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HEADTEACHER'S NEWS

After another 'Good' Ofsted rating why not spread the word about our wonderful school and let people know about our forthcoming Open Evening, Open Morning and Year 5 Taster Days.

OPEN EVENING

to be held on

MONDAY 3RD JULY 2017 from

5.30 - 7.30 pm

OPEN MORNING

to be held on

TUESDAY 4TH JULY from

9.00 am until 12 noon

Year 5 Taster Days

**Tuesday 20th, Thursday 22nd, Tuesday 27th
and Thursday 29th June 2017.**

**To book a place on any of the Taster Days
please do not hesitate to contact us.**

YEAR 9 NEWS

Uniform

As summer approaches please remind students that they should have their blazer sleeves rolled down, girls skirts need to be of an appropriate length and that ties need to show 7 stripes. Teachers will of course check this and I'm sure allow students to remove blazers if needed.

There have been lots of incidents of uniform being corrected several times in one lesson, if a teacher asks a student to adjust their uniform so it is correct this should be done and left, not switched back as soon as the teacher is not looking.

Options

Students are no longer able to swap options classes from June 2017, most classes are full and they will lose almost a whole years work if they switch now.

Pencelli

Congratulations to all the year 9's who took part in the Pencelli trip at the start of May, the trip looked fantastic with brilliant weather, some challenging but fun activities and serious teamwork practice. Sorry I was not there with you, I was very jealous but it looked like you coped just fine without me!

Year 9 Parents Evening

Apologies for not being there at Year 9 Parents Evening and thank you to Mrs Staker for running things at the last minute. As far as I could tell it was a success with lots of positive comments about year 9 pupils. If you have any queries about Parents Evening or would like further details on issues raised please contact me or your child's class teacher.

Challenge 25

Some year 9 pupils have been chosen to take part in a new challenge 25 scheme. They will be set challenges by their class teachers and the first pupils to reach 25 completed challenges will win iTunes vouchers. Hopefully they will be able to rise to the challenge!

Mrs Jackson

Year 9 Progress Leader

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YEAR 11 NEWS

I would like to take this opportunity to wish the 'Class of 2017' all the very best for their futures. It has been a great pleasure to guide them as a year group through their time here at Stonehenge School, and I can still remember very clearly visiting them in their Primary Schools in the Summer of 2012, when they first knew they were coming here. The year group have had many 'joiners'; those who arrived since September 2012 and it has been a pleasure getting to know them too,

As a year group they have shown many different qualities, they are loyal, funny, determined, moody, serious at times, keen and also sometimes lazy, but they have certainly kept me busy. From this September I will no longer be a Progress Leader, I'm returning to my Head of Subject role, so I will not get the pleasure of visiting the Primary School again. I would also like to thank the parents who have helped over the last few months to push these teens over the finish line. I look forward to seeing you all at the Prom and on Results Day,

All the best

Ginny Harris

Progress Leader for the Class of 2017,

Instrumental Lessons

If you would like to start learning a musical instrument here at JOG, please do get in touch. We are able to offer instrumental lessons on virtually any instrument, either as individual or small group lessons. The benefits of learning a musical instrument and musical training are absolutely incredible - having a 'dramatic impact on your brain's structure, enhancing your memory, spatial reasoning, and language skills.' Here is a brilliant article from The Guardian newspaper, all about the benefits of learning music - with the very thought-provoking title, *Want to Train Your Brain? Forget Apps - Learn A Musical Instrument*. <https://www.theguardian.com/education/2016/oct/24/want-to-train-your-brain-forget-apps-learn-a-musical-instrument>





7Q's Urban Models



Very creative idea good artwork, the zones are clear and in colour only thing that could be better was y it was so

Amos



Urban Model - Key
Concepts
Working Class
Middle Class
Upper Class
River Thames
St. Martin's

Dodgeball tournament held in aid of the British Heart Foundation

Year 7 took part in a Dodgeball tournament where £257.00 was raised for the BHF!! 6 teams took part in a round-robin tournament where 7SPA came out as our eventual winners. Students were required to obtain sponsorship to raise funds for the BHF. Special mentions must go to the following students for their efforts;

Bethany Adams, Erin Penn, Tamsin Bennett, Libbi Ash, Matthew Oddie, Jemima Foster, David Rayawa, Nicholas Dales, Kaden Blake & Katie Furnival



Congratulations to one of our Year 7 pupils Jessica Soulsby who has been selected to dive at a Regional competition in Crawley in June. Good Luck Jessica from all of us here at the Stonehenge School!



Draw

If you would like to join please visit our website -<http://www.stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk/news/100-club>

April 2017

1st Mr K McDonald £9.00

2nd Rev D A'Court £4.50

3rd Mr A Doig £1.50

May 2017

1st Mr A Mealing £8.40

2nd Mrs C Oakley £4.20

3rd Mrs H Arnold £1.40

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