Headteacher's Corner
High Grange

What a fantastic week it has been across High Grange! There has been so much going on and plenty to celebrate.

Firstly, congratulations to our High Grange football team, who secured a thrilling 8–7 victory over Longdon Park! We saw some fantastic goals, including an incredible four goals from one pupil making his debut. Our goalkeeper also made an excellent debut, even providing the assist for the winning goal! It was lovely to see our youngest player representing the school too. A brilliant team performance!

Our Lower School pupils also enjoyed a visit from Active School Sport as part of their Friday enrichment morning, with children from every class getting involved in a variety of games and activities.

This week has also been our second ever Performing Arts Week, and what a success! Pupils and students have absolutely loved it. A huge thank you to Jonny and the wider Performing Arts Team for organising such a brilliant week. I have so many photographs to share, but thought we would start with some rather impressive spooky biscuits! Look out for an article on our website, along with plenty more pictures.

We also welcomed the National Autistic Society Accreditation Team this week. Thank you to everyone who completed the parent questionnaire. Following my email, responses jumped from 14 to an incredible 78 overnight! The NAS team were blown away by what they saw across the school, which was wonderful to hear. We now eagerly await their report.

Finally, we couldn't let the week pass without mentioning a very special birthday, as our Principal, Gavin, turned 50! Some of our Year 11 pupils took on the important job of making sure everyone had the opportunity to sign his birthday card. Don't worry, Gavin assures me he has no plans to retire anytime soon, unless Coventry City win the premier league. I certainly think we are safe!

Looking ahead, our Lower School pupils have a Boccia match, while East Midlands Railway return for another Supported Insights session with our older students. Thursday afternoon also sees our Duke of Edinburgh presentation, celebrating our pupils' achievements.

Finally, Thursday evening is our Family Hot Dog & Quiz Night! Tickets are filling up quickly, so this really is your last chance to book. We cannot wait to welcome everyone for a lovely evening together.

Have a wonderful weekend!







