



## Student of the Fortnight

<b>Year 7</b>	Rebecca Lawrence (7CRE)
<b>Year 8</b>	Bronwen Craddock (8BB)
<b>Year 9</b>	Chloe James (9CP)
<b>Year 10</b>	Tanisha Giles (10SAH)
<b>Year 11</b>	Megan Roberts (11JW) & Kamal Muhammad (11MT)

*Congratulations!*

## Calendar Dates



**March 26th/27th**

Fame JR. 7pm



**March 27th**

Year 11 Targeted  
Parents Evening (with tutors)

**March 28th**

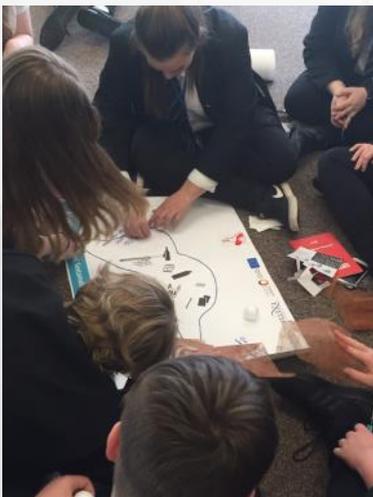
Always Event

**March 29th**

Last Day of Term

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## Exeter University Trip

On Thursday 15th March, a group of Year 10 students had the opportunity to visit the University of Exeter's campus in Penryn to participate in an environment and sustainability outreach day.

Students learnt about toxic mine waste and the problem of plastic in a series of interactive sessions. They were given the opportunity to do some experiments in the university laboratories before presenting their findings. We were lucky enough to get a tour of the university and experience what lectures and student life would be like on campus.

One student said that the trip was, "an inspirational opportunity to see what university would be like in Cornwall". Another suggested that the trip had made him "seriously consider university education for his future" which was something that he hadn't considered previously.

Mrs Willis and Mrs Wingrave were very proud of the way that students immersed themselves in workshops and how enthusiastic they were about considering different routes in education.



# World Book Day (Take 2)



Our World Book Day events were originally scheduled for March 1st, however due to the snow and the school being closed we rescheduled them to Friday 9th March.

There were a number of different things taking place in and around school to mark the occasion - there were also a number of staff in fancy dress! Star prize to Mrs Westley (pictured left) who came into school wearing full "Cruella" attire complete with barking Dalmatian handbag!

Staff and students let their creativity run wild with our Design a T-Shirt competition. We saw a number of fantastic entries (winners below).

Tutor groups took part in a competition to identify which teachers were hiding behind their favourite books.

World Book Day also marked the launch of our sponsored read, every penny raised will be used to purchase books for our library and Usborne Books will donate a further 60% of the total money raised to help us buy even more books.

**If you've yet to bring in your sponsorship money please do so before the end of the week.**

To celebrate their love for reading our KYBA Book Group spent the entire day reading in a gazebo in the cyber café. The group meet once a week with Mrs Hancock and Mrs Braithwaite to read, discuss and review the KYBA nominations for the year. KYBA is a celebration of literature written for young adults; books shortlisted for the award are selected by Cornish schools and the winner is chosen by members of the KYBA Book Groups from across the county.

If you're interested in becoming involved in KYBA please see Mrs Braithwaite.



## T-Shirt Competition

There were so many great designs, it was a tough decision to select the winners!

However, the results are in and the winners are:

**Year 7 - Ashley Hammond & James Doran**

**Year 8 - Bronwen Craddock & Madison Tregonning**

**Year 9 - Nicole McCullough**

**Staff Winner - Mrs Walker**

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