

14.10.2022

Dear Parent/Carers

Timetable

Next week is WEEK A on your lesson timetables.

Attendance Reminder

Please ensure you email <u>attendance@toynbee.hants.sch.uk</u> or send a message via school comms on the first and any subsequent days of absence for your child.

Thank you.

No Nut Policy

Can we remind parents that we are nut free school, due to students with serious nut allergies! Thank you

Remembrance Day

I would like to draw your attention to the amazing effort Toynbee students showed in the Remembrance Day parade on Sunday with the 11 Platoon (Eastleigh) Army Cadets. I'm sure that if you had seen them, you would have been as proud of them as I am.





The day started with meeting their fellow Cadets in Eastleigh before starting the parade through the streets, following the band and the veterans. Ethan carried the flag for the platoon during the parade (which was then handed over to a fellow Cadet towards the end of the service for the exit parade), where they then all assembled in Leigh Park for the service. Daniel was asked to carry the wreath for the German representative, in the Mayor's procession. They all showed a huge amount of respect during the service, two minutes silent and wreath laying.







Model UN

Model UN met again this week, further researching our assigned countries, and discussing the issues/topics that matter most to our countries. Next time, we will begin to look at this term's international crisis, what our countries' positions are on it and begin to work towards a 'Draft Resolution' to solve it. Anyone can join Model UN at any point, so please do come along! It's held in MediaStudies1 (Mr Davis' room) Monday's fortnightly 3-4pm (next meeting 28th November).

I look forward to seeing you there!

Mr Pople.

Geography

Those attending the GCSE trip to Portsmouth, please remember they should be wearing their school uniform with shoes that are comfortable for walking in. On Thursday 24th November they must go to tutor as normal, then meet at the front of school at 9am. Please watch the weather forecast and ensure they bring an appropriate coat as we will be outside for much of the day. They need to also bring a pen and packed lunch, or money to buy lunch at Gunwharf. Those that are Free School Meals will be provided with a lunch. We will return to school at 3pm. Any further questions, please email e.breckenridge@toynbee.hants.sch.uk. Thanks!

Mrs Breckenridge.

Medical Room

All pupils using crutches, wearing a protective boot or with an arm injury must have a risk assessment completed and a parental agreement must be signed on return.

Personal Best

Please inform Mrs Woodall prior to your child's return and a meeting can be arranged.

Mrs Woodall.



Personal Development

This week has been Anti-Bullying week. We followed the Anti/Bullying alliance programme which was themed REACH OUT.

We started with an odd sock's day on Monday. It was lovely that so many pupils & staff took part show their support.



All pupils had an assembly with a focus on the different roles that people can be in relation to bullying. We took this opportunity to remind pupils on how they can personally REACH OUT for support.





The tutor time personal development slot was a video in which members of TEAM TOYBEE shared their personal experiences of Bullying with the pupils. Reminding them of how they are not alone & that we can use our personal experiences to help others.



Pupils have been invited to apply by the form of a letter why they would be an ideal candidate to work with Miss Murchie as an Anti-Bullying Ally.



Learning Resource Centre

The Learning Resource Centre has had a busy start to the second half of the Autumn term, book deliveries from Schools Library Service, reading challenges continuing and lots of wonderful reading going on for Pupils' reading logs! We have also appointed a Head Pupil Librarian and a Senior librarian - congratulations to Alexa B and Holly P, I am sure they will be a fantastic addition to the management team of the Learning Resource Centre.

I would like to congratulate the following students on achieving their bronze reading awards: Mervin C, Amisha M, Maria M, Abigail N, Charlotte F, Sam W, Anna P-W, Nika K, Nadiia S, Margot LP, Seli A-H, Star S, Naomi B, Sadie M, Amelia H, Aarna M, Sophie L & Alex Z.

Reaching Silver Award status are Joyce C, Charlotte H, Ben W, Matthew M, Alec N, Joshua L, Will F, Thomas B, Paige F & Reece E.

A special mention to Ethan R and Imogen B who have both achieved their Headteachers Award for reading and recording 50 books! I have now created a further reading log challenge for all pupils who manage to read over 50 books.

It is lovely to see the effort that is going into reading this year.

The Book Buzz books chosen by year 7 have arrived and will be handed out in English lessons over the coming days - these are books that all year 7 pupils have chosen from a selection of 17 and are completely free for them to keep. A separate Parent-mail will be sent to year 7 parents with further details. Each book is supplied with a recommended reading list that are available in the Learning Resource Centre and later in the year we will run a book swap programme if pupils would like to try a different book.

I'm very excited to announce that our long-awaited eBook system is now live - I will be sending information & instructions separately on how it can be accessed from home, it is an excellent opportunity for students to borrow books, magazines and comics from a selection of over 8000 titles as supplied by Hampshire Schools Library Service. The app is easy to use on most devices and can also be accessed through the web page. The app is called Sora and can be downloaded through the Google play store or via the apple store.

I hope that you have a wonderful weekend! Mrs Nicholls.



Maths

The Maths department are really pleased to announce the first set of pupils to achieve Levels on Sparx.

To achieve a **Level 1**, pupils need to get over 10,000 points - this requires not only doing the Compulsory homework but also doing Boost questions to reinforce their learning. This will help secure their understanding and help them retain your knowledge of everything they are doing in Maths.

Congratulations go to the following pupils who have achieved a Level 1:

Maria Mitchell (9x1)

Brandon Hickman-Heaton (8y3)

Rishan Faisal (7y1)

Joey Spiers (7y1)

Further congratulations go to **Emi Chan (10y1)** who is the first person in the whole school to achieve a **Level 2** on Sparx, gaining over 20,000 points on the programme. Absolutely fantastic work.

Well done to all these pupils. There are many other pupils in the school who are very close to achieving the Level 1 status - keep up the good work - it will all pay off!

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Geography Horizon Programme

This week we explored volcanic eruptions with the help of our guest speaker, Miss Wakeford! Miss Wakeford came to show us photos and videos of her time as a Volcanologist. She provided us with some brilliant stories and facts and helped the students start to understand the sheer power of tectonic activity. We discussed the ways in which volcanic eruptions can be predicted and discovered various examples of active volcanoes around the world. Thank you, Miss Wakeford, for your amazing expertise this week! Students then began to create their own 3D pop-up volcanoes ready for their Volcanic Island plans next week. I look forward to seeing you then Team,

Mrs Harris.

Solar Panels Update

You may remember that earlier this year we were chosen as a site by Hampshire County Council for solar panels, and as a result we had 100 installed on the roof and we are delighted to share with you that to date, they have generated just under £13,000. Whatever is generated is sent back to the National Grid and we are given a percentage in return. Fingers crossed we continue to see the benefits of the solar panels for many years to come.

Modeshift STARS Accreditation

We are delighted to have been awarded **Green** level Modeshift STARS Accreditation for our efforts to increase levels of walking, cycling and other forms of sustainable travel by developing an approved travel plan. We aren't stopping there, and plan to continue to work with Hampshire planning team, and Modeshift to continue our work and achieve further accreditation soon.



Spitfire House Charity Fund Raiser

Spitfire house are doing a Christmas charity fundraiser in aid of Eastleigh food bank. During December we will be running s Christmas Jar tombola fundraiser. Whilst we will be making some as a TEAM we would also be very grateful for any donations of Jars filled with sweets or toiletries that we can then also add to the fundraiser.



Please drop off any filled Jars to Miss Murchie's office who will ensure that they get Proud points for participation.

Thank you in advance - TEAM SPITFIRE.

Vacancies

We have the following vacancies at the school. Please visit our website for more information.

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- PE Cover Supervisor
- Cover Supervisor
- Senior Administration Assistant
- Learning Support Assistant
- Learning Support Assistant Math's
- IT Technician
- Pastoral Assistant
- Receptionist
- Site Assistant



Wellbeing Ambassadors

This week we met up and discussed developing the new library corner where we would have several resources for support and posters around mental health advice. In addition, we are working towards developing an activity club with available support for all year groups!

Two of our mental health ambassadors, Sarah and Sophie have developed an Instagram account with multiple support websites for young people and an emergency contact number if you are struggling or know someone who is struggling.

- open Instagram
- -search for @bss.makeachange

-follow for information.

Tip of the day

As research shows, having a healthy diet enables our brains to grow and is as smart way to help improve our focus, mood, and prevent mental decline. It is proven to help boost our energy and mood. Food powers all our body's functions, just like any machine, it depends on and runs on the quality of the fuel you put in.

Personal Best





Time to dig out your festive clothes!



THURSDAY 8th DECEMBER

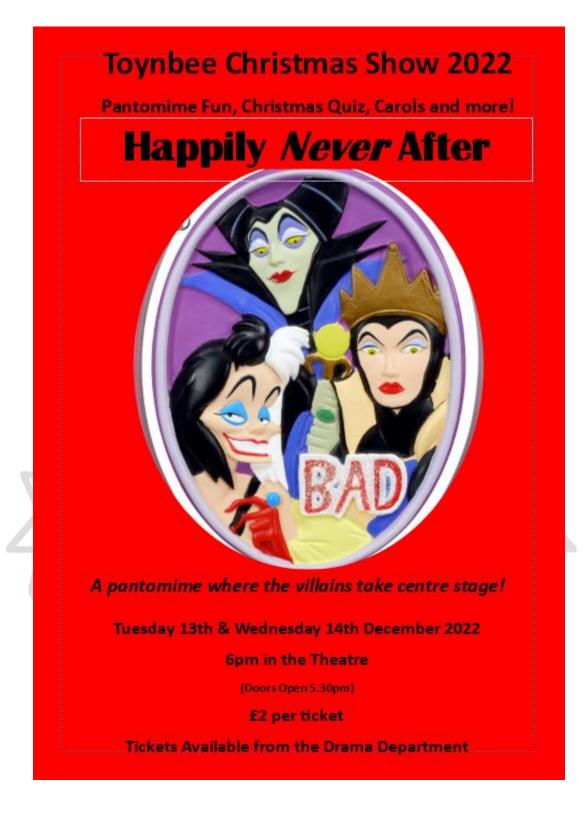


£2 donation through our Just Giving page (Links sent home or scan the QR code)











Freshly prepared	MAINS WEEK ONE			TASTE	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Quorn Enchilada served with salad	• Vegetarian Lasagne with garlic doughballs & salad	Cauliflower Cheese Bake with garlic bread & sweetcorn	Veggie Sausages & Mash served with vegetables of the day & gravy	• Tomato Pasta served with garlic bread and cheese	
Hunters Chicken with herby potatoes & sweetcorn	Lamb Meatballs & Spaghetti in a tomato sauce	Pulled Chicken Yorkie served with roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy	Chefs' Choice Curry served with pilau rice and Naan bread	Chefs' Choice Fish and Chips served with peas	



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@ToynbeePE @teamtoynbee	WC 21st Nov	Early Clubs Breakfast 7:45am	After School 3pm-4:15/4:30pm	Fixtures Full details on team notice boards Captains to check teams
Personal Best	Monday	INDOOR FOOTBALL 7&8 TU DP	NETBALL GIRLS 7,8 WD HR GCSE DANCE (Y11) DG (Dance Studio) RUGBY BOYS 7,8,9 TU DP	Y9 BOYS FOOTBALL (A) ES Y7 CROSS COUNTRY (A) FR Y8 CORSS COUNTRY (A) FR
Results/Announcements 91 Fixtures so far • Well done that attended the Hampshire Handball trials CUBS • All clubs are open to all unless stated • There is no need to sign up unless stated • All clubs are free unless led by an external coach and labelled with a £ • Clubs finish at 4:30pm latest – sometimes this is earlier for weather or scheduling reasons	Tuesday	BADMINTON Recreational 9,10,11 LG	FOOTBALL BOYS 7 MN DP RUGBY GIRLS ALL TU DANCE 7,8 DG BASKETBALL BOYS DZ ES	Y7 GIRLS NETBALL (A) HR Y8 GIRLS NETBALL (A) HR U16 BOYS BASKETBALL (A) ES FF U16 GIRLS FOOTBALL (H) LG
	Wednesday	BASKETBALL GIRLS HR	NETBALL 9,10,11 HR FOOTBALL BOYS 8 ES MN GCSE DANCE (ALL) DG (Dance Studio/Fitness Studio)	Y9 BOYS RUGBY (A) TU all day Y8 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) ES Y8 BOYS ATHLETICS (A) FR Y8 GIRLS ATHLETICS (A) FR
AST WEEK'S FIXTURE RESULTS Y8 Boys b team football tournament – postponed Y8 Girls b team netball tournament – postponed Y8 Boys Hampshire Rugby Festival 3rd place U14 Girls district league netball – L U16 Girls district league netball – L	Thursday	FITNESS / RUNNING ALL CS DP	VOLLEYBALL-FR DP GCSE DANCE (11) DG (Dance Studio) FOOTBALL GIRLS ES (early finish) YOGA & WELLBEING AH £ sign up	U14 BOYS BASKETBALL (A) FR ES U14 GIRLS NETBALL (H) HR U16 GIRLS NETBALL (H) HR
U16 Boys district league basketball - W Y7 Girls district league netball - L Y8 Girls district league netball - L U16 Boys Hampshire plate rugby - W U15 Boys Hampshire plate rugby - cancelled Y7 Boys friendly football - D	Friday	BASKETBALL 7,8 FR	BADMINTON All RD 4pm finish FOOTBALL BOYS 11 ES HOCKEY All FR HIGH VIS VI students & guests LD HS SKIING pre trip lessons RM	