

# Great Oaks Weekly

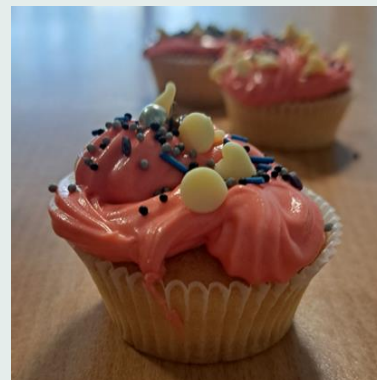
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2025



## Enterprise Week at Great Oaks

It's been Enterprise Week at Great Oaks. Year 9 pupils in all Pathways have been learning about Social Enterprises organisations that work towards or raise money for good causes.

Each class has then turned themselves into a social enterprise by making and decorating biscuits and cakes to raise money for the Society of Saint James that supports those who are homeless. Pupils in Pathway 1 classes have also been doing a sponsored walk this week. Cakes and biscuits are being sold to pupils across school on Thursday and Friday with totals announced next week.



## Pathway 1 Sports Day

Last Wednesday and Thursday were our Sports Days and in last week's newsletter we included some pictures from our Pathway 2 and 3 event. Below are some photos from Thursday's Pathway 1 Sports day which included a circuit of lots of different activities which pupils completed with their staff, parents and some helpers from Pathway 3.





## Great Oaks Parent / Carers Coffee Morning Roadshow!

Friday 16th May 10-11:00am

Young Peoples Hub in Civic centre (come to the main front entrance to the Civic and we will meet you)

## Kensington Palace Trip



As part of their Humanities accreditation pupils in Year 10 and 11 visited Kensington Palace in London last Friday.

They had a great day learning all about Victorian History and exploring the grounds in the birthplace of Queen Victoria.

## Year 11 Art Workshop

Amy Pritchard came and ran an excellent screen-printing workshop with the Art GCSE group this week. The students decorated a fantastic bag to take home.



## Pathway 2 Filming on location

Last week pupils in Pathway 2 visited Bournemouth airport to do some filming for their school music production, based on our theme of the Year – 'It takes a Village to raise a child'

We are looking forward to showing the film alongside some live performances to parents on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July – more details to follow.



## In the garden



Danny planted some tomato plants in the GO garden and Marigolds as a companion plant to keep the bugs away.

It's a busy time of year for our gardeners,

## Important Reminder

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June is an INSET Day – school closed to pupils**