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On Monday 20th, our Year 9 boys faced OLSPCK at Seaview, aiming to retain the Belfast Cup. A fantastic 8–1 victory secured back-to-back Belfast Cups – an incredible achievement for a truly special group of players. We now look ahead to next Wednesday, where we face Lurgan Junior High at Mount Pleasant in the Under-13 Invitational Cup.

WELL DONE ALL!



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Dates for your diary

- 30th April - Vaccinations for Y9/10 pupils
- 4th May - Bank Holiday
- 5th May - external exams begin



EXTERNAL GCSE EXAMS BEGIN TUESDAY 5TH MAY

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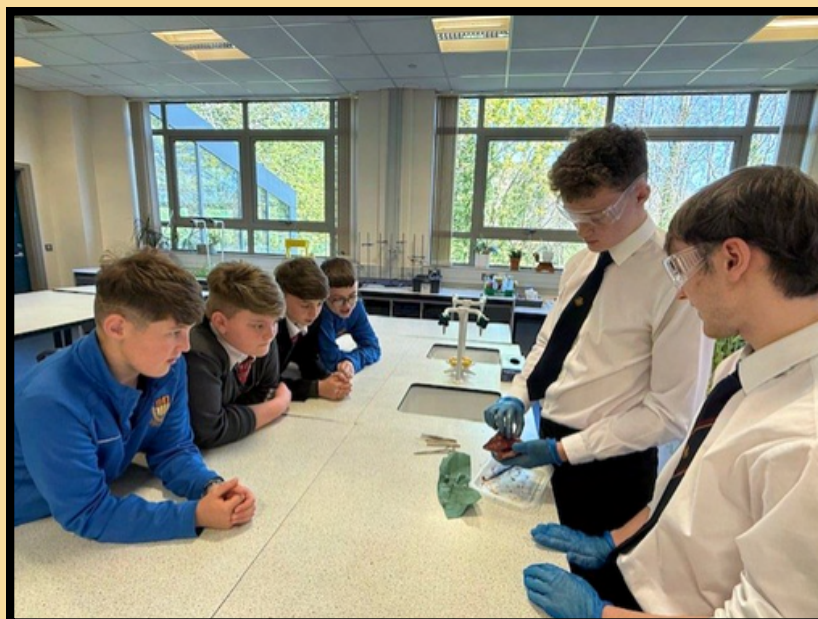
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A big well done to our senior pupils, Caleb and Aubrey, who volunteered their time to lead an engaging heart dissection lesson for our Year 9 pupils. Fantastic leadership and teamwork were on display.

Both boys are studying Environmental Technology and Maths, Caleb in Engineering and Aubrey in Biology. They are also actively involved in a wide range of school and community activities. Their commitment and aspiration make them exceptional role models for our KS3 pupils.



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GAMING AND GAMBLING HARM AWARENESS SESSION FOR PARENTS, CARERS, AND GUARDIANS



Come and join Ygam's online awareness session to develop your understanding of gaming and gambling, enabling you to have conversations with your children about the potential harms.

DATE: WED 29TH APRIL
TIME: 7-8.30PM
ONLINE VIA ZOOM
TO BOOK YOUR PLACE
CALL 0808 8020 400



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CAREERS INFORMATION

Work Experience for Senior School Pupils

The following work experience opportunities are currently available for pupils in Senior School. All details have been posted on their Year Group TEAM with information on how to apply. Spaces will be allocated on a first come first serve basis, and they are expected to fill up fast.

Company	Industry	Date of work experience	Closing date for applications
Clearbox	PR and Social Media Marketing	17 th -19 th June 2026	19 th May 2026
SMBP	Business/ General	8 th -12 th June 2026	Once applications have been filled.
NI Probation Board	Public Services	9 th -11 th June 2026	12 th May 2026
Aflac	IT and Digital	22 nd -24 th June 2026	25 th May 2026
The Army	Armed Forces	Multiple Dates	Once applications have been filled.
NI Football League (Virtual)	Sport and Leisure	4 th & 5 th June 2026	Once applications have been filled
NI Water (Hybrid)	Science	1 st -3 rd June 2026	Once applications have been filled
The Maldron	Hospitality	16 th & 17 th June 2026	Once applications have been filled
NI Assembly	Law	9 th -11 th June 2026	Once applications have been filled
Tughans Solicitors	Law	18 th & 19 th June 2026	Once applications have been filled

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CAREERS INFORMATION

Y13 Careers

Work Experience

All Y13 pupils will complete work experience in June – pupils have now received their paperwork. Once a placement has been agreed, please return to Mrs Ryan. I would like to note that June is a very busy time for work experience, and most schools in North Belfast will also be on work experience. Placements can be difficult to secure, if not secured early.

Y14 Careers

All Y14 pupils have been asked to make their Firm and Insurance choices. The deadline to make this choice is 6th May, after this date all offers are withdrawn. Please encourage your son to ensure he has selected his choices on his UCAS form before this date.

Student Finance is open and all pupils have been encouraged to apply. A PowerPoint explaining the different finance options is available on your sons Y14 Team.

If you need any further information please contact Mrs Ryan
nryan320@c2ken.net



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Belfast Boys' Model

PARENTS & CARERS

WE NEED YOU!

JOIN OUR SCHOOL PTA & PARENT GROUP

We're building a stronger school community—
and **your** voice matters.



HELP SHAPE SCHOOL
ACTIVITIES & EVENTS



SHARE IDEAS AND SUPPORT
YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL EXPERIENCE



CONNECT WITH OTHER
PARENTS AND CARERS



NO BIG TIME COMMITMENT—
EVERY LITTLE HELPS!

HAVE YOUR SAY
IN JUST
1 MINUTE!

SCAN THE QR CODE
OR CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO
COMPLETE A **VERY SHORT** SURVEY!



PLEASE CONTACT JAYNE DEVLIN
JDEVLIN170@C2KEN.NET

**TOGETHER,
WE CAN MAKE
A DIFFERENCE!**

YOUR SCHOOL. YOUR VOICE. OUR COMMUNITY.

Please take a moment to complete this survey -
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx...>

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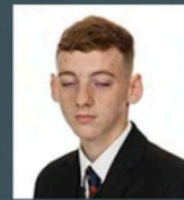


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TOP PUPIL POINTS



OSCAR JOHNSTON
8JB
HOUSE BRANAGH



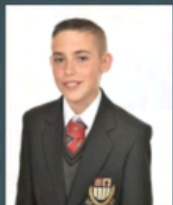
ALEX NOBLE
11ST
HOUSE KELVIN



BEN SKILLEN
9WH
HOUSE LEWIS



ADAM COCHRANE
12BW
HOUSE KELVIN



WILLIAM PRITCHARD
10KB
HOUSE BRANAGH



KARL TUFTS
14EF
HOUSE BRANAGH



DYLAN MCCLUSKEY
13RD
HOUSE BRANAGH



HOUSE SCORES



161,474



149,790



149,194



143,804

Congratulations to our fabulous Top House Points earners this week - keep it up!

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Lunch-time extra-curricular activities

LUNCHTIME CLUBS AT BBMS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Homework Club 6a - Rm128, 6b - Rm219 BOTH LUNCHES	Homework Club 6a & 6b - Rm128 BOTH LUNCHES	Dodgeball Year 9, Gym hall 6a lunch	Homework Club 6a & 6b - Rm128 BOTH LUNCHES	Homework Club Years 8 - 10, Rm128 6a lunch
Art Club Yrs 8&10, Rm249 6a lunch	Fortnite Dance Club Year 9, Studio BOTH LUNCHES	Plant Club Years 8, 10 & 11, Rm144 6a lunch	Modern Languages Year 10, Rm216 6a lunch	Plant Club Years 8 - 10, Rm144 6a lunch
History Club Years 8 & 10, Rm228 6a lunch	SA Science Revision Yr11, Rm143 6a lunch	DJ-ing Club Year 8, Rm234 6b lunch	Choir Years 8-12, Rm 234 BOTH LUNCHES	Board Games Years 9 & 10, Rm240 6a lunch
SU Year 8, Rm 212 6a lunch	Eco Club Years 8, 10 & 12, Rm242 6a lunch	Art Club Year 8, 10 & 11, Rm249 6b lunch	Board Games Club Year 8, Rm240 6b lunch	Cookery Club Years 8 & 9, Rm134 6a lunch
Multi-Lingual Club Years 9 & 11, Rm251 6b lunch	Football Years 9, Gym Hall 5 lunch	SU Yr 11, Rm112 5 lunch	SU Years 8 & 11, Rm210 6b lunch	Football Club Years 13 & 14 6a lunch
Science Club Years 9, 11 & 12, Rm142 6b lunch			Warhammer Years 11 - 14, Rm133 6b lunch	Aime Club All year groups, Rm241 6a lunch
LEGO Club Year 9, 11 & 12, Rm148 6b lunch			LEGO Club Years 8 & 11, Rm148 6b lunch	Digi Skills Years 11 & 12, Innovation Lab 6b lunch
Anime Club Years 11 & 12, Rm241 6b lunch			The Way of the Panda Year 8, Rm143 6b lunch	Open Mic Club Years 11 & 12, Rm064 6b lunch

Please remind your son that Homework Club runs EVERY lunchtime except Wednesday. Pupils have access to computers and can get help with their homeworks and coursework.

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Morning and afternoon extracurricular activities

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AT BBMS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
<p>Morning football All year groups 8.15 - 8.40 Mugga pitch</p>	<p>Morning football All year groups 8.15 - 8.40 Mugga pitch</p>	<p>Morning football All year groups 8.15 - 8.40 Mugga pitch</p>	<p>Morning football All year groups 8.15 - 8.40 Mugga pitch</p>
<p>Morning Cross-Country & Running Club, Yrs 8&9 8.35am - 8.50am Mount Pleasant</p>	<p>Higher Maths GCSE Clinic Year 11 8.15 - 8.30 Rm 109</p>	<p>IT Coursework Clinic Years 11 - 14 8.00 - 8.40 Rm 050</p>	<p>IT Coursework Clinic Years 11 - 14 8.00 - 8.40 Rm 050</p>
<p>Homework Club All Years 3.20pm - 4.15pm Rm 128</p>	<p>Basketball Club Year 8 2.00 - 2.50 Sports Hall</p>	<p>Badminton Years 9, 11 & 12 3.20 - 4.00 Sports Hall</p>	<p>Football - team & social Year 9 2.50-3.50 Mt. Pleasant</p>
<p>Football - teams & social Year 10 3.30pm - 4.15pm Mount Pleasant</p>	<p>Football - teams & social Year 8 2.15 - 3.20 Mount Pleasant</p>	<p>Homework Club All Years 3.20pm - 4.15pm Rm 128</p>	<p>Rugby Club All year groups 2.40 - 3.50 Mt. Pleasant</p>
	<p>Table Tennis All year groups 2.15 - 3.15 Gym Hall</p>		<p>Catch-Up Clinics Years 11 - 14 2.00 - 4.00 Range of subjects: • IT, Travel & Tourism & Sports Studies</p>
	<p>History Club All year groups 2.00-2.40 Rm 230</p>		<p>Homework Club All year groups 2.40 - 3.30 Rm 128</p>
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Is your son struggling with some aspects of his homework?
Are you unsure how to support him? Please send him to
HOMEWORK CLUB where he will receive all the help he needs.

JOIN US!



HOMEWORK CLUB: HELP WHEN YOU NEED IT

Lunchtime – Every day, Rm128 except Monday 6b
in Rm219

After school – Monday – Thursday, Rm128

Complete and get help with your homework...
Help with revision for classes tests... Retrieval resources available...
Any questions answered....

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Football Fixtures



Team	Opponent	Date	Kit	Venue	Meet time / kick off time	Coach	Cover	Travel	Referee
Year 9b Friendly	Blessed Trinity	27/4	They wear blue and white	Mouny	1.20pm / 2pm kick off	Mr Smith	n/a	n/a	Bryan
Year 9a Cup	Lurgan JHS	29/4	They wear white	Mouny	12.40pm / 1.30pm kick off	Mr Mun yard	n/a	n/a	neutral
Year 8b Friendly	Uldiia	1/5	They wear grey	Ulidia	12.40pm / 1.45pm kick off	Mr Murray	n/a	minivans	Byran



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