

Fortnightly Newsletter for Students & Families



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of a (long) half term, thank you for your support for all we try to do at Victory.

Thank you so much to those parents who have contacted me regarding 'recycled' coats for winter - and especially thanks to those who have donated coats which are no longer needed. Covid taught us more than ever that 'it takes a village to raise a child' so I think we need to take every opportunity to help one another.

We have enjoyed another busy half term with many lovely opportunities for our young people. This week, Year 7 have enjoyed a Harry Potter style Sorting Hat Assembly - now an annual tradition complete with hat, magical staff and lights! There are some photos included here so you are able to share in the joy.

I was lucky to attend the Nelsonspirit Trafalgar Day celebrations on Tuesday - it was wonderful to see the tradition being observed - and to see our Matthew Prior making speeches and hosting the event on behalf of the organisation. Each time we meet, I learn even more about the life of Nelson and why his leadership style continues to inspire many.

More educational fun was had by our Sixth Form students last week with a backstage tour of Hamilton! A wonderful experience for everyone and such a great privilege. Year 10 had a great experience at the B2B Business Studies event at the showground and our Into University students enjoyed a sunny tour of UEA.

Thank you to Miss Cousins who has launched the BeeKind event - thank you to everyone who helped with yellow accessories for World Mental Health Day (especially for the banana costumes)!

Year 11 and 13 are fast-approaching their first series of mock examinations after half term - we wish them well - and emphasise the need to rest and recuperate over the break - as well as revising.

We hope you enjoy a lovely half-term break with your families - there looks to be some welcome sunshine from Monday!

Naomi Palmer, Principal



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Student News @ Victory

Amazing work from our Year 10 Engineers.
Some fantastic outcomes for their first mini controlled assessment!



Great celebration of Trafalgar Day at Burnham -
lovely to see our Matthew P presenting and enjoying working life!





Year 7 Sorting Hat Assembly @ Victory

The best assembly ever! Year 7 are now sorted into their colleges!





Year 7 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 7 Pink Tie Positivity winners:
Lucas, for amazing resilience this half term;
Poppy, for the highest KS3 homework score in Year 7;
Ethan, for supporting a student in a time of need;
Max, for being an eco warrior, and picking up litter unprompted;
and Glory, for compassion shown towards a student when injured.





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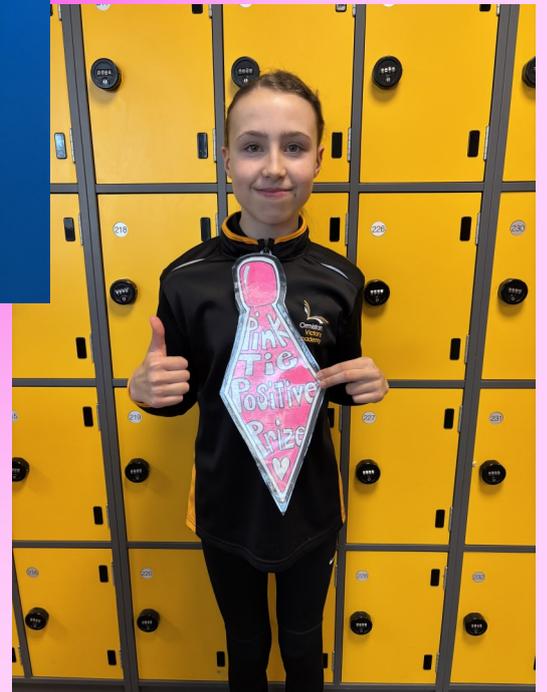
Harrison for smashing the Visas this past week; Siobhan for making a huge effort at school; Eva-Lily for being the biggest ray of sunshine, and wonderfully smiley every day; Hudson for the best ever yellow costume last Friday; and Kaz for being the most polite and respectful young man each and every day.





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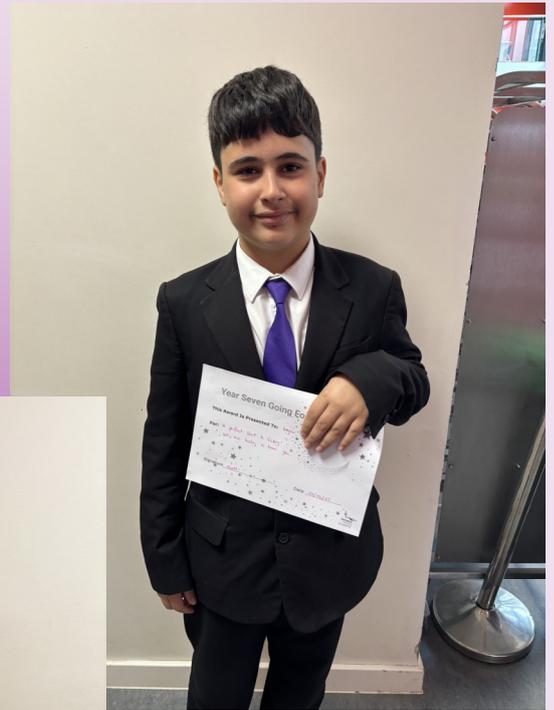
Congratulations to these Year 7 Pink Tie Positivity winners: Sienna, for her social time entertainment skills and bubbly personality; Isabelle, for her kindness and patience with an upset student; Mia, for being incredibly thoughtful and generous; and George and Nevae, for being eco-warriors, and helping keep the Y7 area clean and tidy.





Year 8 Positively Purple Awards @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 8 Positively Purple award winners:
Well done Millie, Koyar, Ella, Elizabeth and Ava!





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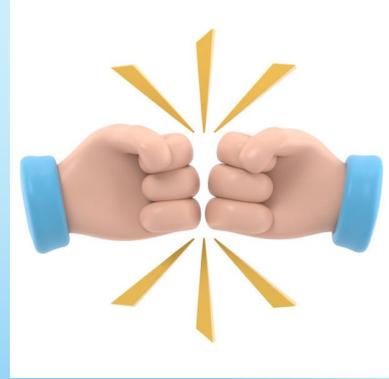
Congratulations to these Year 8 Positively Purple award winners:
Well done Kaci, Millie, Bailey, Archie and Mia!





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Year 9 Fist Bump Rewards @ Victory



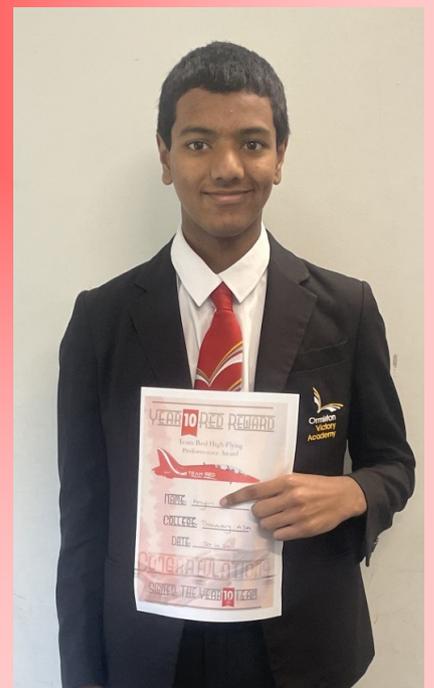
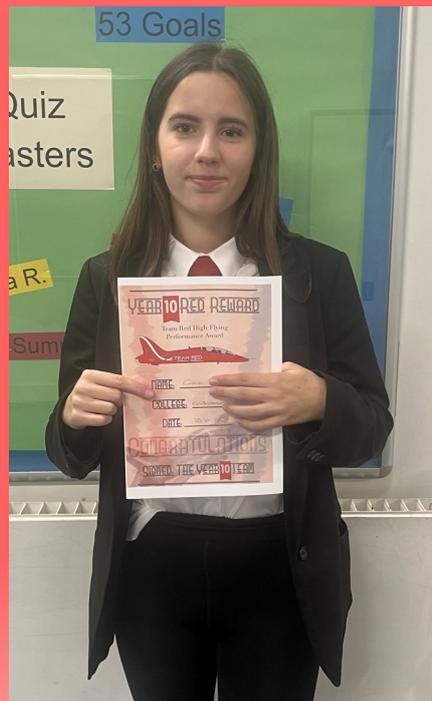
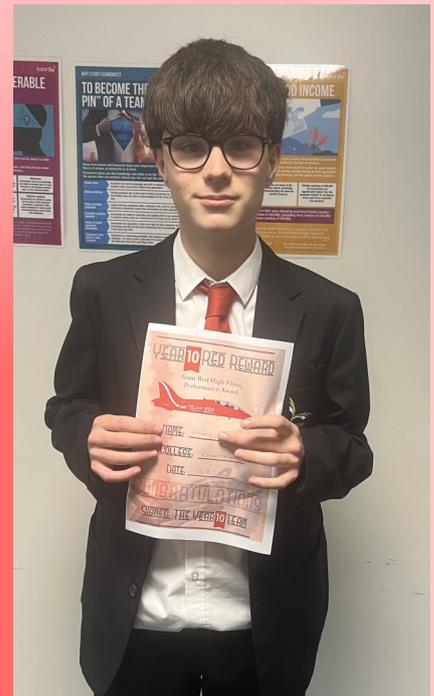
Well done to these fab Year 9 Fist Bump reward winners:
Casey, Charlie and Anabia,
all for working hard, picking up lots of
visa points and
applying themselves in lessons!





Year 10 High Flying Rewards @ Victory

Well done to these fab Year 10 High Fliers: Isaac for demonstrating a fantastic effort in English; Liam and Grace for showing a consistently fantastic attitude to learning across the curriculum; and Toby and Mir for being amazing members of the Year Group!





Excellence in 11 Rewards @ Victory

Well done to these excellent Year 11s:
Brooklyn, for amazing progress since joining Victory last year; Lucie, for being a fabulous student and always working hard; Poppy and Emma, for having the highest positives; Nishanth, for always being polite and smiling; Ioan for teaching other students maths; and Kye for hard work and high positives!





Lord Nelson Sixth Form Open Evening @ Victory

They didn't throw away their shot!
Thank you, Norwich Theatre, for an amazing backstage visit for our
Lord Nelson Sixth Form Performing Arts Crew!





Enrichment @ Victory

Our Year 8 Community Team in action, at Open Academy! POTM - Patryk M.



Our Year 7 girls walked away as winners of a 6-a-side football tournament this week. Thank you, CNS for hosting. Darcie was nominated as POTM!





VICTORY FACADE

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DAVID GREIG

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MARC SHAIMAN

LYRICS BY
SCOTT WITTMAN
MARC SHAIMAN

SONGS FROM THE MOTION PICTURE BY
[ESLIE BRICUSSE AND ANTHONY NEWLEY

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NEW COSTESSEY
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13th & 14th December 2025 - 2.30pm
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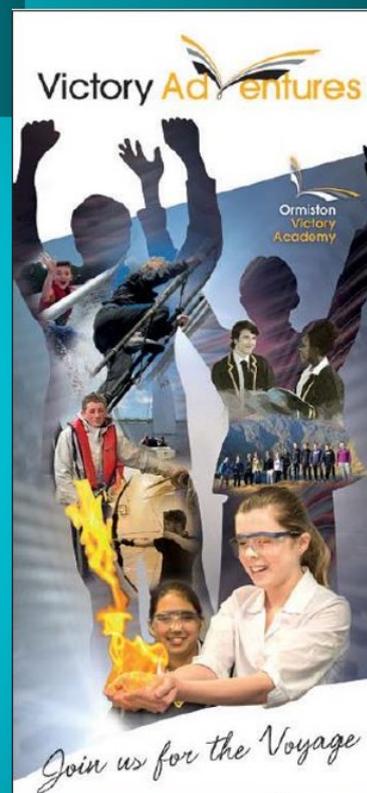


Enrichment Clubs @ Victory

MONDAY

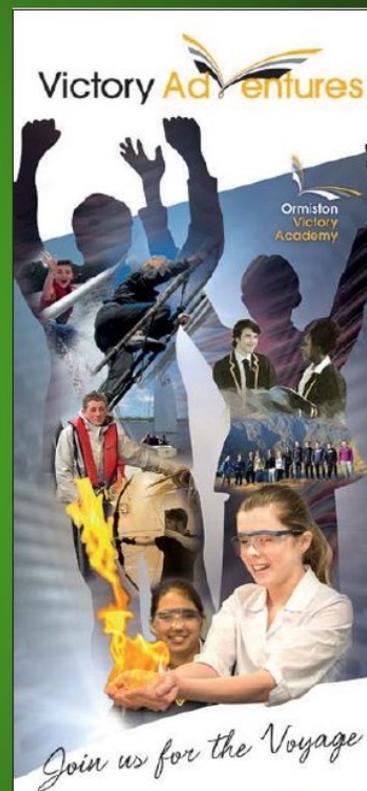
CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton		KZE	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
Football		ECH	Field	3:00-4:00
Gymnastics		KWE	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Netball		LBU	Courts	3:00-4:00
Art Club		FRI/MPA	Art 1	3:00-4:00
History Club		DTH	Teach 4	3:00-4:00
Enterprise Club		JPE/OBA/ RAR	Luke Day	3:00-4:00
Dungeons & Dragons		AWI	Teach 10	3:00-4:00
VCA Cheerleading (team only*)		ZBR	Sports Hall	3.30-5.30

*Information about a second round of try-outs will come out soon, if you are interested in trying out for this season



TUESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Indoor Cricket		ATY	Sports Hall	8:00-8:20
Snack & Study		CRE	Library	3:00-3:45
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
UKMT Club		TKI	Jubilee 2	3:00-4:00
Maths Homework Club		NTA	Jubilee 7	3:00-4:00
Badminton		KZE	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Politics Society		AWI	Teach 10	3:00-4:00





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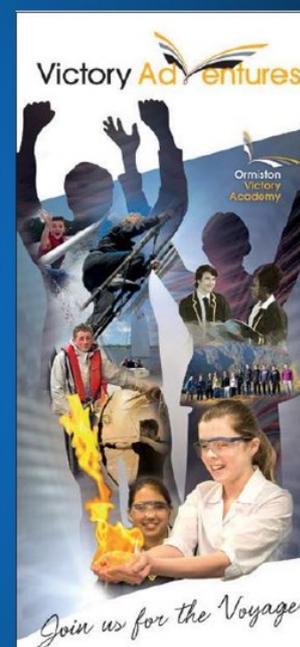
WEDNESDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball 	RTI	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
KS4-KS5 Pride Club Week 2 	AWI	Drama Studio	Lunch B
Basketball 	ATY	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Dodgeball Week 2 	MDU	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Greenpower Kit Car 	DGR	DT1	3:00-4:00
Scrabble Week 2 KS3	AGL	Plat 1	Lunch A
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked) 	TSH	Various	Various
Gardening Club 	MSM	Allotment	3:00-4:00
Warhammer Maths Club	TKI	Jub 2	3:00-4:00
Chess Week 1 	OJA	Jub 8	Lunch B
Year 10 Photography	FCA	Plat Art 1	3:00-4:00
Illustration & Bookbinding Club	ISH	Art 2	3:00-4:00



THURSDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Volleyball 	MDU	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked) 	TSH	Various	Various
Chess Club 	OJA	Jub 8	Lunch A
Chess Club	OJA	Jub 8	Lunch B
PL Kicks Football 	NCFC	Field	3:00-4:00
Maths Games Club 	ECO	SEN3	Lunch A
SEN Boxing	DCO	External	13:30-3:30





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FRIDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Indoor Cricket	ECH	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)	TSH	Various	Various
Year 11/6 th Form Multi Sports	OWI/RTI	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00

To get in touch with any suggestions or feedback, please email VictoryAdventures@ormistonvictoryacademy.co.uk or tweet us [@VictoryAdventur!](https://twitter.com/VictoryAdventur!)



Victory Community Theatre

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An Evening of Remembrance

Saturday 8th November 2025

7.30pm

Tickets £10

Proceeds to Costessey Royal British Legion

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