

Bay Leadership Academy

News This Week

6th March 2020

World Book Day

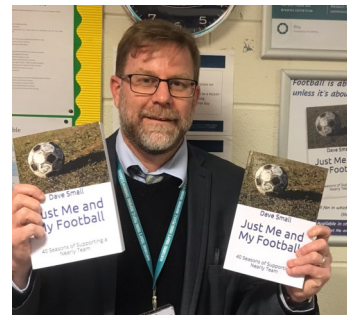
'Macbeth' Live!

As part of World Book Day students in Year 10 and 11 were given the opportunity to watch the RSC's live screening of 'Macbeth'. Students spent the morning watching Christopher Eccleston play Macbeth, in order to inform their reading of the play. It was an invaluable experience for all students who had a really enjoyable morning!



In House Author

World Book Day is not just about reading books; it can also be about writing one too! Mr Small, an English teacher here at Bay Leadership Academy has just had his first book published, all about his life watching and playing football, particularly his beloved team Preston North End, who he knows aren't very good, that's why the book is called "Just Me and My Football: 40 Seasons of Supporting a Nearly Team". As well as inspiring children through his lessons, Mr Small also helps run the creative writing club at lunchtime. We look forward to a great read!



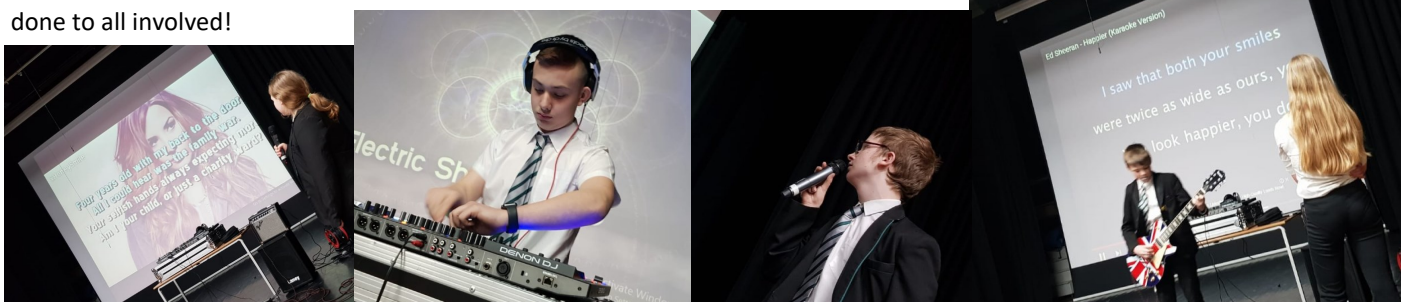
Stars of the Week

Congratulations to all our Stars of the Week!

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12/13
Emily Shepherd		Ewan Wileman	Natalia Wyzgolik	Ruby McKay	Amelia Chadwick
Noah Case		Lauren Ridge	Cael Greenall	Larissa Hannam	Sheldon Leigh

Open Mic

Open Mic was a huge success and will run every fortnight in the theatre. Everyone is welcome and we welcome advance requests and requirements for your performance. The next one is Friday 13th lunchtime in the theatre. We look forward to watching our students demonstrate the STAR values of Ambition and Respect. Well done to all involved!



Saturday School



Well done to all our Year 11 students who began their Saturday school revision sessions. We are now down to nine weeks before the final exams in the summer and students are working really hard both inside and outside of lessons to ensure they are as successful as possible. It was great to see Year 11 demonstrate the STAR value of Ambition and we look forward to welcoming them to the English session this Saturday.

Treat Room



Well done and congratulations to our year 7 students who had earned enough e-praise points to spend on a lunch time in the treat room. It is great to see our younger students demonstrating excellent STAR values and enjoying the rewards for their hard work. Well done and keep up the hard work!

Maximise Success

Following on from the success of the Year 11 'Maximising Potential' revision workshops last half term, we have booked Dai Perks, the inspirational speaker again. He will run a workshop for parents of Year 11 on Tuesday 17th March to deliver information on the most effective revision methods in order that our young people can be fully supported. More details to follow in a letter.

Next Week

- Commonwealth Day
- British Science Week
- Holi Hindu Spring Festival and Festival of colour

Sixth Form

The sixth form had a really informative session delivered by Street law surrounding social media and the law. The law students talked about the deformation act, the malicious communications act and how posts on social media can effect others and the legality of negative posts. The pupils participated in a debate and a real case surrounding social media and the law. They also discussed how pupils' posts could affect their future in relation to employers.



Year 8 Photography

Year 8 students had a great session completing a manual photography manipulation workshop as well as trying out our digital SLR cameras with a tour of our dark room too. Students were inspired by photographers Sakir Yildirim and Man Ray. They all produced some epic outcomes. Well done to all involved!



Year 12



Year 12 Engineering students enjoyed a day out at Lancaster and Morecambe College this week building their welding skills. Students have previously visited the college to use their equipment to learn about Mig welding and this week focused their skills on the more challenging Tig welding. Although they found it more difficult to master, students

came away having demonstrated STAR values and learnt valuable lessons using top of the range equipment. Well done to all involved!