

THE JACK HUNT ACADEMY COMMUNITY UPDATE

Keeping you informed, engaged, and connected with life at Jack Hunt Academy



Celebrating Our Students and Community

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic and eventful week it has been here at Jack Hunt Academy! From cultural events, sporting successes and fostering creativity; there's been so much to celebrate and enjoy, all across our JHA community.

We were honoured to once again host this year's Muslim Council of Peterborough (MCP) City Education Awards – a truly vibrant and inspiring evening celebrating the achievements, progress, and community contributions of young people across our city.

Now in its 11th year, the event, organised by the MCP in partnership with our students, brought together over 200 guests, including more than 100 students from over 20 local schools. The evening shone a spotlight on Peterborough's shared values of unity, diversity, and pride in the next generation. It was a privilege for Jack Hunt Academy to be part of such a special celebration of educational excellence.

Student Skills in Action

Our Young Technicians have continued their fantastic work in the Thursday after-school course. After almost a year of hands-on experience, their technical skills and creativity are truly taking shape – well done to all involved for their continued commitment and enthusiasm!

Trust Recognition

We are also delighted to share that our Trust has received a Regional Award in recognition of our performance in the 2024/25 National Education Survey. This award celebrates schools performing in the top 10 nationally and the highest-performing school in our region – a reflection of our collective hard work, dedication, and the unwavering support of our families and community.

Thank you, as always, for your continued encouragement and partnership in supporting our students to thrive.

SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS

Sporting Successes

It's been a brilliant week for sport at Jack Hunt:

- Year 11 Boys Football: A 2-1 league win against Ken Stimpson – superb captaincy once again from Aldo Palas, a great role model for his peers.
- Year 11 Netball: A commanding 21-0 victory over TDA, with Emma Pettman named Player of the Match by the opposition (photos on Instagram!).
- Year 9 Boys Football: A fantastic 8-3 win over Sawtry in their Round 2 ESFA run – well done, team!
- Year 10 Boys Football: A hard-fought 1-1 draw against Hampton Gardens in the league.

Student Spotlight

A huge congratulations to Sefin Jawad-Ismail, who recently represented Jack Hunt Academy and the UK in the Oxnard PAL International Boxing Championships in Los Angeles, USA.

After a tough semi-final, Sefin triumphed in the final against a strong Mexican opponent to be crowned Oxnard PAL International Champion 2025 – an incredible achievement! 🏆



REMINDERS

Jack Hunt Enrichment Timetable

Duke of Edinburgh Reminder

Don't forget – if your child is interested in taking part in the Duke of Edinburgh Award, **the final sign-up day is Friday 24 October 2025**, which is the last day of this term. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to develop independence, resilience, and teamwork through a nationally recognised award. Head over to DofE support club on Monday Lunchtimes in 501!



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