

# BEDALE HIGH SCHOOL

Courage

Commitment

Compassion

News to follow next week on our new Attendance Initiative!

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2022**

### Get Help Here...

Your child's Form Tutor:  
Pastoral Support Team:  
Miss Bradbury (Head of KS3):  
Miss Temple (Head of KS4):  
SEND & Inclusion Queries (Mrs Clayden):  
General Queries:  
Subject Teacher:

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## Primary Maths Enrichment Day

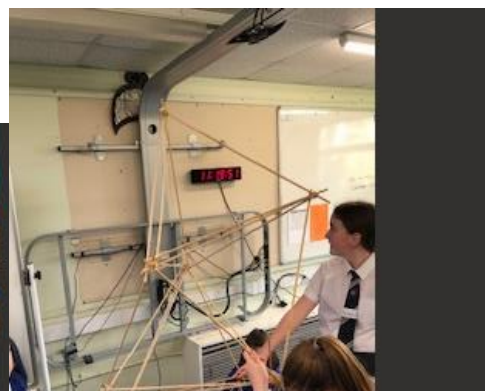
On Thursday we welcomed 70 Year 5 Pupils from Bedale, RAF Leeming and Burneston Primary Schools to take part in our Maths Enrichment event day.

The visitors enjoyed an action packed, collaborative day of practical maths challenges and were supported by some of our excellent student subject ambassadors.

These events are planned throughout the year and form a crucial part of our ongoing work to secure strong relationships with our primary partners, and ultimately to achieve our goal of being the natural choice of secondary school for students within this area.

At the end of the day, the winning team were presented with a mini trophy each and some sweet treats.

Congratulations to all involved and a big thank you to our Maths Faculty at BHS!



# BHS Christmas Fayre

Following the huge success of last year's Christmas Fayre at Bedale High School, we are delighted to announce that this year's event will take place on **Friday 18th November 2022** from **1700 to 1900 in the main hall at BHS.**

If you would like to run a stall at this event, please email [loughlink@bedalehighschool.org.uk](mailto:loughlink@bedalehighschool.org.uk). A table top stall costs just £10 and we kindly request that you also donate a prize to our raffle which will be drawn on the night.

This event is completely free to attend and suitable for the whole family. Why not treat yourself to a festive evening of tasty treats, catching up with friends and getting ahead of the Christmas shopping game?



The poster is a vertical rectangle with a gold background. On the left is a stylized illustration of a nutcracker in a red uniform and black hat with a white star. To the right of the nutcracker, the text 'BEDALE HIGH SCHOOL' is written in white on a dark blue rectangular background. Further right is a red bow with two white circular ornaments hanging from it. Below these elements, the text 'CHRISTMAS FAYRE' is written in large, bold, dark blue letters on a red rectangular background. Below this, the date and time 'FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER 2022 1700 - 1900' are written in black, followed by 'FREE ENTRY' in black. Below that, the text 'COME ALONG FOR AN EVENING OF CHRISTMAS SHOPPING, GREAT FOOD, FESTIVE MUSIC!' is written in black, flanked by two white stars and two red starburst shapes. At the bottom left is the Bedale High School crest, which is a circular emblem with a white flower in the center and the words 'BEDALE HIGH SCHOOL' around the border. At the bottom right, on a red rectangular background, is the contact information: 'IF YOU WOULD LIKE A STALL AT THIS EVENT, PLEASE EMAIL LOUGHLINK@BEDALEHIGH SCHOOL.ORG.UK' in white capital letters.

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# Mental Health Signposting

*We have now been awarded the NY Healthy Schools Silver Award!*

## Wellbeing Support from Bedale High School

There are lots of places you can access help and support...



[www.thegoto.org.uk](http://www.thegoto.org.uk)

This is a website developed by the NHS North Yorkshire Clinical Commissioning Group. It is a single point of information that promotes different mental health support services (like a signpost). The website is designed primarily for young people but there is information for parents and carers too.

### Contact details:

Mr T Kelly  
[kellyt@bedalehighschool.org.uk](mailto:kellyt@bedalehighschool.org.uk)

Mrs V Clayden  
[claydenv@bedalehighschool.org.uk](mailto:claydenv@bedalehighschool.org.uk)



Please don't hesitate in contacting Mr Kelly or Mrs Clayden if you have any concerns during the break or if you need support with something.



Text 07520 631168 to start a supportive text conversation with friendly professional support

### Another useful resource:

[Bedalehighschool.org.uk](http://Bedalehighschool.org.uk)  
↓  
Safeguarding  
↓  
Where to go to for help

## Further Information

In our area, there are a range of national and locally-funded support forums for children and young people which are now embedded, including:

<https://thegoto.org.uk/> The Go-To Website - the home of wellbeing and mental health in North Yorkshire. The website helps young people find the right help and support to stay well, whatever is happening in their life.

Childline - free, confidential, anonymous 24/7 service for anyone under 19 in the UK with any issue including emotional and mental health.

YoungMinds Textline - free, 24/7 text support for young people across the UK experiencing a mental health crisis, with texts answered by trained volunteers supported by experienced clinical supervisors

Buzz Us Text Messaging Service - confidential advice, support and signposting from a wellbeing worker within one working day via text for young people aged 11-18 across North Yorkshire and York.

There is further information - including health professionals' referral forms - on [NHS North Yorks CCG Website](#).





# Yr 11 Post-16 Information Evening

# Student Council Update

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm we invite Yr 11 parents and their children to join us for this virtual event.

The thought of leaving school for the last time can be quite daunting - especially if you are unsure what you may want to do next.

At this event, Miss Temple will share useful information and guidance around how we support students to secure the best possible Post-16 pathway in their final few months with us.

She will talk to parents about traditional college routes, apprenticeships, vocational courses and work-based learning opportunities.

The link for this meeting will be sent our early next week.

Following this morning's KS3 Student Council meeting, the students below have been nominated and successfully elected to carry out the following key roles this term:

**Chair:** Mason Leek

**Vice Chair:** James Ludeman

**Secretary:** Lacey Stockdale

Congratulations to all 3 students - I look forward to sharing further developments around their work as we progress through this academic year.

The Student Council is one of several student leadership pathways in school. If your child wants to find out more information - please ask them to see Mr Childe or Mrs Woodward.

## Year 9 Netball Superstars!

**Miss Temple writes:** On Tuesday I took our Y9 girls to the Area Netball Rally. This is the first time these girls have played a competitive game together, but you wouldn't have guessed it, they were outstanding! It is always really tough for us going to area tournaments as we are often competing against schools much bigger than ours, and private schools. However, our girls went through the whole tournament undefeated! They beat SFX, Thirsk and Easingwold and drew against Queen Mary's (they were 5-2 down against QM and worked really hard to draw 5-5 in the end). They finished in 2nd place overall, only missing out on 1st place to Queen Mary's on goal difference.

The team spirit, commitment and effort from all the girls involved was fantastic and I thoroughly enjoyed watching them play. The girls have been coming along to practice every Thursday lunch time to prepare for the tournament, and some have even been coming down on a break time to practice their shooting etc, so it was lovely to see their hard work pay off. I have included a list of names of those involved...well done everyone!

Lucy Boot  
Imogen Pattison  
Loren Ball  
Olivia Woronko  
Julia Woronko  
Daisy Weightman  
Bethan Watkins  
Lily Evans  
Coco Oldham  
Izzy Niblett  
Izabelle Laws-Williams



# What's Coming Up?

DATE	EVENT	AUDIENCE
10 <sup>th</sup> October	Area Football	Year 7/8 boys
13 <sup>th</sup> October	Post 16 Information Evening	Year 11 students and parents
	Little Shop of Horrors auditions	BHS Actors
14 <sup>th</sup> October	Restart a Heart Day	Year 7 students
19 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Geography Trip To Malham	Year 8 Geog students
24 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup> October	Half Term Holiday	All students

**PLEASE REMEMBER WHEN BOOKING YOUR SUMMER HOLIDAY THAT STUDENTS ARE STILL IN SCHOOL ON MONDAY AND TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> AND 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023**

## Restart A Heart Day – Year 7



World Restart A Heart Day actually falls on 16<sup>th</sup> October, but we will be holding our annual Restart A Heart Day on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October.

A team of five volunteers (from Yorkshire Ambulance, St. John's Ambulance and Community First Responders) will be coming into school for the day to deliver CPR training to every single Year 7 student.

The following text taken from the website explains why this event carries so much importance:

### Why is it important?

*Approximately 30,000 out-of-hospital cardiac arrests happen every year in the UK. Sadly, less than 1 in 10 people survive these cardiac arrests. Performing CPR can more than double the chances of survival in some cases. For more info, please visit:*

<https://www.bhf.org.uk/how-you-can-help/how-to-save-a-life/cpr-training-in-schools/restart-a-heart-day> .



# Year 7 PSHE Trip to Bradford

**Mr Childe writes:** Last week, all of our Year 7 students, in their new tutor groups, visited Bradford as part of the Religious Education strand of their PSHE Programme. The focus of the day was 'interfaith' - developing compassion for different religions, and two contrasting places of worship were visited.

The first place that we visited was the Madni Masjid (or 'mosque'), one of the main masajid in Bradford, serving the local Muslim communities. Our guide led us through the 'wudu' (the Islamic for cleansing parts of the body), the features of the prayer halls (such as the 'Mihrab' arch - which faces east, in the direction of the Kaa'ba in the city of Mecca) and the times and details of the five prayers that take place during the day.

For our second visit, we went to the Lakshmi Narayan Temple, the largest Hindu temple (or 'mandir') in Northern England. Our guide, Seema, took us into the Main Hall, where the students were fortunate to witness the temple priest deliver a service - an unforgettable experience! The students were able to explore the shrine, learn much about the Hindu faith from Seema and immerse themselves in the calm and tranquillity of the building.

Following our packed lunch break at a local community centre, we visited Bombay Stores - the UK's largest Asian department store! Throughout the three days of visits, the student were wonderful ambassadors for the school - and on returning, I was delighted to open an email from Fatima Ayub (one of guides at the masjid), who commented:

"The children are a credit to your school. They were so respectable, sensible and engaging. Absolutely fantastic! Wow!"





# COMING SOON AUDITIONS!



**WEDNESDAY 12TH OCTOBER  
THURSDAY 13TH OCTOBER  
2022**

**1510 - 1645**

**In the Main Hall**

**Open to all students in Years 7 to 11**



# Local Information & Notices

## Open Events

5 October 2022, 4-7pm | 9 November 2022, 4-7pm

8 February 2023, 4-7pm | 26 April 2023, 4-7pm | 28 June 2023, 4-7pm

Book now: [harrogate-college.ac.uk](https://harrogate-college.ac.uk)

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## OPEN EVENING

**Thursday 20th October from 5:30 to 7:30pm**

