



# Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2013: **Week A**

## Thought For The Week:

*Those who follow the crowd are quickly lost in it.*

## Literacy Focus: More Horrible Homophones

*Which is correct?*

- 1. There were three people in the room*
- 2. Their were three people in the room.*

*How do you know which is correct?*

*Can you think of a good way to remember the difference?*

**Year 11 Philosophy and Ethics:** The B603 RPE paper will be taken this Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> January. There are plenty of revision materials on the school's shared documents, but in addition there are 3 revision sessions leading up to the examination. The final session is:

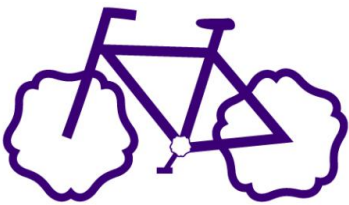
Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January - **Wealth and Poverty** (IT4, 3.10pm - 4.10pm)

(Please note - classes with only two lessons a cycle may not have studied the Wealth and Poverty unit)

**Highcliffe Challenge:** Why not use the beginning of the New Year to go to My Highcliffe and re-visit your Highcliffe Challenge? Look at the challenges again! Which ones can you apply for now?



Highcliffe Challenge



**Cycle Safety:** When cycling to and from school, it is important that we should have good lights fitted to our bikes, wear cycle helmets and cycle on the road and cycle lanes, not on footpaths!

**Cycle Helmets, Lights and Reflective / Fluorescent items are all available from Mr Barnes in Lower School Office at VERY competitive prices!**

**Would you like to make friends with someone from Japan?** - We will have some Japanese students coming to stay with us from 14<sup>th</sup> March to 28<sup>th</sup> March. They will be need families to look after them whilst they are and students to show them around and help them learn about our culture here. Do you think you can do this? If so, please see Mr Bryden in En1. Letters will be out shortly.



**Year 10 Ski Trip Meeting:** There is an important ski trip meeting on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January** in the Gym at 11.00am (break time). Please get there promptly. Thanks, Miss Martindale.

**Netball Club** restarts on **Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January** for all years. It will be after school until 4.15pm. Everyone is welcome! Mrs Webber and Ms Swan.

**Instrumental music lessons** will start on 21<sup>st</sup> January. Please check the IMS notice board for your lesson days and times.

Year 7 French students:



Our school is taking part in



## Language Competition

Thousands of prizes to win  
(laptop, games consoles, iPods, camera...)

Every participant will receive a certificate and a prize!

For more information and to practise online, visit:

[www.Linguatrivia.com](http://www.Linguatrivia.com)



Please speak to Mr Wayth for further information.



The closing date for applications for the **2013 National Youth Theatre audition process** is at the end of January. If you are over 14 years of age and would like to apply please go to the following website: [www.nyt.org/uk/apply](http://www.nyt.org/uk/apply). Mrs McGrath.

Science revision session for the January exam:

### YEAR 11 - UNIT 1 ADDITIONAL

	Foundation (Sc6)	Higher (Sc7)
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	Biology	Chemistry

### Numeracy Challenge: Family Photo

A family photo contained:

*one grandfather, one grandmother;*

*two fathers, two mothers;*

*six children, four grandchildren;*

*two brothers, two sisters;*

*three sons, three daughters;*

*one father-in-law, one mother-in-law, one daughter-in-law*

29 people you may think, but no, what is the least number of people here?

Answers to be placed in the box in MA7 by 1.20pm on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> January.

The first correct answer drawn will win a prize!



# PHONE CASE SALE!

THURSDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY  
LUNCH TIME  
OUTSIDE DATA &  
EXAMINATIONS



All cases only  
£1-£1.50 each!

Samsung

HTC

iPhone

Nokia

Blackberry

And loads  
more!

# CAKE SALE

Monday 21st January  
Break time  
outside Data &  
Examination



all cakes  
20-40p

*I WONDER ... Can you cast a shadow into a dark room?*

# PE DEPARTMENT

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

PLEASE CHECK PE WHITEBOARD FOR CHANGES OF FIXTURES & CLUBS



	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
MONDAY	<b>1.25pm - 1.55pm</b> Year 8 Basketball Club (SHM)	<b>3.05pm - 4.10pm</b> Year 9 Boys' Football vs QE(A)
TUESDAY	<b>1.25pm - 1.55pm</b> Year 7 Basketball Club (NJS)	<b>3.05pm - 4.10pm</b> Year 7 & 8 Girls' Football Club (CFM) - <i>it is vital you attend as the team will be picked from training.</i> Year 8 Basketball vs The Grange (H) (SHM) Year 9 Basketball vs The Grange (A) (NJS)
WEDNESDAY	<b>1.25pm - 1.55pm</b> Years 10/11 Basketball Club (SHM)	<b>3.05pm - 4.10pm</b> Years 9 & 10 Volleyball Club Year 7 & 8 Netball Club (MWR & LSN) U13 Girls' football County Cup vs Sandford Middle School (H) 2.00pm k.o. (CFM) Year 8 Basketball Tournament @ The Grange (SHM)
THURSDAY	<b>1.25pm - 1.55pm</b> Year 9 Basketball Club (NJS)	<b>3.05pm - 4.10pm</b> Year 8 Boys' Football Club (JPO) Year 7 Basketball Club (JDN) Year 7 Basketball vs The Grange (H) (JDN) Year 10/11 Basketball vs The Grange (A) (SHM) Cross Country (SHM)
FRIDAY		