

NEWS & VIEWS

Aspiration, Character & Excellence

Headteacher: Mr S McLaughlin

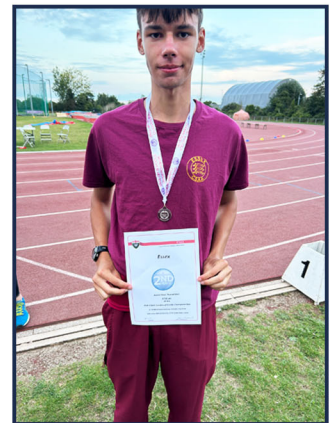
Headteacher's Comment:

At last the unseasonal weather has gone and we have returned to more manageable temperatures. In my first assemblies I spoke to the students about the importance of high expectations – that was a key factor in Chase's transformation to good. Uniform is one area where we have very high expectations – we expect all students to wear our uniform with pride. Given we have returned to cooler weather, the expectation is exemplary uniform, especially in terms of wearing blazers, shirts tucked in, skirts not rolled up, and shoes, not trainers. Thank you to parents and carers for your continued support with this. Finally, congratulations to all our sports award winners. We are all very proud of your achievements.

It was amazing to have Fatima Whitbread as our guest speaker. A truly inspirational athlete. Many thanks to the PE department for making the evening possible and working so tirelessly to enable students to achieve at the highest level – Arsenii being a case in point!

National Combined Events Championships:

On Saturday morning, Arsenii in Year 10, represented Essex at the National Combined Events Championships. The Championships see the best all round athletes in the country compete in hurdles, shot putt, high jump, long jump and 800m. Arsenii set personal bests in shot (by well over a meter!), long jump and 800m. He also set a personal best for overall points and finished an amazing sixth place. This placing is even more impressive as he has only been training for these events for four months. We are so proud of what he has achieved in such a short period of time! Well done Arsenii!



Sports Awards:

Our annual Sports Awards Evening took place this week, with over 100 sporting awards presented to students in Years 7-11 who have excelled in a variety of sports. British World Champion Javelin Thrower, Fatima Whitbread, presented the awards and talked to students and guests about her journey to success. It was a fantastic opportunity to celebrate our students' sporting achievements and share our pride with parents and guests. A special mention to our overall winners for all round sporting excellence; William, Harmony, Arsenii, Kara, Andrew and Jemimah!





School Photographs:

Last week Miss Walton, Mrs Bradley and other staff did an amazing job ensuring every student had their photograph taken to ensure our records are up to date - it was a logistical masterclass! Parents/carers will need to pre-register to enable access to their child's photographs, registration only takes a minute. Please visit www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk and enter the following code: **JR25FR4** You will then be asked to pre-register with your child's full school register name. Carmel Jane advise the photographs will be able to buy online from Monday 25 September to those who have pre-registered. So, don't miss out, pre-register this weekend.



Rewards:

Next week is the first **LORIC** week of the year! During tutor time this week pupils will be completing an **organisational** task, where they will have a chance to display their creative, planning and **organisational** skills in order to try to win the **LORIC** week competition. Pupils have done a fantastic job of earning house points and badges for their houses this week.

House points totals for this week



1031



931



910



1034



Preloved Uniform Shop:

We are starting a preloved uniform shop for the Chase community and are currently looking for uniform donations to get started! If you have any items of school uniform that you wish to donate to the school, please hand them in to main school reception.



Year 11 Events:

Our Year 11 Curriculum Evening is taking place on Thursday 28 September from 5.00 pm to 6.00 pm. This meeting will provide students and parents/carers with key information about the year ahead. The Post-16 Opening Evening then begins at 6.00 pm to 7.30 pm and will allow Year 11 students to explore the A-Level and BTEC courses we offer in our Sixth Form.



Word of the Week

The word of the week from Monday 25 September 2023 is **Describe**; to give a detailed account of something in words. Pupils will explore this word during tutor time.

Describe

To give a detailed account of something in words.

LORIC
COMMUNICATION



Dates for your Diary:

26.09.23 European Day of Languages
27.09.23 Year 7 Team Building
28.09.23 Flu Immunisations

28.09.23 Year 11 Curriculum Evening /P16 Open Evening
04.10.23 Year 7 Welcome Evening
12.10.23 Year 10 Parents' Evening



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CHASE HIGH SIXTH FORM OPEN EVENING



“Students are well prepared for university, or the workplace.”

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Join us on
Thursday 28 September
6.00pm - 7.30pm

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CHASE HIGH SCHOOL PRELOVED

Uniform donations are needed!

**Blazers, trousers, skirts,
shirts, jumpers and
Chase PE kits.**



**Drop donations at
Main School Reception**