



## Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – 19th December 2014: Week A

### General Notices

#### **MFL language magazine subscriptions (JWH)**

The language department has managed to get a discount on MFL magazine subscriptions. For £9 you can have access to 5 magazines throughout the year, as well as online content. Please speak to your MFL teacher or Mr Wayth for a letter.

	Years 7-8	Years 8-9	Years 10-11	AS / A2
<b>German</b>	Das Rad	Schuss	Schuss	-
<b>Spanish</b>	¿Qué tal?	Ahora	El Sol	-
<b>French</b>	Allons-y	Bonjour	Ça va?	Chez Nous

#### **UKLO (JWH)**

Interested in linguistics\*? Would you like to participate in the UK Linguistics Olympiad (UKLO)? There are three levels: KS3 = Foundation, KS4 = Intermediate and KS5 = Advanced. Please speak to Mr Wayth to find out more.

\*The scientific study of languages

#### **Mufti Day Friday 19th December (NCL)**

There will be a whole school 'Christmas mufti day' on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December. This will be to raise money for charities chosen by year groups and for year group funds. Students are asked to contribute £1 either via WisePay before the day or in cash to their form tutor on the actual day. The normal constraints regarding 'mufti' will apply: students are expected to dress in a suitable way for the school day, for example, they should not wear clothing which displays offensive or inappropriate motifs or logos. Similarly hats and hoods should not be worn inside the school building and the normal health and safety rules will apply to the wearing of jewellery and footwear. No changes to hair colour or style should be made. Students should also ensure that they attend school properly equipped for their lessons.

## **Arrangements for Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December (NCL)**

8.35 – 9.00	Year Seven Merits Assembly (Gym)
8.40 – 9.25	Year Ten Christmas Assembly (Hall)
9.30 – 10.10	Year Seven Christmas Assembly (Hall)
10.15 – 11.00	Year Nine Christmas Assembly (Hall)
11.00 – 11.45	Brunch
11.45 – 12.45	Year Eight Christmas Assembly (Hall)

Normal timetable for other year groups. Year groups return to normal lessons at the end of the assembly.

13.45 – 14.00 All year groups with tutors

### **Spanish exchange (JWH)**

There is an introductory meeting for the Spanish exchange for all Y8/Y9 students who are interested in taking part on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 17.30 in En1.

## **Music Notices**

### **Grease' Rehearsals (GLR)**

<b>Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December</b>		
<b>CHORUS</b>	<b>DANCERS</b>	<b>LEAD VOCALISTS</b>
19. YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT + RECAP NB:rehearsal until 4pm	We Go Together' Dancers.	19. YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT + RECAP
<b>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December</b>		
<b>LEAD ACTORS</b>	<b>BAND</b>	
PAGE 67-73 AND RUN THROUGH 60-73 Roger, Doody, Sonny, Kenickie, Danny, Rizzo, Patty, Sandy, Frenchy, Marty, Jan, Sheilas Voice, Hero's Voice, Scientist Voice.	NO BAND - set up for christmas concert	

### **GCSE and BTEC level 2 students (Music and Music Technology)**

Lunchtime and after school on Tuesdays in Ex5 there will be a coursework catch-up session for anyone who would like extra support with their work.

## Rehearsal schedule for sound checks on Thursday 18th December (GLR)

<b>Period 1 &amp; 2</b>	Woodwind Ensemble (GLR) Year 8 ensemble – counting stars Year 8 ensemble – riptide Guitar Ensemble – Ho Hey and Battle (RBR) Solo – Yasmin Kessell (11.2) Solo – James Brearley (year 12) Cast of Grease – Sam Smith mash up (ERY)
<b>Period 3 &amp; 4</b>	Drama performances x2 (BSH)Guitar trio – Jack Lomax, Alex Davies and James Mascord – 2 pieces Year 12 ensemble – “Home” – Emily Worrall, Chris Franklin and Megan Freeman Year 13 BTEC x2 – Budapest and Sittin’ on the dock (ERY) Year 12 BTEC x2 – Mrs Robinson and She will be loved (ERY/GLR) Year 10 GCSE– Jess Adams, Zach Norton, Matthew Gregson, Thomas Howting, Jack Gale.
<b>Period 5</b>	ALL STUDENTS NEEDED Run through of order for evening Rehearse large ensemble groups – Woowind, guitar and cast of Grease
<b>After school – 3.15pm</b>	Staff and 6 <sup>th</sup> form choir

### **Year 11 BTEC Music Student**

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> - Period 4 and 5 to set up the hall

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> - all day (apart from specific students doing mocks) all students need a permission slip - Letters can be found on MyHighcliffe. Please return the reply slip to the music department ASAP.

**Woodwind Ensemble** – Miss Lockyer – Tuesday lunchtime in Ex3

## Clubs and Revision Sessions

### **6th Form Rugby Academy (JDN)**

Will reconvene on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2015 to allow focus on the forthcoming Internal Examinations. Please can members with outstanding payments please pay through the school’s Wise pay system. Happy Christmas and good luck in your examinations!

### **Yr 11 science support (RCN)**

This week’s revision session will be covering P3 sections E to G ‘Energy, crumple zones and falling safely’. This session is for the X half of the year group. Please arrive for a prompt start and come equipped with calculators and writing materials. It will take place on Wednesday at 3.05pm in SC8.

### Eco club (RCN)

Diary time! After last week's chilly but productive clearance of cosmos and overenthusiastic strawberries we will be inside this week constructing the planting diary for the 2015 garden. It would be helpful if all Eco team members involved in the maintenance of the garden could attend. It will take place in SC8 at 3.05pm.

### P.E. Notices

#### FIXTURES/PRACTICES 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Dec

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday	Yr 9 Boys Basketball (JDN) Yr 11 GCSE Fitness Club (Fitness Suite) (NJS)	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Rugby Academy
Tuesday	Yr 10/11 Basketball (NJS)	Yr 10/11 and 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Girls Football (CFM) Yr 10/11 Basketball Club (NJS) <b>Year 8 Basketball vs Twynham (A) (NJS)</b>
Wednesday	Yr 7/8/9 Girls indoor Cricket Club (CFM)	Yr 7/8 Girls Netball (MWR) Yr 11 GCSE Table Tennis Club 3:30-4:30pm (external Coach) <b>Year 7 Basketball vs Twynham and Arnewood (A) (SHM)</b> <b>Year 10 Rugby vs EDRFC (A) (JDN)</b>
Thursday		Yr 7/8/9 Girls Football Club (CFM) Yr 9/10/11 Netball Club (LSN) Yr 7 Basketball Club (SHM) Year 9 Basketball vs Twynham (H) (JDN)
Friday	Year 8 Basketball club	

### Literacy Notice

#### DEAR (DBN)

Well done to all those students who have brought in a book for DEAR! Did you know that we now have more students than ever before reading regularly at this time?

Many of you read outside of school, too, anyway, but let's all try to make a point of getting a good book to read over the Christmas break!

## Christmas Concert 2014

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December

Doors- 6:30pm

Show – 7.00pm

Tickets available on Wisepay

£3 adult

£2 children/student

Any students involved - check student bulletin for dress rehearsal details. RETURN YOUR FORMS TO MISS RILEY!

*Merry Christmas*

I wonder.....  
'How do you weigh a cloud?'

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

