

# Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

# Monday 13th - Friday 17th November 2017: Week B

### **General Notices**



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

A very big **THANK YOU** to everyone! Together we have collected **576** Christmas Shoeboxes!

### A message for all our potential writers! (MHY)

If you enjoy writing stories and your thoughts are turning towards Christmas, why not enter our Christmas Writing Competition. Your story can be about anything you like, as long as it involves Christmas. If you would like to enter, please see Ms Haley in the Library for more details, and to collect an application form. All entries to be submitted by Friday 1st December. Prizes will be awarded to the writers of the 3 best stories!

### **Lost Property (KTN)**

As usual, there are many coats appearing in Student Support – all UNNAMED! Please come and check if you are missing one. If you bring a coat into school, please make sure it has your name in it. Thank you. Mrs Thompson.

### **School Council Meeting (APS)**

A reminder to school council members, meetings are held Thursday, week B at 1.20pm in Mr Earnshaw's office.

### Years 7 & 8 Art Club (FBT)

Clay Workshops Time: Lunchtimes Day: Wednesday Room: AT15 Da vinci

Years: 7 & 8

There will be a list attached to AT15 door - please add your name if you are interested in attending. There will be 25 places available.

It will run again every half term for new groups of students - do not worry if you miss out this half term!

Mrs Bennett

### **Music Notices**

Day	Lunch	After school
Monday	Percussion club - EX3	
	All years welcome	
Tuesday	Highcliffe Choir and Band - EX2	Concert band - EX3
	All years welcome	Grade 3+ on your instrument
Wednesday	Ukulele/guitar - EX2	Musical Theatre Choir - EX1
	All years welcome	All years welcome
		Creative use of Music
		Technology -EX5 All years
		welcome
Thursday	Senior Choir - EX5 Audition only	
	(ran by students and EGR)	
	Audition only	
	Music Theory EX5	

### **PE Notices**

FIXTURES/PRACTICES 13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> November				
	LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm)	AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm)		
Monday	Year 7 basketball Club (NJS)			
Tuesday	Year 10 & 11 GCSE Netball Club (HWH/CFM)	Year 11 Football v BSB (A) (SHM) KO 2.30pm Year 9 Football v Winton (A) (NJS) KO 2.30pm Tumbling Club (MWR) Table Tennis Club (3.05-4.30pm) Year 7 Boys Football (JSS)		
Wednesday	Year 8 Basketball Club (NJS)	Year 9 & 10 Netball Club (MWR) Finish 3.45pm		
Thursday		U14 County Netball Tournament @ Canford (MWR/HWH) Leave 12.15pm Year 10/11 Rugby v Corfe Hills (A) (SHM) Year 9 Rugby v Corfe Hills (H) (NJS) Year 7-9 Girls Football Club (CFM/HWH) Year 10/ Trampolining Club (LSN)		
Friday	Year 9 Basketball Club (JDN)			

### **Literacy Notices**

### The Best Words. In the Best Place.

What are you doing to improve your vocabulary? Have a go at the guiz below. What does *verdict* mean?

### Verdict

a/ a kind of flower

b/ a feeling of confusion

c/ a judgement

### Answer:

c/ a judgement

### **Examples:**

PMQs verdict: Jeremy Corbyn started strong but fizzled out.

What's your verdict on the film?

The verdict of the jury was "guilty".

### **Critical Thinking:**

- 1. What synonyms\* can you think of for "verdict"?
- \*Words with the same meaning.
- 2. Here are some synonyms for "verdict":

result conclusion prognosis

What are the differences in meanings between these words and "verdict"? Who is more likely to be using the different words?

### **Commendation Opportunities:**

"Verdict" is not a particularly difficult word – but do you use it? That's your challenge.

Try and use this word in class in writing or in speech. You might get commended for an effective use of it!

Break-through commendation: If you use it incorrectly first time, but try again, you might receive a break-through commendation!





Hi there!

We are happy to announce that the applications are now open for the 9th series of The Great British Bake Off.

As always, we are keen to **spread the word** about applications being open and we'd be delighted to hear from any of your staff / students / parents / friends / family or indeed anyone else you know who loves to bake.

I was hoping that you would be able to help us spread the word by passing on this message by either popping the attached poster in your next newsletter, intranet or on social media along with the message below. Or if you are at all able to distribute hard copies of the flyer to your pupils please let us know how many you would like and a member of the team can post some out to you.

The Great British Bake Off is looking for the UK's best home bakers to enter the tent

Who is the best baker you know?

Visit: applyforbakeoff.co.uk

If you or someone you know thinks they have what it takes to bake in the tent, then please do encourage them to visit **applyforbakeoff.co.uk** or they can email us for more information at **casting@lovewest.co.uk** 

Many thanks,

Georgia & The Great British Bake Off Team



Dear Parent/Guardian,

Every Friday evening Artisan theatre school provide professional training in drama dance and singing at Highcliffe School, we are looking to expand these class which would be a great opportunity to boost your child's self-esteem, confidence and skills within the performing arts.

All pupils are encouraged to attend and take advantage of these classes, run by teachers that have both worked and trained professionally within the industry.

Not only is this beneficial for children who would like to expand their performing arts development, but also for those who are looking for a fun, energetic and motivating class to complement their academic studies.

Artisan Theatre School will be providing classes after school every Friday of term time, offering Musical Theatre, Drama, Singing and Dance. We anticipate this being an extremely popular class, for those who would like to reserve a space (places will be given on a first come first serve basis) as numbers will be limited, please return the attached booking form.

### ALL BOOKING FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE

Advanced 1 Ages 5-9 years 4- 5:30pm - £9 per class paid monthly or termly

Advanced 2 Ages 9-13 years 4-5:30pm - £9 per class paid monthly or termly

Advanced 3 Ages 14+ years 5:30-7pm - £9 per class paid monthly or termly

More information can be found at: www.artisantheatreschool.com

Facebook: /artisantheatreschool

Email: office@artisantheatreschool.com/ Tel: 07752061382

Many Thanks
The Artisan Team



## **Submission to Artisan Theatre School Lessons Enrolment Form**

Pupils Full Name	
D.O.B/Age	
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Please list any performing arts	
experience your child has already had.	
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Please circle the class you would like	
to enrol your son/daughter for:	
Triple Threat CO	
Triple Threat £9 (Musical Theatre 1hr.30mins class)	
Act, Dance, Sing!	
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Just Drama £5	
(45 min class)	
Just Dance & Singing £5	
(45 min class)	
Name of Parent/Guardian	
Address	
Contact Telephone No.	
Email	



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