



PRESDALES SCHOOL

Achievement for all

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Dear Parent/Carer/Student

Thank you to those parents who were able to complete our annual school survey. I am currently analysing outcomes and will share these with parents in due course. The responses were overwhelmingly positive and included several useful points for us to consider.

3G Pitch - Successful Bid

I am excited to announce that we have been successful in our bid to build a 3G artificial pitch. The £1.1m project will be funded in part by the Premier league, the FA and the Government as part of the new Lionesses fund. The bid process has taken almost two years and has involved several members of staff, led by Mrs Albone, our Grants Officer. My thanks for all the work they have done in ensuring our bid was successful. We are hoping that the pitch will be ready in the Autumn term.

U14s Football County Cup

Many congratulations to our U14s football team who, this week, were crowned County Champions after a fantastic display against Croxley Danes School. Presdales won the final 4-0. All of the girls played their part and the result never looked in doubt! A great experience for the girls to play at the Cheshunt FC ground. Thank you to those students and parents who came to support the team and a particular thanks to Mr Macrae for coaching the girls. The football teams have made it to 7 finals in the last 3 years, winning 5 of them. Well done to you all.



Whole School Photograph (reminder)

Please follow [this link](#) for details on how to buy the whole school photograph.

'Please include your child's full name to assist with distribution at the school.

Order within two weeks to avoid P&P charges. (Delivery to school).

For assistance, please call 01736 752411 (Option 3 - Place an order (P&P applies, Option 5 - Customer services)'

Schools do have an option to receive commission on each print sold. We have not taken up this option, as doing so would have increased the cost of the photo to families.

Understanding my Autism/ADHD

Please click [here](#) for resources provided by NHS Hertfordshire and West Essex.

Young Enterprise

Well done to both of our Young Enterprise teams for winning awards at the area finals at Hertfordshire University this week. Both of the groups were excellent and an absolute credit to the school. The evening consisted of running a stall, being interviewed by the judges and presenting to an audience of over 100 people. 'Buzz Wraps' was awarded the 'best interview' prize and were given positive feedback about the passion they showed and their product. 'Giraffe Tales' won the prize for innovation and were runners up overall (out of 18 teams). Giraffe Tales now go through to the regional finals on Tuesday 14th May. Thank you to Mrs Lawrence for supporting both teams.



Year 11 Dress Up Day

Well done to all of the Year 11 students for the time and effort they have put into their costumes for our annual Year 11 Dress Up day. The day is part of their leavers celebrations and has long been a tradition at Presdales.



Wishing you all a pleasant bank holiday weekend.

Mr M Warren
Headteacher