



Striving for Excellence Together

15th December 2023

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.

Attendance 100

We have 372 students who have completed the first week of Attendance 100 and are still in the draw with their 100% attendance this week. We acknowledge there are plenty of viruses and if students are genuinely unwell then they need to rest and recuperate. However, we also appreciate that at the end of a long term our resilience drops when we are tired, the days are short and the weather bleak. Please encourage your child to keep coming in every day next week. Every day in school counts. We will announce the raffle winners next week but all 100 club members will receive a treat.

End of Term

The end of term is on Friday and we finish at 12:35. All buses and taxis have been informed but the Stagecoach bus will not be able to collect at the earlier finish time. If this causes any problems, please contact us.

The start of term 3 is on Monday 8th January.

Trip to Renishaw

On Tuesday evening a small group of Y10 students spent the evening for Early Careers at Renishaw's HQ at Wotton-under-Edge.

Once we had been amazed by the fantastic building and the technology on display we spent an hour in the equally impressive lecture theatre.

Speakers gave us the Renishaw background followed by leaders in sections describing how to apply for Work Experience, apprenticeships and other routes into the Renishaw workplace.

After a Q&A session the evening ended with personal experiences from Early Careers employees and a chance to talk 1:1 to the participants surrounded by examples of Renishaw's past and present technology.

An inspiring evening!

Mr Ratcliffe

Champion Rower

Congratulations to Amelie in Year 9 who won a gold and silver medal at the British Indoor Rowing Championships.



Cross Country

Congratulations to the following boys who competed for the Stroud and Cotswold District County Championships last Sunday.

Year 7

Lucas S & John S

Year 9

Arthur A & Max R

Year 10

Jasper R



SWR Star Students

Name	Tutor	Reason
Summer G	8	Seamlessly rejoining a tutor group and being a House Point machine. No BP at all.
Rhys C	8	For being really engaged in a challenging Shakespeare text and going above and beyond in his work.
Lola W	9	For having the correct equipment and meeting strong start expectations.
Amelie Z	9	Winning a silver medal and a gold medal at the British Indoor Rowing Championships.
James A	9	For being a super SWR student over the past couple of weeks
Holly W	11	Helping office staff who had a very upset student in medical, by getting the student his lunch from the canteen and being really kind to him.
Josie L	11	
Lucas S	7	For all competing for the Stroud and Cotswold District at the County Championships last weekend.
John S	7	
Arthur A	9	
Max R	9	
Jasper R	10	

