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Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Although it is still early March, one can begin to feel the spectre of the external examinations beginning to haunt students in Years 11 to 13. The forthcoming examinations are important for your children's futures but nobody should, be making themselves overly anxious or ill. We do not want to create too much pressure for our students. The best solution for worries over the examinations is to be prepared for them, then students will know they have done their best, which is all we ever ask of them. Most students will have been revising for some time, but, as parents and carers, please emphasise with your child that it is not too late to start now. It certainly is not too early!, but all good revision will make a difference. The only difference between students who get the grades they deserve and those who underachieve is effort, and that effort can only come from within. As teachers, parents and carers we will do all we can to encourage the young people to spend time on effective revision, but it is up to them to make it work.

Richard Bramley



SASH

I cannot express my gratitude enough to the 12 students who took part in the charity sleep out in January, who not only braved the cold and gave up their beds for an evening, but who together raised £1,109 for Safe And Sound Homes (SASH). Pictured are **Heather Heap, Abby McGrath, Nell Thackray, Suzi Riley, Sam Lee, Maggie Proudman, Polly Bilton, Steph Henson** and myself overwhelming Nicky Taylor-Olsson from SASH by presenting her the cheque on the last Friday of half term. Oliver Reynolds

10EWA

10EWA did a tutor group assembly about period poverty, how those who are struggling financially are impacted by the added cost of sanitary protection, and how school days are lost by students who cannot afford sanitary towels. As our Lent challenge, we have asked our peers to donate packets of sanitary towels and tampons and add them to our box in RE2. These will be donated to the Rainbow Centre in Scarborough at the end of term. Please donate.

Parents' Forum

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 12th March at 6:30p.m to 7:30p.m in the Café Area (above the main reception).

Agenda:

ItsLearning- feedback from parents/carers about the introduction of the new VLE. The company is in the process of developing the parental portal, so we would like any feedback from parents/carers about what you would like to access via ItsLearning.



Year 11 and 6th Form Trip to Krakow

We did our second trip to Krakow during half term, a whistle-stop tour of the beautiful city of Krakow, a visit to a synagogue, the Schindler Museum, the Ghetto square and of course, the Nazi death camp of Auschwitz – Birkenau. We also got to hear a Holocaust survivor tell her story, which was very moving.

The weather was stunning when we arrived in Krakow, but got colder and colder, eventually snowing as we left.

The food was better than last year, no fish heads (!) although there was a hard-boiled egg hidden in some soup! We also went to a folk show, which was fun.

As always, behaviour was impeccable, and they were a credit to Lady Lumley's School. It is an emotional trip, but our students coped admirably, asking thoughtful and sensible questions.

Mrs Watson and Mr Heeley

COMIC RELIEF

From 11th March the sixth form team will be hosting a range of events...

MONDAY 11th March : Non Uniform Day - Fancy Dress Theme - Prizes awarded at 1.00 pm in the hall for the best dressed student! £1 donation.

WEDNESDAY 13th March : Sixth Form Students v Staff QUIZ - 1.00 pm in the Hall

FRIDAY 15th March : GUNGE THE TEACHER!!! - at 1.00 pm in the Hall. There will be a stall for students to vote which teacher they want to gunge the most!



PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING SOME MONEY TO BE ABLE TO VOTE & DONATE

Word of the Week - Compare and contrast. Possibly because I was thinking of examinations when I wrote "Dear Parents .", the words compare and contrast came to mind. The prefix for compare, com- , means with and par means a level of equality (two things are on a par, meaning equal to each other). So compare means looking at things which are similar to each other. We may then look for these similarities or even look for some differences. We can compare London and Paris, They are both capital cities, they both have important rivers running through them and both are the centres of government for their countries.

Contrast begins with the prefix con- , which his time comes from the Latin contra which means against or opposing. The suffix comes from a word meaning to stand and the whole word means to separate by comparison of unlike or opposite qualities. Mice are very small creatures in contrast to the much larger elephant. The equator is very warm throughout the year, in contrast to the temperature at the north pole.

Hainsworth

In the Hainsworth house assembly this week, I set Hainsworth students a "personal challenge" to take place between now and Easter, which I have now extended to all students (and staff!). Inspired by the actions and philosophy of Mrs. Paul, I decided to think about what Lent means for all of us. While many of us are not religious, and indeed we are a non-secular school, I believe that we can still appreciate religious or cultural celebrations or traditions, and take from them the positive message they have the potential of bringing.

I have set the challenge of changing a negative habit, or of doing something good, or of giving something up between now and Easter. Some such examples might include choosing alternative vocabulary to express oneself instead of swearing, actively praising others, giving up a daily unhealthy snack, separating oneself from social media, or finding items to donate to charity. I am looking forward to hearing about the positive changes you are making to help your actions align with your own values. **Oliver Reynolds, Head of Hainsworth House**

Maths Challenge

Congratulations and thank you to the 11 students who took part in the Intermediate Maths Challenge on Thursday 7th February. Collectively, they achieved 2 "Bronze" and 5 "Silver" certificates. A special mention should be made for **Evie Mansell** and **Felicity Lloyd**, who tied for "Best in Year" and will be leading the school team in the UKMT Regional Team Final on 20th March. Fantastic effort! Oliver Reynolds

Equestrian

Lauren Harris, Charlotte Beal and Fiona Hardman have qualified for the British Horse Society National Riding School Championships to be held on 24th April. The three girls competed in teams, based out of Friars Hill Riding School, at an event at the end of February. Good luck in the next round girls. Mr Park

Girls Rugby

On Thursday 21st February, 25 girls from Years 7-10 attended a rugby development festival at Malton Rugby Club. This was a fantastic opportunity for students to receive some top class coaching, followed by competitive matches against teams from Malton and Ryedale Schools. The girls performed admirably, showing great commitment to both the training and the competition. The under-13 team played very well to beat both Malton and Ryedale. The under-15 team played out an exciting draw against Malton and played some excellent rugby to secure a win against Ryedale. The girls are looking forward to the next event later this month – a competitive festival involving teams from across North and East Yorkshire. Well done to all involved – and thank you to Year 11 students **Maddie Hopper, Sophie Boddy and Lauren Barnett** for their enthusiasm in their role as Team Managers. Miss Robinson

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IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 11th March

Non Uniform Day, £1 donation
Y10 GCSE Geography Fieldwork, 9 - 3.15PM
Y8 RE Trip, Pickering (in lessons)
Red Nose Day Catwalk, 1 - 1.30PM

Tuesday 12th March

Y7 and 9 Rugby, SRUFC 12 - 2PM
Y11 GCSE English Workshop Component 1A, L3
Y8 Netball, Malton 1.30PM
Parent Forum, 6.30 - 7.30PM

Wednesday 13th March

Y8 RE Trip, Pickering (in lessons)
U12 Netball, St Augustine's 1.30PM
Y11 GCSE English Workshop Component 1B, L2
Red Nose Day, Quiz 1 - 1.30PM

Thursday 14th March

Y11 NYBEP Assembly
Y8 /10 Rugby Finals, 2 - 3.30PM
Y8 RE Trip, Pickering (in lessons)
KS4/5 Drama Theatre Trip " Wise Children", York Theatre Royal, 6 - 11PM

Friday 15th March

Y11 GCSE DT Final Review Deadline
Red Nose Day Gunging, 1 - 1.30PM

Upcoming Events...

w/c 18th March - Y10 Exams
w/c 18th March - Y12 FT Practical Assessment (2 days)