

News

TOGETHERNESS



Coming together for a great evening!

Staff, students, parents and special guests joined in the celebration of our students' recognitions and achievements.

Fir Vale School's Annual Presentation Evening was a fantastic success, with proud parents applauding their children for receiving the recognition for top in either Attainment or Progress in a subject.

The Junior Leadership Team were fabulous at hosting the evening with Head Boy, Ismael and Head Girl, Isra welcoming our special guest for the evening Sioned-Mair Richards, Lord Mayor of Sheffield. She has invited all of our Pupil Parliament to her parlour to have cake and discuss reading.

Deputy Head Boy, Mohammed and Deputy Head Girl, Tereza also presented alongside to celebrate our student's achievements.

We were also pleased to welcome Jackie Satur, Lady Mayoress, Kevin Straughan, Director of Education & Skills and Ajman Ali, Executive Director of Operational Services.

Mrs Smith Headteacher, also hosted the special awards evening, along with Deputy Headteacher, Miss Charlton, presenting the school's values trophies:

Achievement, Opportunity, Respect, Togetherness, Determination and Kindness.



Headteacher's Update

I have been so impressed by student leadership this term at Fir Vale School.

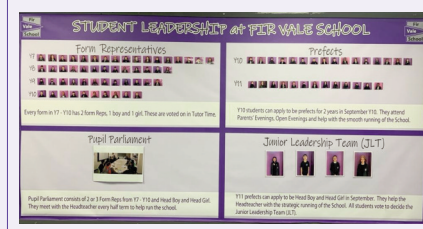


There are so many opportunities for students to lead at school, not just in Pupil Parliament and form reps but as prefects, sports and language leaders and in many other areas.

We welcomed so many important visitors to our school in the last few days and all of them commended our students for their warmth, determination and commitment to succeed.

Well done to all and have a good break!

Rachel Smith, Headteacher



What a Scoop!



Congratulations to Ms Cassy and her team of Y9 Better Learners, Better Workers Ambassadors.

They not only scooped the 'School of the Year' award, but also student, Ali, won the prestigious outstanding 'Student of the Year' award.



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Y7 Bowling @ Hollywood Bowl

Competing against primary and secondary schools they were placed joint second!

What an amazing achievement for their very first tournament!



Reward Trip 2023!

Alton Towers Attendance Reward trip.

Hundreds of Y7-Y10 students earned the trip this year.

Please note the criteria is strict to gain a free trip, even an authorised absence is an absence, which is why we have not just restricted the trip to those with 100% attendance.

Attendance, good behaviour and good punctuality all go towards earning a place!



Dates for your diary

Monday 31st October 2022
Back to School for all students

Thursday 24th & Friday 25th November 2022
School Closure Days

Thursday 1st December 2022
Y11 Parents' Evening

Thursday 8th December 2022
Y7/Y10 Parents' Evening

Tuesday 13th December 2022
Winter Showcase

WE ARE OVER THE MOON!



From left to right: Mrs Rayworth, Miss Akhtar, Miss Rahman, Mrs Smith, Ms Galmes, Miss Nadeem & Mrs Hussain

Congratulations to Fir Vale School who won the national Pastoral School of the Year!

This award was joyfully accepted by representatives from the school pastoral team on behalf of the whole staff at Fir Vale School.

"We're over the moon, it's a team effort where all our staff work hard to give our students the best care they can." said Rachel Smith, Headteacher.

Time for a Check Up!



Y11's were shown a range of careers available in Dentistry and had some interesting questions.

Thank you to Miss Lawrence who facilitated from the University of Sheffield.

Electives!

Every Wednesday afternoons the Electives Programme provides broader skills and are highly valued by the students.



The Arts Award



Lego Construction



Taking the Opportunity!

Our students for the second year running attended the 'Year 11 Conference' at Hillsborough Football Stadium.



The students took part in memory and revision sessions, talked about exam stress, and had the opportunity to talk to lots of ex-Fir Vale students about their journey since being with us.

This all took place in the fantastic executive boxes and conference suites at Hillsborough Football Stadium.



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