

# YMCA FUNDRAISER



Some of the students took part in a YMCA programme and part of that was to carry out a fundraising day for a charity of their choice.

The students chose a charity fighting ocean pollution after they researched more on plastic consumptions and the cause and effect it has on our ocean.



They worked together to pick the cause, carry out research, plan the fundraiser, make posters, and make the art for an art display. On the day, they welcomed visitors, helped with refreshments, talk to visitors about the programme and charity, sold cakes, and with the help of other students in the school, rode the bikes around the school field for the length of the school to the nearest ocean to raise more money.

The students really got involved and were extremely proud of themselves for raising money, completing something start to finish and being able to show their parents the hard work they put in.

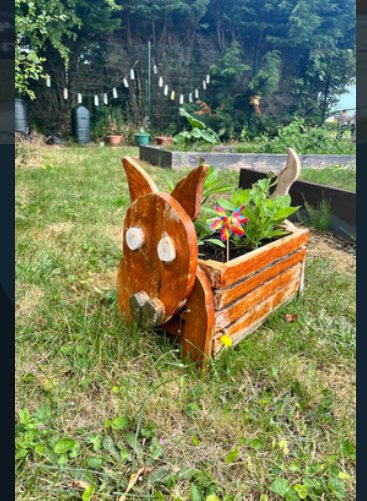


# THE WELLBEING GARDEN



Students worked together to create a wellbeing garden in the summer. Every student got themselves involved whether it was planting, painting, creating decorations, making signs, building a bench, making planters, and building a duck house.

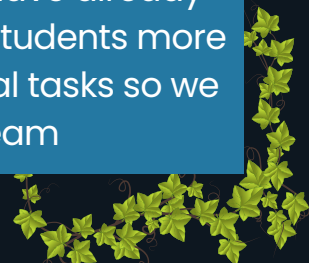
They enjoyed doing this especially when the weather was good to us. Wildflowers were planted and students enjoyed watching them grow and bloom.



Roses were planted in the Coronation Garden ready to flower next summer. This was really positive for them as they became more aware of environmental issues and climate change. It was also beneficial to their emotional health with being outdoors and helping to improve the school community.



Moving forward, the school are thinking of start a gardening club and expanding on what we have already achieved and giving the students more responsibility for individual tasks so we can work as a team



# SPORTS DAY

## 2023



Both last year's Key Stage 3 and Year 10 classes took part in a sports day. Students worked together to make posters, plan the sports day, and decide on activities.

The sports activities included both long distance and short distance running races, and obstacle races with items they created themselves for example, making their own bean bags out of used fabric and rice, followed by a board game afternoon.



Staff also organised for an ice cream van to visit the school in between activities to get an ice cream as a reward for the good progress they had made over the term and a reward for taking part in the sports day.

The students enjoyed working together completing activities to achieve house points for their teams. It was a successful day and we cant wait for Sports Day 2024!

<b>Morning</b> 9:45-11:00	Egg and spoon race Bean bag race 3 leg race
<b>Mid-morning</b> 11:30-12:30	Rounders Cricket
<b>Afternoon</b> 1:30-2:30	Uno Jenga Connect 4

### Sports Day SCHEDULE



# HOUSE TEAMS & REWARDS



House teams were created to bring students together to work towards something both individually and as a school.

The three house teams were chosen by the students themselves and consist of House Parton, House Watson, and House Martin.

House Parton is named after Dolly Parton who has carried out work with charities and her foundation to allow all children the access to books. House Watson is named after Emma Watson who is a good will ambassador and works towards equal rights for gender and education. House Martin is named after Guy Martin who is a Lincolnshire motorcycle racer and engineer who has overcome setbacks but continues to move forward and inspire others.

The students have been working towards earning rewards for themselves and their house teams. Rewards are given based on their display of the schools values. The reward chosen for this term is a wall climbing afternoon for the students who earn the most house points.



HOUSE TEAM REWARD  
**WALL CLIMBING**  
AFTERNOON

WHEN?  
**DECEMBER**  
**2023**

FOR THE 16  
STUDENTS WITH THE  
MOST HOUSE POINTS

The students have enjoyed working together to choose the house names, create logos, and design and influence the new reward system. We are excited to plan many more exciting events in the future to reward the positive behaviours shown in school.