



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 9th - Friday 13th June 2014: **Week B**

Thought For The Week: A loving heart is the truest wisdom. - Charles Dickens

Literacy Focus: Reading and Researching -

Have you been asked to do some research by your teacher? Make sure you have some questions on the subject you want to find out about before doing the research. This will give focus to your reading.

Cashless Catering: Cashless catering starts in **2 WEEKS** on Tuesday 24th June. Before this date it is important for anyone that uses the canteen at break or lunchtime to have charged up their own personal account as you **WILL NOT BE ABLE** to use cash from this date.

Please remember that any money you put in to the machines cannot be spent until Tuesday 24th June.

How do I put money on my account?

Using a top up machine to load on cash:

Step 1
Find out your unique Pin Number from your MyData tab on MyHighcliffe. Hover over each fruit to find out your number.

Step 2
Top up your account using the Top Up Machines.

A) Press the Reset button.
B) Enter your Pin Number

C) Check that your name is shown here.
D) Add your money (coins and notes) not 1p, 2p or 5p.
E) Press the Reset button to log off.

Step 3
Use your Pin Number at the canteen and café tills.
Enjoy your food.

Using Wisepay to add money from a card:

Step 1
Find out your unique Pin Number from your MyData tab on MyHighcliffe. Hover over each Fruit to find out your number.

Step 2
Top up your account using Wisepay.

A) Go to Food and Drink.
B) Select the amount you wish to top up.
C) Check out

Step 3
Use your Pin Number at the canteen and café tills.
Enjoy your food.

How do I find out my balance? At present this can only be done via a revaluation machine and will be displayed when you enter your PIN number. It will include all the money on your account that has been entered by cash or via Wisepay. This will soon be accessible via SIS as well.

Where can I get help if I don't understand? Student Support and the IT technicians in IT2 will be happy to help you if you have any problems. If you have any questions please email mdowns@highcliffeschool.com.

DEAR - Don't forget your book for DEAR!



The Field: When you are playing ball on the field you should keep away from the fences and make an effort to ensure that the ball does not go over the fence. If it does go over you should not try to climb over the fence to retrieve your ball - this is because you might hurt yourself, or you might damage the fence by accident, or you might be disturbing the residents. If you need to retrieve your ball you should speak to the member of staff who is on duty on the field who will tell you what to do.

Ballard Lecture Series: The final lecture in the 2014 series is scheduled for Tuesday 24th June at 7.00pm at Ballard School. Come and listen to Colin Judson a renowned international opera singer. He has appeared at the Royal Opera House Covent Garden, the Scottish Opera, the English National Opera and the Teatro Real Madrid. Colin has also performed at Glyndebourne, at the National Opera de Bordeaux and the Opera National du Rhin. It promising to be a most fascinating evening. Bring your friends. Entrance is free and light refreshments will be served.

Year 7 RP examination: You will be examined on the Philosophy and Hinduism units. Revision notes have been emailed to you. The email was sent on Monday 2nd June. Please make sure you use these notes effectively. If you have trouble accessing the notes, please speak to your RP teacher. Mrs Downie.



Dorset County Athletics Meet: Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to represent for the Christchurch and Bournemouth Schools Athletics Team in the Dorset County Athletics Meeting on Saturday 14th June.

Year 7 Girls' Team			
Lily- Mae Nennstiel - javelin	Dayna Strongman - long jump	Tarka Abraham - 800m	Poppy Riding - discus

Year 7 Boys' Team		
Sammy Smith - long jump	Kaine Read - discus	Ethan Perry-West - 200m

Junior Girls' Team	
Sophia Greenacre - javelin	

Junior Boys' Team			
Arthur Young - 800m	Adam Coe - shot	Ben Young - high jump	Sid Anders - 200m
Grant Norton - long jump			

Please remember to bring in water bottles from home. The sun is out finally and as the summer progresses it is important not to get dehydrated. Dehydration leads to headaches and loss of concentration. Water is available from the water jugs in the canteen if necessary and, of course, the water fountains around school. Mrs Thompson.





The Highcliffe Garden team gained National recognition this week. A 'Highly Commended' certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society has been awarded to Principle Science Technician Mrs Collins in the category of 'School Gardening Champion of the Year 2014'. Mrs Collins' expertise and knowledge of all things horticultural has been an invaluable asset in planning and maintaining the garden at Highcliffe. The garden team would like to say a big 'thank you' for all of the help that they have received this year.

If you have passed by the garden recently you will have noticed there has been a green explosion over the last couple of weeks and that the garden is fully stocked and well under way. Work is going on during most lunchtimes and especially after school on a Tuesday afternoon. At this time of year there is a lot to do and all help is welcome. If you fancy getting green fingers, please meet us in the garden area at 3.05pm on Tuesdays!!!



Music Activities this week:

Monday	Year 7 All Boys' Choir - Ex2 - 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Tuesday	Highcliffe Harmonics main school choir - Ex3 - 3.05pm - 4.00pm
	Cubase Club: Year 8-11 current & future music technology students - Ex5 - 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Wednesday	Ukulele Club - Ex2 - 3.15pm - 4.00pm
	Jazz Band - Ex3 - 3.15pm - 4.00pm
	Cubase Club: Year 8-11 current & future music technology students - Ex5 - 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Thursday	GCSE Music coursework intervention - Ex5 - 3.05 - 4.00pm
Friday	Ukulele Club - Ex2 - 12.30pm - 1.00pm

P. E. FIXTURES/PRACTICES

(Please check the PE board at the start of each week)

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday		Year 7 cricket vs BSV (JPO) 2.30pm start
Tuesday	Year 7 cricket practice (NJS) Year 10 Girls' Cricket Club (CFM)	Year 8 cricket vs Twynham (H) (NJS) Year 9 cricket v Twynham (A) (SHM) Year 10 Rounders Club (CFM) Year 9 Rounders Club (CFM)
Wednesday	Year 8 cricket practice (NJS)	Year 10 Rounders Tournament @ BSG 3.45pm start. Leave TBC Return TBC (CFM) Year 7 Rounders vs Twynham (A) (MWR) Year 8 & 9 Tennis Club (JDN) Athletics Club
Thursday	6 th Form indoor football (CFM)	Year 9 cricket v Arnewood (H) (SHM) Year 7 & 8 Rounders Club (MWR) Year 7 Tennis Club (JDN) D of E 3.00 - 6.00pm (CFM)
Friday	Year 9 cricket practice	Saturday - County Athletics (NJS & CFM).

I WONDER... Are borders enough to distinguish between countries?