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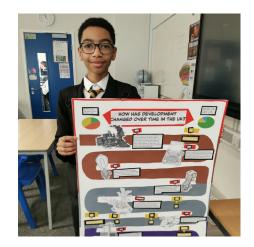
YEAR 8 FOOTBALL MATCH AGAINST ROYAL DOCKS ACADEMY

Congratulations to our year 8 footballers for their fantastic performance on a very cold playing field.

A solid performance from player of the match Jisan in goal kept the strong Royal Docks attackers at bay.

Morse's magician award goes to captain Sofiyan for his leading performance at centre back.





JACOB PRODUCES A SUPERB PIECE OF GEOGRAPHY HOMEWORK

Jacob produced a fantastic piece of homework in Geography showing development in the UK throughout history.

We have been learning about different inventions and how they have helped the UK develop through time. Jacob has gone above and beyond and produced an amazing poster. Well done Jacob!

SOMUYA SINGH DELIVERS A SESSION TO YEAR 9 STUDENTS ON COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

Today, Somuya Singh from Deutsche bank came to Rokeby to deliver a session on why data representation is important in computing programming? Possible use of programming structure like sequence, selection and iteration in the real world. The session was for only one hour and our students enjoyed it thoroughly.

Umar from 9E, said he really enjoyed the experience, It was good to have someone from the 'real world' to come in and explain their job to us and she gave us real insight as to how things work.

Adrian from 9E, said this experience was useful as it showed us the many career paths available with a GCSE in Computer Science and the applications of coding in the real world. It has inspired me to consider a job in software engineering and the session has let me learn useful coding skills that could potentially be useful in prestigious jobs such as the banking industry.



We are part of Newham Community Learning

PARENT INFORMATION SESSION ON LIVE MARKING

Friday 27th January 2023 10am at Rokeby







The Place2Be is a children's mental health charity which has over 25 years' experience of working with students, families and schools across the UK.

Irina Stevens will be our Mental Health Practitioner, working two days a week (Wednesdays and Thursdays).

Irina will work with students who are struggling with anxiety, low mood or anger and will provide 1-1 and group counselling.

What is Place2Talk?

Place2Talk is a self-referral service for students who have worries or concerns that they want to talk about. They can come alone or with a friend.

When?

Place2Talk appointments are around 15- 20 minutes and take place during breaks and lunchtimes on Wednesdays and Thursdays. These need to be pre-booked. If your matter is urgent you should speak to the safeguarding team or your Year Coordinator.

How?

Students self-refer by putting a request into the Place2Talk box located in the library. There are slips of paper next to the box where students need to put their name and year. I will be checking the box every week and then will be contacting the students to offer a session, which will normally be the following week. Students will be given a note if they have attended a session in case they are late for class, so the teachers will know that they have a reason for being late.

This new service compliments the existing counselling service.



OUR ONLINE PAYMENT SERVICE

Rokeby is now accepting online payments for school items such as lunch money, uniform and revision guides. Using a secure website called ParentPay you will be able to pay online using your debit/credit card or make cash payments at PayPoint stores.

This system is easy-to-use and will give you peace of mind that your money reaches school safely. It will also offer you the flexibility of making payments at your convenience.

This week, you should have received a letter introducing ParentPay, followed by a further letter containing your **unique ParentPay activation details.** More information is available on our **website**. We are planning on moving over to a cashless system and ParentPay will be our preferred method of payment.

For any queries, email kavita.sareen@rokeby.newham.sch.uk

OPEN DAYS 2022-2023 FOR PLACES TO STUDY IN NEWHAM

Please regularly check the sixth form/college websites to confirm dates and times of open events, as they may be subject to change, and new dates may be added. Some institutions will offer virtual events, others may offer in person open events or the option for both. Make sure you fill out enquiry forms on the school websites to stay up to date with open event information.

VIEW ALL OPEN EVENTS IN NEWHAM



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YEAR COORDINATOR AWARD w/c 16th January 2023

PROUDLY PRESENTED TO

AAYAN ZAMAN - 7B // DOMINIC ARTHUR - 8K // ZAHID KHAN - 9K ADAN ABDIRAHMAN OMAR MUSSE - 10K // GABRIEL AVENDANO GRIJALVA - 11R



FOR DISPLAYING THE CHARACTERISTICS OF OUR SCHOOL MOTTO - WELL DONE!

MS WARD YEAR 7 COORDINATOR MS VIRK
YEAR 8 COORDINATOR

MR BASHIR YEAR 9 COORDINATOR MR SARUMI YEAR 10 COORDINATOR MS HUSSAIN YEAR 11 COORDINATOR



ROKEBY SCHOOL FOOD BANK

We are sending out an appeal to our community to donate to our school food bank.

We are supporting an increasing number of families and we expect that number to keep rising especially through the holiday period.

Can you help? Please get in touch if you can. If you need to use our food bank, please email support@rokeby.newham.sch.uk



A NEWSLETTER CONTAINING UP TO DATE INFORMATION AND SERVICES AVAILABLE FOR NEWHAM FAMILIES

Please find the latest edition of Parent Connect, the newsletter for families **here**.

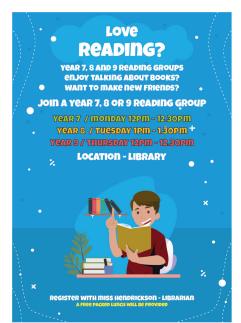




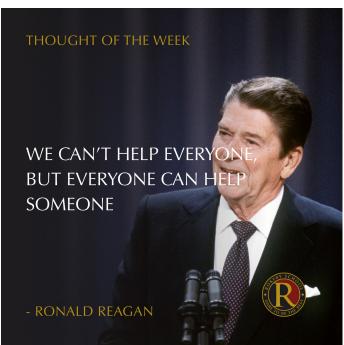
17th January 2008: American-born chess player Bobby Fischer, who became the youngest grandmaster in history when he received the title in 1958, died at age 64 in Reykjavík, Iceland.

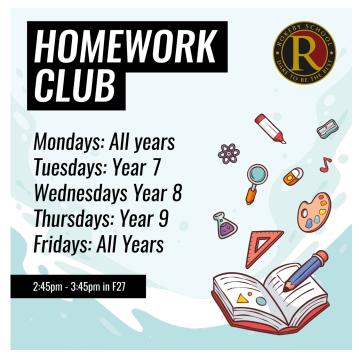
19th January 1966: Following the sudden death of Indian Premier Lal Bahadur Shastri eight days earlier, Indira Gandhi became prime minister of India on this day in 1966, assuming the office first held by her father, Jawaharlal Nehru.













Mental health support: adults

Mental health support: children & young people

Family Navigators (supporting with signposting, advice & advocacy)

Newham Form Filling Services

Support for those struggling financially

Support for those worried about winter fuel costs

Community Health Champions: Help With Money

NHS Talking Therapies

Parent Connect Newsletter

Newham Food Alliance