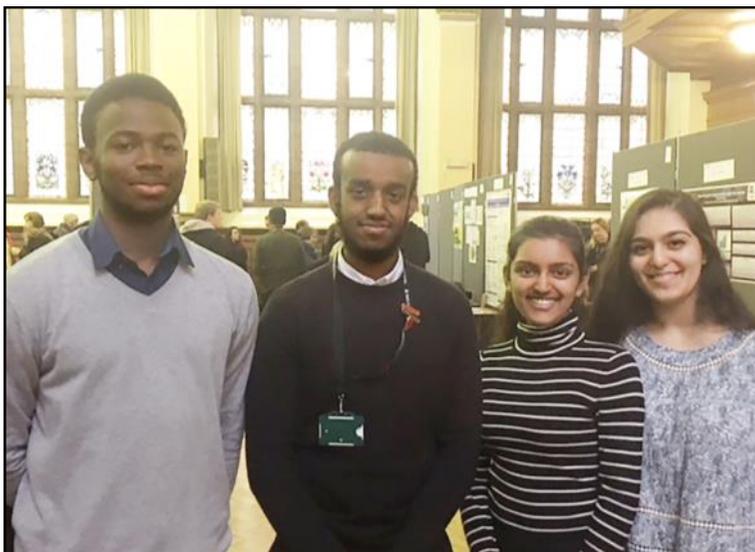


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SCHOOL AIM

“To provide a Christian environment in which young people are safe, secure, cared for and happy, and are able to develop into articulate, confident and well qualified citizens of the world.”



Nuffield Research

From Course Director of KS5 Science, Dr Alnuamaani: “I recently had the privilege of being asked to be a member of an expert panel assessing students who had gained places on the prestigious Nuffield Research Placements over the Summer. There was a celebration of their success, with students presenting their research to experts in the scientific field and being judged to represent the North West in the National Science and Engineering Finals. Standing shoulder to shoulder with some of the finest young scientists in our region were four students from our own Sixth Form. Emmanuel, Mustafa, Poornima and Pakiza were not only excellent ambassadors for the school but also for themselves as they confidently told the judging panel about their placements and the research they carried out. I was immensely proud of their achievements and overwhelmed by how far these students have come in their scientific knowledge since I first met them in Year 7. Four truly outstanding students!”

Science Residential

Earlier this month, colleagues from the University of Manchester, our science department and 50 of our students spent the weekend in Malham, North Yorkshire. Our students carried out field studies, enhanced their ecological sampling skills and found out about careers in science. The trip was a great success, as can be seen in the photos below.



Trinity Sports Council



In a recent assembly, Trinity's first 'Sports Council' was launched by Mr McCoy and Mrs Barrett. Sport Representatives from each form were told about this new initiative, which will see a group of twenty pupils taking an active role in the provision of sport and physical activity at Trinity. The

Sports Council will be a 'Pupil Voice' for all things related to sport and physical activity, and it will also give opportunities for sports leadership. Pupils were invited to apply for a place on the Sports Council by completing an application form to explain their reasons for applying and their ideas to kick-start the work of the Sports Council. An update will be given in the near future!

Film Festival Cinema Visits

Film and chess club students recently had the opportunity to attend cinema trips to watch "Thor: Ragnarok" and "Queen of Katwe". Here are a few reviews of the films by some of our budding film critics:

“Thor: Ragnarok” reviews:

- This film was great. I loved how they made it action-packed but could still keep the story going instead of just action every five minutes. I also loved the Stan Lee cameo, it was quite amusing.” Solomon Nelson – 7FAL
- “This is a great comedy action with excellent actors. This film's special effects are amazingly real like its monsters, creatures and much more. The movie really incorporates the theme of comedy and adventure due to its stunts, jumps and witty humour. If you haven't already watched it you should because it's a phenomenal film.” Robert Sainsbury – 7BLA

“Queen of Katwe” reviews:

- “This is a great film that tells us how to persevere. I enjoyed it because of the ups and downs it has and it can be quite sad at some parts. This 2 hour movie is worth watching because it is something that we can all enjoy. Chess lovers will also like this film. It is funny in some of the parts and astonishing as the Queen of Katwe beats nearly all chess players. I would give this film FIVE stars.” Amelia Appleton – 7AHT
- “This is a thrilling movie. For me I think that it is about determination and hope. When she lost her tournament she never gave up.” Ethan Zengamambu – 7GGR



Advent Carol Service

All parents, governors and friends of the school are invited to attend our Advent Carol Service on Monday, 4th December, 2017, at 1pm at St Ann's Church in Manchester. It promises to be a very special occasion in the heart of the city.

And Finally...

...Well done Trinity! As a school we managed to raise an amazing 196 pairs of socks for this year's 'Socktober Appeal'. Thank you to all who got involved for your generosity, especially to Vikram Lad (8PBA), who donated a whopping 32 pairs! Our sock donations, along with two boxes of jogging pants, scarves, gloves, t-shirts and a pair of boots were gratefully accepted by 'Reach Out to the Community' in Chorlton. They will ensure your gifts will reach the most vulnerable and needy people living on the streets of Manchester this Winter. Our thanks also go to Ms Strittmatter for organising this appeal.



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