

# **Highcliffe School Student Bulletin**

## Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2017: Week A

## **General Notices**

## Lecture Series (VDN)

Lecture no.2 will take place this Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2017 at Ballard School at 7pm. It is entitled 'Celebrity Catering' and will be delivered by an experienced Indian chef, Sarah Ali Choudhury, who has appeared on Channel 4 television. Part of Sarah's talk will be about her passion for food as well as highlighting the skills you need to learn to be able to succeed in this environment. Come along and to hear about her challenges and triumphs. Bring your family and friends.

## A friend for the future ... (DBN)

Would you like to host a Japanese student? In March 2017, we will be offering an exciting opportunity to learn about another culture and develop a friendship with someone from another country. Fourteen boys from our partner school in Hiroshima will be visiting Highcliffe School. We are looking for families to look after the students. They will be here from Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March to Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March (departing 10am). If interested, please let Mr Bryden know by the school office or download the letter from the school website and send in the form. (The letter is also attached to the bulletin notice).

## Here is what Jack Ogden, who hosted last year, had to say:

"I would recommend hosting a Japanese student if you get the opportunity. My family and I agree that this is the best thing we have collectively done. The students are polite, respectful and come with the intention of enjoying themselves. They slot easily into your weekly routine and are enthusiastic about family life. They are excited to go on local trains or simply to enjoy fish and chips on the beach."

## Student Survey (JDN)

You will find on your 'myhighcliffe' a survey entitled 'Student Survey'. By completing the survey, you will contribute to the collective voice of students in the school. The survey is part of the school's self-evaluation in evaluating the experience and education we provide for you. If you are in Years 7-10, you will have the opportunity to complete this within the IT curriculum. In the higher year groups, we request that you complete the survey independently. Thank you in anticipation.

## Inset Day Friday 27th January

A reminder that Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January is an inset day, the school will be closed to all students.

## Lost Property (KTN)

Please see the following list of items in lost property so far this term -

Small Harry Hall pink jacket with black polo logo Size 14 New Look coat blue with hood, white fur trim Medium Grey jacket with black trim Navy Blue Next jacket with gold zip and popper Black hoodie with "Isabel Baker Foundation" on it Size 10-11 H & M black jacket, orange trim inside Size 8 Dare 2b pink jacket, black on inside Medium Black Regatta waterproof jacket Size 13-14 Stormstuff black jacket, grey on inside Small Brave Soul navy blue jack, white hood and orange inside Small Fila black jacket

Jawbone plug charger and adaptor with the name Jacob Bennett on it – no student of that name here.

Please come and collect any of the above if it is yours. Thank you.

## **Clubs and Revision Sessions**

## STEM Tech club

Takes place on Wednesdays each week. The club has started well with 6 teams of students signed up to enter the BP Bright Ideas competition to design a solution to power a city on the south coast in 2050. The students were all working hard to start initial ideas for this challenge which we are aiming to complete just after February half term to be in with a chance of a substantial cash prize! James, Beth and Pat



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## **PE Notices**

FIXTURES/PRACTICES 23 <sup>rd</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> January				
	LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm)	(1.25-1.55pm) AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm)		
Monday	Year 9 Basketball Club (SHM)	Year 7 Football v Winton (SHM) KO 2.45pm 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Rugby Academy (JDN)		
Tuesday	Years 10 & 11 Basketball Club (NJS)			
Wednesday	Year 10 Girls Volleyball Club (HWH)	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Rugby v Queen Elizabeth (A) (JDN) Year 7-10 Netball Club (MWR & HWH) 3.45pm finish Year 7 and 8 Girls Rugby Club (WES)		
Thursday	Year 7 Basketball Club (NJS)	Year 11 Football v Winton (A) (NJS) KO 2.15pm Year 7-10 Girls Football Club (CFM & HWH)		

## Girls year 7 and 8 Rugby club

Over the next 2 weeks, there will be a rugby club for year 7 and 8 girls to prepare for a tournament at Twynham on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2017.

#### **Music Notices**

## Little Shop of Horrors Rehearsals

Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan LESSON 5 – 6pm	Tuesday 24th Jan (after school)	Wednesday 25th Jan (lunch time and after school)	Thursday 26th Jan (lunch and after school)
<u>ACT 2</u>	BAND	SINGING	DRAMA
All Cast, Dancers	Somewhere		
and Band	That's Green	Lunch: Somewhere that's green – Audrey	<u>Lunchtime –</u>
	Reprise, Death of		Audrey,
	Audrey, Death of	Grow for me – Seymour	Seymour, and
	Seymour, Finale,		Plant
	Bows	After school: All cast including Chorus – FINALE	
		song (Don't feed the plants)	<u>After School –</u>
			Audrey,
	DANCE	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dGlagb9hwM0	Seymour and
	All Dancers		Plant
	<u>"SETTING"</u>		
	SONGS		
	(movement)		

## Literacy

## **Spelling Focus**

#### **Spelling Focus: Closing the Gap**

Here are three words that are commonly misspelled: Prophet (a person chosen by God to send a message) Research Countries

Questions:

- 1. Where are these words Danger Zones?
- 2. What strategies would you use to remember the spellings? (There is a different strategy for each spelling.)

Here are your options:

Learn the rule: "consonant + Y at the end of word means that the Y changes to ies."

Remember that the prefix never – almost never – changes

Link with a word you know.

#### Answers:

1. The Danger Zones for the above words are:

Research (Sometimes students spell it as "research")

Pro**ph**et (Sometimes students mix this up with "profit".)

Countries (Sometimes students write "countrys")

2. Here are some strategies:

Pro**ph**et – Link with a word you know. For example, the pro**ph**et came to tell us about God's **ph**ilosophy

Research -

The prefix never changes. "Re" is always "Re". Link with a word you know: **Re**do the **re**search. Count**ries** -

Learn the rule: "consonant + Y at the end of word means that the Y changes to ies."





# Young Doctors Summer School - Ages 11-14

The Young Doctors Summer School offers an introduction to the world of medicine for younger students. Each part of the Summer School is structured so that more academic sessions are interspersed with fun and enjoyable activities which are designed to test and apply the theoretical knowledge gained.

Students will take part in practical activities, like learning how to suture a wound, and in role-play and case study scenarios, where they take the role of practitioners and consultants – diagnosing and recommending treatment options. There will also be experiments, group work and quizzes on each day.

The Young Doctors Summer School will be split into two parts, each of which will cover different areas of medical practice. Although each part complements the others, they can also be approached as stand alone events, so students can attend just one part only, or both.

Part 1 will include **Dealing with Patients, Radiology, Haematology, Cardiology, Trauma and Suturing** and will take place 29th-30th July (repeated 12th-13th August) 2017.

Part 2 will include **Neurology**, **Medical Ethics**, **Psychiatry and Paediatrics** and will take place on 5th-6th August (and repeated 26th-27th August) 2017.

You can view a full schedule for each course, details of tutors and more feedback here.

#### Feedback from previous Young Doctors:

This is a really great course with amazing teaching – I learnt so much and it really helped me decide that I wanted to do medicine.

I found the material really useful and applicable to my own knowledge. I also found the teaching very imaginative and interesting. I found the new words hard to learn on the first day, but by the second day it was useful to know them.

I would really recommend this to others because I learnt so much and everything was so interesting.

I had an amazing time and felt that this was very worthwhile. The suturing was very fun and enjoyable.

I would DEFINITELY recommend attending as I found the weekend enlightening, fun and extremely enjoyable. I absolutely loved it, I learnt so much and would recommend it and has pushed me to become a pediatrician even more.

It was incredibly enjoyable - I really learned a lot and would gladly do it again!

I recommend this to all students who want to become a Doctor. The suturing sessions were especially fun.

I really enjoyed this course. It taught me a lot about the anatomy about the human body. The teachers were really helpful & inspirational. I would strongly recommend it to anyone interested in medicine as a career for the future.

#### Book a place:

The cost to attend one Part of the Young Doctors Summer School is £185, while the cost to attend both Parts is £350. Both Parts of the Summer School will be held at the University of London in Bloomsbury (please note that these courses are not residential, and accommodation must be arranged independently if required).

There will be a limited number of bursary spaces available for those who would otherwise have financial difficulty in attending – please see <u>here</u> for details.

You can book a place by completing the online form, or by calling us on 0845 519 4827, or by emailing info@debatechamber.com.