



Hilbre High School Humanities College Parents' Newsletter



27th June 2016 - Week A

Date	Event
Monday 27 th June 2016	
Tuesday 28 th June 2016	
Wednesday 29 th June 2016	Welcome to Hilbre Evening, 6.30pm. 6th Form Next Steps Evening, 6pm.
Thursday 30 th June 2016	
Friday 1 st July 2016	Bronze DofE Final 1 departs

Dear Parents/Carers

What a week!

This week has seen Hilbre's first ever formal examination week. It has been a real logistical challenge to get all the students in the right places at the right times. It has been an overwhelming success in my view and we have already begun the process of evaluation to make it even better next year. I would like to thank the students for being so well prepared and so incredibly focussed, the parents and carers for your support at home in ensuring the students were completely organised and to the staff at the school for making the whole week work so well.

This week as you know, we were also visited by a team of Inspectors from Ofsted. All members of our school community responded in such a positive way and it was a great opportunity for us to talk about the very many changes that we have implemented this year and our plans for further changes next year. It was a fantastic occasion to outline to the inspection team simply how far we as a school have moved over the course of this academic year.

I have been monumentally proud of the collective team spirit that exists between students, staff and parents, and this allowed us to reflect an accurate view of the school which the inspection team picked up on. At this moment I am unable to disclose the outcome of the inspection as the report has to be quality assured by rigorous Ofsted processes. We expect to receive the final report within 15 school days and I am instructed to ensure that all parents/carers receive a copy as soon as it is released.

Have a really great weekend.

Mark Bellamy
Headteacher

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HILBRE STARS

HOYLE HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Sean Carroll & Ellie Tunstill	7AMA
Louis Bowe & Brendan Peters	7EGU
Spencer Holmes & Jack Walsh	8AEL
Francesca Murad & Linnaea Tuck	8HRO
Stephanie McAdam & Oliver Gallagher	9TBA
Libby Malcolm & Lucas Brown	9NMO
Ben Costello & Chloe Greensmith	10KAR
Jack Pearson & Josh McBeth	10KPE

ROYDEN HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Amy Cowell & Jodie Faulkner	7RST
Annie Kearns & Tom Saunders	7NST
Maddy Howcroft & Libby Boddy	8TMA
Josh Winder & Stephen Burrell	8SBU
Louie Stiles & Ella Ford	9AFY
Daniel Smith & Nick Lynch	9MHE
Sabrina Hadfi & Matthew Jubb	10NAR
Oliver Gartland & Lewis Pugh	10FLE

DEE HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Alexander Hickey & James Derriscott	7KMI
Hannah Cleary & Joseph Sanderson-Hodgson	7MKN
Kiera Payne & Daniel Worswick	8SFL
Thomas Anders & Hollie McNoon	8KTE
Millie Bailey & Ryan Kemp	9LEA
Jordan Fawkes & Elizabeth Nicholson	9SRO
Louis Rowley & Olivia Haslem	10JCL
Adam Williams & Lauren Birks	10JWA

SCHOOL EVENTS THIS TERM

Wednesday 29th June 2016 - Welcome to Hilbre Evening for Parents of September Year 7 intake, 6.30pm

Wednesday 29th June 2016 - 6th Form Next Steps Evening for Parents and Year 12 students, 6-7pm

Friday 1st July 2016 - Bronze DofE Final 1

Monday 4th July 2016 - Year 10 Taster Day

Monday 4th July 2016 - 6th Form Information Evening for Year 10 Parents, 6-7pm POSTPONED SEE BELOW

Wednesday 6th July 2016 - September Year 7 intake Induction Day for new students

Thursday 7th July 2016 - Sports Celebration Evening, 7-9pm

Friday 8th July 2016 - Bronze DofE Final 2

Friday 8th July 2016 - Year 11 Prom, Cornerstones, Liverpool

Tuesday 12th July 2016 - Year 9 Dove Day

Thursday 14th - Sunday 17th July 2016 - Gold DofE Final, Snowdonia

Friday 15th July 2016 - Year 7 Thurstaston Walk

Friday 15th July 2016 - Friends of Hilbre Family BBQ for current Year 7 Parents, 6-9pm

Wednesday 20th July 2016 - School closes for summer

Thursday 18th August 2016 - A level Results Day

Thursday 25th August 2016 - GCSE Results Day

Thursday 1st September 2016 - Staff INSET Day

Friday 2nd September 2016 - School open to new Year 7 students and 6th Form only

Monday 5th September 2016 - Full school return

YEAR 11

Students who have received a conditional offer for a place in Hilbre 6th Form will have the opportunity to attend a Transition Day at Edge Hill University on Friday 2nd September. Please could all consent forms be returned to the 6th Form Admin Office.

6th FORM SCHOOL EVENTS

The 6th Form Information Evening for Year 10 Parents scheduled to take place on 4th July has now been postponed due to changes in 6th Form courses that have not been finalised. Further information will be given at the Prospective 6th Form Evening taking place 1st December 2016.

We have a range of activities planned and it is important to note that all sessions and trips are compulsory for Year 12 and returning Year 13 students. Letters have been given to students; please return all consent forms to the 6th Form Admin Office.

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday 29th June: Next Steps Information Evening to be held in the 6th Form Block, for Year 12 students and parents from 6-7pm. We have representatives from Chester University, Edge Hill University and Liverpool University who will deliver short presentations. Our Careers Advisor Fran Trought will also deliver a presentation detailing the process of applying for an Apprenticeship.

Thursday 30th June: UCAS Higher Education Fair

Monday 4th - Friday 8th July: Work Experience week - please ensure that you have completed and returned the parental consent form and also the self - placement form signed by the employer.

Monday 11th July: Mock Interview Day for all Year 12 students, who will have the opportunity to have a mock interview with a local employer.

Tuesday 12th July: Trip to Edge Hill University for the UCAS Application Preparation Day

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

For students who are planning on applying for a university place, it is recommended that they attend an Open Day for prospective universities. The main advantages of attending an Open Day are that you will get more information on courses by meeting course tutors, lectures and students currently studying the course. You can also see the university facilities, such as lecture theatres, accommodation, library, sports facilities, student union and also explore the local area.

Find University Open Days With Out Open Day Search Tool | UCAS
<https://wwwucas.com/events/exploring-university/find-open-day>

Other useful information -

Use the UCAS search tool to find courses:

<https://wwwucas.com/ucas/undergraduate/choosing-course>

STUDENT ELLIOT MONTIETH

We were delighted to receive the following letter from Hilary J Ash, Hon Conservation Officer. Well done Elliot!



Wirral Wildlife

The Wirral Group of Cheshire Wildlife Trust

People taking action for wildlife



Please may I request leave of absence for Elliot Montieth on Monday 13th June 2016. Elliot informed me of a serious threat to birds in the dockside areas being developed by Peel Holdings under the Wirral waters scheme. As a result the birds have been protected during the nesting season. Elliot and I have been invited by Richard Mawdsley of Peel Holdings to meet him and his colleagues to discuss the wildlife impacts of their development schemes and how wildlife can be best accommodated. This is a very welcome meeting, as Peel are a large company and not always easy to communicate with. It will be very good experience for Elliot to be at such a meeting. I need his considerable bird knowledge of the dock area, as he can show Peel the important areas.

I therefore request permission for Elliot to have leave of absence to join me at the meeting on 13th June.

Yours sincerely |

Hilary J Ash MA, PhD, MCIEEM
Hon Conservation Officer
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SCHOOL HOLIDAY SPORTS COURSES

Who We Are:

'Our mission is to facilitate inclusion through Sport and Physical Activity, particularly during school holidays...

We aim to offer a safe and enjoyable environment for children to participate in a variety of fun sports...

We believe children develop important social and emotional characteristics during our course and gain a new found confidence in all situations.'



Mr D. Holder

Mr Holder is a qualified PE Teacher with over 12 years of teaching & / coaching experience.

In 2012 he was selected to play for England PD in an ODI Cricket Series vs Pakistan in Dubai.



Mr T. Freeman

Tom is a PE Teacher at Delamere Academy with over 12 years of teaching & coaching experience. Outside of teaching, Tom works as a Development Centre Coach for Everton Football Club.

OUR TEAM OF COACHES ARE QUALIFIED IN THE DELIVERY OF A WIDE VARIETY OF INDIVIDUAL & TEAM SPORTS AND GYMNASTIC, DANCE & PROBLEM SOLVING PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES:

ALL COACHES IN RECEIPT OF A FULL ENHANCED DBS CERTIFICATE



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SUMMER HOLIDAY MULTI-SPORTS PROGRAMME

at

HILBRE HIGH SCHOOL



THIS COURSE IS ALSO OPEN TO YEAR 6 FUTURE HILBRE STUDENTS!

The dates of the Summer Holiday course are as follows:

Week 1 – 3 day course: Monday 25th July - Wednesday 27th July 2016

Week 2 – 3 day course: Monday 1st August - Wednesday 3rd August 2016

Week 3 – 3 day course: Monday 8th August - Wednesday 10th August 2016

All 9am-3pm ...

at Hilbre High School, Frankby Rd, West Kirby, Wirral, CH48 6EQ



****Price — Only £10 per day & flexible booking****

Sibling Discount: 1x£5 off total cost



Current Hilbre Pupil Premium Students discounted to only £2 per day

MOCK EXAMINATIONS JUNE 2016

Mon 27 Jun	Maths Paper 3 (Y10) FND/HGR	MGMF/H	MOCK	GCSE	9:00 - 10:00	160	SPORTS HALL
	Chemistry (Y10)	CHGM	MOCK	GCSE	14:10 - 15:10	56	SPORTS HALL
Tue 28 Jun	Physics A Unit 5D	PHA5D	AQA	GCE	9:00 - 10:45	7	S3

BIKEABILITY

On Wednesday 22nd June 2016, some of our Year 7 students took part in Level 3 Bikeability training. The training was delivered by Merseyside's TravelWise campaign, BikeRight! - special thanks go to the instructors who came to Hilbre for the day! Bikeability is the new Cycling Proficiency for the 21st century. It's designed to give the next generation the skills and confidence to ride their bikes on today's roads. The Level 3 training involved riding on busy roads in the local area to help to prepare students and offer them other options for travel. The students thoroughly enjoyed the sessions which will be very beneficial for them in the future!



Meal Deal

Available from the canteen every day and includes:
Main meal and cake/cookie/fruit/pudding for £2.31

WEEK 2

W/C 4th April, 25th April, 16th May, 6th June, 27th June, 18th July, 8th Aug, 29th Aug, 19th Sep, 10th Oct

Spring 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Pork Sausages with Mash Potato and Gravy	Spanish Chicken Paella	Roast Topside of Beef with Crispy Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<p>Please see Theme Day posters for this week's "Pop Up" menu</p>	Crispy Fiery Battered Fillet of Fish with Chunky Chips
Penne Pasta Vegetable Bake** (wholegrain)	Sweet Potato and Bean Coconut Stew with Corn Bread	Lynda McCartney Veggie Sausages with Crispy Roast Potatoes and Gravy		Cheddar Cheese and Leek Cakes with Chunky Chips
Floured Loaf	Corn Bread	Sesame Seed Loaf		Classic Bloomer
Fresh Carrots Garden Peas	Sweetcorn Mixed Salad	Fresh Broccoli Fresh Carrots		Garden or Mushy Peas Roast Tomato with a Parsley Crust Seasonal Fruit Salad (fruit based)
Gingerbread Cake with Custard	Lemon Curd and Yoghurt Fool with Shortbread	Toffee Apple Strudel with Custard (fruit based)		

This menu is compliant with the school food standards. We encourage pupils to enjoy a healthy balanced diet. Chartwells can cater for many special dietary requirements. Please speak to the Catering Manager if you have any questions.

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WEEK 3

W/C 11th April, 2nd May, 23rd May, 4th 13th June, 4th July, 25th July, 15th Aug, 5th Sep, 26th Sep, 17th Oct

Spring 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cajun Salmon Wrap with Spicy Rice**	Mexican Beef Chilli with Paprika Wedges	Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<p>Please see Theme Day posters for this week's "Pop Up" menu</p>	Cajun Battered Fillet of Fish with Chunky Chips
Loaded Triple Mac & Cheese	Tabasco Spiced Vegetable Jambalaya	Pan Haggerty (Quorn and Potato Pie)		Goats Cheese, Leek and Tomato Tart with Chunky Chips
Wholemeal Loaf	Garlic and Herb Bread	Crown Loaf		Poppy Bread
Sweetcorn Healthy Salad	Fresh Carrots Minted Peas	Roasted Vegetables Seasonal Cabbage		Garden or Mushy Peas Coleslaw
Lemon Drizzle Cake	Apple Cracknell with Custard (fruit based)	Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce		Apricot Bakewell Mini Slice with Peaches (fruit based)

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THEME DAY THURSDAY!

JOIN US EVERY THURSDAY FOR OUR AWESOME POP-UPS

SICILIAN PIZZA

Fresh dough Sicilian style
Pizza – either Meatfeast
or Margherita with a green
salad and ice cream pot



14.04.16

21.04.16

WINGS & THINGS

Sticky Tabasco chicken thigh
ciabatta or feta & beetroot
burger with baked paprika
wedges, sweet chilli slaw and a
watermelon wedge



GREAT BRITISH ADVENTURE

Your favourite roast in a giant
Yorkshire pudding wrap with a
mixed salad, mini roasties, gravy
and an apple crumble flapjack



28.04.16

05.05.16

SICILIAN PIZZA

Fresh dough Sicilian style
Pizza – either Meatfeast
or Margherita with a green
salad and ice cream pot



WINGS & THINGS

Lemon & herb chicken thigh
ciabatta or cheesy Quorn &
mushroom burger with baked
garlic & herb wedges, red slaw
and a giant golden syrup cookie



12.05.16

19.05.16

INDIAN ADVENTURE

Chicken tikka masala or roast
cauliflower & chickpea korma
with rice, ½ a naan and a lemon
yoghurt lassi



SICILIAN PIZZA

Fresh dough Sicilian style
Pizza – either Meatfeast
or Margherita with a green
salad and ice cream pot



14.04.16

LOOK OUT FOR OUR THEME
DAY MENUS EVERY WEEK.

For more information,
speak to a member of
your catering team.

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