



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 13th - Friday 17th October 2008: **Week A**

Thought For The Week:

Life is either a daring adventure or nothing.
Helen Keller

News Topic of the Week:

People try to contact aliens.
See <http://news.bbc.co.uk/cbbcnews/hi/world/default.stm>



Shoebox Appeal: Please get involved and make up a Christmas Shoebox for under-privileged children around the world. When you have made your box, please hand it in to your form tutor. Please call all completed boxes be brought into school by **Friday 7th November**.

Open Evening

Thursday 16th October is our School Open Evening. Please get involved and help out! Get a letter from the teacher that you wish to help and return the parental reply slip to them.

Open evening tour guides -

Thanks to all the students who have volunteered to help me welcome visitors to the school on Open Evening. When you arrive in school, please go to En1. You will be allocated a small group of visitors to take round the school following a route which will be given to you. You must wear correct school uniform.

If you have not received a letter and still want to be part of this important team, please collect a letter from student support, fill in the times you are available, get your parents to sign it and then hand it back to the Student Support office. Mrs Stone.

Before Thursday, please can we have **everything cleared off the tops of lockers** -anything left on the tops of lockers by Thursday after school will be removed.

Please remember that **school finishes at 2.00pm on Thursday**. Lessons 1 & 2 will be as normal, we will have an extended 'brunch' from 11.00am-11.45pm. Next will be lessons 3&4 and all students need to go to their tutor rooms at 1.45pm.

Charity H2U: If you have taken part in any charity event inside or outside of school during 2008, we would like to hear about all your hard work! We are making a new Charity H2U for December 2008, and we need your stories so we can raise even more money for our charity, Bliss. Please visit Miss Grover in Hut 4 near the tennis courts to let her know. Thank you.

Year 10 and 11 - All students who ordered **Philosophy and Ethics revision guides** may collect them from Mr Goddard.

Applications are now open for the National Youth Theatre's 2009 Season. Applicants need to be 13 years old and over. Details can be found at www.nyt.org.uk. Mrs McGrath.

A reminder that **Year 7 Maths booster sessions** with parents continue next Tuesday after school in Ma5. Please note that these sessions will start at 3.20pm, not 3.30pm as stated in the letter.

Lions Peace Poster Competition: Congratulations to Charli Salter in 9.2 who has won first prize in the local area competition for the Lions Club International Peace poster competition. Charli will receive a cheque for £50 in due course. The club were delighted with the quality of entrants this year and would like to congratulate all students for their magnificent designs. Certificates of appreciation will also be awarded to those shortlisted. Charli's entry will now be forwarded to the district competition - South Central. We wish Charli good luck in the next stage of the competition and thank all students involved for their hard work and effort.



Talent Show: Well done to everyone who took part in the Talent Show auditions last week. The list of successful acts is up outside Ex2.

S-Factor Science Club is every Thursday after school in SC10. All KS3 students welcome! Year 10 & 11 helpers please see Mrs. Collins.

If you have lost a mouth guard that can you please come and see the PE staff in the PE office. We have a number that have been handed in over the past 4 weeks. Mr Dean.

Online fantasy shares competition: there will be a meeting at break time in IT1 on Tuesday 14th October to register all those interested in taking part and missed the registration last week. All years welcome to register their teams of 4. Mrs. Finch



MUSIC NOTICES



Music clubs running this week:

Shout & Vocalis choir on Tuesday's after school for lower and upper school
Guitar Club meet Tuesday lunchtimes
Harmonius Funk Jazz Band on Wednesday's after school for all wind players

For the **Musical rehearsals** please check your rehearsal schedule

BRAINTEASER

Mr Jobbins put some coins on the table.

One half of them were tails up.

Mr Jobbins turned over two of the coins, and then one third of them were tails up.

How many coins did Mr Jobbins put on the table?

Answers to be submitted by Friday 24th October 2008 with name and tutor group to the Brainteaser Box in Ma6.



PE NOTICES

Year 7 rugby @ Grange - A team won all matches, B team won all matches

Year 7/8 netball v Wentworth - lost 7-13

Year 10/11 rugby v Arnewood - lost 12-17

Year 7 netball v Arnewood & Twynham - A team won 2 and drew 1, B team lost 1, won 2.

Year 10 football v Carter - won 6-5 on penalties

Year 9 netball v Wentworth - lost 2-10

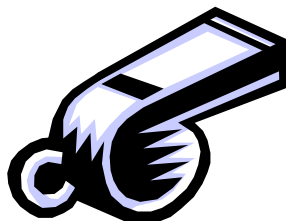
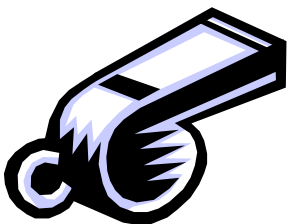
Year 10/11 netball v Wentworth - won 13-3

P.E. FIXTURES/PRACTICES

13th - 17th October 2008

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday	Year 10 fitness Year 10/11 basketball	Year 11 football v Lytchett (A)
Tuesday	Year 10/11 girls basketball	Year 9 netball v Ballard (A) Year 7 rugby @ home Year 10/11 rugby v Twynham (A) Year 7 netball club Year 10/11 girls football club
Wednesday	Year 11 fitness club	Year 8 (A&B) netball @ Twynham (v Arnewood) Year 10/11 girls football v St Edwards (H) Year 7 football club
Thursday	Year 8 basketball	Open Evening Year 12/13 football v QE (H)
Friday	Year 7 basketball	

Year 8 and 9 rugby to be confirmed - see PE whiteboard



MERIT UPDATES!!

