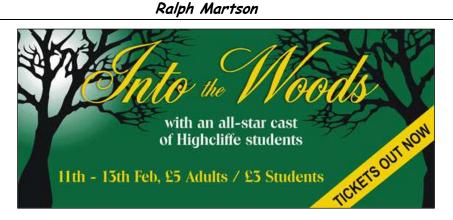


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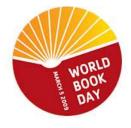
Monday 9th - Friday 13th February 2009: Week A

Thought For The Week:

"Don't lower your expectations to meet your performance. Raise your level of performance to meet your expectations. Expect the best of yourself, and then do what is necessary to make it a reality."



Year 10 Mock Interviews: Well done to all of the Year 10 students who participated in the Mock Interview programme last week. The interviewers were most impressed at the quality of your answers and your mature approach. They all want to come back next year as they feel it is such a worthwhile event. They said 'it was refreshing to see such lovely young people'. You were a credit to yourselves and the school. Thank you, Mrs Stone & Mrs Dedman.



The 2009 Great Book Swop:

Don't miss the great book swop on 4^{th} , 5^{th} (World Book Day) and 6^{th} March, lunch time 1.20pm – 2.00pm in the Library!

Bring in good quality donated books to Mrs Wheeler and receive a voucher, 1 book = 1 voucher, before these dates. Then come along with your vouchers and choose from the selection of books on display. How about donating your Booked Up book, or search through your bedroom for suitable books to bring in?

A **Phase 2 Cycle Training Course** is being offered at Highcliffe School, in conjunction with Dorset Police and will be held during the Easter Holiday. This course consists of 2 × 3 hour sessions on Monday 6th April & Tuesday 7th April 2009. Each session will run from 9 a.m. to 12.00 noon. The cost for the training and assessment will be £15.50 and payment must be made at the time of booking.

Application forms are now available from Mr Barnes in KS3 Office, and must be completed and signed by a parent and returned together with payment before Monday 30th March 2009. The training & assessment will take place on public roads in the vicinity of Highcliffe School; therefore places are limited as a result. Early application is essential.

STITCH CLUB are making a mini quilt on TUESDAYS after school session AT7 - all welcome!



Congratulations! Sophie Beament has passed the external LNAT Law exam and can now choose to go to one of the top 13 Law Universities in the UK to read Law at degree level. Sophie has worked extremely hard to achieve this – well done, Sophie!

Maths Games Club and Key Stage 3 homework: Come and play chess, connect 4, Yatzee or learn a new board game! Or help with homework. Every week after school on Tuesday 3.05pm to 4.05pm in Ma2.

Como exchange meeting: Students in years 7 and 8 who are hosting Italian exchange students in March are reminded that there will be a meeting in ML3 at 5.30pm on Wednesday 11th February, during which we will be issuing important information about the forthcoming visit. Students who are unable to attend are need to see Miss Court beforehand.



Astronomy @ Highcliffe: A few months ago, we applied for a free telescope as part of the International Year of Astronomy 2009 initiative. I am pleased to tell you that we will be receiving it by the end of the month. In addition to this, we are really lucky to be the first affiliate school with Hants Astro and we intend to launch this affiliation around the same time as the telescope with an Astronomy night! Stay tuned for more information!

PE NOTICES

Please see the list of new lunchtime clubs in the PE department starting this week. Come along and try something new!

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	P.E. FIXTURES/PRACTICES	9 - 13 FEDRUARY
	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday	Year 10/11 indoor football	Years 10/11 Girls Football Club
Tuesday	Year 10/11 Trampolining Club	Years 10 & 11 Fitness Club Year 9 Rugby Club Year 10/11 Girls Football Club
Wednesday		Year 10 football v Grange (A)
	Years 7 & 8 Volleyball Club	Years 10/11 girls football Year 8 Rugby Club Year 7 Football Club Years 8-11 Netball Club
Thursday	Year 7 & 8 multi skills circuit	Years 9/10 netball v Grange (A) Year 8 rugby tournament @ Gillingham (all day) U16 girls football v Swakleys (A)
		Year 7 Netball Club
Friday	Years 10-13 Table Tennis Club	

BRAINTEASER

As Mary wasn't at school today, her teacher decided to send her the homework by text message, using his mobile phone. Unfortunately the teacher did not know how to use the predictive text facility so the wrong words were sent. Can you figure out the correct answers?

NOD + DIVE TIRED ×FIGHT EMPTY SHY ×DIGIT MIND×EMPTY DOTS

Answers to be submitted in the brainteaser box with name and tutor group in Ma6 by Friday 13th February.

