

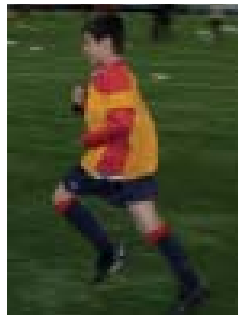


BECKHAM ACADEMY VISIT



Rebecca Brown, Reanna Parkinson and Courtney Hooper at the Beckham Academy showing off their Spain shirts.

Last week 15 girls were selected to go the Beckham Academy as a reward for their hard work in PE lessons. Well done to Jane Mensah, Anika Akhtar, Rebecca Brown, Ryanna Ryan, Shantae Bryan, Dizem Karakun, Nana Abrar, Pooja Kaur, Courtney Hooper, Paige Rateau, Janet Fuma, Shantel Adu-Amotang, Olivia Eastwood Gray, Reanna Parkinson and Roza Jemeljanova. There was also a boys reward trip.



FITNESS LEAGUE

Well done to all Year 7s who recently completed the Multi-stage Fitness Test (Bleep test) in their PE lessons. This was the first time they had done the test. All students tried their hardest. The following boys did particularly well and have now set the standard for others to follow in the future. 1. Corey Addai (11.3), 2. Ciaran Matthews-Murray (11.0), 3. Joel Belcher (10.7), 4. Devinder Chohan (10.1), 5. Ashton Casule (9.6), 6. Mohammed Namoun, (9.5), 7. Luca Reid, 9.3), 8. Ibrahim Baro (9.2), 9. Kaylam Jones (9.1), 10. Kammar Lewis-Gardner (9.1). Read the next issue of The City Times for the girls' results.



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PLAYER OF THE MATCH



Djimon Kuffour Player of the Match in the Football B Team's debut

On Saturday the Boys B Football Team won an impressive 4-2 victory against Stoke Newington B at Victoria Park. Luca Reid scored the first goal, though Stoke Newington quickly equalised. Kaylam Jones scored in the second half and player of the match Djimon Kuffour scored twice to secure the win. Mr Harris, team coach, was very proud and commented "It was an excellent performance from all 20 players. Our hard work in training really paid off. Well done!"



Well done Emma Hall one of over 100 students who will be awarded Bronze Awards next week for excellent attendance, punctuality, behaviour, uniform, equipment and achievement.



A Week at The City - The Inside Story

STUDENTS PREPARE FOR EXTRAVAGANZA



Students and staff are busy practising for the first ever City Academy performing arts event being held at **6pm on Friday 11th December**.

The Christmas Extravaganza promises to be an exciting evening full of music, drama, dance and art and will celebrate the amazing achievements of the students.

Please come and support our performers. The night is guaranteed to put you in a festive mood and it makes such a big difference when your number one fan is in the audience. Tickets are available from reception from Monday to Friday from 8.10am until 9am. Adult tickets are £2 and children under 16 just £1. Buy yours before they sell out!



Jan Habiak and Liam Charles-Pellegrini practising the guitar with Bentley Dankwa on drums getting ready for the Extravaganza.

5 minutes with MARIE REILLY, NEW PARENT GOVERNOR



Marie Reilly tells us more..

I'm studying child psychology at London Southbank University.

I used to work as a bilingual classroom assistant at Berger Primary School.

My son Aiden is in Year 7.

I speak Turkish which will be useful for some parents though I'm here for everyone.

I want to build good relationships between school and parents. We both want children to have a great education, feel supported and enjoy their time here.

I want the City Academy to be the best school in London - not just academic success but also produce well rounded citizens.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 30th November
Parent Teacher Association Committee meeting 5pm.

Friday December 11th
The City Academy, Hackney Christmas concert will include musical performances.

Friday December 18th
School closes at 3.40pm for 2 week holiday.



After school classes are already having an impact on literacy