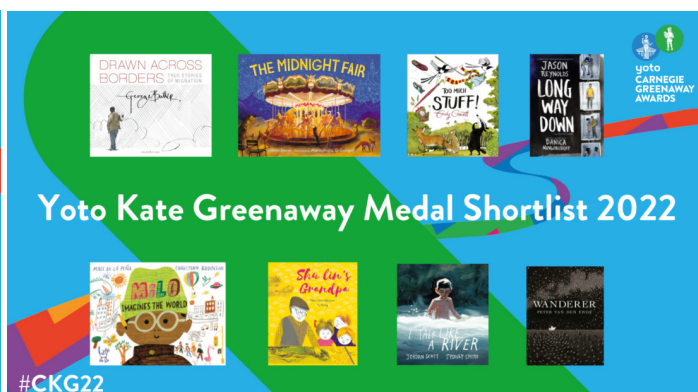
The Yoto Kate Greenaway Medal is awarded by children's

librarians for an outstanding book in terms of illustration for children and young people.

For more information and to vote, visit: www.carnegiegreenaway.org.uk

The books that have been shortlisted in both categories are available to borrow from the School Library. The books are listed below...

Library Staff



Your Future Roadshow

This week, our Year 10 students had the opportunity to participate in the '**Your Future Roadshow**'.

This event aims to support young people with providing impartial advice so that they are able to make well-informed decisions about their future education.

Students had the opportunity to engage in four workshops learning about Higher Education, Further Education (College and Sixth Forms), Apprenticeships and T Levels and preparing for the World of Work.

Feedback from the external providers was very positive – they commented on the great interaction and interest shown by our students.

Mrs Fawcett, Careers Leader



Students to Represent School at Championships in June

On Wednesday night our Year 9 boys and Rusciano in Year 11 competed in the Coventry Schools Athletics qualifiers, we had some great results and a number of boys will now get the chance to represent Coventry in the West Midlands Championship in June.

Junior Boys

Bronze Medals

Hano Braim - Shot Putt

Naythaniel Martin - Long Jump

Silver Medal

Samuel Kwarteng - Discuss - selected for Coventry

Gold Medals

Jeremiah Cudjoe - 300m - selected for Coventry

Javed Hosseini - Shot Putt and Discuss - selected for Coventry

Inter Boys

Gold Medals

Rusciano Thomas Riley - 100m and 200m - selected for Coventry

Mr Garlick, P.E Department

