



Southfields Academy Weekly Newsletter

Week Commencing Monday 15th May 2023



Ethos statement: We believe that through individual commitment, self-discipline, integrity and respect for others, we inspire everyone to learn.

Food Bank Donations

The Academy is supporting an initiative by our local MP, Fleur Anderson, to encourage donations to local food banks. Southfields Academy will be acting as a drop off point for contributions this month.

If you would like to make a donation of any of the following items, please send them in to reception by **Thursday 25th May**.

- Tinned vegetables
- Vegetable oil (small)
- Tinned potatoes
- Tinned rice pudding
- Packed noodles
- Jam
- Tomato ketchup
- Savoury crackers
- Fruit squash
- Baby wipes
- Loo roll
- Nappies
- Baked beans
- Kidney beans
- Tea bags
- Laundry tablets

Year 10 News – Mr Cameron

Our Year 10 students are preparing for their upcoming work experience placements in July (10th to 14th). They have spent most of Year 10 researching potential careers that they want to follow which include the Sports & Fitness sector, Property and Estate Agency, Finance, Retail and Healthcare.

Some of them have had or will have Careers interviews. They have been given times throughout the week by the Careers advisors and the interviews will take place during the day in the Careers Hub (by our Sixth Form Centre). Next Monday and Tuesday, students from 10MBB and 10MSH will have theirs. The interviews have been received very well so far and we hope this continues!





Thought for the Week

"Your life won't start if you don't." — Azra Gregor



Junior and Inter Athletics Championships – Ms Lenton

A massive well done to the following Year 8 & 9 students for competing in an athletics competition on Thursday 4th May at Battersea Park Millennium Arena: Gjulio, Isaiah, Jed, Dahmani, Jasmine, Arianna, Aamino and Raven.

All students performed extremely well and are a credit to Southfields Academy.

A special shout out to Isaiah for coming 2nd in his heat and receiving a silver medal in the final. Jed also put in an outstanding performance and came 1st in his heat but unfortunately due to injuries could not compete in the final.

Lastly a special mention to Dahmani who competed in the 200m sprint and was up against Year 9 students. He did extremely well and came 3rd in his heat. Due to his excellent performance, Dahmani got through to the finals.



Junior and Inter Athletics Championships continued....



Well done to all students who competed, you should be very proud of your performance.

Science Club – Ms El Maadi

This week during Science club the students got to do a veal brain dissection.

First I spoke to the student about the brain and what the different parts of the brain are called. I then dissected parts to show them what the inside looks like.

Then the students had the opportunity to dissect parts of the brain. Some students however became squeamish at this point and ran off. This is an excellent opportunity for Year 7 students as brain dissections' are not done until Year 10.



Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 17th May 2023 – Year 7 Parents' Evening

Friday 26th May 2023 – Academy Breaks for Half Term

Monday 5th June 2023 – Academy Resumes

Thursday 29th June 2023 - Year 11 Prom

Tuesday 4th July 2023 – Year 6 Induction Day

Tuesday 4th July 2023 – International Group Leavers' Celebration

Friday 14th July 2023 – KS3 Trips Day

Monday 17th July 2023 – KS3 Sports Day

Thursday 20th July 2023 – Academy Breaks for Students for Summer Holiday

Friday 21st July 2023 – INSET Day