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Under the Young Responder programme delivered by St Johns Ambulance, our Year 12 students learned a highly valuable life skill this week. They received scenario-based hands on First Aid training to equip them with vital skills including primary survey and CPR designed to help themselves or someone in their community in the future should the need arise.







Our year 10 engineers were visited during National careers week by two members of the Royal Electrical and Mechanical Engineers (REME). A lively session learning all about their trades and career pathways in REME and competing in teams to build the most efficient vehicle to be propelled by high pressure air to survive the race in the corridor.























A weekend at PGL Marchants Hill Surrey was sandwiched between two Rugby venues and five games, giving a full-on three-day tour for year 7 & 8 rugby.

The tour started with a visit to Chosen Hill School in Cheltenham with the Y8s coming away with a win. On the return journey, games were played in Swindon against Supermarine RFC and Andover RFC and once again handsome wins were secured.

Whilst at PGL, activities including climbing, campfire singing, abseiling, silent disco and zip wire kept the troops entertained.

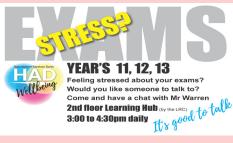




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Having started pracising Judo at Wrekin Star Judo club just a year ago, Alex has already participated in a number of competitions. Winning Bronze on his first regional and gold at inter-club, he's just secured Silver at his second regional competition. By working hard and showing great commitment, Alex is aiming for another medal at his next event in April.







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in the semi-finals, giving them third place against some tough competition.

Options at 16 and 18

• Other vocational routes

Work experience

T Levels and Apprenticeships

The Parents' Guide to For National Careers Week HIGHLIGHTS:

Darby, coming 2nd in the TAW plate just missing out to WBS.

Well done to P.Lyle and M.Bradburn from Year 9 who stepped up to help the year 11 team out.

The U13s came 2nd in the County Shropshire plate.

The U18s team played against SHS and had a very convincing win 56-14. Well done to A.Cooke for playing up and getting Player of the Match.

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lalk The Talk

Year 7 pupils participated in Talk the Talk workshops. Watching their confidence and oracy skills grow from start to finish was an absolute pleasure to witness. Pupils stood in front of their peers and delivered a speech with great posture and purpose. This

is not an easy task for many of us, however our pupils stuck to the goal, got involved and did themselves proud. Impressive speaking!





Chloe Whitham competed at the British Weightlifting English Age Groups competition in the U15 81KG category, successfully completing 5 out of 6 lifts and is again the U15 81KG English Champion.

Snatch - Chloe opened with a 57kg snatch attempt, this is her highest ever opening lift. She missed the first attempt but was successful with her second attempt. Her final snatch lift was a 60kg snatch which she successfully completed and represents a new Personal Best (PB).

Clean & Jerk - Chloe opened with a 60kg C&J attempt, this is her highest ever opening C&J Lift. She was successful and then moved on to successfully lift 64kg. This represented a new competition PB. For her final lift she successfully lifted 67kg, another new Personal Best.

Her competition total was 127kg, this represents a 9kg increase on her total since British Age Groups in September, a new PB competition total.



A busy weekend for some of the Year 7 squads. The u13s won the Packwood Invitational going 5/5. The u16s didn't do enough to progress from the group stages of the Oakham Invitational with two narrow losses and a draw against the prestigious Stowe School.









Three Year 12 students, Ruby Crossley, Oliver Clarke and Rosie Fellows flew to Poland on a one-day visit with the Holocaust Educational Trust.

First stop was Oświęcim, the town in which the Nazis established Auschwitz I. Students then visited both Auschwitz I and II (Auschwitz-Birkenau) where they toured the sites and spoke closely with Rabbi Martin who delivered a ceremony at the end of the visit to remember the millions of lives lost during the Holocaust.



