

# Hilbre High School Humanities College Parents' Newsletter



# 16th November 2015 - Week A

Date	Event
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> November	
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	6 <sup>th</sup> Form Open Evening, 6-8pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	

#### Dear Parents and Carers

This week saw the production of 'The Boy in a Dress' take place on Wednesday and Thursday evening in the school hall. In almost 20 years of teaching, I honestly don't think I have smiled and laughed as much during any school production. The students, both in the cast and crew were magnificent. They are our future stars! Massive thanks to my colleagues who turned a script originally written for about a dozen characters in to one able to accommodate about 50 students.

On Wednesday I was incredibly proud to take part in a short service of remembrance outside the front of the school to mark Armistice Day. I am thankful to Tom Clarke in Year 11 and Mrs Phelan who organised the event. Some students arrived in full Cadet uniform, which added to the atmosphere. On Thursday, Mrs Phelan and our school Community Action Team held a Community Coffee Morning in which local members of our community dropped-in to meet our students, have a chat and share in some musical entertainment.

I was very pleased this week that Hilbre achieved the Investors in People Award. Comments made have been really encouraging and motivating. We look forward to continuing with our current trajectory of improvement and aim to achieve an even higher award next time around.

#### HILBRE STARS OF THE WEEK

#### **HOYLE HOUSE**

Name of Student	Form
Simon Conway	7AMA
Daniel Stenning	7EGU
Alex Sherratt	8AEL
Amber Broster-Horton	8HRO
Niall Ostle	9TBA
Alfie Callister	9NMO
Jess Boffey	10KAR
Haydn Bailey-Walsh	10KPE
Sophie Haigh	11LHA
Zak Hayes	11TBL

#### **ROYDEN HOUSE**

Name of Student	Form
Harvey Robinson	7RST
Lydia Hatton	7NST
Taylor Atherton	8TMA
Michael Tuck	8SBU
James Fisher	9AFY
Dylan Thomas-Nelson	9MHE
Jack Hopkins	10NAR
Faye Cunningham	10FLE
Olivia Nutter	11SMK
Amber Gittins	11PLE

#### **DEE HOUSE**

Name of Student	Form
Adam Baxendale	7KMI
Lewis Pentland	7MKN
Ben Cowan	8SFL
Callum Toole	8KTE
Caitlin Griffiths	9LEA
Lewis Kelly	9SRO
Osmund Kiddy	10JCL
Owen Williams	10JWA
Yasmin Williams	11NMA
Madison Heywood	11SHO

## **SCHOOL EVENTS THIS TERM**

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November – Prize Giving, Floral Pavilion 6.45-9.45pm

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November - 28<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Form Drama trip to London

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> November – UCAS application deadline

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December - 2<sup>nd</sup> - Year 9 CATS
Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December - Friends of Hilbre High School meeting 6-7pm
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December - Clothes Show trip

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December – Deadline for internal 6<sup>th</sup> Form applications

w/c 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> December – Year 11 mock exams Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> December – 6<sup>th</sup> Form Concerns Evening 6-8pm

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December – Staff Development Day **SCHOOL CLOSED TO STUDENTS** 

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December – 6<sup>th</sup> Form Health Day/6<sup>th</sup> Form break up for Christmas

Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December – Last day of term

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016 – Full return to school

#### **REMEMBRANCE DAY**



It was a delight on Remembrance Day to see some of our students in school wearing their cadets uniform and showing such respect on such an important occasion.

#### **GCSE HUMANITIES CONTROLLED ASSESSMENT SUPPORT**

Revision will take place every Wednesday after school in F20, 3.30pm-4.30pm with Miss Fleming and Mrs Boyle. You will have access to resources, laptops and help.

## YEAR 7 PUPIL PREMIUM STRETCH AND CHALLENGE GROUP

Maths and English continues on a Monday, 1.40-2.10pm. Pupils have been informed and have been issued with a reward card.

#### **BUSINESS STUDIES**

Revision will take place every Thursday after school in G12, 3.20-4.20pm with Mrs Lewis.

#### **GCSE RESISTANT MATERIALS**

Coursework catch up sessions are available every Tuesday and Wednesday after school in G21, 3.30-4.30pm with Miss Easton.

## **CHARTWELLS' MENUS**

# **Meal Deal**

Available from the canteen <u>every day</u> and includes:

Main meal

Cake/cookie/fruit/pudding

Couplet drink

All the above for £2.31

See attachment for menu