



## December Newsletter



### Message from Mr Johnson

I hope you are all feeling festive and looking forward to the Christmas break. Although November has been wet and cold, I definitely sense the Christmas spirit is with us now! As ever, the second part of the Autumn term is one of the most productive of the year. It is good to pause and reflect on the significant achievements this term. First and foremost, our students from all year groups have been working hard in lessons and learning so much. Furthermore, so many students have been taking part and enjoying our exemplary extra-curricular programme.

The Art exhibition, held over several weeks at the Guildhall, showcased the outstanding work of our GCSE and A level students. I was incredibly proud to show the Mayor of King's Lynn, Paul Bland (also a long serving Springwood Governor) around the exhibition to see the high quality work produced. Conversely, the STEM Christmas lectures provided an opportunity for students interested in the world of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics to hear first hand the exciting and diverse career opportunities available in these areas too.

It was a privilege to meet and talk with year 7, 8, 9 & 10 parents at the tutor evenings this term. The feedback I received was incredibly positive indeed. Our tutors and year leaders work tirelessly to support your children and it is great to see that this is appreciated by parents.

Every year we remember those who have defended our freedom on Remembrance Day. Our year 7 students showed great maturity in paying their respects, and in how they conducted themselves during the outdoor service. It was wonderful to see all of our students involved in any form of uniformed service wearing their uniforms for the day and taking part in the parade. Similarly, I attended the Air Cadets annual award ceremony at the Town Hall where many of our students enjoy the excellent opportunities provided.

As I write this, I have both the Trust Carol Concert and the Springwood Christmas concert to look forward to. As ever I am sure that all those who attend will have a fantastically festive experience. I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year!

Mr Johnson





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# FAREWELL

## Message from Head of Year

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we draw to the close of this first term of GCSE studies, I wanted to take a moment to reflect on what has been a truly fantastic start for our Year 10 pupils. It has been an absolute pleasure to see them embrace this important stage of their education with such maturity, focus, and genuine enthusiasm for learning.

The behaviour in lessons has been exceptional, and the atmosphere in classrooms has been one of curiosity, determination, and an eagerness to soak up knowledge. Our pupils are setting themselves high standards and are demonstrating a real hunger to succeed – something that fills me with immense pride and confidence for the journey ahead.

This newsletter, however, carries bittersweet feelings for me personally, as it will be my last one as a member of the Springwood High School community. I am moving on to a new post elsewhere, but I leave with a heavy heart, knowing how special this year group is and how supportive you, as parents, have been. It has been a privilege to work alongside such a dedicated cohort of young people and to have had the unwavering backing of families who care so deeply about their children's success.

I would like to extend my most sincere thanks to all of you. Your support has been invaluable, particularly when the school has had to make decisions to ensure the very best for your children. This partnership between home and school has undoubtedly played a huge part in the positivity and success we are seeing in Year 10 so far.

Although I will not be here to see the remainder of their journey, I leave knowing that the pupils of Year 10 have an incredibly bright future ahead of them. I am excited to hear of their achievements as they continue to grow, learn, and thrive in all that they do.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable break, and every success for the months ahead.

Merry Christmas

Dan Hobbs



### Final Motivational Assembly by Mr Hobbs

Today, Mr. Hobbs delivered his final Thursday assembly, which, as always, was both motivational and sprinkled with his signature humor.

As we prepare to say goodbye to Mr. Hobbs this term, I'm sure you'll agree that he has been an exceptional Head of Year, deeply valued by both staff and pupils alike. He will be greatly missed, but we wish him every success in his new venture, where we have no doubt he will continue to excel.

Good Luck Mr Hobbs





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# WELCOME

## Message from Rebecca Davies-Mays

Hello year 10 parents and students. As you may be aware I will be looking after year 10 in the New Year after Mr Hobbs departure. I have already started getting to know the students and look forward to getting to know you better as well. Mr Hobbs is leaving some big boots to fill and a year group that have made a phenomenal start to their GCSE's. I look forward to supporting them and guiding them through their remaining time at Springwood. Mr Baxter will be supporting me in this role as I will still be looking after year 7.

I wish you all a restful holiday and a happy and healthy new year

Rebecca Davies-Mays

## Message from New Assistant Head of Year

Dear Parents and Guardians

My name is Mr Baxter and I am very pleased to take on the role of assistant head of year 10 alongside my position as a PE teacher. Having been a form tutor, across multiple forms for this year group, over the past three years, I have got to know the students well and I am committed to supporting their continued success. I look forward to working alongside Mrs Davies-Mays, students, staff and parents to ensure a productive and positive year. Please feel free to contact me if I can help in any way.

Mr Baxter

### Year Office Contact Details

Year 10 Office direct dial 24/7 – 01553 778099

Year 10 email – [classof2026@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:classof2026@springwoodhighschool.co.uk)

Assistant Head of Year – Mr Baxter - [j.baxter@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:j.baxter@springwoodhighschool.co.uk)

Year 10 Manager – Miss Savage - [k.savage@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:k.savage@springwoodhighschool.co.uk)

School Website [www.springwoodhighschool.co.uk](http://www.springwoodhighschool.co.uk)



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### Latest News



For all the very latest Springwood School news please follow @SHSKingsLynn

For all the latest Sport & PE news please follow @SHSS\_PE

### School Term Dates

First Day of Term	Last Day of Term
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2025
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2025	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2025	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2025
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2025	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2025

### School Closure & Staff Training Days

Staff Training Day	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025
May Day Closure	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May 2025

### Attendance Information

**What should I do if my child is unwell?** – If your child is unwell, please call the Year 10 Office on 01553 778099 or email [classof2026@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:classof2026@springwoodhighschool.co.uk) before 8.00am and give the specific reasons and symptoms of the illness. You will need to contact the office EVERY DAY that your child is off. The information you give will be recorded on our official register.

If you are unsure whether to send your child to school please see the flowing link:

[https://67aa.educdn.net/e/n57jy8/dsNF7c?\\_su&nk=NjU2NGE3Yzk0NDE3ZTQyOTY5YTAxZiBjLGthdGILLmdyaWZmaXRoc0Bub3Jmb2xrLmdvdvi51azo60jRneGZkd2dnc3VpeG11cGQ](https://67aa.educdn.net/e/n57jy8/dsNF7c?_su&nk=NjU2NGE3Yzk0NDE3ZTQyOTY5YTAxZiBjLGthdGILLmdyaWZmaXRoc0Bub3Jmb2xrLmdvdvi51azo60jRneGZkd2dnc3VpeG11cGQ)

**Leave of Absence** – There may be exceptional circumstances where you need to request a leave of absence for your child. You will need to submit a “Leave of Absence Form.” These can be found on the school website or we have a paper copy in the office. This form needs handing into the Year 10 office. You will then receive a phone call, email or SIMS message stating if your request has been granted or denied.



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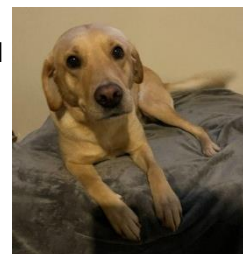


### Attendance Message

#### Attendance Matters - Winter 2024

We have had another good half term with attendance in year groups across the school. A number of students have also been involved with attendance challenges this term and we are delighted to see so many successes with children improving their attendance. In addition to this over 440 students still have 100% attendance, with many more just having a single day or session off this term. For attendance purposes your child needs to be in school at 08:50 and 13:25 to collect their morning and afternoon registrations respectively, so if you do have to take your child for a medical appointment, please try to work around these times if at all possible.

With the onset of Winter, we are now seeing a rise in students off school with bugs. If they have a high temperature or sickness then please keep them at home until it has returned to normal. For colds, your child can attend school. If you need to send in any paracetamol or other medication, please leave this with the year office – the year manager will contact you before any medication is given to your child.



Finally, we would like to introduce you to Wren, our newest member of the attendance team. She will be visiting the school on certain days from January to support students in well-being and attendance. Students may be invited to spend time with her.

We realise that some students may not wish to meet her, for whatever reason. If you would not like your child to meet with Wren, please complete the following form electronically:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdM1iwo9aXA-TvOkFhxV2wLoaYJum79yRud6oXggmegmsUK7Q/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdM1iwo9aXA-TvOkFhxV2wLoaYJum79yRud6oXggmegmsUK7Q/viewform?usp=sf_link)

We hope you have an enjoyable holiday and look forward to seeing everyone again on Tuesday 7th January 2025.

### YEAR 10 FORM GROUP ATTENDANCE

10B2	94.42%
10O2	94.32%
10S2	93.46%
10O1	93.37%
10F2	91.25%
10F1	91.23%
10H1	88.74%
10S1	88.03%
10H2	87.79%
10B1	82.74%





# 100% Attendance

5<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER – 16<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2024



Kira	10B1
Aiden	10B1
Hager	10B2
Jonathan	10B2
Angelina	10B2
Emily	10B2
Alfie	10B2
Antoni	10B2
Isabella	10B2
Maisie	10B2
Jack	10F1
Samuel	10F1
Abdullah	10F1
Charlotte	10F2
Esther	10F2
Faith	10F2
Traian	10F2
Tamzin	10F2
Hui	10F2
Thea	10H1
Daisy-Louise	10H1
Nickolas	10H1
Nyasha	10H1

Macy	10H2
Jeshaun	10H2
William	10H2
Moayad	10H2
Felix	10H2
Daisy	10O1
Ruby	10O1
Sandra	10O1
Senoozhika	10O1
Leila	10O1
Daisy	10O2
Ella-Louise	10O2
Riley	10O2
Kristers	10O2
Kaden	10O2
Lola	10S1
Charlie	10S1
Daniel	10S2
Olivia	10S2
Finley	10S2
Gregory	10S2



# Well done!

ACHIEVEMENT POINTS

10,777

Ten Thousand, Seven Hundred  
and Seventy-Seven



Keep up the good work.



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### Music/Drama Events Calendar Spring Term

Tuesday 28th Jan '25	Joseph and his Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat ('semi-staged' Musical) – <i>with live band</i>	PHH, Springwood High School.	Adults £8 Under 18s £5 Under 5 years free*	6.30pm	-----
Wednesday 29th Jan '25	Joseph and his Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat ('semi-staged' Musical) – <i>with live band</i>	PHH, Springwood High School.	Adults £8 Under 18s £5 Under 5 years free*	6.30pm	-----
Thursday 6th Feb '25	WNAT Vocal Evening	Drama Studio, Springwood High School	Free (with retiring collection)	6.00pm	Cross Trust Vocal Solos, Duets, Trios and choirs (all styles and genres)
Monday 10th Feb'25	The 39 Steps	Drama Studio, Springwood High School	tbc	7.00pm	Drama Theatrical Production
Tuesday 11th Feb'25	The 39 Steps	Drama Studio, Springwood High School	tbc	7.00pm	Drama Theatrical Production
Wednesday 12th Feb'25	The 39 Steps	Drama Studio, Springwood High School	tbc	7.00pm	Drama Theatrical Production
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb '25	Rock and Pop Evening ( <i>Battle of the Bands</i> )	Drama Studio, Springwood High School	Free (with retiring collection)	6.00pm	Cross Trust Rock and Pop Bands and Performers including voices with guitar etc.
Wednesday 5th Mar'25	Music for Youth Regional Festival ( <i>Prov. Date</i> )	PHH, Springwood High School.	Free	9.00am - 4.30pm	Musical groups of all types and sizes from across the WNAT and elsewhere, competing for a place at the National Festival in Birmingham in July.
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> Mar '25	Concert Band Spectacular	PHH, Springwood High School	Adults £5 Under 18s £3	7.00pm	Springwood Concert Band West Norfolk Wind Orchestra ( <i>the Community Band of WNAT</i> )
Tuesday 18th Mar'25	Schools Make Music Concert	Corn Exchange	Corn Exchange Box Office	6.30pm	Springwood Concert Band plus Choirs and Vocal groups from other trust schools.
Thursday 20th Mar '25	Spring Recital Evening	Recital Room (Mu1) Springwood High School	Free (with retiring collection)	6.00pm	Soloists and Small Ensembles from Springwood High School

\* Under 5s Free of Charge if do not require own seat (i.e. able to sit on parents' lap)

For Ticket Sales nearer the event date please visit

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/springwood-high-school-music-department>



# Remembrance

We were proud to hear that some of our Year 10 students participated in local parades on Remembrance Sunday. Following this, they were invited to take part in the service held at school on that Monday.



“ For Remembrance Day we paraded to respect our fallen men and women as a joined cadet force. We were proud to display what we have learned in the cadets and we would recommend joining cadets to everyone.

Chris M & Elizabeth W ”



In Flanders fields the poppies blow  
 Between the crosses, row on row,  
 That mark our place; and in the sky  
 The larks, still bravely singing, fly  
 Scarce heard amid the guns below.  
 We are the Dead. Short days ago  
 We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
 Loved and were loved, and now we lie  
 In Flanders fields.  
 Take up our quarrel with the foe:  
 To you from failing hands we throw  
 The torch; be yours to hold it high.  
 If ye break faith with us who die  
 We shall not sleep, though poppies grow  
 In Flanders fields.

– Major John McCrae



“ On Sunday the 10<sup>th</sup> November we took part in the Gaywood Remembrance Day Parade with St John’s Ambulance Cadets. We enjoyed helping out and were there to help out if there was a medical incident. We were carrying a defibrillator in case anybody needed it.

Erin R & Lily E ”





## Rotary Club Technology Tournament

The Annual Rotary Club Technology tournament saw Springwood compete against other schools from the area. The challenge was to design and build a Space capsule Launcher. Various targets had to be met with the final product. The Capsule had to pass through a hoop, reach a minimum height of 3 metres, and be launched remotely from a metre away.

Depending on the level of the teams, there were also extra aspects that needed thinking of - a parachute needed to be included and operate after release; the capsule had to separate from the launcher. (One of the team's designs actually made their object easily clear 3 metres and hit the ceiling in the gym!)

2 Teams from Year 9 attended, along with 2 teams from Year 10 and a Year 12 team.

We were very pleased and proud of all the students who attended and represented the school.

Springwood were Winners for the Intermediate challenge. We were also Runners up for the Foundation challenge, and to top it off - we were Winners of the Foundation challenge as well.

Thanks go to The Rotary club for organising the event, KLA for hosting, and to Bepak for sponsoring the event. Huge thanks go to all the students who participated in the Technology Tournament.



Mr Sedgley.



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*We had no idea what we were going into with this technology competition and we came out as winners by creating a catapult that launched a ball with a parachute 3 metres into the air. It was a great opportunity and we would love to do it again.*

Daisy & Annie

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### SPORTS NEWS

Year 10/11 Girls Rugby



Finished overall 5<sup>th</sup>

### HOUSE STANDINGS

Felbrigg	4
Oxburgh	36
Holkham	18
Blickling	12
Sandringham	16



## Xmas Fair



“ On a random Wednesday there was a Christmas Fair at our school from 5pm to 7:30pm. There were lots of stalls including some students from our year group. Not only were there student stalls we had many external stalls including cakes, mini crafts and personalised gifts. We had lots of people turn up and had lots of people play our games like Name The Reindeer and Elf Pong.

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Maisie



## Photography



Year 10 photographers have got off to a brilliant start to their GCSE studies and are learning and expressing their creativity through digital media. "They already have a good grasp of Adobe photoshop," said Mr Eveson "What took me months to learn, has only taken them a few weeks, which makes me a very proud and happy teacher." Students have started on their second piece of coursework on the theme of Photomontage and are gaining confidence in their own abilities. Students are currently looking at architecture photography and giving it a surreal twists, creating their own

interpretations of Laurent Chehere work to a super standard.

Currently the creative industries are the fastest growing sector in the UK's economy, the government estimates that creative industries generated £126bn in gross value added to the economy and employed 2.4 million people in 2022. We have a strong tradition of our students going in to VFX industry and I am sure some of this cohort will follow.



Mr Eveson

## Food Technology







## STEM



We were delighted to again have students attend our annual STEM Christmas lecture to hear about the diverse range of careers and opportunities in STEM. This year we were very fortunate to have speakers in the fields of ecology and chemical engineering. We would like to give a massive thank you to Martin Tooley and Tom Parks for joining us. The lectures were for all students from Yr7-Yr13 and their parents. With nearly 100 people in attendance it was a wonderful evening.

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*“I had the great opportunity of attending the STEM lectures on the 3rd December. The two lecturers had established careers in chemical engineering and conservation. Both gave incredibly in-depth talks about their respective fields. Each one of their topics had its feet in the GCSE and A-level courses, this allowed a great introduction to these sciences and careers available to the vast amount of students who attended.” - Jaxon W*

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### Act of AMBITIOUS Nominations

- Articulate
- Motivated
- Brave
- Independent
- Thoughtful
- Inquisitive
- Organised
- Unstoppable
- Serious



### Sparx Maths

#### Winner in each Form

B1	Emily
B2	Amogh
F1	Chloe
F2	Aidan
H1	Olivia
H2	Bella
O1	Greg
O2	Georgie
S1	Arthur
S2	Isaac



#### Top Form

10S2
10S1
10O2
10O1
10H2
10H1
10F2
10F1
10B2
10B1

### English Winners







## HOMEWORK



Dear Parent/Guardian

All homeworks for all subjects are now being put onto the my child at school app. You can now see what homework is being set and when it is due. Within 48 hours after the due date, the teacher will change the homework status to "received" for anyone who has completed their homework. If your child has not completed their homework, please encourage them to complete it or attend the support sessions that we run at school.

The following homework support is available;

### Maths

- Breaktimes and lunchtimes in b11
- Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in B11 3.30pm - 4.30pm

### English

- Breaktimes in F12 on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

### All subjects

- Homework club in F10 3.30pm - 4.30pm
- LRC - before school, breaktimes, lunchtimes and after school

Achievement points will be awarded for completion of homework but more achievement points may also be awarded for meeting certain criteria.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly [c.loizou@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:c.loizou@springwoodhighschool.co.uk)

Kind regards

Ms C Loizou





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### Extra-curricular Activities 2024-25

<b>Mon</b>	<p><b>Lunchtime:</b> Maths Homework Club - 11:20 to 11:35 and 12:40 to 13:00 - B11 Kingsmen - Miss Ashby - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU1 Keyboard Club (all abilities) - Mr Howell - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU3</p> <p><b>After School:</b> Sinfonia (strings grade 2+) - Mrs Sargent - 15:30 to 16:30 - MU1 Warhammer Club - Miss Jay - 15:25 to 16:30 - BA3</p>
<b>Tues</b>	<p><b>Lunchtime:</b> Maths Homework Club - 11:20 to 11:35 and 12:40 to 13:00 - B11 Senior Woodwind (grades 3+ flute/clarinet/bassoon) - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU1 Junior Woodwind (grades 1-3 woodwind) - Mrs Garford - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU2 Music Theory (all abilities) - Mr Howell - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU3</p> <p><b>After School:</b> Maths Club - Miss Cook/Miss McEvoy/Miss Yeldham - 15:30 to 16:30 - B8/B11 Cantabene (years 8+) - Miss Ashby - 15:30 to 16:30 - Sixth Form Hub 'Joseph' Small Groups - Mr Norman/Mr Quinn - 15:30 to 16:30 - MU1 Boys Football - PE Staff - 15:25 to 16:30 - Field KS4 Science Support - Mrs Dawson - 15:25 to 16:30 - 07 CANSat STEM - Mr Moore - 15:25 to 16:30 - JL12 Art Club - Miss Jay - 15:25 to 16:30 - BA3</p>
<b>Wed</b>	<p><b>Lunchtime:</b> Maths Homework Club - 11:20 to 11:35 and 12:40 to 13:00 - B11 Environmental Club - Mrs Munns - 12:40 to 13:20 - BL1 Kingsmen - Miss Ashby - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU1 Percussion Ensemble (percussion/drumming) - Mr Westbrook - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU2/MU5</p> <p><b>After School:</b> Maths Club - Miss Cook/Miss McEvoy/Miss Yeldham - 15:30 to 16:30 - B8/B11 Soul Band (by invitation) - Mr Norman/Mr Cuss - 15:30 to 16:30 - MU2 Photography Club - Miss Garner - 15:40 to 16:40 - B12 Dance Club - Mrs Paulo - 15:30 to 16:30 - West Gym Boys Rugby - Mr Hobbs - 15:25 to 16:30 - Field</p>
<b>Thur</b>	<p><b>Lunchtime:</b> Maths Homework Club - 11:20 to 11:35 and 12:40 to 13:00 - B11 Brass Ensemble (brass grade 2+) - Mr Maddison - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU2</p> <p><b>After School:</b> Maths Club - Miss Cook/Miss McEvoy/Miss Yeldham - 15:30 to 16:30 - B8/B11 History Club - Mr Harrison - 15:30 to 16:30 - S7 Concert Band (wind/brass/strings/percussion grade 3+) - Mr Norman/Mr Quinn - 15:30 to 17:00 - Sixth Form Hub Rock Club (beginner guitar/bass/drums/vocals) - Mr Benefer - 15:30 to 16:30 - MU2 Basketball - Mr Singh - 15:25 to 16:30 - East Gym Girls Football - Mr Baxter - 15:25 to 16:30 - Field Girls Netball - Mrs Honey - 15:25 to 16:30 - Astro Chess Club - Mr Wisniewski - 15:25 to 16:30 - LRC</p>
<b>Fri</b>	<p><b>Lunchtime:</b> Maths Homework Club - 11:20 to 11:35 and 12:40 to 13:00 - B11 Brass Ensemble (brass grade 2+) - Mr Maddison - 12:50 to 13:20 - MU2</p> <p><b>After School:</b> Maths Club - Miss Cook/Miss McEvoy/Miss Yeldham - 15:30 to 16:30 - B8/B11 History Club - Mr Harrison - 15:30 to 16:30 - S7 Concert Band (wind/brass/strings/percussion grade 3+) - Mr Norman/Mr Quinn - 15:30 to 17:00 - Sixth Form Hub Rock Club (beginner guitar/bass/drums/vocals) - Mr Benefer - 15:30 to 16:30 - MU2 Basketball - Mr Singh - 15:25 to 16:30 - East Gym Girls Netball - Mrs Sutherland - 15:25 to 16:30 - Astro Chess Club - Mr Wisniewski - 15:25 to 16:30 - LRC</p>



Our new dedicated Facebook page ([Springwood High School PTFA](#)) has been running since September and we now have 61 Followers, but we would love more. Please give us a 'like' and a 'follow' and feel free to spread the word. It's the official place to keep you up-to-date with events and fundraising activities for the students and school.

It has been a busy first term for the PTFA where we have supported the following school events:

- Year 6 Specialist Arts Admission Auditions – 13 October
- Careers Evening – 22 October
- Year 7 Halloween Disco – 24 October
- 6<sup>th</sup> Form Bingo – 7 November
- Christmas Craft Fair – 4 December
- Community Carol Service – 11 December
- Year 8 Christmas Disco - 18 December

One of the biggest events of our PTFA calendar was the annual Christmas Craft Fair at the beginning of December and this raised a spectacular £1000 for the school. Bigger and better than last year, we had 32 stalls from local businesses with a large number of Springwood



students running activities including facepainting and festive games. Thank you to everyone who came and supported the event and a special thank you to those local businesses who kindly donated raffle prizes. This included:

Majestic Cinema  
Philip Tuck Window Cleaning  
Timbos Car Wash  
Javik Lazer Engraving  
Kinks Hairdressing  
Asda, South Wootton



Reffley One Stop  
Mortgage Force  
Love Chloe (florist)  
King's Lynn Roller Hockey Club  
King's Lynn Basketball Club  
Priors Butchers



Pia Plum Designs & Interiors  
Russen & Turner  
Denny's Fish & Chips  
Winter Wonderland Norwich



#### Upcoming events in the New Year include:

- Quiz & Chips – Friday 24 January
- Year 7 Disco – Friday 14 February
- Bingo - tbc

Full details of all events can be found on the [Springwood High School website](#) and our [Facebook page](#).

And finally, if you have any unwanted Christmas presents you do not know what to do with, please think of the PTFA. We'd gladly take them off your hands for future fundraising opportunities. Please contact via our Facebook page or email [ptfa@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:ptfa@springwoodhighschool.co.uk).



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## School Uniform & Sports Kit Checklist

\*Blazer

White, stiff collar school shirt

\*House colour school tie

\*\*Plain black tailored trousers

\*School skirt

\*School shorts

\*School jumper

Plain black tights or plain black socks that must at least cover the whole ankle  
(Trainer socks, and footless tights or leggings are not allowed)

Plain black (leather or leather-like) shoes

(no boots, black trainers, stilettos, ballet pumps, sling backs or toeless)

Plain coat (no logos or other markings) long enough to cover blazer properly

### PE KIT

#### Compulsory:

\*Springwood PE shirt

Black Shorts

Black Socks

Trainers (non-marking sole with grip)

Football Boots

#### Optional:

\*Springwood sweatshirt

Black Track Suit Bottoms

Plain Black leggings

Plain Black 'skin' can be worn under PE shirt

Shin pads and gumshields

#### Items marked \* can only be bought through the school website from Price & Buckland

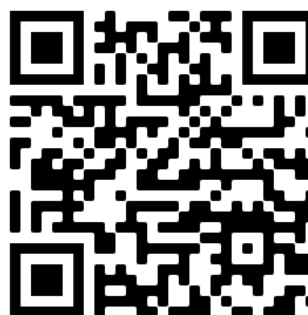
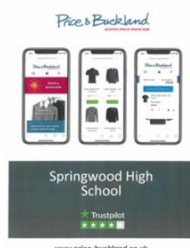
\*\*Trousers deemed appropriate by Springwood High School are available for purchase via our website. School trousers can be purchased from other suppliers. However, if the trousers worn by a student are considered unsuitable or inappropriate and a suitable alternative cannot be sourced from elsewhere, parents/carers will be directed to buy the trousers we have available through our website.

The school reserves the right to make the final decision on the suitability and/or appropriateness of the school trousers worn by Springwood students.

You are now able to order ties from your MCAS app. If you click on 'store' you will see ties are available to buy for £7.95. They will be available to collect from the Finance/Admin office.

To view your online shop visit:

<https://www.pbuniform-online.co.uk/springwoodhigh>







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## Equipment Checklist

All students should have the following with them every day –  
School bag, Knowledge Organiser, Pencil Case (Pens x 2, Red pen,  
Pencil x 2, Ruler, Calculator, Rubber)

Failure to have the correct equipment after being reminded once will result  
in a 2-week EQUIPMENT REPORT.



All students need to be prepared daily.

THANK YOU



MyChildAtSchool has replaced the ParentApp and ParentPay

Parents can access details about their child at school by using MyChildAtSchool. This can either be an app on your phone or by going to [www.mychildatschool.com](http://www.mychildatschool.com)

Your child can access the student portal by using the Bromcom Student App on their phone, and can also be accessed by going to [www.bromcomvle.com/?schoolid=14633](http://www.bromcomvle.com/?schoolid=14633)

These apps are both available from Google Play and the Apple AppStore. A basic user guide, along with other support materials can be found at <https://docs.bromcom.com/article-categories/for-parents/>

If you forget your password please click on the Reset Password link on the App, or, using your web browser, go to the relevant website and click on the Reset Password link. You must use the email address that you have given the school.

Should you experience any issues with your MCAS or Bromcom Student account please contact us for support via the following options:

Tel: 01553 773393

email: [office@springwoodhighschool.co.uk](mailto:office@springwoodhighschool.co.uk)

When emailing, please provide as much detail about your issue so we can make sure we allocate the right department. Please also provide your full name, school and return phone number.



***Have a lovely Christmas break  
& we will see you back at  
school on  
Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025***