

# Student bulletin 1st issue!

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# Key upcoming dates

- ▶ Monday 11th March: Year 11 in school only
- ▶ Thursday 14th March: Taking Up Space event, 6 – 8pm
- ▶ Monday 18th March: Year 10 Prefect applications launched
- ▶ Thursday 21st March: Year 10 Parents' Evening – periods 3–6 taught
- ▶ Thursday 21st March: Easter Concert
- ▶ Thursday 28th March: Last day of term
- ▶ Tuesday 16th April: All pupils return to school

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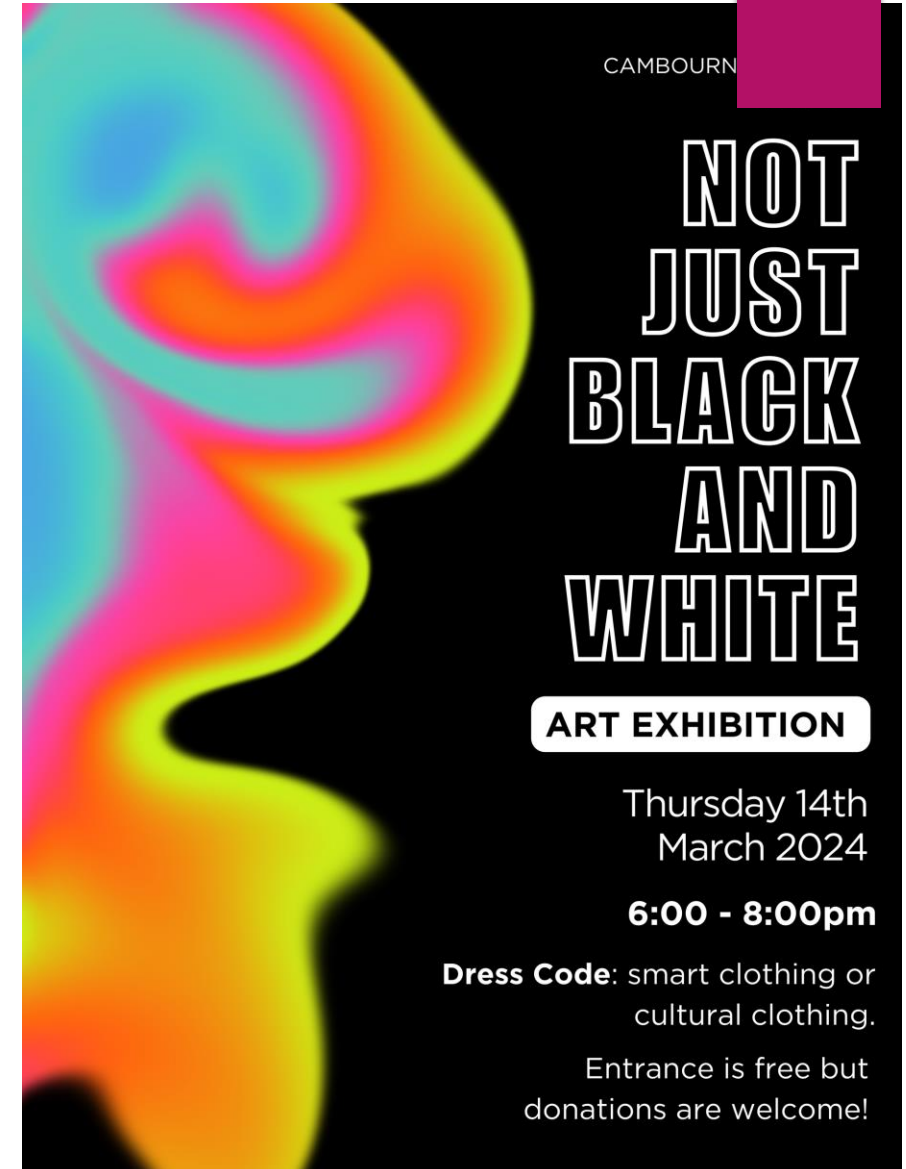
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- ▶ Beauty and the Beast:
- ▶ A young prince is cast under a spell, a spell that can only be broken through true love. When Belle arrives at the castle, the household hope that finally the spell might be broken, but how could such a beauty ever fall in love with a beast?
- ▶ CamVC Productions brings this tale as old as time to the stage in their 2024 whole school musical, Disney's *Beauty and the Beast*!
- ▶ Tickets (additional booking fee applies): Wednesday 6th/Thursday 7th - £8 (full price) £6 (concessions) Friday 8th/Saturday 9th - £10 (full price) £8 (concessions)
- ▶ Doors open at 6:40pm for a 7pm start
- ▶ Refreshments will be available to purchase before the show and during the interval
- ▶ Visit: <https://www.wegotickets.com/CamAcademyTrust>
- ▶ (The Coates Theatre, Cambourne Village College, Sheepfold Lane, CB23 6FR)



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- ▶ The annual and much loved *Not Just Black and White* cultural celebration and art exhibition is back on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March
- ▶ There will be many student contributions to the event, including “colour” themed art, dance, singing, music and delicious food from all over the world!
- ▶ There is no need to book tickets, just come along – everyone is welcome, including friends and family from outside school
- ▶ Come and enjoy the celebration of all of the cultures that make our community so vibrant



- ▶ **Who are the prefects?**
- ▶ They are a group of year 11 students who are committed to helping this school become a better place, and are an essential link between the student body and staff.
- ▶ The prefect team are always planning events and opportunities for students; some events that they have done recently are:
  - ▶ Running a fundraiser for children in need and raising £733
  - ▶ Running eco events like the spotless social area competition
  - ▶ Planning and organising sports clubs and fixtures
  - ▶ Lollipop sales in the lunch halls



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- ▶ There are a large variety of clubs here at Cambourne, from sports clubs to crochet club. We're sure that there is something for everyone! Joining clubs is a great way to develop new skills and meet people with similar interests to you.

- ▶ Have a look:

## ▶ Book recommendations form

- ▶ If you would like to recommend a book / article to be featured in the next bulletin, please fill out this form:

- ▶ [https://forms.office.com/Pages/DesignPageV2.aspx?subpage=design&FormId=1u3qfje\\_FUCP6Rn7wsAtVYseLyb5KLZBtYIMA43JdmpUOUc2V1IMR1o4QVRFNEJEWU9NVIY4NikzTi4u&Token=44005661f00b40d6976fe609394eedab](https://forms.office.com/Pages/DesignPageV2.aspx?subpage=design&FormId=1u3qfje_FUCP6Rn7wsAtVYseLyb5KLZBtYIMA43JdmpUOUc2V1IMR1o4QVRFNEJEWU9NVIY4NikzTi4u&Token=44005661f00b40d6976fe609394eedab)

Weekly extra-curricular clubs list 2023-2024

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
Lunch	Afterschool	Lunch	Afterschool	Lunch	Afterschool	Lunch	Afterschool	Lunch	Afterschool
	PE Clubs		PE Clubs	Ukulele club - Music	PE Clubs		PE Clubs	Minecraft club - Comp01	PE Clubs
	Library		Library		Library		Library		Library
	Cambourne band - Music		Crochet club - DT06		Creative writing club - P13		Whole school production - 3-5pm		Senior choir - MU1
	Taking up space - Sixth from canteen		Junior choir - Music		Mental health ambassadors - S1		Young carers (Wk 8) - The Link		Warhammer club - S1
	First tech challenge - Comp02		Band night - Music		KS3 art club - Blue art rooms				

## PE Department Extra-curricular Clubs – January 2024

### MONDAY 3-4pm

Hockey - Astro (KB)  
Girls' football - Astro (LM)  
Table tennis - Dining hall (KR)  
Volleyball - Gym (HT)  
KS4 basketball - Sports hall (JF)

### TUESDAY 3-4pm

KS3 basketball - Sports hall (JF)  
Dodgeball - Gym (LM)  
Football training - Astro (LY)

### WEDNESDAY 3-4pm

#### FIXTURES

BTEC Catch up - IT04 (BTEC staff)  
GCSE revision - Classroom (KB)  
Wellbeing Wednesday - PE (sports leaders)  
Netball - Hard courts (HT)

### THURSDAY 3-4pm

Sports Leaders Opportunities - Check the Sports Leaders Board  
Girls active - Gym (sports leaders)  
Badminton (Sports Hall) (All)

**Boys** – meet at the back doors to the **orange** changing rooms

**Girls** – meet at the back doors to the **green** changing rooms



## Music Clubs

All our music clubs are up and running – so if your child plays an instrument, or enjoys singing, then please encourage them to come along.

The following clubs will be running this term.

- Monday 3 – 4pm: CamVC Band – All instrumentalists welcome (Years 7 – 11)
- Tuesday 3- 4pm: Junior Singers (Years 7 – 9) – Christmas mini-production *tba*
- Tuesday 3 – 4pm: Rock Bands (Years 9 – 11)
- Thursday 3 – 5pm: School Production (Years 7 – 11)
- Friday 3 – 4pm: Senior Choir (Years 9 – 11)

Pupils are very welcome to come along and try any club they are interested in joining.

## Instrumental & Singing Lessons

These will be starting next week, and everyone signed up for lessons will receive an email confirming the day and time of their first lesson.

If your child is interested in doing Instrumental or Singing lessons, there are still many places available. You can sign them up for lessons using the online form, found here:

[Instrument lessons - Cambourne Village College \(cambournevc.org\)](https://forms.office.com/Pages/DesignPageV2.aspx?subpage=design&FormId=1u3qfje_FUCP6Rn7wsAtVYseLyb5KLZBtYIMA43JdmpUOUc2V1IMR1o4QVRFNEJEWU9NVIY4NikzTi4u&Token=44005661f00b40d6976fe609394eedab)

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# MENTAL HEALTH

It is important to exercise to maintain good mental health, and it also has benefits with focus and concentration – which helps with your schoolwork. Whether this is going to the gym, doing cardio, playing football, being part of a sports club, dancing or any form of physical activity, doing it regularly is very beneficial for your mental well-being.



Being outside is an effective coping strategy, the oxygen is proved to help your mental health.



Socialising can help with your mental health as your friends can bring positivity to your life. But it is also important to spend time alone if that is what makes you feel better.





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- ▶ Featuring contributions from (all Year 10):
- ▶ Abbie E
- ▶ Polly W
- ▶ Zara C
- ▶ Dalia H
- ▶ Mollie H

