



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 13th – 17th April 2015: Week A

General Notices

School Field (NCL)

Students will soon be given permission to go on the school field at breaks and lunch. **Please do not go on the field until this has been clearly announced.**

Please make yourselves aware of the rules and routines for going on the field:

- When the field is open, the 'picnic area' at the front of school will also be open for those of you who want to sit quietly away from the ball games and other activities.
- If the red flag is on the field – keep off!
- The bins and tables must not be moved.
- Use the litter bins – do not drop litter!
- Respect each other's personal space – no play-fighting, 'bundling' or contact sports of any kind.
- Rugby / 'contact' sports are not allowed.
- Games of football must have goals: do not use the litter bins as goals please.
- Stay away from the sand pits and surrounding area.
- Keep ball games well away from the buildings, fences and trees.
- Stay out of the trees and do not play with cones, branches, grass cuttings, etc.
- Do not congregate next to classroom windows and doors.
- Keep 5 metres away from the perimeter fences (the athletic track line is a good guide on the far side).
- Students should not use cricket or rugby balls - windows have been broken as a result.



NB: The field is also a learning space – it should be respected in the same way as we respect our classrooms and laboratories.

Lost and Found (KTN)

Please come and check the lost coats and jackets in Student Support if you are missing one. Amongst them are a black Worland coat with blue and grey lining, a black Rebel coat with fur trimmed hood and a short fur coat from George with ribbon tie. All unnamed. Thank you. Mrs Thompson.

Johoku 2015 (DBN)

A big thank you for the way in which the students of Highcliffe School helped make the visit of Johoku School such a success. Both the staff and students really enjoyed their stay here. For one of the Johoku staff members, Mr Osmond, it was his first visit to Highcliffe School – and he was really impressed by the students. He said that Highcliffe students were really friendly, showed lots of interest in the boys and he loved the way students said “Konnichi-wa” when greeting them in the corridor. Well done everyone! PS: Why don't you think about hosting a student next year? Thank you. Mr Bryden

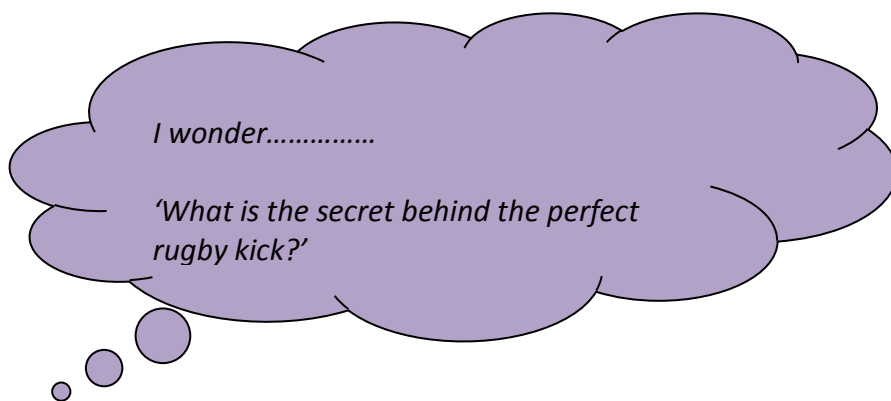
Music Notices

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Tuesday	Woodwind Ensemble Miss Lockyer in Ex3 KS4 & KS5 support session Mr Bannister In Ex5	KS4 & KS5 support session Mr Bannister In Ex5
Wednesday		Choir - all new members welcome Songs – Cecilia – The Vamps, All of Me – John Legend, Royals – Lorde/Pentatonix Miss Riley in Ex3
Thursday		G&T Session in Ex2
Friday	Guitar and Ukulele Club Year 8 pop music project rehearsal – all singers and players taking music as an option for next year are welcome Mr Bannister in Ex2	

KS3 – If you would like to rehearse at lunchtimes you need to book the band room through MyHighcliffe (one booking per group per week) and if you would like to rehearse after school there is a booking sheet inside the front door of Ex3.



Auditions are taking place on Thursday 16th April afterschool in Ex3, sign-up sheet for this in Ex5.



MFL Quizlet (SBS)

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Shaun's Cracking Ideas Design Challenge (KBD)

Shaun's Cracking Design Challenge gives schools and young people a chance to join the flock and engage with one of the world's most-loved animated characters. It's a baa-rilliant way of inspiring your pupils' creativity, to encourage creative learning and promote good citizenship through fundraising. This year Shaun the Sheep takes over Cracking Ideas, and wants you all to help him get back to the farm! Shaun, Bitzer and their farmyard friends have found themselves in the big city and they need you to use your shear determination to help them get back to Mossybottom Farm. Your challenge is to invent a Cracking contraption to transport them baa-ck home!

How to enter

To enter Shaun's Cracking Ideas Design Challenge, download the competition entry form detailing your Cracking Contraption making sure you consider how it looks (design), what makes it unique (patent) and what you would name it (trade mark). Alternatively you can use your own materials to make models, take photographs, draw plans or record your Cracking Contraption in just about any way you feel!

Enter online www.crackingideas.com.



P.E. Notices

Duke of Edinburgh Year 10 afterschool session in for Wednesday 15th April (CFM)

6th Form indoor Football Tuesday Lunchtime (CFM)

Girls Cricket Club Wednesday lunchtime (CFM)

Year 11 Science Support Wednesday in SC8 3.05pm (RCN)

Year 11 students who have been attending these sessions should be aware that general science support sessions will be starting this week and that they should check their timetable for this to identify appropriate sessions to attend.

Eco Club Tuesday in the Garden 3:05pm (RCN)

We look forward to a return visit from Mrs Harrison, representing the Waitrose 'Community Matters' team in the first Eco club session of the Summer Term. Waitrose has been particularly good to the Highcliffe Eco team for a number of years and we have benefited from funding for the irrigation system on the garden and seeds and equipment from the Waitrose 'Grow and Sell' scheme. We had a fantastically successful day selling our produce at Waitrose last year during activities week and we are looking forward to repeating this later this year.

We have had some new recruits over the past couple of weeks – if you have thought about getting involved now is the time! We have lots of plants on the go and it will not be long until we start to have edible produce again. We meet in the school garden on a Tuesday after school. Warm clothing and sensible shoes are essential!

Year 10 Citizenship Revision Sessions (JAN)

REVISION CLASSES- GCSE CITIZENSHIP UNIT 343

TUESDAYS 3.05pm-4.05PM in HU1 and HU2

Examination dates as follows

Unit 342 11th May 2015

Unit 343 14th May 2015

All Year 10s are invited to attend, please bring with you the revision guides you have been given 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4

Science Boosters (KBY)

Biology

Science Lunchtime Boosters			
Biology	Sc4		
Mondays			
09-Mar	B3	Molecules of Life	Proteins and Mutations
16-Mar	B3	Respiration	Cell Division
23-Mar	B3	The Circulatory System	Growth and Development
13-Apr	B3	New Genes for old	Cloning
20-Apr	B4	Ecology and the Local Environment	Photosynthesis
27-Apr	B4	Leaves and Photosynthesis	Diffusion and Osmosis
04-May	B4	BANK HOLIDAY	
11-May	B4	Transport in Plants	Plants need Minerals
18-May	OPEN	Decay	Farming

Chemistry

Science Lunchtime Boosters			
Chemistry	Sc3		
Tuesdays and Thursday	Week B		
10-Mar	C3	Rates of Reaction 1	Rates of Reaction 2
12-Mar	C3	Rates of Reaction 3	Reacting masses
24-Mar	C3	% yield and Atom Economy	Energy
26-Mar	C3	Batch or Continuous	Allotropes of Carbon and nanochemistry
21-Apr	C4	Atomic Structure	Ionic Bonding
23-Apr	C4	Periodic Table and Covalent Bonding	Group 1 elements
05-May	C4	Group 7 Elements	Transition Elements
07-May	C4	Metal Structure and Properties	Purifying and testing Water
19-May	OPEN	COME WITH QUESTIONS	
21-May	OPEN	COME WITH QUESTIONS	

Physics

Science Lunchtime Boosters

Physics	Sc1		
Thursdays			
12-Mar	P3	Speed	Changing Speed
19-Mar	P3	Forces and Motion	Work and Power
26-Mar	P3	Energy on the Move	Crumple Zones
16-Apr	P3	Falling Safely	Energy of games and theme rides
23-Apr	P4	Sparks	Uses of Electrostatics
30-Apr	P4	Safe Electricals	Ultrasound
07-May	P4	What is Radioactivity?	Uses of Radioisotopes
14-May	P4	Treatment	Fission and Fusion
21-May	OPEN	COME WITH QUESTIONS	

**Please remember to report absences using the
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