



# Southfields Academy Weekly Newsletter

## Week Commencing Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024



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

### Year 11 News – Mr Lamboi

Well done!

As we reach the end of another vibrant academic year, it is with great pride and a touch of nostalgia that we look back on the incredible journey of our Year 11 students. This year has been a tapestry of growth, learning, and memorable experiences.

Year 11 has been a milestone year, with students stepping up to the challenges of their GCSEs. Their dedication and perseverance has been commendable, and we are confident that the results will reflect their hard work and commitment. This year was filled with events and activities that created lasting memories. Highlights include the Year 11 PGL trip, where students bonded and developed essential life skills and observing them zealously rush to their early morning pre-exam revision sessions with their teachers - see pictures below.

These experiences have not only been enjoyable but have also helped in shaping their character and resilience.



Whether they are continuing their studies here at Southfields Academy or moving on to new opportunities, we are confident that they will face the future with courage and confidence.

I want to extend my sincere thanks to the parents and carers for their unwavering support and partnership throughout the year. To our dedicated teachers and staff - especially Ms Cannam, your guidance and encouragement have been instrumental in our students' success.

From the Year 11 Team and wider staff body at Southfields Academy, we wish all our Year 11 students a restful and enjoyable summer break. Take this time to relax, recharge, and reflect on your achievements. For those returning for Year 12, we look forward to welcoming you back with fresh goals and aspirations.

Upcoming events: Graduation and Prom – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024 @ Southfields Academy

To celebrate their time here at Southfields Academy, we will be holding a graduation ceremony on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June from 4.30-6.15pm. This will be followed by prom. A text and email will be sent out shortly asking parents/carers to confirm their attendance.

As we are limited on space, we can only offer TWO tickets per student.

### Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024 – IEAP Day

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024 – Year 11 Prom

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024 – INSET Day

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2024 – Year 6 Induction Day

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024 – International Group Prom

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024 – ADT/Music Spotlight

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024 – KS3 Sports Day

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 2024 – Alternative Activities – End of Year Assemblies Years 7, 8, 9 & 12

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024 – Year 10 Work Experience Debrief, End of Year Achievement Assembly.



## Thought for the Week

Do not judge me by my success, judge me by how many times I fell down and got back up again. – Nelson Mandela



### Science Club – Mr Vickers

"I'm spinning around..."

Science club this week had students using creative thinking to design a paper spinner that would fall the slowest when dropped. Competition was fierce, and the ingenuity on display was worth all of the shredded paper on the floor. I think..."



## Free Parent Webinar – MET Police Central Youth Team

The MET Police Central Youth Team, are currently running a project, offering FREE and online, parent/ carer engagement webinars in partnership with IVISON Trust. The sessions will give advice to parents/ carers, on how to spot signs of County Lines, gang affiliation, grooming and exploitation. The input will include a lived experience speaker who will explain how they themselves or their children became involved with gangs and exploitation.

The charity will also offer free long term support, to anyone who needs it or believes their young people have been or are being exploited.

Please see advert below, that contains the Eventbrite link for you to reserve their free place.

## Parent Session

### County Lines in London

- Hillingdon/ Ealing/ Hounslow
- Wandsworth/Merton/Kingston/Richmond
- Westminster/ Kensington & Chelsea
- Hammersmith & Fulham/ Royal Parks

Register today

<https://ivisontrust.org.uk/webinars/>



6:30-  
7.30pm  
25th June

Hosted by

Ivison Trust,  
a parent with lived experience & a  
local police officer.



i feel so much  
more confident to  
to talk to my child



# London Neurodiversity Umbrella Project

## Parent/Carer webinars




The ADHD Foundation Neurodiversity Charity will be hosting live, 90 minute parent/carers support sessions between May 2024 - July 2024. These sessions will be held online (they will not be recorded).

To register for the sessions, please follow the links on the following pages.






To access the live session please click on the course title below or scan the QR code.

## Understanding ADHD

20.05.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding ADHD</u></a> 	1pm
12.06.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding ADHD</u></a> 	7pm
28.06.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding ADHD</u></a> 	10am




## Neurodiversity and lifestyle

23.05.24	<a href="#"><u>Neurodiversity and lifestyle</u></a> 	7pm
14.06.24	<a href="#"><u>Neurodiversity and lifestyle</u></a> 	10am
01.07.24	<a href="#"><u>Neurodiversity and lifestyle</u></a> 	1pm




If you would like anymore information about the project, please contact Emma Weaver via email: [emma.weaver@adhd.foundation.org.uk](mailto:emma.weaver@adhd.foundation.org.uk)

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## Understanding Neurodiversity

5.6.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding Neurodiversity</u></a> 	10am
17.6.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding Neurodiversity</u></a> 	1pm
04.07.24	<a href="#"><u>Understanding Neurodiversity</u></a> 	7pm




## Understanding and supporting Emotional Self Regulation

07.06.24	<a href="#"><u>Emotion regulation</u></a> 	10am
25.06.24	<a href="#"><u>Emotion regulation</u></a> 	1pm
10.07.24	<a href="#"><u>Emotion regulation</u></a> 	7pm

If you would like anymore information about the project, please contact Emma Weaver  
via email: [emma.weaver@adhdfoundation.org.uk](mailto:emma.weaver@adhdfoundation.org.uk)

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## Understanding and supporting Autism

27.6.24	<u><a href="#">Understanding Autism</a></u> 	1pm
08.07.24	<u><a href="#">Understanding Autism</a></u> 	10am
15.07.24	<u><a href="#">Understanding Autism</a></u> 	7pm

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