



## Today's Prayer

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[Today's Prayer | The Church of England](#)

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Dear Parents and Carers

Temperatures next week are predicted to be extremely high so students will be permitted to wear PE kit (optional) on Monday and Tuesday. Please also provide your children with a refillable water bottle, sunhat and suncream if appropriate. Students will not be required to participate in PE activities in direct sun during the day.

Due to the severe weather warnings we do not believe it is appropriate for students and staff to complete a 12 hour day so it is with regret that the **Summer Soiree on Tuesday 19 July 2022 has been cancelled**. Full refunds will be issued via Ticketsource. All students who have prepared for this event will be given the opportunity to perform in the Autumn term instead.

### School of Rock Auditions

All students who have expressed an interest in auditioning for School of Rock, please check your whole year Teams page for more information on what to prepare for the auditions taking place in September.

If you have any queries at all, please find Miss Stoll, Mrs Fouracre-Smith or Miss Scott at break or lunch time.

### Student Leadership Team

King Edward VI is committed to developing the leaders of tomorrow, hence I am delighted to announce the Student Leadership Team for next year as:

Jessica Tovey (Head Girl)  
Arthur Pettitt (Head Boy)  
Katherine Brooks  
Theo Geileskey  
Ella Gilmour  
Alfredo Luppi



**More photos from Sports Day last week**  
Here are a few more photos of sports day last week as promised.





The year group results on Sports Day were as follows:

Year 7 & 8  
 1st Hengrave  
 2nd Kentwell  
 3rd Elveden & Melford  
 4th Ickworth  
 5th Wyken

Year 9 & 10  
 1st Wyken  
 2nd Kentwell  
 3rd Elveden  
 4th Hengrave  
 5th Ickworth  
 6th Melford

**Suffolk Young Coach Academy**

Girls from Year 10 taking part in Suffolk Young Coaches Academy completed their year of training with the King Edward's Suffolk Young Coach Academy with an event at Portman Road on Tuesday.

The girls joined YCA coaches from Thomas Gainsborough and Claydon High in delivering a day of activities for girls from primary schools across the county.







## STEM News

To celebrate International Women in Engineering Day, engineering company 'Wood', launched their annual STEM competition; a team-based competition to design and build a model of a sustainable home.

Year 7 girls leapt to the challenge, researching, designing and creating model homes. Five teams have entered the competition, each with a unique design for an 'eco-home' including tree living, hill houses, geo-domes, portable homes and renewable living.

## Summer Holiday Funded Activity Scheme

The council works with a range of partners to present healthy activities for children, teens and families during the school holidays.

There are free places at these events under the Government's Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme. Eligibility for free places is based on children and families who are on benefits related free school meals or pupil premium or where there is an identified need.

Children not meeting the criteria for free places are also welcome to participate in many of the events for a small cost.

[Please click here for more information.](#)

## KIDS EAT FOR FREE OR LESS DURING SUMMER 2022



### MORRISONS

Spend £4.99 to get a free kids meal after 3pm daily, normally all day during half term.

### ASDA CAFE

Kids eat for £1 every day with NO need for a paying adult from 25th July - 4th Sept, 2022.

### DUNELM

One free mini main, two snacks and a drink for every £4 spent in the in-store cafe.

**YO!** Kids eat free from 3pm-5:30pm Mon-Thurs for every £10 spent on food.

### BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Free breakfast for two children under 16 with every paying adult.

### HUNGRY HORSE

Free kids breakfast with an adults breakfast from 9am-12pm daily.

### IKEA

Get TWO kids hot meals, fruit, drink and jelly for £5 in their Swedish restaurants (subject to availability).

### BELLA ITALIA

Kids eat for £1 with each adult meal from 4-6pm on Mon-Thurs.

### DOBBIES

Kids eat free with an adult main meal.

### TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 get a free breakfast with one paying adult every day.

### CAFE ROUGE

Kids eat for £1 with an adult meal excluding Saturday.

### MORE TO COME!!

M&S, TESCO and more expected soon, see websites for latest information.

**ADVENTURE Days**  
For children aged 8-12  
An action-packed day outdoor with full of fun activities.

**FAMILY Park COOKING**  
Join us for outdoor activities & a cooking master class, plus get a free 5 day ingredients box to take away!

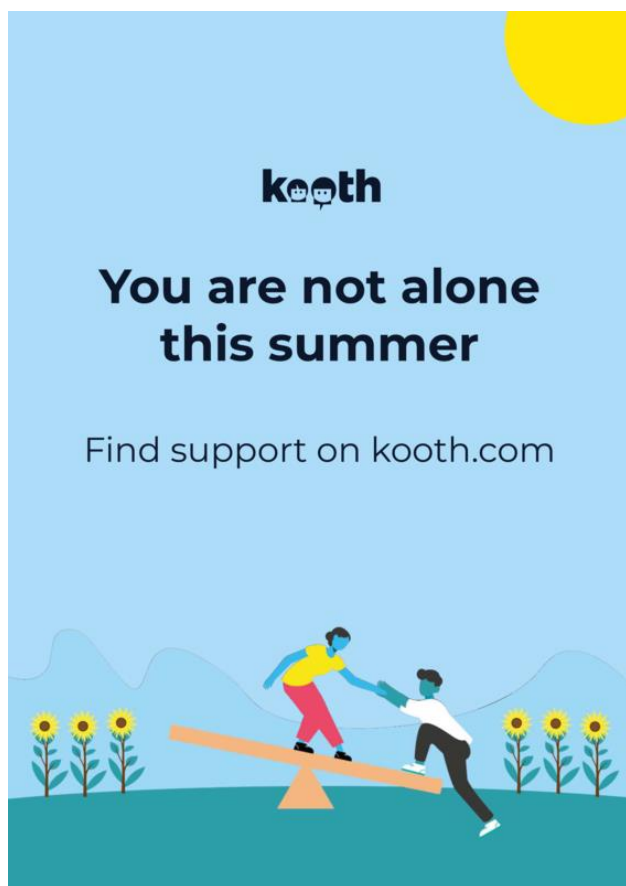
**TEEN CHALLENGE**  
Action packed day with lots of challenging and fun activities. Includes snorkelling, mountain biking, climbing, outdoor cooking & more! For 11-16 year olds.

**SWIM & LUNCH**  
Be active & eat well & get lunch for FREE

Find out more

FREE places available for children who are eligible for free school meals or meet eligibility criteria

Suffolk County Council, West Suffolk, Department for Education, Abbeycroft Leisure



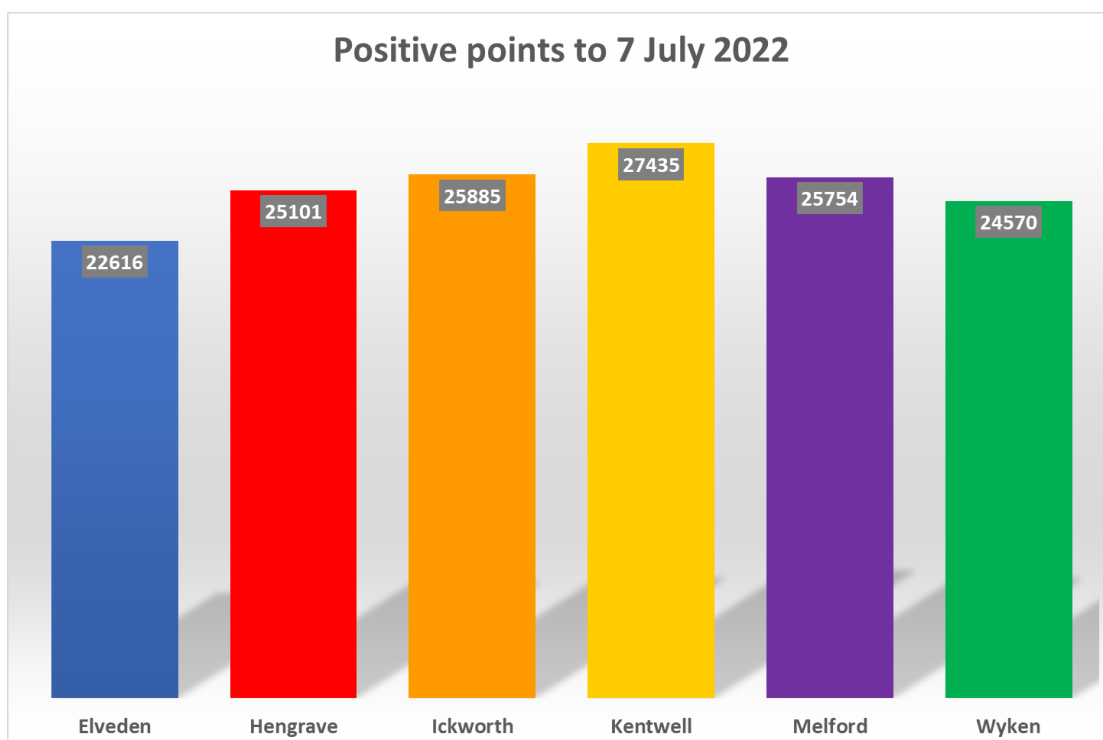
## Safeguarding – Summer holiday support from Kooth

Kooth provides instant access to free and anonymous mental health support for all those who live in Suffolk aged 11-25.

The summer holidays will soon be approaching and at Kooth we want to make sure that children and young people know we're still here for them despite schools being closed.

We understand that many young people may be quite reliant on the varied support they receive from their time at school. [More information about Kooth can be found here.](#)

Deri O'Regan



<b>Dates for your Diary</b> <a href="#">Term dates for next academic year</a> 2022-2023 are on our website.	
Sat 16 – Mon 18 Jul 22	Silver DofE Qualifying Expedition
Tues 19 July 22	Music Dept Summer Soiree 6pm <b>CANCELLED</b>
Weds 20 July 22	GCSE Music London 'Wicked' trip
Thu 21 July 22	Final day of term
Fri 22 July 22	First day of Summer Holidays
Thu 25 Aug 22	GCSE Results Day
Thu 1 Sept 22	PD Day
Fri 2 Sept 22	PD Day
Mon 5 Sept 22	Term begins

***Thought for the Week***

**'The way I see it, if you want the rainbow, you gotta put up with the rain.'**

*Dolly Parton*

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