

Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 26th - Friday 30th June 2017: Week A

General Notices

INSET Day

A reminder that the school is closed to all students on Monday 26 June for an Inset day.

SETI Cypher Challenge 2017 (PES)

For the fourth year running the School of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Southampton are running an online challenge for students aged 14-18 across the UK called 'The SETI Cipher Challenge'. (see the link below):

https://www.dropbox.com/s/bbknjkvr9t4tiu9/seti2017Poster.pdf?dl=0

The 4 day online challenge will take place between Mon 10th -Thur 13th July between 10am & 6pm.

You will need to form a team to compete to crack the ciphers, unscramble code, discuss the implications of the science, the research and the effect on the wider world.

Your team does not need to be in school to submit to the online forums/compete but you must register on the website by Friday 30th June

Team Registration is open already!

Prizes (in the form of amazon vouchers worth up to £300) will be awarded at the end of the challenge!

Here is a quote from one of the teachers following last year's challenge:

"They have learnt so much from the experience in terms of team work and creativity, as well as the maths and physics they have explored along the way."

If you have any queries please see Mr Evans.

National Book Tokens (MHY)

Could you please take the time to enter the National Book Tokens Competition. There is an opportunity to win £5000 worth of books tokens for the school library and £100 of tokens for yourself. To enter please go to: https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools. The closing date is 31/7/17 at 11.59am and you must be over 13 to enter.

The more people to enter the greater our chances of winning!

Remember to bring a water bottle (KTN)

Please make sure that you bring in a water bottle especially now that summer is approaching. Dehydration can lead to headaches, which will affect your concentration. Mrs Thompson.

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers (MHY)

Thank-you to everyone who has donated their Sainsbury's vouchers so far, the box is steadily filling! The more vouchers we have, the more equipment we will be able to claim for our school, so please continue collecting and bringing the vouchers to school. The collection box is in the library so drop them off when you come in. All vouchers need to be donated by 30th June.

Lost Property (KTN)

There is a large black bin liner full of coats, jackets and hoodies, none of them named in Student Support. Please come and see me if any of the following sound familiar. Thank you. Mrs Thompson

Lime green, grey lining, Berghaus Gore-Tex coat, hood in collar size Large

Blue quilted jacket Rebel age 12/13

Pale blue George hoodie age 12/13

Red AFC Bournemouth jacket size LB

Blue Puffa (original duvet clothing company) coat with fir trimmed hood, Age 14

Black Trespass Kids with hood Age 11/12

Grey hoodie, fluffy inside, faint unreadable name size XS

Black and red Manchester United coat with hood size XL B

Grey Nike jacket with hood, Size S

Blue thick coat Atmosphere fur trimmed hood size 12

Black Highcliffe sports jacket CB written on label size S

Khaki cotton New Look jacket size 14

Khaki jacket, fur lining, Matalan size 16

Black jacket Gelert size S

Pink Regatta coat size 32"

Grey and black Activewear age 11/12

PE Notices

FIXTURES/PRACTICES			
	LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm)	AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm)	
Monday	INSET DAY	INSET DAY	
Tuesday	Year 8 Cricket Club (NJS)	Year 8 Rounders @ BSG (CFM)	
		Year 9 & 10 Rounders Club (MWR)	
Wednesday		Dorset Games Equestrian (CF) ALL DAY Athletics Club	
Thursday	Year 7 Cricket Club (NJS)	Year 7 Rounders v Glenmoor (A) (HWH)	
	All years Girls Cricket Club (CFM)	Year 10 Rounders v Arnewood (H)	
		Year 7 Rounders Club (HWH)	
Friday	Year 9 Cricket Club (SHM)		

Music Notices

	Lunch	After School
Tuesday	Choir and Choir Band – Ex2	
	Piano/Percussion Ensemble – Ex3	
Wednesday	Theory and Coursework Help – Ex5 Cubase Club – Ex5	
Thursday	Ukulele and Guitar – Ex2	Concert Band – Ex3 (Grade 3 and above)
Friday	Jammin' Club – Ex2	

Summer Celebration Concert

Thursday 29th June 7pm (doors at 6.45pm) £3 Adults, £2 Concession

Students participating in this event are required all day Thursday in the main hall. You will need to be in school uniform during the day. During the event, you will need to wear

- Extra-curricular (choir, guitar, woodwind, percussion) Jeans/leggings and a bright coloured top
- Solo/small ensembles Jeans/leggings and a bright coloured top
- BTEC Dancers Discuss with Miss Westley
- Year 10 BTEC Music Tech Black trousers/jeans and black top

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









Year 10 Introductory to Photography (MMS)

An introductory to Photography class will be running on Tuesdays afterschool 3.15pm-4.15pm. The class will be for a maximum of 15 students and will be on a first come, first served basis. If you are interested, please speak to Mr Matthews.

Literacy

Whole-School Literacy

Spelling Focus: Closing the Gap

Here are some words that are in the news at the moment:

- Parliament
- Democracy

Questions:

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

Answers:

- 1. The Danger Zones for the above words are:
 - Parliament (We forget the "I")
 - Democracy (We misspell it when we make it plural)
- 2. Here is a strategy for these words:

Parliament:

Find words in the word.

ParlI+Ament Parliament has I AM inside it.

Democracy

We need to remember the rule for this:

Consonant before "Y" at the end of the word changes to "ies" in the plural. This is the same as:

Try - tries

Fly - flies

Nationality - nationalities





Great opportunity this summer for Highcliffe students, improve confidence and performing skills in a fun and relaxed atmosphere as well as a great chance to make friends ready for Sept 2017.

Southampton

THE SETI CIPHER CHALLENGE 2017

#BreakTheCode

Once again the University of Southampton is running an online forum-based challenge for students across the UK. Just like in previous years, scientists at the University are receiving scrambled messages, but this year they appear to be different.... It seems like whoever is sending the messages is trying to warn the Earth of future dangers!

Control room scientists at the University need help decoding this strange information which appears to be coming from an unexplained radio wave source in the basement of the Physics and Astronomy building.

Can you help the scientists figure out how to save the Earth before we make the same mistakes?

During this 4 day challenge, scrambled data will be released to registered student teams via the challenge website. Teams will be awarded points based on the speed, accuracy and novelty of their submissions to the website forums.

There will be two forums that teams can participate in. The first is a science forum reserved for scientific discussion of the messages. The second is a media forum where teams submit news articles, videos, songs and other novel ideas.

The competition will run from 9am-6pm from the 10th-13th July and is open to students aged 14-18 years at schools/colleges in the UK. Note that GCSE students aged 14-15 will be scored separately to AS/A-level students aged 16-18.

Students teams should register on the website before Friday 30th June.



Visit our website for full details of the challenge:

www.seti.soton.ac.uk

Please direct any enquires about the challenge to seti@soton.ac.uk

For up to date information on the challenge you can follow us on



● @seti_code #BreakTheCode

Highcliffe School Presents

Art, Design & Technology Summer Exhibition



Art, Textiles, Product Design, Photography, Graphics & Ceramics

Wednesday 5th July 2017 4.30 - 6.30pm Da Vinci, Highcliffe School Christchurch, BH23 4QD 01425 273381 office@highcliffeschool.com





Our Dorset Rainbow Run has now sold out however you can still join in on the fun...

PAINT THROWERS REQUIRED!



Sunday 2nd July 2017 Upton Country Park, Poole

For more information please contact Charlotte charlotte.patrick@naomihouse.org.uk

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2017 May Half Term Soccer Camps & Academy Programme



Lymington - Woodside Park

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9am - 3pm

Tuesday 30th May

Wednesday 31st May **Thursday 1st June**

Friday 2nd June



New Milton - Fawcett Fields

Individual day: £16.50 All 4 days: £63

9am - 3pm **Tuesday 30th May** Wednesday 31st May Thursday 1st June Friday 2nd June



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HALF TERM ACADEMY TRAINING & FIXTURES PROGRAMME

UNDER 6 & UNDER 7

Venue: Fawcett Fields, New Milton Tuesday 30th May: 9am-3pm

Fixture: Saturday 3rd June at Woodside Park, Lymington



UNDER 8 & UNDER 9

Venue: Fawcett Fields, New Milton Wednesday 31st May: 9am-3pm

Fixture: Saturday 3rd June at Woodside Park, Lymington

UNDER 10 & UNDER 11

Venue: Fawcett Fields, New Milton

Thursday 1st June 9am-3pm Fixture: Saturday 3rd June at Woodside Park, Lymington

GIRLS ACADEMY U7-U13

Venue: Fawcett Fields, New Milton

Friday 2nd June: 9am-3pm Fixture: Saturday 3rd June at Woodside Park, Lymington

UNDER 12 & UNDER 13

Venue: Ballard School, New Milton

Friday 2nd June:

Futsal Training & Fixture: 9am-3pm

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