



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 5th - Friday 9th March 2012: **Week A**

Thought For The Week:

Fear makes the wolf look bigger - German Proverb

Year 12 Head Boy & Head Girl Hustings

All year 12 students should attend Hustings will take place next week in the Gym as follows:

Tuesday 6th March - 8.40am - candidates for Head Boy

Wednesday 7th March - 8.40am - candidates for Head Girl



This is an important opportunity to help elect the person you think will be the right person to represent the 6th form student body and help improve your experience in the 6th form. Each candidate will give a 2 minute speech outlining what they would bring to the role and explaining why they think you should vote for them.

Please meet in the Gym at 8.35am. You will be registered there. Hustings will start promptly at 8.40am. Only students who are present at Hustings will be allowed to vote.

The candidates are:

Charlie Barrington	Emily Clifford
James Bonney	Fran Crisante
Johnny Cann	Camila Humphries
Aaron Page	Abbie Leakey
Jack Radford	Keziah Leary
Michael Smith	Coral Norton
Will Smith	Annabelle Sami
	Charlotte Stone



Highcliffe & Ballard Lecture Series: Thursday 8th March sees the last of this Spring series of lectures. We are delighted to welcome a double act to Ballard School; Dr D and Dr K Jenkinson are going to enlighten us about their high pressured careers in medicine. Mrs K Jenkinson is a partner in a local GP surgery, whilst her husband is a consultant physician specialising in stroke medicine. Everyone is welcome to hear how they balance their busy work schedules with family life. Please come along at 7.00pm to Ballard School.

If any students know their work was in the **Highcliffe Castle exhibition** please check with your Art, Design Technology teacher to see if it can now be collected to take home. Thanks. Mr Nicholls

All students are politely reminded that the **ropes outside Da Vinci** are to indicate that an area is not be crossed. This is not to inconvenience anyone but is to make the job of our cleaners easier so that our carpets are not ruined by the treading in of mud. **Please be considerate of this and walk around the edge of the roped area.** Many thanks. Mr Nicholls

Year 8s

Are you thinking about studying two languages at GCSE?



Write a short piece (100 words maximum) explaining why you would like to study two languages at GCSE. The best ones will be selected to come on a visit to Christchurch Harbour Hotel to meet the German manager and French head chef.

You will also get the opportunity to act out some role plays in the hotel's restaurant.

DEADLINE: Thursday 8th March. All entries to your MFL teacher.



Christchurch Harbour Hotel
s p a & r e s t a u r a n t



This Saturday fourteen Year 8 students will be representing the school in this year's **Mock Trial Competition**. The students have worked incredibly hard in preparation for this competition by giving up their evenings for workshops and extra home-study tasks. If you see the students this week, please wish them the best of luck. The following students are involved:

Melis Evans (8.8)	Ciaran Sheekey (8.1)
Callum Garrett-Long (8.6)	Stanley Hervey (8.1)
Katy Dore Smith (8.8)	Arabella Mirza (8.8)
Molly Southcombe (8.8)	Madeleine Davies (8.8)
Shannon Whyte (8.3)	Jordan Cotterell (8.3)
Pippa Peters- Cheale (8.3)	Lauren Stevens (8.3)
Emma Platts (8.8)	Caitlin McNee-Smith (8.6)



Empty crisp packets: please bring in all empty crisp packets and place in the box in the upper school office. This is to enable a number of Year 11 students to compete in a hair dressing show. We would really appreciate all empty crisp packets but especially ready salted and prawn cocktail.

Year 8 Trench Project: could all students collect their project by the end of the week. Many thanks.

Merits: Year 7, 8 & 9 students - don't forget to cash in your merits! Don't leave them in your planners! Get them cashed in by going along to the Library on Monday, Thursday and Friday lunchtimes, and you could win a prize in the end of term assemblies!



MUSIC CLUBS

Jazz Band - Wednesday after school in Ex3 @ 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Guitar Club - Tuesday lunchtime @ 1.30pm in Ex2. This is for all guitarists at any level. If you can play a chord or more come along!

Theory Club - Thursday lunchtime @ 1.30pm in Ex6. This is for all GCSE/A level students who are requiring some extra help with Music Theory and their understanding of Music technology.

GCSE Coursework Support - Thursday after school @ 3.15pm - 4.15pm. For any students who wish to get support for their coursework and/or any other questions regarding GCSE Music.

Highcliffe Choir - Tuesday after school @ 3.15pm - 4.15pm.

Chamber Choir - Thursday after school @ 3.15pm - 4.15pm.



P.E. FIXTURES/PRACTICES - Monday 5th - Friday 9th March

Results	
Year 7 Girls' Football tournament - overall winners	Year 9 football v Grange - won 6-5
Year 7 football v Grange - won 7-1	Year 7 netball v Talbot Heath - lost
Year 10 netball tournament - 3 rd place	Year 8 netball v Talbot Heath - lost
Year 9 Girls' Football tournament - overall winners	

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday	Year 7 Cricket Club	
Tuesday	Year 10 Cricket Club	Year 11 Football v Twynham (A) (SHM) Year 8 Football v Twynham (H) (NJS) Year 7 & 8 Netball v Grange (H) (LSN)
Wednesday		Year 7 Netball tournament @ BSG leaving at 1.30pm (LSN) Year 7 Football v Twynham (H) (JPO) Year 8 Football v BCS (A) (NJS) Year 8 Rugby tournament leaving at 8.00am (JDN) Years 8-10 Netball Club (MWR)
Thursday	Year 8 Cricket Club	Year 10 Football v Twynham (A) (SHM) Year 9 Football v Twynham (H) (NJS) Year 9 Netball v Grange (A) (MWR)
Friday	Year 9 Cricket Club	



I WONDER..... Could you get some sky into your pocket?