





# 'Winds of Peace' Community morning

## Built On Respect



Dear Lisa and students of Coventry,

Warm greetings from France!

It is a real pleasure for us to send you this Winds of Peace notebook, filled with drawings, paintings, and messages created by students from different schools and backgrounds. Each page reflects their hopes, creativity, and belief in a more peaceful and inclusive world.

They have worked with great enthusiasm and care, and we hope their contributions will inspire you as much as this project has inspired us.

We now pass the notebook on to you, wishing you a meaningful and enriching next step in this shared journey.

With our very best wishes for peace,  
Audrey Meunier

**French National Commission – ASPnet**  
**On behalf of the French participating schools**

“Beautiful artwork and words, thank you for sharing them with us.”

**Ann Beatty, UNESCO UK**  
**ASPNET Coordinator**

“Beautiful paintings and reflections.”

**Holy Family**

“From 6B (Stoke Heath) - we loved looking at your creations and reading your messages. Thank you for sharing these with us. Thank you for a great event - well done everyone.”

“It was such a lovely experience, thank you so much for facilitating!”

**Stoke Heath**

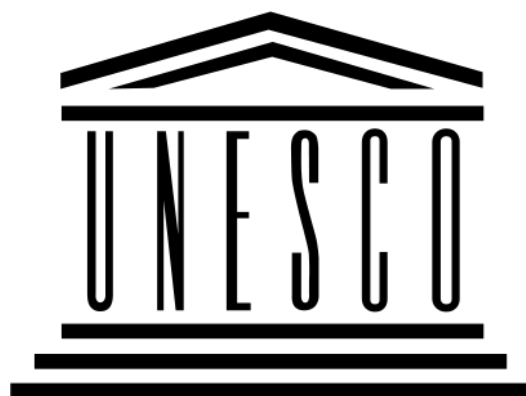
“It was a wonderful project to be a part of.”

**Earlsdon Primary**

We were proud to host a creative morning with schools across the city to reflect on the idea of 'Winds of Peace.' Students across the schools produced some beautiful reflections, poetry and artwork. We had classes participating from Year 3 through to Year 9.

It is with pride that we collect this work together in the journal and ship on to students in Canada.

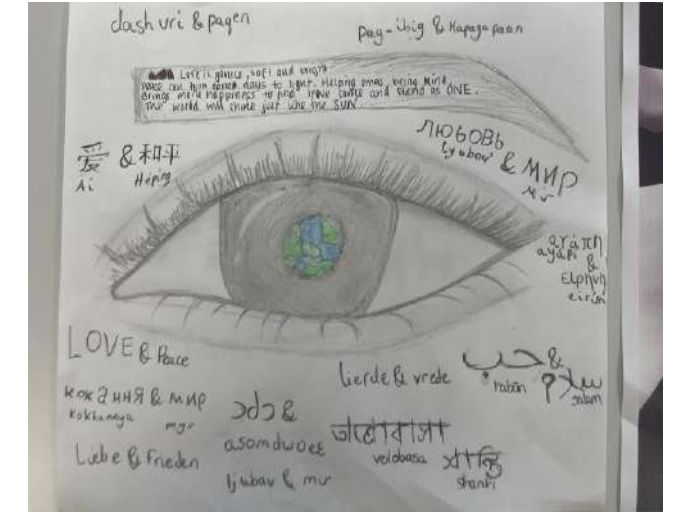
**"Peace begins with a smile" -**  
**Mother Theresa**





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## Race for Life: Community Fundraiser

### Driven by Resilience

On 2<sup>nd</sup> May, Summer and Grace Dawson did their first ever **Race for Life** 5k! We are incredibly proud of their resilience running in the race, and in raising an incredible £300 for a worthy organisation.

**1 in 3 people can get cancer in their lifetimes. We are proud of both Grace and Summer taking on this challenge to fight these statistics.**



#### Why did the race matter? By Summer Dawson

Me and Grace chose to do Race for Life because doing something positive for a charity felt like an important accomplishment. We raised a significant sum of money for 'Stand Up to Cancer' and Cancer Research UK.

I personally felt motivated to do this run for all that have either lost someone they loved to cancer; or are suffering from cancer themselves.

It was difficult for us as we haven't done a 5K run before nor did we train for it. But we managed to get to the finish line; got a medal too and live with the knowledge that we tried to played a part in fighting for change.

**Will you join the race to fight?**



## What a night!

# Driven by Resilience

On Saturday 9th May 2026, 8F (1st City of Coventry) Squadron RAFAC lit up St Michael's Church, Stoke, for an Awards Night packed with pride, achievement and big smiles all round.

We are incredibly proud that our Year 9 students who attend the squadron were recognised for their outstanding achievements, dedication, resilience and discipline—qualities that will undoubtedly help shape their futures and support them in becoming confident, successful young adults.

They are a real credit to our school and should serve as excellent role models for others to follow.

A very big shout-out to:

Cadets J. McCann and T. McCann (Year 9 VP) for being awarded the Blue Radio badge,  
Cadet E. Baker (Year 9 VP) for achieving the First-Class Cadet classification alongside the Blue Radio badge,  
Cadet H. Clowes (Year 9 HP) for earning the Blue Wings badge and the prestigious Officer Commanding's Award.



By Ms. Muresan

# Representing on a Global Stage

## Defined by Excellence

### The legacy of Sports that inspires generations of young girls

“Meeting famous football players was an amazing experience that I will never forget. I had the opportunity to meet Chloe Kelly and Alessia Russo after a match, and I was very excited because they are two of my favourite players.

In addition to this, I was a ball girl for this match. At first, I felt nervous, but they were both friendly and welcoming. It was inspiring to see how kind and hardworking they were in real life. Meeting them made me admire them even more, and it encouraged me to keep working hard in football and in school.”

**Kristy Ebihon**





## Sporting Stars through to the Final

### Defined by Excellence

**We are off to the final – a reflection on the tournament by Kristy Ebihon, Holly Masterson and Matilda Oduro**

On the 19<sup>th</sup> May, the Lyng Hall year 9 and 10 girls achieved a milestone. We went to the AT7 centre to fight for a place in the final. It wasn't an easy one though. We fought against three strong teams but ultimately managed to pull through with a clean sheet in all three games.

As a team, we would like to thank Mr. Ward for allowing us to do these tournaments' but also for supporting us as students, and as players. We would additionally like to thank Mr. Davis for the encouragement and support. Football tournaments like this one let children freely express themselves through sport and allow social time outside of school. We appreciate having the space to grow our skills in this area.

Our reflections on the game:

**Kristy Ebihon:** "I feel proud for representing our school and getting a place in the final. This is hopefully one of the many wins our school will get."

**Holly Masterson:** "Representing the school in a football tournament has been a pleasure for me and I feel extremely grateful to be able to call myself captain. Our team has been upgrading and supporting each other in the last year; and I feel amazingly proud of all of us. We will train even harder now to win the final too."

**Kezia Oduro:** "It was enjoyable and fun"!

**Alice Jalloh:** "It was very memorable."

**Matilda Oduro:** "It wasn't about winning but about having fun; and that's what made it amazing. The atmosphere was great – others were helpful, nice and I enjoyed spending time there. I believe we have a chance in the final. Wish us luck!"

**We are incredibly proud of the girls and wish them the best of luck in the final – hope to see you on the sidelines!**



**We are representing Coventry in the Midlands Finals now after winning the Coventry tournament (won 1-0 in a tough game against Stoke Park in the final).**

**We are so proud of our girls.**



## 5 Star Food Rating

### Defined by Excellence

We are proud of our catering team who were recognised for their hard work in providing for our student community. They had a deep dive inspection from the Food Standards Agency and received a 5 Star Food Rating for their provision. The inspector was impressed with everything she saw. The team work tirelessly everyday – the agency’s recognition of this is proudly displayed in our reception area.





## DID YOU KNOW?

<b>SCHOOL MEALS</b>	<p>Your child may be eligible for free school meals if you receive certain benefits such as income support. Queries can be directed to Coventry City Council. Tel: 024768337733 or Email: <a href="mailto:freeschoolmeals@coventry.gov.uk">freeschoolmeals@coventry.gov.uk</a></p> <p>Applications can be made through: <a href="http://www.coventry.gov.uk/applyforfreeschoolmeals">http://www.coventry.gov.uk/applyforfreeschoolmeals</a></p>		<p>To purchase food in the school dining room, money must be paid onto ParentPay as we are a cashless school. Login through: <a href="https://app.parentpay.com/public/client/security/v2/">https://app.parentpay.com/public/client/security/v2/</a></p> <p>If you experience any problems with this, please contact your child's pastoral year coordinator.</p>
<b>TRAVEL PASS</b>	<p>If you live more than 2 miles from the school, your child may be eligible for a free bus pass. For information on how a student would qualify for a pass, please visit: <a href="http://www.coventry.gov.uk/schoolbuspasses">http://www.coventry.gov.uk/schoolbuspasses</a></p> <p>Applications: <a href="http://www.coventry.gov.uk/applyforatravelpass">www.coventry.gov.uk/applyforatravelpass</a></p> <p>Queries: Tel: 02476975445 or Email: <a href="mailto:schooltransport@coventry.gov.uk">schooltransport@coventry.gov.uk</a></p>		
<b>UNIFORM</b>	<p>If your child out-grows their blazer but it is still in very good condition, they may be able to swap their blazer for a bigger size, if our stock allows.</p>	<p>If you are struggling with the cost of items of the uniform, we will do our best to try and help you. Contact your child's pastoral year coordinator in the first instance</p>	<p>We accept uniform donations. Please drop any items that you no longer need or require into school reception.</p>

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

w/b Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May to w/b Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June – GCSE Exams  
 Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June – Year 7 Parent Evening  
 w/b Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Year 10 Mock Exams  
 w/b Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June – Year 10 & 12 Mock Exams



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