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REMEMBRANCE DAY
Let's We Forget



GURU NANAK

Guru Nanak was the first Sikh Guru. He was born in a small town in India called Talwandi around 550 years ago. His young life was marked by acts of kindness and compassion.

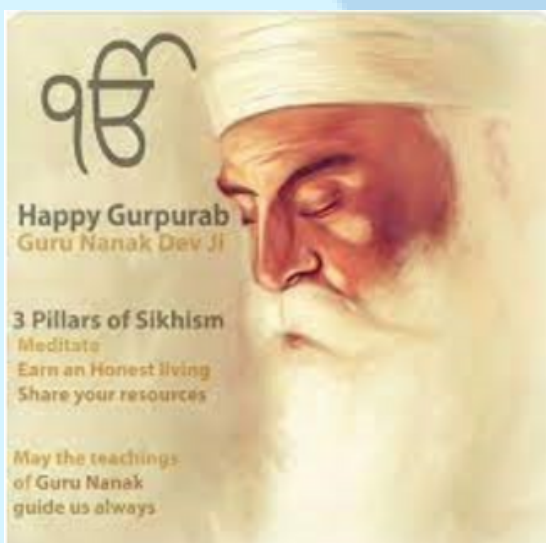
Guru Nanak devoted his life to travelling India, teaching people about God's message. The people who followed his teachings became known as 'Sikhs' which means 'learners'.

Guru Nanak's Birthday, which was on 8th November 2022 is celebrated as a way of honouring the beginning of the Sikh faith and remembering Guru Nanak's message that everyone is equal.

3 pillars/principles are the foundation of Sikhism

- Naan Japo: Chanting the holy name and thus remembering God at all times (ceaseless devotion to God)
- Kirat Karo: Earning/making a living honestly, without exploitation or fraud.
- Van Chakko: Sharing with other, helping those with less who are in need

These are Sikhs essential pillars and are very important daily activities.



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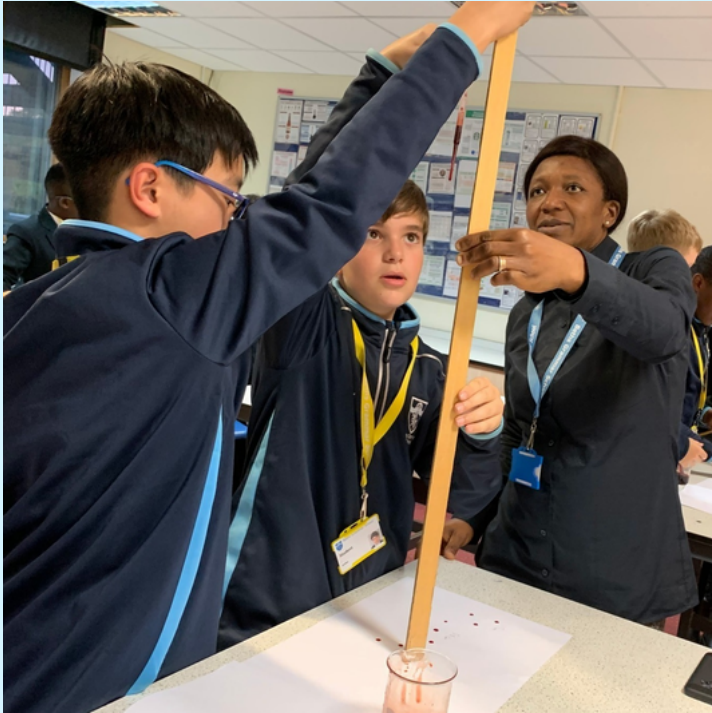
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STEM CLUB

This week's STEM club was Halloween themed, students experimented with their finger prints and fake blood splatter. It was a fun filled experiment.



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YEAR 9 ITALIAN FILM AND PIZZA NIGHT

Year 9 Italian students watched an Italian film on the last day of term based on the story of Pinocchio. They enjoyed all aspects of the film and were able to follow the Italian well by picking out vocabulary they had learnt in class (although sometimes through English subtitles!). The exposure to hearing the Italian language was a beneficial experience for all students. It was made even more enjoyable when the authentic stone baked pizzas were delivered from a local Italian restaurant which specialises in traditional Italian pizzas. Some boys especially enjoyed the 'Festa della Casa' pizza which was essentially a tasty traditional meat feast version but with Italian Parma ham and other meats. It was a pleasant event and a great end to the first eight weeks of the academic year working hard on their Italian skills! Bravi!!



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BEST OF THE BETHS

Hot off the press! October Best of the Beths October issue is now available to be viewed by follow this link

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[title=Best+of+the+Beths+Newsletter&pid=403](https://www.beths.bexley.sch.uk/page/?title=Best+of+the+Beths+Newsletter&pid=403) . This months edition includes UK Economic Crisis by Hamadin 11B , Yu-Gi-Oh Club Review by Adriel 10W, Nobel Prize Physics, The Illuminati by Erim 11C and much much more!



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THE BETHS


OCTOBER

Chris Kaba and Institutional Racism

by Ronnie 10H



Chris Kaba is, unfortunately, one of many. Even to this day, nobody is truly equal, no matter how much we try to sugarcoat it. Racism isn't just direct. It's everywhere. In workplaces, in housing, in employment. In the law itself. This is why Black History Month is so important; it remembers those who have died fighting for their people's rights, those who dedicate their lives to fighting the oppressor, and those who have fallen victim to the oppression. We still have a long way to go. However together, as a collective, we can strive to create a society in which everyone is equal. But it shall take all of us – not only a percentage. During this month, I encourage you all to educate yourselves on topics you are unfamiliar with, and to ensure that you do not contribute to wide-spread discrimination. Happy Black History Month.



The premier league was an absolute eye-popping source of entertainment with brilliant individual performances by players, such as Erling Haaland and Phil Foden (Man City), late goal thrillers but the stand out event was the brilliant team performance from Arsenal against North London rivals.

Arsenal Spurs: 3-1

Thomas Partey grabbed the spotlight early in the 20th minute, with a long-range beauty from outside the box, leaving Lloris crawling across his line. Fortunately for Tottenham, 11 minutes later they were gifted a penalty where Harry Kane took the chance and drew the score line.

Coming back from half-time, Jesus scored from a rebound shot causing a roar in the stadium, bringing fans to their feet, rejoiced to be able to start the second half on a positive note. From here, it was an end-to-end match, until Romero was awarded a red card 62 minutes into the match, for a rash challenge on the ankle. Arsenal knew that Tottenham were weakened defensively and pushed for another goal to seal their lead and did with another long-range shot by Xhaka, in the bottom corner. This took Arsenal to the top of the league with Man City, just trailing behind them.

Are Arsenal serious title contenders this year or is an opposition side going to put an end to their winning streak?



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DRAMA CLUB MEETS ALEX COBB

On Friday 14th of October 2022, I met Alexander Cobb; a well-known actor featured in many movies/tv shows. We had a very inspiring Q&A which will forever stay in my heart. He answered many of our inquiries. I asked him what he would do if he ever felt the need to give up and how he would work through it. He told me that it was something he had dreamed of for such a long time so he couldn't imagine doing something else. He had a side job as a barber so if there were any times where times were low as well as income he would fall back into that job until a position/opportunity appeared. These 50 minutes were one of the most unforgettable times in my life and if another opportunity like this ever comes up for you, grab it. I was only able to experience this because I joined drama club. It contains a wonderful community with people who you can build relationships with. -**Barack 7W**



Meeting Alex Cobb was such an enriching and wonderful experience. For many aspiring actors / communities surrounding the aspect of media, it was educational and thought-provoking, listening to all the unique points he made around the acting industry. The Q&A between the Film Studies students, especially, was very conversational, whilst giving us an understanding on the important qualities he has received from his process in the acting industry as well as what is needed to



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thrive and propel ourselves forward in this profession. Overall, my experience with Alex Cobb was eye-opening, and I could only hope to meet with him again in the near future.— **Pelumi 6C3**

A special guest visited the school on Friday 14th all we knew was that it was an actor, so I was intrigued to find out who we were meeting! Ex-Beths pupil and West End star Alex Cobb was our guest. If you are not aware of Alex's work, he has appeared in Different West End Plays, Marvel series Moon Knight, The King's Man film, The Outlaws and Grace. Alex explained to us how he was turned down many times for roles, but that anyone can achieve their goals with hard work, dedication and perseverance. He was very supportive and encouraged us to follow our dreams. He also told us that there are many opportunities for different careers out there. He never once showed off about his career but explained how dedication (and understanding that you won't always succeed) is important. He stayed to answer questions from us all and we all appreciated the wonderful opportunity and for him giving up his time. —**Callum 8H**



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BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Black History Month Classical Musicians by Okeoghene 10A



Joseph Bologne, Chevalier de Saint-Georges (1745-1799)

He was known as 'le Mozart noir' (The Black Mozart) and he is remembered as one of the first Classical mus-

icians with African origins. He was born of a wealthy plantation owner and one of his slaves. He wrote string quartets, symphonies and concertos in the late 18th century. He led one of the best Orchestras in Europe 'Le Concert d'Amateurs' and even the president at the time complimented him as the most accomplished man in Europe.

On the flip side, Mozart was actually jealous of him because during Saint-George's successful period, Mozart's music was going unnoticed and a theory is that he used this jealousy as inspiration. In an opera he hosted, he made the villain a black character 'The Magic Flute'. It is just a theory though.

Link to his music: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kmiuh_OL2Zg



Florence Price (1887-1953)

She was the first African-American woman to have her music performed by a major symphony orchestra in 1933. A music critic during the time had heard the work and ironically declared it 'a faultless work' and 'a work that speaks its own message with restraint yet passion'

She was born in Arkansas in 1887. She was a deeply religious person and bought traditional church music into her pieces and she was influenced by other people like Dvorak Tchaikovsky.

Link to her music: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9s4yY_A2A2k



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FAMILY EMOTIONAL HEALTH

Bexley's Family Emotional Health – Opening Doors For Parents event will be on the 29 November 2022. It will be a market stall type event where parents can attend and find out about the services within Bexley who might be able to help support with emotional health issues within their families.



Family Emotional Health – Opening Doors For Parents

Geddes Community Hall, DA6 7DJ

(just behind Bexley Clocktower)

Tuesday 29th November 2022

10-1pm

A brilliant opportunity to find out about the range of help and advice available in Bexley for your family!

Ask questions, meet other parents and get relevant, local information

Helping low mood

Boosting self-confidence

Establishing healthy relationships

Calming teenagers

Isolation

Building strength

Friendship worries

Understanding your child's goals

Plus!

11-11.45am Yoga and Stretch

A no-stress and completely inclusive session to help boost mood

Organised by FLARE, Bexley's parent group designed to connect local parents with each other, and local help and advice.

Email: flare@bexleymoorings.co.uk for more information



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CLUBS AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

We have a range of clubs and extra curricular activities running for all year groups. For a full timetable of clubs and club information please head to our website <https://www.beths.bexley.sch.uk/page/?title=Extra+Curricular+Activities&pid=50>

KS3 Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8 - 8.30am			KS3 Basketball Sports Hall	KS3 Basketball Sports Hall	
Lunch	French Club EVEN WEEK S19 Ms James Spanish Club EVEN WEEK S16 Ms Bridge Reading Club EVEN WEEK B5 Ms Monteith U14 Basketball Sports Hall Year 8 Rugby Field	LGBTQ+ Society S18 Mr Stein Drama Club P3 Ms Monteith Year 7 Basketball	Eco Club ODD WEEK A4 Mr Glendinning Humanities club EVEN WEEK M2 Ms Palmer Music Appreciation 12:15-12:45pm P2 Y8 Dungeons and Dragons DandT Hub Ms Commerford Collegium Antiquum 12.15 start S19 Mr Simpson	Connect Club EVEN WEEK B4 Ms Takeda KS3 Badminton Sports Hall	DT Club A9 Mr Knott Manga Club ODD WEEK B4 Ms Takeda* Animation Club A3 Ms Twinem Creative Writing ODD WEEK B2 Lady Irving-Gale Music Support Session 12:00-12:45pm P2
After School	Run Club School Field Mr Walter Beths Youth Band 3:40-4:45 P1 ** Group Piano lessons 3:30-4:30 P2 Year 7 Rugby Field STEM Club Y7 S12 Ms Sarker	Memrise Clinic S16 Ms Bridge Music Enrichment - Audition only Orchestra 3:40-4:45pm in the Main School Hall Year 8 Rugby Field Year 9 Rugby Field	Theatre Production 3.45-4.30 P3 Ms Grady* Year 7 Football Field ** Violin Club: 3:30-4:00 beginners; 4:00-4:30 intermediate in P2	Warhammer S1 (3.40 start) Mr Turnbull Beths Singers 3:40-4:45pm P1 Year 9 Football Field U14 Basketball Sports Hall	U13 Basketball Sports Hall Beths Big Band 3:40-4:45pm P2

KS4 Clubs

Timetable	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime	Tap and Rap 1:10-1:45pm P1 History Club EVEN WEEK M5 Maths Club B12 Mr Khalid Chess Club A2 Mr Healy	Y11 Study Club (13.20-13.50) B4 Ms Takeda Music Revision 1:10-1:45pm P1 Philosophy Society ODD WEEK M2 Ms May and Ms Moffat	Eco Club EVEN WEEK A4 Ms Purbrick Poetry Club EVEN WEEK B1 Dr Easton U16 Basketball Sports Hall English Revision Club ODD WEEK B5 Reading Club ODD WEEK B5 Ms Monteith Music Theory Club at 1:10pm-1:45pm P1	Psychology Club MCC Mr Walsh and Ms Moffat Debating Club M4 Mr Chamberlain	LGBTQ+ Society (ODD- S19 , EVEN S15) Ms Harris Social Sciences Reading Club FIRST ODD FRIDAY OF MONTH M4 Film Club B6 Ms Quinn and Mr Russell Y11 Study Club (13.20-13.50) B4 Ms Takeda
After School	Year 10 Rugby Field ** Group Piano lessons 3:30-4:30 P2	Orchestra 3:40-4:45pm in the Main School Hall	U16 Basketball Sports Hall ** Violin Club: 3:30-4:00 beginners; 4:00-4:30 intermediate in P2 Theatre Production 3.45-4.30 P3 Ms Grady*	Warhammer S1 Mr Turnbull Beths Singers 3:40-4:45pm P1 Year 10 Football Field	Beths Big Band 3:40-4:45pm P2

CLUBS AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

KS5 Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8 - 8.30am				Gym Club (Max 15 people) - Weights Room Mr Webb	
	<p>Tap and Rap 1:10-1:45pm - P1 Ms Marriott</p> <p>History Club (EVEN WEE) - M5</p> <p>Chess Club - A2 Mr Healy</p> <p>Muslim Prayer group- C3 Mr Ahmed</p> <p>KSS Chemistry Club - S8</p> <p>KSS Physics Olympiad Club - S1</p> <p>Gender Equality Society - A7B Ms Ewing</p>	<p>Philosophy Society (ODD WEEK) - M2 Ms May and Ms Moffat</p> <p>Muslim Prayer group - C3 Mr Ahmed</p> <p>Computer Science interview prep - S1 Mr Beaney</p>	<p>Eco Club (EVEN WEEK) A4 Ms Purbrick and Mr Glendinning</p> <p>Music Theory Club at 1:10pm-1:45pm - P1 Ms Marriott</p> <p>Poetry Club (EVEN WEEK) - B1 Dr Easton</p> <p>English Revision Club (ODD WEEK) - B5</p> <p>Muslim Prayer group - C3 Mr Ahmed</p> <p>Reading Club (ODD WEEK) - B5 Ms Monteith</p> <p>KSS Maths Olympiad Club - B12 Mr Khalid</p> <p>Personal Statement Clinic - LRC Mr Beaney</p>	<p>Group Therapy* - C4 Denise Brett-Smith</p> <p>Music Revision 1:10-1:45pm - P1 Ms Marriott</p> <p>Psychology Club - MCC Mr Walsh and Ms Moffat</p> <p>Debating Club - M4 Mr Chamberlain</p> <p>Muslim Prayer group - C3 Mr Ahmed</p> <p>Yu-Gi-Oh Club - A5 Mr Walter</p> <p>Informatics Olympiad club - IT1</p> <p>BMAT physics support for Medics - S0 Mr Beaney</p>	<p>LGBTQ+ Society (ODD-S19, EVEN S15) Ms Harris</p> <p>Social Sciences Reading Club FIRST (ODD FRIDAY OF MONTH) - M4</p> <p>Film Club - B6 Ms Quinn and Mr Russell</p> <p>Muslim Prayer group - C3 Mr Ahmed</p> <p>Multi-Cultural Committee - MCC 1-1.30pm</p>
Lunchtime					
			<p>Music Technology Club Venue TBC Ms Marriott</p> <p>1st XI Football PE</p> <p>2nd XI Football PE</p> <p>6th Form Basketball Sports Hall PE</p> <p>6th Form Girls Football PE</p> <p>** Violin Club: 3:30-4:00 beginners; 4:00-4:30 intermediate in P2 Ms Marriott</p>	<p>Warhammer S1 Mr Turnbull</p> <p>Beths Singers 3:40-4:45pm P1 Ms Marriott</p>	<p>Beths Big Band 3:40-4:45pm P2 Ms Marriott</p>
After School/ Wednesday P3	<p>** Group Piano lessons 3:30-4:30 P2</p> <p>Engineering A6 Mr Morgan</p>	<p>Girls Rugby Field Ms Ewing</p> <p>Orchestra 3:40-4:45pm in the Main School Hall Ms Marriott</p>			



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SPORTS FIXTURES AND RESULTS

Results for week commencing 7th November

FOOTBALL					
07.11.22	KSFA Rd 2	U14A	V Tunbridge Wells Grammar School for Boys	Away	Won 1- 2
08.11.22	ESFA Rd 2	U16A	V Hurstmere Foundation for Boys	Home	Lost 1- 2
08.11.22	ESFA Rd 2	U12B	V Ravens Wood School	Away	Lost 15 – 1
09.11.22	ESFA Rd 3	1 st XI	V Forest School	Home	Lost 1 – 2
09.11.22	KSFA QF	U13B	V Radnor House Sevenoaks	Away	2-2 AET Won Pens
10.11.22	ESFA Rd 2	U14B	V King Henry	Away	Won 1 – 3
11.11.22	ESFA Rd 2	U14A	V The Kingston Academy	Away	Postponed
RUGBY					
07.11.22	Friendly	U13A	V St Olave's Grammar	Home	Lost 10 – 35
10.11.22	Friendly	U15A	V St Olave's Grammar	Home	Lost 5- 19
BASKETBALL					
07.11.22	National Cup	U16A	V Chadwell Heath Academy	Home	Won 41 - 15
10.11.22	National Cup	U14A	V The City Academy, Hackney	Home	Postponed

Fixtures for week commencing 14th November

FOOTBALL					
11.11.22	ESFA Rd 3	U16A	V Rutlish School	Home	3pm KO
14.11.22	Area Cup	U12A	V Wilmington Grammar boys	Home	2:45pm KO
15.11.22	ESFA	U13A	V Thomas Tallis School	Home	2:30pm KO
16.11.22	KSFA Rd 1	1 st XI	V Maidstone Grammar	Home	2:30pm KO
16.11.22	KSFA Rd 1	2 nd XI	V Borden Grammar	Away	2pm KO
17.11.22	Kent League	1 st XI Girls	V Bexley Grammar	Away	2:15pm KO
17.11.22	KSFA Cup	U14A	V Stationers' Crown Woods Academy	Home	2:30pm KO
17.11.22	KSFA Rd 3	U13A	V Bonus Pastor Catholic College	Home	2:45pm KO
18.11.22	ESFA Rd 3	U14A	V The Kingston Academy	Away	1:30pm KO
RUGBY					
15.11.22	Friendly	U13A	V Stationers' Crown Woods Academy	Home	3:15pm KO
15.11.22	Friendly	U14A	V St Olave's Grammar	Away	2:30pm KO
16.11.22	Friendly	1 st XV	V Maidstone Grammar	Away	2pm KO
BASKETBALL					
14.11.22	National Cup	U16A	V Chadwell Heath Academy	Away	4pm tip off
14.11.22	National Cup	U14A	V Maidstone Grammar	Home	4:15pm tip off
16.11.22	National Cup	U18A	V King Edward VI Grammar, Chelmsford	Home	1:30pm tip off
16.11.22	National Cup	U16A	V Ormiston Park Academy	Home	3:30pm tip off
17.11.22	Area Cup	U12A	V Ravens Wood School	Home	4pm tip off
18.11.22	Jr NBA tournament	U13A	V Wilmington Academy	Away	3:30pm tip off
18.11.22	Jr NBA tournament	U13A	V Ravens Wood School	Away	3:30pm tip off
NETBALL					
15.11.22	Friendly	1 st VII Girls	V Haberdashers Aske' Crayford	Away	3:30pm KO

*Please note that some matches may be cancelled/postponed and therefore we ask you to keep an eye on the SOCS website.

Beths Grammar School | Sports Home (bethssport.co.uk)

KEEPING YOUR CHILD SAFE ONLINE

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many issues which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit www.nationalonlinesafety.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about HOW TO COMBAT ONLINE BULLYING



Defined as "ongoing hurtful behaviour towards someone online", cyber-bullying makes its victims feel upset, uncomfortable and unsafe. In the digital world, it has numerous forms – such as hurtful comments on a person's posts or profile; deliberately leaving them out of group chats; sharing embarrassing images or videos of someone; or spreading gossip about them. Cyber-bullying can severely impact a young person's mental health – so, in support of Anti-Bullying Week, we've provided a list of tips to help trusted adults know what to look for and how to respond to it.

1. GET CONNECTED

Playing online games together with your child or connecting with them on social media (providing they're old enough) is not only fun but also an excellent way of establishing some common ground to discuss things you've both seen or done online – as well as keeping an eye on who your child is communicating with in the digital world.

2. KEEP TALKING

Regular chats with young people about their online lives are good practice in general, but they can also be an excellent refresher to help prevent cyber-bullying situations. Topics you might want to revisit include why it's important to only connect online with people we know and trust, and why passwords should always remain secret (even from our best friends).

3. STAY VIGILANT

Observe your child while they're using technology and just after they've used it. Are they acting normally, or out of character? Possible signs of a problem may include seeming quiet or withdrawn, jumpy or anxious, angry or repeatedly checking their phone. When you feel it's the right time, you may want to check in with them to see if everything is OK.

4. MAKE YOURSELF AVAILABLE

If an online bullying incident does occur, it may take a while before your child is ready to open up about what happened. Just gently remind them that they can always come to you with any problems – and that they won't be in trouble. You might also suggest a trusted family member they could turn to, in case they feel too embarrassed to tell you directly.

5. BE PREPARED TO LISTEN

When conversations about online bullying do take place, they're likely to be difficult, emotional and upsetting for both you and your child. Actively listen to your child while they're bringing you up to speed, and try not to show any judgement or criticism – even if they haven't dealt with the situation in exactly the way you would have hoped.

FURTHER SUPPORT AND ADVICE

If you or your child need additional help with an online bullying issue, here are some specialist organisations that you could reach out to.

Childline: talk to a trained counsellor on 0800 1111 or online at www.childline.org.uk/get-support/

National Bullying Helpline: counsellors are available on 0845 225 5787 or by visiting www.nationalbullyinghelpline.co.uk/cyberbullying.html

The NSPCC: the children's charity has a guide to the signs of bullying at www.nspcc.org.uk/what-is-child-abuse/types-of-abuse/bullying-and-cyberbullying/ and can be reached on 0808 800 5000

6. EMPOWER YOUR CHILD

Depending on their age, your child might not want a parent 'fighting their battles for them'. In that case, talk through their options with them (blocking the perpetrator, deleting the app and so on). By allowing your child to choose the path they take, you're putting them in control but are also demonstrating that you're there to support them along the way.

7. REPORT BULLIES ONLINE

Cyber-bullying often takes place through a particular app, social media platform or online game. If this is happening to your child, encourage them to report the offender to the app or game in question – ideally with screenshots to support their complaint. Most games and apps have reporting tools specifically to stamp out abusive behaviour and protect users.

8. ENCOURAGE EMPATHY

Protecting themselves online is the priority, of course, but young people should also feel empowered to help if they witness other people falling victim to cyberbullying. Even if they don't feel confident enough to call someone out on their abusive behaviour online, they can still confidentially report that person to the app or game where the bullying occurred.

9. SEEK EXPERT ADVICE

Victims of online bullying frequently experience feelings of isolation and anxiety, a loss of self-esteem and potentially even thoughts of self-harm or suicide. If you think that an incident of cyber-bullying has affected your child's mental wellbeing, then seek psychological support for them. There are some useful contact details in the central panel below.

10. INVOLVE THE AUTHORITIES

If the nature of any online bullying makes you suspect that your child is genuinely in imminent physical danger – or if there are any signs whatsoever of explicit images being shared as part of the bullying – then you should gather any relevant screenshots as evidence and report the incidents to your local police force.

Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant, educator and researcher who has developed and implemented anti-bullying and cyber safety policies for schools. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government comparing internet use and sexting behaviour of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.



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BETHS PARENTS ASSOCIATION

1. Latest Parents' Association events

Christmas season is fastly approaching, why not raise funds for Beths while doing your shopping!

On Tuesday 8th of November 2022, Beths PA committee members met to discuss with great interest future strategy and fundraising activities. Thrilling projects will be shared shortly with the school community so we can work together by providing positive outcomes to the requests received by several department at Beths School.

Thursday 8th December 2022 - Beths Christmas Jumpers Day!



Ahead of this friendly event, please donate your pre-loved Christmas Jumper. The PA will

organise a sale to raise funds for the school and a charity. Please drop your Christmas Jumper off at the School's Reception or contact us on: beths.parents.association@gmail.com

The PA is launching a new festive fundraising activity - Beths Christmas Tree Sale!

Why not order your Christmas tree from Beths Parents Association and raise money for the students? There are Five tree options and prices to choose from, ranging from £29.25 (3- 4ft) to £53.50 (premium grade 7-8ft tree). Collection of your tree(s) from the school on **Thursday 1st December 2022 from 4pm to 7pm**. Please contact Beths PA for further details: beths.parents.association@gmail.com

Spread the word and let your family and friends know about this great event



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2. PA's ongoing fundraising campaigns



Thank you to all families who are generously supporting the PA by buying tickets. Many are getting their families and friends actively involved!

This is a simple way that not only supports our fund raising but also gives you the chance to win either a £20 or £10 monthly prize. To purchase your lucky numbers please complete the enclosed form and return it to the school office. Each number costs only £7, payable via the link below:

<https://checkout.square.site/merchant/MLJBMNWTMAZ24/checkout/QU7DMNSRYWZOIBWFUXH72VOH> or scan below QR code:



Or via school's Parent Pay system when your son starts in year 7, which allow entry for the 12 monthly and 4 quarterly draws. The winning numbers are randomly drawn at the monthly PA meeting.

Please register now by completing the form available on Beths Parents Association web page: Beths Grammar School - Parents Association or simply contact us on:

beths.parents.association@gmail.com

3. Match Funding can help raise Thousands of Pounds

Let's generate even MORE funds for Beths Parents Association by applying Match Funding Scheme.

65% of large companies have a match funding policy. Follow these steps to find out!



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1. Employers such as banks (Barclays...) are willing to support their employees in their charitable work by matching pound - for - pound anything employees raise for beneficial causes within certain rules
2. Raise money for our school by checking with your company if they do match funding either:
3. Contact us and we will provide you with a letter evidencing your great involvement in our events with the amount raised.

4. Amazon Smile & Easyfundraising: Help us raise more funds while you do your shopping



Raise even more funds and set up a challenge with your family and friends by asking them to select Beths Parents Association on AmazonSmile:

Please go to smile.amazon.co.uk and search for Beths Parents' Association. You need to start each of your shopping sessions at the URL smile.amazon.co.uk.

If you shop elsewhere online, please join Easyfundraising. Again, it costs nothing to you and Beths PA will automatically receive a donation.

You can sign up at www.easyfundraising.org.uk/BethsPA and we will receive a donation anytime you shop.



BETHS PARENTS ASSOCIATION

5. Cash donations in collection buckets

Throughout the year, Beths Parents' Association works closely with school to raise funds for several requests such as:

- Books and equipment for the new library
- PE rugby junior size tops
- Sports awards trophies
- Basketball electronic scoreboard
- Ongoing projects



so please donate via this QR code or by following this link:

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6. Reuse, Reduce, Recycle Scheme: PA's new 3Rs scheme



BETHS PA
NEARLY NEW UNIFORM SHOP



Price List:	
Blazers	£10
Trousers	£3
Jumpers	£3
PE Shorts	£5
Tracksuit Bottoms	£5
Tracksuit Top	£5
Long Sleeve Games top	£5
Short Sleeve Games top	£5
House colour PE top	£5
White shirts	£3 New £5
House Tie	£1

Uniform Donations are very welcome.

Please contact for donations and purchases:
beths.parents.association@gmail.com

PA Uniform Shop - We are selling these items, please email the PA via:
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THANK YOU!

Important dates

Beths PA Christmas Tree Sale: Thursday 1st December 2022, 4-7pm at Beths Grammar School

Beths Christmas Jumper Day: Thursday 8th December 2022 -

Uniform Sale: December (TBC)

Next PA meeting: Tuesday 13th December 2022@ 7.30pm - Teams

Quiz Night: 2023 (Date TBC)

Please keep checking on our website and social media pages for upcoming events



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