

MVC Newsletter



MELBOURN VILLAGE COLLEGE

4 APRIL 2025

Dear parents and carers

At the end of my first full term, I would like to take a moment to personally thank everyone for welcoming me to the Melbourn community. The improvements we've seen in student behaviour and the increased consistency across the school have been truly impressive. As we come to the end of the spring term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support on our school improvement journey. The recent parent survey has been very positive about the changes.

We look forward to welcoming students back on Wednesday 23rd April. We wish all of our students and families a restful and enjoyable Easter break. May it be a time of relaxation and quality family time as we look forward to the summer term.

Mrs Spencer, Principal

YEAR 11 T-LEVEL ASSEMBLY

Our Year 10 students gained an insight on T-Level courses and Apprenticeships offered by Cambridge Regional College on Wednesday. It was great to see the focus and engagement of our students. The time is edging closer for them to start thinking about their post-16 provider and what they have to offer.

Euan Willder, Assistant Principal – Teaching and learning



YEAR 11 EXAMINATIONS

Good luck to year 11 who will be starting formal GCSE exams after Easter with the first for some being on the 8th of May. The timetable can be found on the website on the left hand panel following this link: [Examinations - Melbourn Village College](#). If you have any questions please email gstuart@melbournvc.org

Mrs G Stuart, Analytics Manager (including Exams)

KEY DATES

4th April

Last day of Spring Term

7th & 8th April

GCSE Booster Sessions

22nd April

Staff Development Day
(school closed to pupils)

23rd April

First day of Summer Term

28th April

Clubs and Activities start

5th May

Bank Holiday

14th May

Year 11 Study leave begins

21st May

DofE Bronze Expedition
Training Day

23rd May

Year 11 Leavers'
Celebration Day

YEAR 7 LASER TAG

On Friday a group of Year 7 pupils travelled to Milton Country Park for some games of laser tag. We were fortunate to be invited by our good friend Claire McDonnell who leads the South Cambs School Sports Partnership.

The school did battle with Comberton eventually prevailing 4-3 after a range of games. It's safe to say these pupils would have ended the day pretty tired after running around the woods playing laser tag in the morning and lessons all afternoon. If parents are interested please visit this website for more information: <https://www.zaptlasertag.com>

Mr R Barlow, Teacher of PE



PARENTAL LETTERS



Key letters that have been sent to parents and carers are available to download from our website [here](#).

TUTEES OF THE WEEK

Our tutees of the week receive hot chocolate and marshmallows on Thursday morning as a reward for having a great week. All pupils receive a certificate to take home.

First Name	Year Group
Penny	7
Frankie	7
Ashley	7
Toby	7
Villo	8
Dylan	8
Adam	8
Eleanor	8
Trinity	9
Eliana	9
Bertie	10
Iris	10
Leo	10
Emily	11
Ollie	11

MVC SPRING CONCERT 2025

Students and staff enjoyed taking part in the MVC Spring Concert with a 70's theme on Thursday last week. The concert featured performances from MVC Choir, Flute Ensemble, Year 10 Pop Band, and some very talented solo performances. The programme included items from Beethoven to Elton John and Queen. MVC Staff Choir also added to the 70s theme with renditions of: Lean on Me by B Withers and You've Got a Friend by C King. The students performed with courage and pride and I was incredibly proud of all of their contributions, at all levels, all demonstrating clear progress since the start of the year. Special thanks go out to all of the staff members involved, both on and off stage. Well done to all!

Mr J Thomson, Teacher of Music

