



SWR Weekly

Striving for Excellence Together

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The SWR Weekly will regularly keep you updated on news from the school. I hope you find this useful to keep in touch with what is going on at our wonderful school.

SWR Stars

I am meeting a growing list of our SWR Stars every Friday, which is fantastic. It is always my favourite part of the week to meet and celebrate students' successes and hear how they have gone above and beyond in demonstrating our core values of aspiration, collaboration and resilience. Well done to the Stars this week!



Name	Tutor	Reason
Nathaniel Y	7MCR	Won golf tournament
Ava S	7CD	Brilliant house point total
Selina O	7CD	Amazing resilience this week
Caleb S	8KW	Selected for Glos County Cricket
W	8JFH	Great maths homework record in September.
Leia S	8RW	For coming into school immediately after her painful knee injury, and still with a big smile at strong start
George M	9JGI	For being dedicated to learning and resilient when things have got tough. George is a great friend.
Luisa C	9KC	For her contributions to sports at SWR and being a sports leader.
Oleksa A	10MD	For returning to school and 'just getting in with it'. He settles down in all lessons, completes all homework, and is always polite to staff
Fred N	10KA	Just for being a star, no behaviour points and loads of house points
Chloe F	11AB	Sorted out her post 16 options (Stroud College) and put her name forward for school council
Archie H	11DB	Winning the cross-country park run this week.

Year 11 Information Evening

We are holding our Year 11 Information Evening on Thursday 19th October at 6pm. This evening is an opportunity to take you through the forthcoming year and how we can work together to support the Year 11 students have a successful year. The link to book a place at this event is [here](#).

Year 8 Information Evening

We are excited to welcome you to the Year 8 Parents/Carers Information Evening on Thursday 26th October. The event will start at 6pm. Mrs Love will send out details in due course with a link to our online booking system for the evening. There will be a carousel of talks taking place during the evening, as well as an opportunity to meet other parents, and buy second-hand uniform from our SWR Uniform Bank, organised and run by the PTFA.

We look forward to welcoming you to both events.

Student Council

We held our Student Council elections on Wednesday and the vote will be announced on Monday. The Student Council is an important part of our school as we not only listen to the student voice but also give those elected the opportunity to develop their leadership skills and make decisions on projects that will have an influence on the school community.

Golf Success

We were delighted to hear that Nathaniel in Year 7 won a Team Gold Medal in a Golf Sixes competition involving three Gloucestershire Golf clubs. Well done Nathaniel!



Cross Country

Well done to Archie in Year 11 who won his Cross-Country event this week representing the school. The PE team were very impressed with his speed and effortless style.



County Cricket

Well done to Caleb who has been selected to participate in Gloucestershire cricket winter training programme for the Under 13 Zonal Colts performance squad.

We also heard after this photograph was taken that Alfie M in Year 7 has also been selected and we will have a photograph of him next week. This looks very promising for the SWR cricket season next summer.



Sport Leaders

I was delighted to join Mrs Sharp as she met the students who have successfully applied to become Sport Leaders at SWR. Mrs Sharp described how she was overwhelmed to receive such a high number of applications but that she is very much looking forward to working with them all. Congratulations to all.

