



# Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

## Monday 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015: Week B

### General Notices



#### **Christmas Shoebox Appeal (MYP)**

Please could we all get involved in this year's Shoebox Appeal? We have just over two weeks to get the boxes in!

Why not make a box up over half term? Spare appeal leaflets can be collected from the Student Support Office.



#### **Stationery Shop (MHY)**

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

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

#### **Year 8 History (MRD)**

If you were taught by Mrs Read for History in Year 7 and would like your history book back then please come to Hu7 by Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October to collect it. Mrs Read

#### **Year 7 Radio Control Car Club (SNS)**

Any Year 7 students interested in participating in the Radio Control Car Club on Thursday lunchtimes should give their name to their Tutor in Tutor time on Monday morning. Further communication will then follow as to the details of the club. Mr Nicholls



### **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. The total collected to date is **£4,351.20**

### **Year 8 Natural History Museum Trip (JMO)**

On Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November the Geography Department is organising a trip to the Natural History Museum. We will leave school at 7.45am and return by 5.30pm. We only have 45 places available. Please see Mr Russell for letters.

### **World Challenge (SNS/LSN)**

Year 11 and Year 12 students are reminded that there is a meeting for students and parents at 6pm on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. This meeting is run by World Challenge and will detail the organisation itself as well as fundraising, ethos, etc. If you didn't make the meeting that was held at lunchtime on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October then you should see Mr Nicholls for details of the Thursday meeting and the application process.

Mr Nicholls and Miss Swan

### **Key Stage 4 GCSE History Drop In Every Wednesday lunchtime in Hu7 (MRD)**

From this Wednesday onwards, you can come to Hu7 and get help with any aspect of your GCSE History course. This could mean home study, exam practice or on any topic you are struggling to understand. Please feel free to bring your lunch or even a friend! Mrs Read

### **Year 11: Hitler on Trial Trip Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2016 (MRD)**

The deadline for payment for this trip was Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October. If you are still intending on going, please can you pay for the trip via Wisepay and hand in your medical form to Hu7 by Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October at the very latest. Mrs Read

P.E. Notices

FIXTURES/PRACTICES 19 <sup>th</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup> October		
	LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm)	AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm)
Monday	Year 7 & 8 Basketball Club (SHM)	
Tuesday	Year 9 Basketball Club (NJS)	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Rugby Academy Training Year 7-9 Girls Football (CFM) <b>Year 7 &amp; 8 Netball v BSG (H)(HWE) 3.30pm-4.45pm</b> <b>Year 9 Rugby v Bishop of Winchester (A) (JDN)</b>
Wednesday	All Years Badminton Club (MWR/HWE)	Year 7 Football Club (NJS) Year 8 & 9 Football Club (SHM) All Years Table Tennis Club (External Coach) Year 7-11 Running Club (LSN) <b>U14 Area Netball @ Twynham 1pm (MWR/HWE)</b> <b>Year 10 &amp; 11 Rugby v St Peters (H) (JDN) 3.30pm-5pm</b>
Thursday	Year 10 & 11 Basketball Club (NJS)	Year 10 & 11 Girls Football Club (CFM) Year 7 Rugby Club (SHM) <b>Year 8 Rugby v St Peters (A) (NJS) 4pm-5.15pm</b> <b>Year 9 Rugby v St Peters (H) (JDN) 3.30-5pm</b>
Friday	Year 10 & 11 Trampolining Club (SHM)	

## Music Notices

### **Wow Factor**

Finalists will be announced on Tuesday Lunchtime in Ex5. Names will be on the door.

	<b>BREAKFAST</b>	<b>LUNCHTIME</b>	<b>AFTER SCHOOL</b>
Monday			
Tuesday		<b>Woodwind Ensemble</b> Miss Lockyer in Ex3 <b>Ukulele Club</b> Mr Bannister in Ex2	<b>Cubase Club (All Students)</b> Mr Bannister in Ex5
Wednesday			<b>Choir - all new members welcome</b> Miss Riley in Ex1 (Performance Hall)
Thursday	<b>Grade 1 &amp; 2 Theory</b> (Mr Bannister by invite in Ex2)		<b>Concert Band</b> Miss Lockyer By invitation in Ex3 Grade 4+
Friday	<b>Grade 3+ Theory</b> (Miss Riley by invite in Ex5) Starts after Oct ½ term	<b>Jamming Session – All instrumentals and vocalists of all levels welcome</b> Music Team in Ex2	<b>Staff Choir</b> In Ex5 (after half term)

### **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**

**KS4/5** – if you need to book the studio to use or record coursework please use the link on MyHighcliffe in Music Technology

**KS3** – If you would like to rehearse at lunchtimes or after school you need to book either the band room or Ex3 through MyHighcliffe (one booking per group per week)

**Focus on Connectives**

**CONNECTIVES FOR GIVING EXPLANATIONS**

When you have to explain an idea or an experiment, it's very tempting to link your ideas with "so" and "and" and "because". When explaining, clearly signal that you are explaining and put your explanation in a separate sentence. Use these phrases:

- *This means that ...*
- *As a result ...*

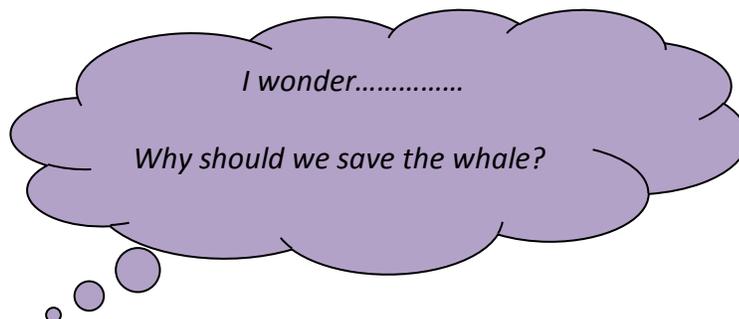
**DEAR**

**Stretch and Challenge**

Are you stretching yourself with your reading? Why not see if you can find a book that is a little more challenging than your current book, next time you choose something to read?

**Spelling**

It is important to be aware of words you find tricky to spell. When a teacher corrects your spellings, note them down on your spelling wall on page 183 of your planner.



## Word of the Week

pacified

**Write it on page 181 of your organiser.**

A Way to Remember: *With words that end in a consonant + y, change the "y" to an "i" and add "es" or "ed".*

*(pacify---- pacified. But donkey ----- donkeys)*

consonant

vowel

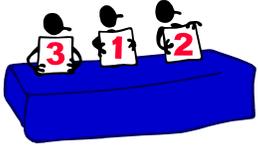
Can you find a newspaper report or article with which uses this word? Copy out the sentence and explain its meaning.

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



# INTER-TUTOR ACTIVITIES

## 2015/16



MONDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> OCT – FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> OCT

	MON	TUES	WEDS	THUR	FRI
1	8X GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY	9X GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY		7Y GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY	8Y GIRLS – FOOTBALL BOYS – BENCHBALL
2	8Y GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY				9X GIRLS – BASKETBALL BOYS – BENCHBALL
3	7Y GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY	9Y GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY		8X GIRLS – FOOTBALL BOYS – BENCHBALL	
4	7X GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY	7X GIRLS – NETBALL BOYS – RUGBY			9Y GIRLS – BASKETBALL BOYS – BENCHBALL

# THE WOW FACTOR TALENT SHOW

WEDNESDAY  
25TH NOVEMBER

HIGHCLIFFE SCHOOL  
PERFORMANCE HALL  
7PM - 9PM

TICKETS: £5



Highcliffe School

11-18 Academy & Specialist College



In aid of  
Great  
Ormond  
Street  
Hospital  
Charity



**Rotary**  
DISTRICT  
1110

ROTARY  
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A present with love from

Please circle who the shoebox is intended for

**BOY** 1-3 4-7 8-11 12-15 **GIRL**

PLEASE STICK THIS LABEL AND YOUR DONATION TO THE TOP OF THE SHOEBOX  
All monies collected will be held in the Trust's general account



# Rotary

Rotary is a worldwide voluntary organisation of business and professional people who are dedicated to “*service above self*”, helping others throughout the world, promoting all that is good in our society and world peace.

Rotary has no religious or political affiliations.

There are over one million Rotarians in over 32,000 Clubs in 200 countries worldwide.

If you like having fun and helping other people at the same time, why not find out more about Rotary?

Visit: [www.rotary1110.org.uk](http://www.rotary1110.org.uk)

**THANK YOU FOR  
YOUR SUPPORT**

# Rotary



**For disadvantaged children  
in Albania, Montenegro,  
Moldova and the Philippines**

**DISTRICT 1110  
SHOEBOX SCHEME**  
(Rotary District 1110 Trust fund) Reg Charity No 1064463

For more information contact:

LOCAL CONTACT: **RTN. BILL BAKER**

TELEPHONE: **01425 272474**

FINAL DATE FOR RECEIPT OF SHOEBOXES:

**05 NOV 2015**

## AGE 1 - 3 YEARS (Boy or girl)

### CONTENTS - choose from:

Small soft toy, picture book, hat, gloves, socks, soap, hairbrush, flannel, toothbrush and toothpaste, plus any other suitable small items.

## AGE 4 - 7 YEARS (Boy or girl)

### CONTENTS - choose from:

Educational book and game, simple jigsaw, ball, lego, crayons and colouring book, hat, gloves, scarf, socks, soap, hairbrush, flannel, toothbrush and toothpaste, toy vehicle, small doll, skipping rope.

## AGE 8 - 11 YEARS (Boy or girl)

### CONTENTS - choose from:

Educational book and game, jigsaw, ball, card game, felt tip pens, pencils, pencil case, drawing book, hat, gloves, scarf, socks, wide toothed comb, soap, flannel, toothbrush and toothpaste, sports item, skipping rope, hair accessories.

## AGE 12 - 15 YEARS (Boy or girl)

### CONTENTS - choose from:

Educational book and game, playing cards, geometry set, pens, pencils and case, pencil sharpener, rubber, writing/drawing book, hat, gloves, scarf, socks, wide toothed comb, soap, flannel, toothbrush and toothpaste, washbag, hair accessories, sports item.

## THINGS TO PUT IN YOUR SHOEBOX

- International Customs require items which must be for education, health and hygiene purposes
- All items must be new or in 'as new' condition

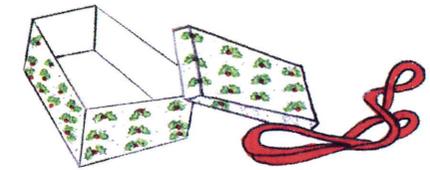
## DO NOT INCLUDE

- Battery powered items
- War related items, guns, knives
- Large items of clothing or shoes
- Books of a religious, racial or political nature
- Food of any kind
- Liquids of any kind
- Sweets of any kind
- Medicines
- Large toys
- Sharp items

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP**

# HOW TO MAKE UP YOUR SHOEBOX

Please cover your box with wrapping paper, ensuring the lid is separately wrapped for customs' purposes.



Do not wrap individual items - just place them in your box.

Use an elastic band to secure the box.

Include a Christmas card and maybe a letter or photo if you wish.

Stick the reverse side of this panel to the top of your box, ensuring that you have clearly marked the age group and whether it is intended for a boy or girl.

Please sellotape to the top of the box a donation of £1 towards transportation and administration costs.

Any surplus will be used for the benefit of disadvantaged children worldwide.

**WE CANNOT ACCEPT BOXES WHICH ARE LARGER THAN:**

**33 x 20 x 15 centimetres  
13 x 8 x 6 inches**

SIDMOUTH EVENT

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**THE DONKEY  
SANCTUARY**

# JUNIOR VET DAY 2016

**Tues 16th Feb, Thurs 31st March,  
Tues 5th April & Tues 31st May**

Do you want to be a vet when you leave school and are you aged between 11-15 years old?  
Would you like to spend a whole day behind the scenes with our expert vets, staff and adorable donkeys?  
If so, come to one of our Junior Vet Days!

Each place costs £60 and booking is essential. To book please call the events team on 01395 573156 or email us at [events@thedonkeysanctuary.org.uk](mailto:events@thedonkeysanctuary.org.uk)

All proceeds from our events help fund the work of The Donkey Sanctuary Worldwide.  
The Donkey Sanctuary (registered charity number 264818).