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Dear Parents, Guardians, Carers, Staff & Governors

Phew! Don't believe anyone that says teachers wind down in the summer term - it is simply not true. We will try to capture some of the activity here: We are officially UK CHAMPIONS, sweeping the board in the More than Robots national competition. We were struck speechless during the team's fantastic demonstration of their skills - we were the only team whose robot could manoeuvre sideways. What a talented bunch! And our pride did not stop there - the huge array of talent on show in the Visual Arts exhibition was the subject of much talk from visitors to the private view last week. The individuality, creativity and skill on show was awe inspiring. It was a reminder to us of how important our Arts specialism is to our students and it was great to hear of how many are going on to great things in the future. We continued to celebrate with our Year 11 prom - we gathered on a boat on the Thames in our finery to enjoy post exam freedoms. It was lovely to see so many students able to relax and say a well deserved thank you to the staff that got them over the finish line. And it does not stop there. Amazingly powerful performances were seen in Year 13's Blood Wedding acting final show; Year 12 spent the week in Dorset collecting data for their Geography field work unit; and over 75 students undertook their Bronze D of E expedition last week. No doubt all have lots of tales to tell and memories to treasure. More is happening this week - we just hope we can keep pace! Best wishes
Niki Clemenger & Richard Cole
Co-Headteachers

Wonderful Yr 11 Prom



During the day last Friday we got this little snippet from Ms Acham about the UK More than Robots competition....'Incredible! So far won every game' In fact they DID win every game. And the design award. And Norwood are now UK Champions!! Top left. Proud Yr 11 and their prom above and Visual Arts worthy prize winners below.



Highlights of the Week

We told you about alumni student Ibtsam's final show. This week we found out she was chosen by the Royal School of Needlework to exhibit at this year's Young Designers exhibition at Business Design Centre Islington, a showcase of the best art and design graduates from universities this year, look who loved her work - Textile and Fashion icon Zandra Rhodes!!

From a parent, 'I just wanted to send a quick email to thank the school for organising a fabulous Year 11 prom and making it happen for the children. All the staff who volunteered their time and attended the event with them helped create an amazing night packed with wonderful memories. We are eagerly looking forward to receiving his GCSE results in August and hope that he will be able to stay at the school for the 6th form.

Over the weekend staff, students and parents were in the garden making improvements and constructing new spaces, ready for new projects and new visitors.

Mr Lever and Ms Drewery took the Year 12s to Devon to complete their NEA fieldwork as well as finding time for a BBQ on the beach and some seal spotting. Great work towards their Geog A Level.

Performances of Blood Wedding - the Year 13 play- were intense last week. Powerful performances were evident from many - standout moments included Saint and Jacob emerging from the earth (literally) and Summer, capturing everyone with her tears as a grieving mother. It was made all the more emotional by it being Year 13's last performance together. Well done!

Please note that we have been informed by the School Finance Support officer at Lambeth that the FSM vouchers that will be issued via email - will be £15 a week - not the £20 that had been given previously.

[Find out more about the Gypsy Hill Village Fete here](#)

Important Dates

- Whole School Show The Wiz 10th July 7pm, 11th July 4pm and 7pm
- Cultural Social Tuesday 16th July 6pm
- Sports Day at Tooting Bec Monday 22nd July
- Activity Day Tuesday 23rd July
- End of Summer term Wed 24th July 12:40

Hot Chocolate with the Heads this week

Congratulations to:

- Emmeline Hoare-Mallone(7DRO)
- David Romero-Herrero (8GJO)
- Yassine Paille (9EAN)
- Linden McLelland (10DWO)
- Angela Gabriela Irumbe Goncalves (12LKE)



Thanks to all who helped with the garden last weekend



A Level Geographers , above, and Blood Wedding performances below



Visual Arts Showcase

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