

# Preston Manor School

Making school memorable by striving for excellence

# **Upcoming dates**

Tuesday 4th January 2022 Start of Term

Saturday 8th January 2022 Music Academy Start of term

Wednesday 19th January 2022 Parent Partnership Meeting

Thursday 20th January 2022 Year 9 Options Evening

Thursday 27th January 2022 Year 11 Careers Fair

Year 13 Parents Evening

Wednesday 9th February 2022 Post-16 Exam Results Day for Year 11

## **History and Politics**

**Date: December 2021** 

Year 10s had the opportunity to work with the Holocaust Educational Trust to develop questions for a new project they are undertaking with Holocaust survivors.

Sixth formers had a History evening for Black History month with David Olusoga. They also participated in a course on finding out more about Black Tudors with Miranda Kaufmann. Black History

month was also celebrated in school with assemblies led by the History department and Year 8 students.

The Sixth formers took part in University taster sessions in History, Sociology and Politics at Durham University.



We held our first University style seminar for Year 13 students.

# Caught Showing Acts of Being Prepared Congratulations to the following

Students

Year 7 Year 9 Year 10 Abuzar Jaji Gramin Pravin Rawan Adil Shammri

Ukaye Aliyah Hajirah Hussain Angel Prajapati Lura Gashi

Hadiya Mohsin Kayman Wilson Thompson

(You were caught in a Act of Being Prepared and we would like to say THANK YOU! )







Year 11 Year 12

Vasudha Jamnades Subhan Mirza

Alesia Klea Osmanaj Prathiga Srikanthan

Priyanka Maugi

Year 13

Nooreddeen Zaidani Sara Mahonaki Bagir Kerim

Zakariya Warsame

### **Date: December 2021**

## **Performing Arts**

It has been a very busy term in the Performing Arts and Dance Department. Please see below the range of activities which took place.



## Diwali Fair

On Wednesday 17th November we held our first Diwali Fair at the Lower School. We were treated to a magnificent fire works display, Henna artists, Dance performances and Indian Street food. A very enjoyable occasion.



# **English**

# Preston Manor Magazine Black History Month Special



## Rebekka Vasili 90

The English department and a number of students have compiled a second magazine based around Black History and Black Lives Matter. The article contains Art and Graphics, Poetry, Unsung Heroes with many interesting read.

Special thanks to the editorial team: Rebecca Davis 12T, Shianne Kellar 12T, Lamar Miller 12E and Ocean Renaud 12E and also Ms Rana — Art and Graphics

Please see below the link to view the full article

https://www.preston-manor.com/attachments/download.asp?file=2287&type=pdf



It's been great to get back to something kike normality in terms of PE Extra Curricular Sports clubs and competitive fixtures this term and it's been fantastic seeing the huge numbers of pupils taking up the chance to join in, get fit and be competitive.

We have played almost 30 boys football fixtures in both the Brent Leagues and Middlesex Cups so far this season from Years 7-13 and every year group had some success. Our Year 8 team is flying the flag in terms of success so far, as they are currently unbeaten in all competitions and have progressed to the third round of the Cup - where they play JFS next week for a place in the quarter finals. All of the Year groups have enjoyed some successes though and there have been some fantastic games along the way. Unfortunately there was a defeat to Claremont in a penalty shoot out in their respective third round Middlesex Cup tie. Well done to all.

The girls have also begun to play some competitive football matches and are revelling in their opportunity to compete against other schools in this format. We have more games pencilled in in the fixtures diary and some local competitions coming up before we break for Christmas.

We have also been working behind the scenes to bring a local junior football club to PMS and have them based here and so I am delighted to say that Preston Manor School will now be the home to Kinja FC. They now play ALL of their games at the school site (girls and boys) and will be bringing their training sessions across too in due course. This offers a great opportunity for our pupils to commit to playing sport outside of the school day. I would encourage pupils who wish to do so, to get in touch with KINJA directly OR get this information from the PE department. There are some exciting plans afoot to develop our existing facilities too, but I won't elaborate until such plans become concrete.

We are moving onto basketball at school now, with the league games just getting started. Again, practice sessions have been really well attended, so let's see how the season unfolds. Please ensure you are familiar with our PE extra curricular timetable so you and your child can see exactly what is on offer.

The key to any real development though lies with pupils playing competitively outside of the school gates. There is so much potential at school, but not enough of our pupils play for teams at weekends. I have a host of local club contacts in a wide range of sports, so please let me know if you want them (I am constantly nagging and moaning at our pupils to go out and play).

We have also managed to secure a "guest speaker" -Arran Selhi, who has volunteered to come into school to help inspire and promote the benefits of sport and exercise to our girls. This is ongoing and she will continue to work with our girls throughout the year. We are hopeful that it will also lead to some further funding and development opportunities.

Rhia Benjamin from QPR continues to work with our female footballers (both in school and outside of school time). There is some real potential here and we are keen to tap into this and really push, promote and raise girls sporting participation at PMS

## SEN DEPARTMENT

The school staff marked DLD Awareness day, the team in the Speech and Language Base have delivered staff training and advice on strategies that work with our students regarding their speech, language and communication need. We also managed to get Brent Civic Centre lit up purple as part of a worldwide campaign to raise awareness of DLD and the impact this has on students





Well done to the following students who won awards and for all those who received praise points from their teachers.

Year 7 Students	Year 8 Students	Year 9 Students
Aydin Aouidef Yakshita Dhansukh Marwa Douana	Mohamad Assaf Maroun Baradhi	Anya Fernandes Siar Torabi
Year 10 Students	Year 11 Students	Year 12 Students
Morgan Marshall	Hadi Hussain Vesta Kriunaite	



The Year 11 Suited and Booted event took place on Wednesday 6th October 2021. Students were interviewed by BNP Paribas.



### **Date: December 2021**

### D.I.V.A.s (Determination, Independence Value, Aspiration)



On Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November the D.I.V.A. Programme welcomed new D.I.V.A.s!

Our senior Year 13 D.I.V.A.s supported the Year 9 initiation by giving talks about their experiences in the programme, answering questions and encouraging engagement in the skills activities.

With a message of encouragement from Mr Ngochi, the Year 9 D.I.V.A.s demonstrated communication, leadership and team working skills and had fun doing so!











Year 9 D.I.V.A.s
'One thing that I would like to gain from D.I.V.A. is...'

'to build up my confidence'.
'to be more social'.
'to gain more skills'.
'to be able to express
myself'.

'to get out of my comfort zone'.

'to learn about jobs'











The D.I.V.A.s visited Brunel University to get an insight on higher education.

They participated in activities, they were taken on a campus tour and talked about what they learnt about university.







'We learnt that modules vary depending on the university and the experts that the course'

'I learnt that you have to pay to stay on campus'.









Brunel
University
London



# **Jack Petchey**

Each month the school votes on which students have served the Preston Manor Community in giving their time freely to benefit others.



All the students below received £250.00 to spend on something for the school.

## September - Amelia Pilkington 13T

**REASON** – Amelia has been involved in many aspects of school life. She was a great year 8 buddy, and more recently she was a superb and dedicated house captain for Air. She was very creative in putting together the online Talent Show we had last year and she was the inspiration behind the choice of supporting the charity Crisis as she was so concerned about the number of Londoners who had lost their homes due to the Pandemic situation.

**BOUGHT**—She spent her money on A2 revision books for the A –Level Physics students to use.



## October - Tanya Osman 13E

**REASON** – Tanya has been involved in many aspects of school life. Last year she was a great house captain for Water. She loved interacting with the students, going into the form classes to tell them about the house events. She was very reliable and always made sure that the events were well planned. She found her lion voice after a very quiet first house assembly, and she has now flourished into a confident student who is willing to help others whenever she can.

**BOUGHT** –She will spend her money on decorations and music for the year 13 prom that will take place in the summer term.



## November - Kasparas Pocius 11A

**REASON** – Kaspa has been involved in many aspects of school life, from being a year 8 Buddy, to giving up his time to help out with the extra-curricular activities that take place at our school. He was instrumental in helping out the PE department during the Year 6 Open evening and has been a good ambassador for the school by always being polite and helpful.

**BOUGHT** –He has spent his money on updating the outside basket ball hoops and nets in the Art & Design Playground.



Due to exams in the hall we have not be able to present Kaspa with his certificate but hopefully this will take place after Christmas.





The students below received their 100% attendance certificate for the second half of the Autumn term.

Well done

FORENAME	SURNAME
Tayyib	Ahmad
Joel	Baskaran
Zahra	Besmell
Mackenzie	Emmanuel
Prince Agyeman	Gyang
Mariam	Jalloh
Shraddha	Jitesh
Jayaharry	Manogaran
Ioannis	Manthios
Alexandru	Pislaru
Sebastian	Popa
Hassan Seyed	Razavi
Alessia	Acasandrei
Princess	Attram
Yakshita	Dhansukh
Marwa	Douana
Mario	Iordache
Mohammed	
Idrees	Khan-Dhaad
Arjun	Meena
Hadiya	Mohsin
Shani	Nehmad
Zach	Rocha
Mustafa	Shah
	Sowah Cunning-
Jahzaiah	ham
Aishani	Tiwari
Aliyah	Ukaye
Atal	Wadood
Samar	Abdelbaqi
Enoch	Agbaje

FORENAME	SURNAME
Sophia	Akhtar
Beatrice	Badalita
Zain Al-Abideen	Basma
Sonnya	Conduraru
Zaina	Hussain
Rayhana	Hussein
Adam	Ibrahim
Tehreem	Irfan
Ehsaam	Khan
Laiba	Khan
Ianis	Lupascu
Bianca	Medintu
Ali	Mohamed
Sareem	Nabi
Hoorain	Nisar
Cristian	Orghidan
Sumeya	Ali
Omelbanin	Al-Menahi
Jory	Al-Qureche
Serafina	Bhudia
Daniyal	Elahi
Erik	Hermann
Viraj	Hetal
Amelia	Jamshidi
Faruq	Mohamud
Tasshini	Sasikaran
Jadore	Scott
Almas	Ahmed
Leith	Al-Refee
Johan	Fernandes
Sakariye	Abdi

FORENAME	SURNAME
Aisha	Hussein
Abuzar	Jaji
Bhargavi	Jayendrakumar
Rama	Konbus
Sonia	Laci
Reyhana	Mallek
Adm	Musleh
Andrej	Nikolov
Tasnim	Robleh
Thiveny	Tharmaseelan
Huixuan	Weng
Naima	Abdalla
Catalina	Boicu
Sakina	Dhami
Taleen	El-aloul
Shulam	Fernandes
Ezaan	Haq
Abdullahi	Hussein
Musa	Khan
Sukeny	Miguel
Kai	Prince
Nidal	Qaisrani
Ianis	Racovita
Paeyton	Reid

FORENAME	SURNAME
Ahlam	Abdi
Iqra	Abdulkadir
Jannah	Abukar
Liyana	Ahmed
Hussein	Al-Fathli
Abdur-Raheem	Ali
Maalik	Ali
Omar	Ali
Hussain	Alipur
Sally Sabah	Al-Tamimi
Nathaniel	Amedoda
Veer	Amratlal
Paula	Asareyeboah
Zahra	Ashraf
Fatima Noor Farooq	Azam
Maroun	Baradhi
Samuel	Barbosa De Moura Fantini
Carolina	Batranovska
Boris	Bukov
Nazaria	Buzera
Vainavi	Charabudla
Berra	Chasan Dai
Kaiv Ellis	Dagpin
Drayden	Egesa
Mohamed	El Khaddaji
Adrian	Firlej
Daveisha	Frimpong-Mensah
Rashane	Gregg
Rehana	Hamza
Sara	Han
Raihana	Hasani
Mohammed	Hassan
Sarah	Holmgren
Iez Aldin	Hussein
Nadia	Hussein-Drydan
Daniel	Iqbal
Jahnai	Joseph

FORENAME	SURNAME
Ibrhim	Khan
Safiyyah	Khan-Dhaad
Stefania-Madalina	Lastun
Kevin	Lin
Letayvia	McFee-Haywood
Munira	Mohamed
Yahya	Mohamed
Hafssa	Nadri El Khaddaji
Shaumika	Naguleswaran
Rijan	Nyaupane
Stephanie	Palomeras
Sanvi	Patel
Bethany	Pereira
Amalia-Madalina	Plamada
Keinan	Praviuse
Noor	Qureshi
Vili Angelova	Rashkova
Charles	Rebello
Kasem	Sabha
Mohammad Sohail	Saeedy
Suhayla	Sheikhosman
David	Sima
Varshan	Sivanesan
Saivaisha	Sivasothy
Sajini	Srikanthan
Victoria	Szulc
Carolina	Tartiu
Chloe	Thompson
Akshita	Vadhel
Pedro	Whyte Perez
Tonifie	Woripaga
Pavel	Yanakiev
Mohammed	Zaitoun
Sade	Zondo

FORENAME	SURNAME
Zein	Abdallah
Yahye	Abdi
Zinneerah	Ahmed
Maher	Alsaaed
Hadi	Amin
Eloisa	Anaman
Fahema	Arush
Maria	Asse
Rehan	Banani
Rodrigo	Barros
Mohammed	Basit
Yaqub	Ben-Rahou
Marius	Berende
Amaan	Brady
Merceline	Brotherson
Lavinia	Bucataru
Radhika	Cangi
Sophia	Cardoso Neves Da Silva
Natalya	Carr
Moksha	Carsandas
Mohammad	Daraei
Hussein	Draz
Amira	El Hajji
Ahmed	Elnaggar
Dwayne	Essah-Essel
Anastasia	Fernandes
Omar	Gaad
Lura	Gashi
Zaki	Hamid
Hamse	Hassan
Abdul Basit	Hotak
Kamran	Hussain

FORENAME	SURNAME
Abdulmajid	Hussein
Diana	Ieremie
Methusha	Indran
Zequary	Johnson
Mohammad	Khamari
Kaiser	Lawson
Daniel	Lutala
Amaal	Mahdi
Zan	Majid
Cristian	Matei
Erianny	Mbombo Ramazani
Muhaymin	Merza
Sana	Mohammad Ali
Khaleel	Mohamud
Laaiqah	Mohomed
Cosmina	Morar
Iqra	Nadim
Ioanna	Ntosti
Ilyas	Osman
Daniel	Palomeras-Padonu
Shoviya	Paskaran
Jasmine	Pumpuni
Laiba	Qureshi
Sebastian	Raica
Mohammed	Raufi
T'Miyah	Reid
Max	Sellars
Tudor	Sirghi
Siar	Torabi
Taliyah	Wint
Teim	Zein Eddin

FORENAME	SURNAME
Ilyas	Abdullahi
Mehek	Adhikari
Rawan	Adil Shammri
Yonis	Afrah
Jasmin	Al Shemary
Aneeq	Ali
Riaz	Allibhai
Zahraa	Al-Nasrawi
Iaya	Al-Qadhi
Moayad	Al-Shakargi
Nana Akosua	Asamoa-Bonsu
Sabrina	Asse
Firdaus	Azam
Keisha	Balogun
Suraiyah	Benn
Mukti	Bhavsar
Kieran	Broomfield
Adil	Chaudhri
Vatsal	Chavda
Nishat	Chowdhury
Andrew	Cover
Zakir	Dadd
Soufian	Dahak Aairout
Supriya	Dehal
Toure	Downer
Janat	El Eissa
Samia	El Ouadgui
Abdallah	Elmi
Aseel	Elnaiem
Hannah	Finn
Lorita	Gashi

FORENAME	SURNAME
Noor	Gebory
Neva	Giourouk
Asia	Green
Zahra	Hachem
Masharaf	Hasani
Yahye	Hassan
Amari	Huggins
Abdilatif-Habib- Tahir	Hussain
Hassan	Hussain
Melissa	Ilies
Andreea	Iordache
Hidaya	Ismail
John Paul	Ismail
Huda	Ismail
Inusika	Ithayarajah
Ayush	Jaiprakash
Ibad	Jan
Nasir	Jan
Jigar	Jignesh
Rihanna	Johnson
Parthiv	Kevat
Fawad	Khan
Kavya	Khatri
Rasheed	Lake
Daniela	Lane
Omari	Lawrence
Emilio	Lindsay
Morgan	Marshall
Ruqaya	Mayah
Alessio	Mazar

FORENAME	SURNAME
Isadora	Milani
Cristiano	Miries
Mohamed	Moalin
Redwan	Mohamed
Hodan	Mohamed
Aqsa	Mughal
Anas	Mukhtar
Vickram	Muraleetharan
Rama	Mustafa
Shanujan	Naguleswaran
Ariana	Nastase
Bayleigh	Newell
Mohabatullah	Noorzai
Antony	Palmer
Ioana Denisa	Polici
Christabel	Pumpuni
Alian	Qaderie
Saira	Rahman
Jaber	Reisan
Kaua	Ribeiro Carmonia Garcia
Mosawir	Sadat
Hasnain	Samdani
Suzi	Semanaj
Aman Raj	Seru
Mikail	Shahid
Maryam	Sheikhosman
Lakshan	Sivanesan
Aya	Toumlilt
Darshil	Vadhel
Tishauna	Webber

FORENAME	SURNAME
Zakariya	Abanur
Zeinab	Abdallah
Taqwah	Abdulahi
Azaf	Abubacar
Azfar	Abubacar
Gran	Ahmad
Adnana	Ahmed
Waseem	Akhtar
Usman	Akram
Mostafa	Al-Tamimi
Faizan	Alvi
Amma Bempomaa	Appiah-Danquah
Aisho	Arush
Betool Faaek	Ashoor Talaak
Tyrell	Austin
Ravimohan	Avinaash
Aqeel	Ayaz
Omar	Bash-Imam
Alexandra	Bicher
Amy	Blue
Ayush	Cangi
Shiloh	Cardoso
Mohammed	Daad
Noor	Dad
Sundus	Dahir
Emma	Danca
Safiy-Uddin	Dhami
Rebbeca	Djan
Hasan	Draz
Glen	D'Silva
Ilhaam	Elmi
Avenie	Fernandes
Antonio	Figueira
Neshamah	Foday
Mario	Frant
Klevi	Gashi
Adam	Ghebregiorgis
Robert	Gibson
Sienna	Griffiths
Evelin	Guczi
Omar	Hamad
William	Han
Peter	Haynes
Hadi	Hussain

FORENAME	SURNAME
Tiba	Hussein
Hena	Iqbal
Ruqeeia	Jawad
Nithursan	Kengatharan
Shohib	Khalil
Sami	Khan
Prince	Khati
Sarah	Khayat
May	Lat
Heba	Latif
Marwan	Maskat
Daniela	Mendes
Iulia	Mihailov
Marwa	Mohamed
Alaa	Mohsen
Julien	Monga
Stefan-Nicolae	Munteanu
Chris	Mutombo Ramazani
Hussein	Omar
Rozelle	Pagala
Christina	Panisales Labarete
Varniga	Paramananthan
Prabhat	Pradhan
Huda	Quandil
Mohammad	Rafiq-Jaji
Adam	Rahman
Abish	Ranjithkumar
Virudshika	Ravichandran
Abeer	Reisan
Tyana	Rose
Abdul Haseeb	Samdani
Tanika	Simon-Thomas
Saishyam	Sivasothy
Sharon	Stanley
Radu	Stoian
Tamara	Subhe
Gabriel	Suciu
Sheharyar Mohammad	Syed
Thines	Thavarajah
Rishawn	Vassall-Henry
Kyrah	Walters
Javon	Walton
Kayo	White
Hazal	Yorulmaz

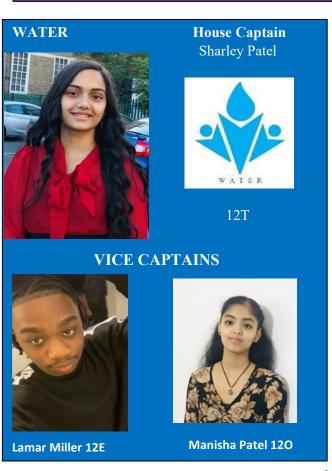


In October the students voted for their new house captains and the results were:











# HOUSE NEWS





# The Student House Captain Team

The House Captains wanted to say a big thank you to all staff that donated Raffle prizes as well as cakes, samosas and chocolate for the Chocolate Tombola stall.

They wanted to also say a big thank you to the following departments and groups who ran a stall at the fair or helped with equipment:

LRC, School Council, Behaviour Panel, Geography Department, Maths Department, Drama department, The Princes Trust Groups for year 11 and year 10, Art & Design Department, Mr Carboo and the PE department.

A special mention for Miguel, who made lots of the games in the DT workshop, he is our very own Preston Manor Christmas Elf! And not forgetting the Teacher House Captains: Ms Minas, Ms Lawrence, Ms Richardson, Ms Henry and Mr Montagut who helped to supervise the Fair, making sure everybody was keeping COVID safe by wearing a masks and sanitising hands at each stall. It was a real team effort and I think all the students who came to the fair had a great fun time.







We are pleased to announce that the Christmas Fair raised £1040.48 which will be sent to Blood Cancer UK to help fight cancer.

**Date: December 2021** 



**Everyone at Preston Manor School** 

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