

Fortnightly Newsletter for Students & Families



"Achievement is outstanding because every student matters" Ofsted 2013

Dear Parents and Carers,

We've enjoyed a busy fortnight at Victory with many events and things to celebrate. This weekend, I hope you manage to enjoy the bank holiday - and please note that next weekend also includes a bank holiday for King Charles III's coronation. Next Friday, ahead of the Saturday coronation, we will be aiming to create a day for the children to remember with some red, white and blue themed events, a Photo Booth and a bake sale for the Big C charity. Please see the poster included here - it will be non uniform on the day, ideally red, white and blue!

Year 8 and Year 10 enjoyed a visit from new singer Alex Hawkins this week who sang for them and presented his story and journey to success. We hope our young aspiring musicians were inspired.

We were excited to see the basketball team competing this week - and the PA team held the auditions for the show of 2023 - Chitty Chitty Bang Bang! Good luck to all involved.

Well done to Year 11 who completed their French speaking assessments this Thursday - they did so well and Ms LeFur is really proud of their efforts.

We had big news from OAT this week too, as Nick Hudson retires from being our CEO and will be succeeded by Tom Rees. OAT announced:

"We are delighted to announce that Tom Rees (currently executive director of @Ambition_Inst) has been appointed as our new chief executive officer (CEO). We look forward to welcoming Tom to the #OATfamily!" We look forward to welcoming Tom to Victory in the coming months.

Please remember that this coming Tuesday is another NEU strike day, but we will be open to for all of Year 11, 12 and 13.

Please take care - and thank you for your support. Have a great weekend.

Naomi Palmer, Principal



/OrmistonVictoryAcademy



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FREE

POST CARD

NON UNIFORM DAY

-Friday May 5th-

RED, WHITE and BLUE

*Wear red, white and blue
clothes to celebrate the
CORONATION!*

NEW REMBRANDT STUDIO
2726 W. Division St., Phone Hum-4088

MAKE A CROWN

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The BEST CROWN in each  
YEAR GROUP wins a PRIZE!



**BAKE SALE**

Bring in your  
**ROYAL THEMED**  
bakes to raise money for  
**BIG C cancer charity!**





## Important Dates Ahead @ Victory

| Date                        | Event                                                                        |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> May  | Bank Holiday                                                                 |
| Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> May | Strike Day                                                                   |
| Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May  | Bank Holiday                                                                 |
| Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> May | Last Day of Term - 2.45pm finish<br>(3.45 for period 6)                      |
| Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June | Return to academy after Whitsun<br>break                                     |
| Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May | First written GCSE exams<br>(MFL, other units, and A-level<br>begin earlier) |



## Student News @ Victory

Excellent assessment results for these fabulous Year 7s!  
We're so proud of your hard work



Well done to wonderful Tia,  
a Tutee of the Week!

Our fab Year 11s using the new writing menus in Creative Studies



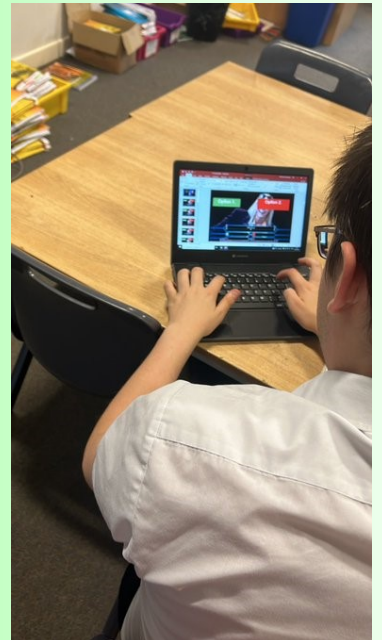
Year 7 loving the sunshine -  
and the new ice lollies!  
Looking good, chaps!





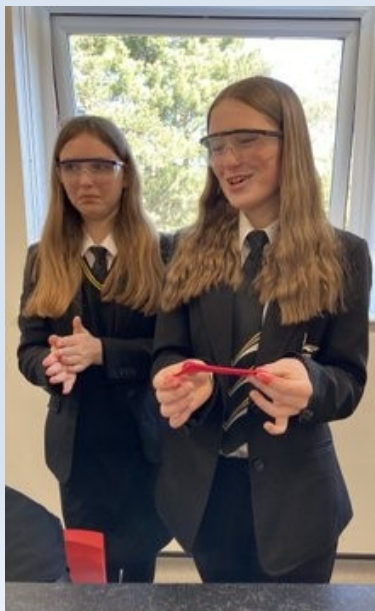
## Student News @ Victory

Our SEND ambassadors and students making a podcast about how teachers can best help them in the classroom.



Our wonderful Principal presenting the amazing new and very original Geography quiz show.

Year 8 scientists had great fun making polymer slime!







## Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour @ Victory

Congratulations to these awesome Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour winners: Connor, nominated by Ms Rowe for consistently working hard; Elouise, nominated by Ms Rowe for being smiley, welcoming and polite; Dziugus, nominated by Ms Brown for being polite and kind; Uosis, nominated by Miss Cousins for always putting effort into the characters he is playing in his Performing Arts lessons; and Jack, nominated by Mr Bunting for being awarded the most Visas out of all Year 8 students in a week.







## Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity winners: Theo, for a very positive response to a negative situation; Corey, for being an unsung hero and having strength of character; Will, for consistently making an effort with everything he does; Petru, for being a cool cat and having the best hairstyles around; and Alfie, for making huge improvements in his lesson-time behaviour and concentration.







## Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these totally awesome Year 9 Pink Tie positivity winners: Rosie, for always being smiley and super polite; Marcus, for being a highly entertaining member of the year group - always has something to make us laugh (even when he doesn't mean to!!!); Sophie, for her wonderful volunteering charity work at the weekends - what an amazingly kind thing to do; Alisha, for a huge improvement in all aspects of her school life, she has made a massive effort, and it shows; and Luke, for outstanding journalistic work with the Year 9 World Cup project. Luke is such a credit to the year group.







## Enrichment @ Victory



Well done to our awesome Year 8 basketball team who made the playoffs against Wymondham Academy in the Junior NBA!

Thank you to the Papillon Project for another fab gardening session!



We love Thursday morning badminton club!

Year 8 and 10 students enjoyed a performance from Alex Hawkins this week. Raising awareness of discrimination with his music.



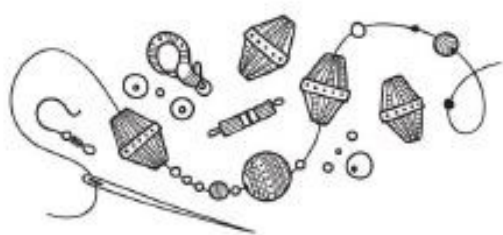


# Parent & Child Classes

## Summer 2023



Why not sign up for one of our free Parent and Child classes to learn a new skill or improve an existing one? [To sign up, please click here](#)



### Jewellery Making

Would you like to learn how to make your own jewellery? Using colourful beads and charms, you can make your own unique handmade accessories. You will be taught how to make your own pieces and get to take your creations home with you.

Wednesdays 19th and 26th April  
4:30—5:30pm



### Indian Head Massage

Relax and learn all about Indian Head massage, practising on each other.

Wednesday 10th May  
5:00—7:00pm



### EAL—Improve your English!

Family fun, using chat, games and much more to improve your English Language skills.

Every Tuesday  
18th April— 23rd May



### Learn to Sign!

Discover the basics of British Sign Language.

Every Wednesday  
19th April — 24th May  
5:00—6:00pm



### Yoga & Mindfulness

Sessions of yoga postures (Asanas) and mindfulness meditation.

These sessions have the objective of calming the mind and strengthening the body.

Every Monday (excl. bank holidays) 17th April — 22nd May  
5:00—6:00pm



### Knitting & Crochet

For complete beginners and the more advanced.

Every Monday (excl. bank holidays)  
17th April — 22nd May  
5:30—6:30pm  
Limited Spaces





## WE NEED MORE HATS!

The Norfolk and Norwich hospital are a little short of baby hats for their premature babies.

Come and join Mrs Landles on Mondays at 5 for just an hour a week to knit a baby hat.

We provide wool, needles, help with knitting and a lovely friendly atmosphere.



Thank you.







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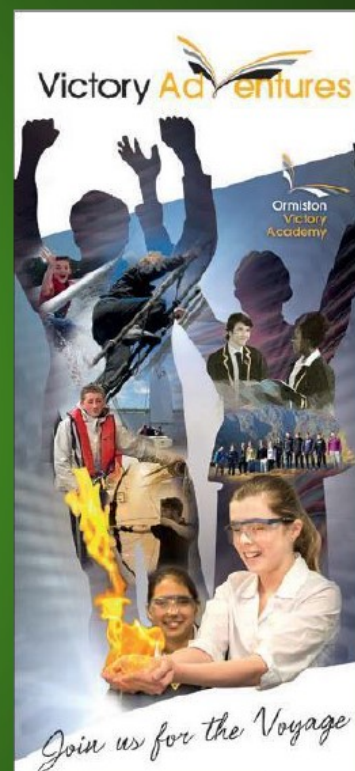
### MONDAY

| CLUB                                  |                                                                                     | STAFF   | VENUE         | TIME        |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------------|-------------|
| Badminton                             |    | LBU     | Sports Hall   | 8:00-8:25   |
| Singing Practise                      |    | TSH     | Music 1       | 10:55-11:15 |
| SEN Lunch Club                        |    | LTAs    | Luke Day      | 12:05-12:35 |
| PL Kicks Football Club                |    | NCFC    | Field         | 2:45-3:45   |
| Badminton Week 2                      |    | MDU     | Sports Hall   | 2:45-3:45   |
| Tennis Week 2                         |    | KWE     | Tennis Courts | 2:45-3:45   |
| Homework Club                         |    | JCO     | Library       | 2:45-3:30   |
| KS3 Art Club                          |   | AWI     | Art 4         | 2:45-3:45   |
| KS3 Book Club Week 1                  |  | CRE     | Plat 4        | 2:45-3:45   |
| Lyrical (competition team only)       |  | HCU     | Main Hall     | 2:45-3:45   |
| Commercial (competition team only)    |  | HCU     | Main Hall     | 3:45-4:45   |
| Boys Dance                            |  | TSH     | Dance Studio  | 3:45-4:45   |
| Musical Theatre (dancing and singing) |                                                                                     | ZBR/CCO | Main Hall     | 4:45-6:00   |



### TUESDAY

| CLUB                     |                                                                                     | STAFF | VENUE     | TIME        |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------|-------------|
| Multi-Gym Club           |  | KWE   | Multi-Gym | 8:00-8:25   |
| Singing Practise         |  | TSH   | Music 1   | 10:55-11:15 |
| SEN Lunch Club           |  | LTAs  | Luke Day  | 12:05-12:35 |
| Year 10 Btec Support     |  | KZE   | ICT       | 2:45-3:45   |
| Rounders Club            |  | LBU   | Field     | 2:45-3:45   |
| KS4 Photography Club     |  | FCA   | Art 1     | 2:45-3:45   |
| Homework Club            |  | JCO   | Library   | 2:45-3:30   |
| Beauty Club              |  | KBO   | Beauty 1  | 2:45-3:45   |
| Yr7-10 Maths H/W Club    |  | NTA   | Jub 7     | 2:45-3:45   |
| Maths Homework Club      |  | Dr Sh | Jub 6     | 12:05-12:35 |
| Scrabble Club Week 2 KS4 |  | AGL   | Plat 1    | Lunch B     |
| KS4 Book Club Week 2     |                                                                                     | TNA   | Plat 10   | Lunch B     |



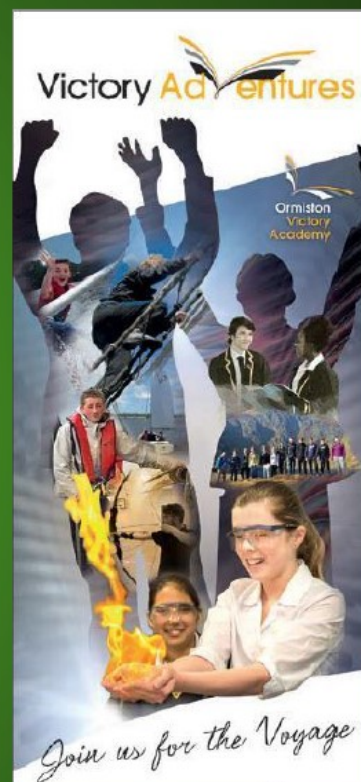




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### TUESDAY ... CONTINUED

| CLUB                              |                                                                                    | STAFF | VENUE        | TIME          |
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| KS4 Chess Club                    |   | OJA   | Traf 1       | Lunch B       |
| Keyboard Club (Y7-9)              |   | TSH   | Music Room 1 | 12:15 - 12:45 |
| Drum Club (beginners/improvers)   |   | AHA   | Drum Room    | 2.45 - 3.30   |
| Guitar Club (beginners/improvers) |   | ADE   | Music Room 2 | 2.45 - 3.15   |
| Ballet                            |   | TSH   | Main Hall    | 2.45 - 3.30   |
| Facade Singers                    |   | TSH   | Music 1      | 3.45 - 4:15   |
| Tap                               |  | TSH   | Main Hall    | 3:30-4:15     |



### WEDNESDAY

| CLUB                           |                                                                                     | STAFF   | VENUE        | TIME        |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Cricket Club                   |  | ATY     | Sports Hall  | 8:00-8:25   |
| Singing Practise               |                                                                                     | TSH     | Music 1      | 10:55-11:15 |
| Cricket Club                   |  | ATY     | Sports Hall  | 2:45-3:45   |
| SEN Lunch Club                 |  | LTAs    | Luke Day     | 12:05-12:35 |
| Athletics                      |  | OWI/RTI | Field        | 2:45-3:45   |
| YR 7 & 8 Science               |  | MFO     | Sci 6        | 2:50-3:45   |
| Sci-Art Club - Week 1          |  | Art     | Art 1        | 2:45-3:45   |
| Homework Club                  |  | JCO     | Library      | 2:45-3:30   |
| MFL Spelling Bee               |  | EBO     | Plat 8       | 2:45-3:30   |
| Scrabble Week 2 KS3            |  | AGL     | Plat 1       | Lunch A     |
| Hiphop (competition team only) |  | ZBR     | Dance Studio | 3:30-5:00   |
| PE SEN Sensory (invite)        |  | DWH     | PE Sensory   | 2:45-3:45   |







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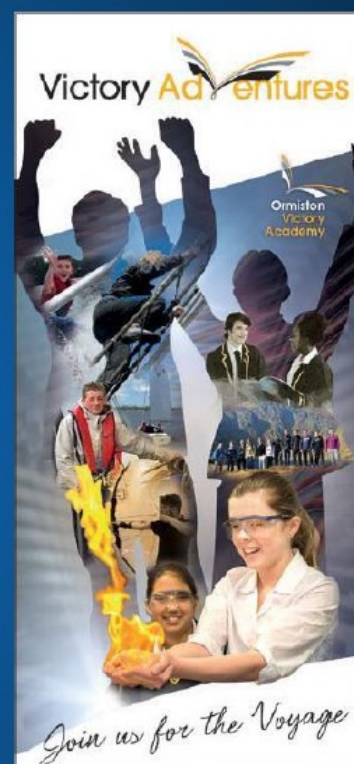
### THURSDAY

| CLUB                        |                                                                                    | STAFF | VENUE       | TIME        |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------|-------------|
| Badminton                   |   | MDU   | Sports Hall | 8:00-8:25   |
| Singing Practise            |                                                                                    | TSH   | Music 1     | 10:55-11:15 |
| SEN Lunch Club              |   | LTAs  | Luke Day    | 12:05-12:35 |
| KS4 Fashion Club            |   | FCA   | Art 3       | 2:45-3:45   |
| Golf Club Week 1            |   | KWE   | Bawburgh    | 2:45-4:15   |
| Rounders Club Week 1        |   | MDU   | Field       | 2:45-3:45   |
| Homework Club               |   | JCO   | Library     | 2:45-3:30   |
| Maths GEMS Club             |   | OFR   | Jub         | 2:45-3:45   |
| Greenpower Kit Car Club Wk2 |  | DGR   | DT          | 2:45-4:00   |



### THURSDAY...CONTINUED

| CLUB                           |                                                                                     | STAFF   | VENUE        | TIME        |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Drama Club                     |  | LDA     | Drama Studio | 2:45-3:45   |
| PE SEN Sensory (invite) Week 1 |  | DWH     | PE Sensory   | 2:45-3:45   |
| KS4 Creative Writing Week 1    |  | CCC     | Plat 9       | Lunch B     |
| KS3 Chess Club                 |  | OJA     | Traf 1       | Lunch A     |
| Creative Writing Week 2        |  | GTO     | Plat 5       | 2:45-3:45   |
| Geography Club                 |  | JCR     | Teach 7      | 2:45-3:45   |
| Recorder Club                  |  | TSH     | Music Room 1 | 12:15-12:45 |
| Violin Group Lesson            |                                                                                     | BUR     | Music 2      | 10:45-11:45 |
| Cello Group Lesson             |                                                                                     | PER     | SEMINAR 3    | 10:45-11:45 |
| String Group Lesson            |                                                                                     | BUR/PER | Music 1      | 12:20-12:50 |
| Guitar Group Lesson            |                                                                                     | POR     | Music 1      | 4:00-4:30   |







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### FRIDAY

| CLUB                    |                                                                                     | STAFF   | VENUE        | TIME        |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------|-------------|
| Multi-gym               |  | KZE     | Multi-gym    | 8:00-8:25   |
| Singing Practise        |  | TSH     | Music 1      | 10:55-11:15 |
| SEN Lunch Club          |  | LTAs    | Luke Day     | 12:05-12:35 |
| Homework Club           |  | JCO     | Library      | 2:45-3:30   |
| Year 11 PE              |  | OWI/MDU | Sports Hall  | 2:45-3:45   |
| Sixth Form Multi-Sports |  | RTI     | Sports Hall  | 2:45-3:45   |
| Gardening Club          |  | JRO     | Garden       | 2:45-3:45   |
| Warhammer Yr 11         |  | LDA     | Jub 8        | 2:45-3:45   |
| Yr7-9 Singing Club      |  | TSH     | Music 1      | Lunch A     |
| SEN Boxing              |  | DCO     | External     | 13:30-3:30  |
| Greenpower Kit Car Club |  | DGR     | DT           | 2:45-4:00   |
| Cheer                   |                                                                                     | ZBR     | Dance Studio | 3:00-4:30   |







**Costessey Primary PTA**  
invites you to their

# **Craft & Small Business Fayre**


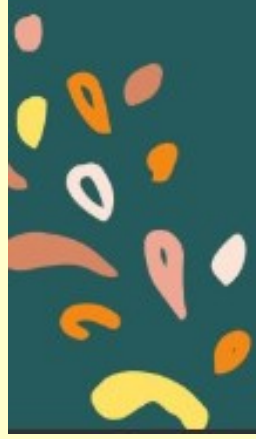
Expect a mix of brilliant local crafters  
and small businesses including;

jewellery, beauty, resin and paper art,  
pick & mix sweets, crochet,  
balloons and a variety of delicious treats!

There will also be refreshments, a fantastic raffle  
and the chance to hold some gorgeous owls!

**29th April 2023**  
**10-3**

**At Costessey Primary School, NR5 0RR**



**FREE ENTRY**

[costesseypta@gmail.com](mailto:costesseypta@gmail.com)





# ASK FOR HENRY

AT A MORRISONS CAFÉ AND GET A FREE HEINZ  
BEANZ AND JACKET POTATO MEAL – ON US



JUST MENTION “HENRY” AT THE CHECKOUT

  
Available at Morrisons from 24th April

From 24/4/23 – 7/5/23, ask for 'Henry' at the till point at any UK Morrisons Café to receive a free Heinz Beans based meal, while stocks last and subject to availability.  
Limit of 1 meal per customer per day. Offer is not transferable and cannot be exchanged for cash.



# Theatre of Possibility

A theatre project for autistic children!

Share your voice and make meaning of the world around you through theatre. This holiday programme aims to inspire confidence and encourage communication through playful drama games and theatre skills.

**Ages 12-17 | £60**

**Norwich Theatre  
Stage Two**

**29 - 31 May  
10am - 3pm**

**Bring a packed  
lunch!**

Find out more by going to [norwichtheatre.org](http://norwichtheatre.org) or emailing [takepart@norwichtheatre.org](mailto:takepart@norwichtheatre.org)

A photograph of four young people, likely participants in the theatre project, with their arms raised in the air. They are smiling and appear to be in a joyful or celebratory mood. The background is dark, and there are some colorful geometric shapes (triangles) visible in the upper right corner.

**N** Norwich  
Theatre