



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 16th - 20th November 2015: Week A

General Notices



Christmas Shoebox Appeal (MYP)

A very big **THANK YOU** to everyone! Together we have collected **605** Christmas Shoeboxes! This is the highest number we have ever collected!



Stationery Shop (MHY)

There is now a stationery shop running in the Library, the items for sale are:

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| Scientific calculator | £8.50 |
| Glue stick | 50p |
| Set of 3 black pens | 60p |
| Set of 3 pencils | 40p |
| Pack of 12 colouring pencils | £1.20 |
| Exam pack including: clear pencil case, 2 black pens, 1 pencil, 1 15cm ruler, 1 eraser, 1 compass, 1 protractor & 1 pencil sharpener | £2.50 |

Lost Property (KTN)

There are number of unnamed school coats in Student Support. Please come and check if you are missing one. Any unclaimed coats will be collected by a local charity in the New Year. We cannot accommodate them in our office beyond that date. Thank you. Mrs Thompson

National Chemistry Week (SBU)

This week is National Chemistry Week. During Science lessons there will be explosive and dynamic demonstrations performed for you by your Science teachers. For more information please visit the Royal Society of chemistry website. Miss Burgess



The Big Walk Sponsorship Money

This is a very important message to remind all students to bring their Big Walk sponsorship money to the Finance office as soon as possible. Payment can be made via Wisepay or by cheque. **Amount raised so far £7122.90.**

World Challenge 2017 - Current Year 11 and Year 12 students. (SNS)

We have decided to change the next destination to Cambodia/Thailand so that we can benefit from a reduction in total cost to **£3600.**

<https://www.myworldchallenge.com/sampleitinerary.asp?id=5229&ch=b0d76e4d1a130d94f80b325d7cd961eb9958ec8f>. This link will take you to an example itinerary for this destination. It includes jungle and hillside trekking, Angkor temples, historical reflection on the Vietnam war, community work, train travel as well as spending time in one of the most vibrant and exciting cities on earth, Bangkok. If you would now like to participate in this expedition please discuss it at home and see Mr Nicholls before Friday 20th November.

Literacy Focus

Easily confused words

What's the difference between an **emigrant** and an **immigrant**? Can you explain the difference and make a couple of sentences showing the difference?

Focus on Connectives

CONNECTIVES FOR NOTING POINTS OF DIFFERENCE

Often it is necessary to compare two different things and note points of difference. This develops the thinking skill of being able to see relationships between things. To support this kind of thinking, use these phrases:

- *On the one hand,*
- *On the other hand, ...*

Spelling of the Week

arguing

Write it on page 181 of your organiser.

A Way to Remember: Drop the final “e” and add “ing” e.g. argue – arguing

What other words follow a similar pattern?

Revision

AS/ A2 level Biology support (SCN)

Extra Biology support sessions are on-going and you are encouraged to attend when possible. Year 13 have an open session on Tuesday lunchtime, Year 12 have been allocated Wednesday after school (3.05pm -4.05pm). Both sessions are held in Sc12.

Certain AS and A2 students have been allocated extra support. Please check your emails to see if you are in this group of students. This session runs on Friday lunchtimes, Week A for year 12 and Week B for Year 13. This session is also held in Sc12.

P.E. Notices

| FIXTURES/PRACTICES 16 th – 20 th November | | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| | LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm) | AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm) |
| Monday | Years 7 Basketball Club (SHM) | |
| Tuesday | Year 9 Basketball Club (NJS) | 6 th Form Rugby Academy Year 8 Rugby Club (NJS) Year 7 Rugby Club Year 7 & 8 Girls Football Club (CFM) (Year 7 Girls Football team selection to happen at training) Year 9 Girls Football team squad training (CFM) Year 9 Rugby vs St Peters (A) (JDN) |
| Wednesday | All years badminton Club (MWR/HWH) | Year 7 Boys Football (NJS) Year 9 Football (SHM) All years Girls Rugby (CFM) Running Club (LSN) Table Tennis Club (External Coach) Year 7-11 Netball Club (MWR & HWH) |
| Thursday | Year 8 Basketball | Year 9 Girls Football Club (CFM & AML) Year 7 & 8 Basketball Club. U12 Girls County Cup Football vs St Michaels Middle School (H) K.O 2:15pm Finish approx. 3:30pm (CFM) Year 10 & 11 Rugby vs St Peters (H) (JDN) Year 9 & 10/11 Netball vs BSG (A) (MWR) |
| Friday | Year 10 & 11 Trampoline Club (SHM) Years 10 & 11 Fitness Club (CFM) | U14 Girls Football County Cup Quarter Finals vs Arnewood (H) K.O 2pm Finish approx. 4pm (CFM) |

Music Notices

| | BREAKFAST | LUNCHTIME | AFTER SCHOOL |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Tuesday | | Woodwind Ensemble in Ex3 Ukulele Club in Ex2 | Cubase Club (All Students) in Ex5 SATB Choir in Ex2 |
| Wednesday | | Grade 3+ Theory (by invite in Ex5, Please see your music teacher if you are interested) | Choir - all new members welcome in Ex1 (Performance Hall) |
| Thursday | Grade 1 & 2 Theory (in Ex2) | | Concert Band By invitation in Ex3 Grade 4+ (Please see your music if you are interested) |
| Friday | | Jamming Session – All Instrumentals and vocalists of all levels welcome in Ex2 | Staff Choir In Ex5 |

Any questions please ask your Music Teacher.

Instrumental Lesson

Please check your lesson times and room at the end of the PE corridor. Lessons have now started. Emails with timetables have been sent out to all students. Lessons are in the studio and practice rooms.

Music Tour

All students going on the Music Tour must be attending music club so that they can learn and work on the set list for Germany.

Music Room Booking

Unfortunately the studio and Ex3 are currently not bookable to use at lunchtimes due to the amount of damage that is being caused to equipment.

KS4 Performance Evening

Well done to all students who participated in Highcliffe's first KS4 performance evening. It was wonderful to see such talented musicians take to the stage and entertain the audience. A big thank you goes to the Year 10 BTEC Music students who helped organise, set up and run the entire evening. Well done team!

WOW Factor

The Wow Factor final will take place on **Wednesday 25th November 2015** in the Performance Hall (Ex1) at Highcliffe School. Unfortunately tickets are now all sold out.



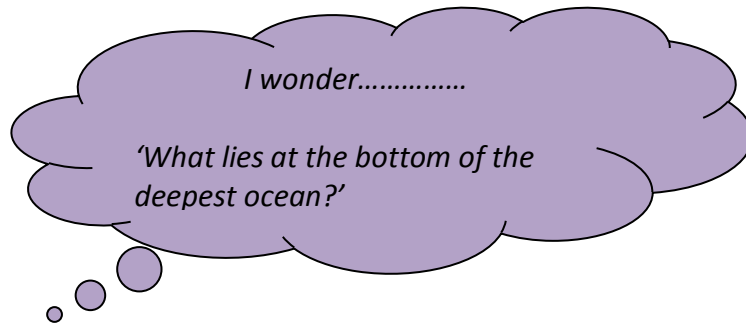
Wow Factor 2015 has been organised by the Highcliffe Rotary Club and is an opportunity for Highcliffe School students to compete in a professional music entertainment atmosphere. A lot of students auditioned and displayed their talents to a panel of judges, making it very hard for them to decide on the final ten acts. The final ten acts include:

Jay Harris (Year 13 – guitar and vocals)
Melissa Donaldson and Shannon Packard (Year 8 – street and ballet duo)
Year 10 Expressive Arts Dance Troop
Tabitha Robinson-Carter (Year 8 – vocals)
Verity Manley (year 9 – vocals musical theatre)
Cerys Yarwood (year 10 – solo street dance)
Year 10 Singing Group – Molly Cutler, Sophie Waters, Rebecca Hopkins
Rosie Crowhurst (Year 7 – guitar and vocals)
Eleanda Evans (Year 8 – piano and vocals – own composition)
Shelby Man and Molly Stirling (Year 9 – gymnastics duo)

There will be a panel of four judges who currently work within the entertainment business and who will choose the winner from the ten final acts. The Wow Factor tickets are being sold to members of the Highcliffe Rotary Club and family and friends of Highcliffe students.

Rock Challenge Rehearsal Schedule

| Date Tuesday | Group / Section | Room / Time |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 17-Nov | Life Group 2 & 3, Character Group 1 - Life at work section | Dance Studio 3:15-4:15 |
| 24-Nov | Life Group 1, 2 and 3, Character Group 1 & 2 - Life at work section | Dance Studio 3:15-4:15 |



Please remember to report absences using the Dedicated Attendance Line on 01425 282337



Y11 students

Don't forget to return the form for your
GCSE MFL revision guides

Deadline: Friday, 27th November

