



Hilbre High School Humanities College Parents' Newsletter



19th September 2016 Week A
26th September 2016 Week B

Date	Event
Monday 19 th September 2016	Year 12 Induction test week
Tuesday 20 th September 2016	
Wednesday 21 st September 2016	GreenPower Race
Thursday 22 nd September 2016	6 th Form UCAS Information Evening (Year 13) 6-7pm
Friday 23 rd September 2016	Development Day Staff only
Monday 26 th September 2016	Development Day Staff only
Tuesday 27 th September 2016	
Wednesday 28 th September 2016	Year 12 Induction test
Thursday 29 th September 2016	School Photographs individual shots Years 7, 9, 11 & 6 th Form, Year 8 Synagogue Trip, Welcome to 6 th Form Evening 6-7.30pm
Friday 30 th September 2016	School Photographs form shots Years 7, 8, 10 & 11

Dear Parents/Carers

Last night Hilbre High School was absolutely heaving; it was our annual Open Evening where we had the opportunity to show prospective pupils, parents and carers what we do at this fantastic school!

And what an evening it was. Our Open Evening has never been so busy. The car park was packed, the classrooms were full, the activities were full-on and everybody seemed to be thoroughly enjoying the evening. Our estimate is that around 1000 prospective pupils and parents passed through our doors.

I think it is fair to say that optimism abounds at Hilbre. We know we are a good school and we know we are on the way to being outstanding. Certainly, walking around the building last night, we saw our students looking amazing, displaying the best of manners, working hard and enjoying their learning.

Once again, let me say how proud I am of Hilbre High School.

Have a very good weekend,

Mark Bellamy
Headteacher

HILBRE STARS

HOYLE HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Lukas Winstanley	7 LHA
Adam Hynes	7 KHE
Charlotte Clark	8 AMA
Owen Atherton	8 EGU
Josh Curtis	9 AEL
Louise Shaw	9 HRO
Lucy Hayward	10TBA
Lowell Parrish	10 NMO
Archie Fletcher	11 KAR
Hannah Hughes	11 KPE

ROYDEN HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Sam Kershaw	7 LMC
Dan Johnston	7 EST
James Wood	8 NST
Marcus Barnes	8 RST
Harry Lee	9 SBU
Hugo Owens	9 TMA
Luke Cowell	10 AFY
Tom Jenkinson	10 SMK
Sophie Kershaw	11 FLE
Niamh Acton	11 NAR

DEE HOUSE

Name of Student	Form
Jack Kehoe	7 LRO
Sophie Brooks	7 CSI
Nell Mathot	8 DHU
Alex Hickey	8 KMI
WillWoods	9 KTE
Will Timewell	9 SFL
Max Kelly	10 DCR
Michaela Mellors	10 CBO
George McDonnell	11 TSM
Katie Woodier	11 JCL

SCHOOL EVENTS THIS TERM

Thursday 22nd September 2016 - 6th Form UCAS Evening, 6-7pm
Friday 23rd September 2016 - INSET DAY SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL STUDENTS
Monday 26th September 2016 - INSET DAY SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL STUDENTS
Tuesday 27th September 2016 - School re-opens to all students
Thursday 29th September 2016 - Individual School photographs Years 7, 9, 11 and 6th Form
Thursday 29th September 2016 - Year 8 synagogue trip
Thursday 29th September 2016 - Welcome to 6th Form Evening, 6-7.30pm
Friday 30th September 2016 - Form School Photographs Years 7, 8, 10 and 11
Tuesday 4th October 2016 - 6th Form Science trip Chester Zoo
Wednesday 5th October 2016 -Year 11 Concerns Evening 5-6pm
Wednesday 5th October 2016 - Welcome to KS4 Evening 6.30-7.30pm
Thursday 6th - 8th October 2016 - Silver DofE practice
Tuesday 11th October 2016 - Year 10 Empire Theatre Trip (after school)
Tuesday 11th October 2016 - Friends of Hilbre High School 6-7pm
Thursday 20th October 2016 - Year 9 Geography China Workshop
Thursday 20th October 2016 - Year 7 'Meet the Form Teacher' Evening, 5-7pm
Friday 21st October 2016 - BREAK FOR HALF TERM
Monday 24th - Friday 28th October 2016 - SCHOOL CLOSED TO ALL STUDENTS
Monday 31st October 2016 - School re opens for all students

FOOTBALL TRAINING

All year Wednesdays 3.30 - 4.30pm

RUGBY TRAINING

Boys - Tuesday's 3.30 - 4.30pm

7 - EMY

8 - MSM MGA

9 - SEL

10 JLO

11 - AEV

Under 18 - THO

Girls - Monday's

Under 13 - EMY

Under 15 - THO

NEW SCHOOL DAY STRUCTURE

We are writing to inform you of the change of timing of sessions in the school day at Hilbre High School, with effect from September 2016. There will be no early morning form time; this will now take place after period 2 as shown below and, as a result, lessons will start **promptly** at 8.45am.

School buses arrive in plenty of time and we would urge any students that walk to school or get a lift to ensure they are in school for 8.40am. This is so we can have an intervention or Active Form Time slot in the middle of the school day to best utilise all of the time available.

The new school day will be:

Period 1	8.45am - 9.45am
Period 2	9.45am - 10.45am
Active Form Time	10.45am - 11.10am
Break	11.10am - 11.30am
Period 3	11.30am - 12.30pm
Period 4	12.30pm - 1.30pm
Lunch	1.30pm - 2.20pm
Period 5	2.20pm - 3.20pm

Many thanks for your anticipated support in this matter.

LUNCH CARD

Please top up your child's lunch card via the on-line link on the school website, if possible. Putting money onto cards at the tills during brunch or lunch times does severely hold up the queues and delays service.

Many thanks

Jane Doyle
Director of Business & HR

SWITCHING TO EMAIL FOR HOME-SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

This academic year, we have elected to amend our home-school communication procedures to facilitate a reduction in paper usage. In order to achieve this, we now intend to use email as our primary means of communication with parents and carers. You will appreciate that this measure is likely to enable us to achieve a significant reduction in our stationery costs. With this in mind, may we politely request that you notify the School Office of any changes in your e-contact details by e-mailing schooloffice@hilbre.wirral.sch.uk

THE HILBRE 100 CLUB

In order to recognise and award students worthy of special commendation, this year sees the launch of the Hilbre 100 Club. Throughout the year, all subject teachers will be able to award 'achievement points' to students in every lesson to recognise student attainment, general effort or improvement. At the end of each two week cycle the top 100 (i.e. The Hilbre 100) will be personally congratulated by the Headteacher in a celebration assembly, during which time there will be an opportunity for the successful students to win a prize in the celebration draw that will be held.

As the year progresses, all of the names of the 100 students from each two week cycle will be carried forward for an end of term and an end of year draw for extra special prizes. In this way, we shall ensure that there is still a chance for a student to win, even if the first time they are not successful. In fact, the more times you are in, the more chance you'll win!

DIARY DATES

Thursday 22nd September - (Year 13) UCAS information Evening and Student Finance 6-7pm in the 6th Form Block

Thursday 29th September - (Year 12) Welcome to 6th Form with the 6th Form Team and Form Tutors 6-7.30pm in the Main Hall

Mrs Devonport
Director of KS5 Student Services

YEAR 8 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SYNAGOGUE

Letters have gone out for the Year 8 Synagogue visit on **Thursday 29th September**. This is a curriculum trip which will support work in lessons and assessments.

Miss Fleming
Head of RE and Citizenship

Lunch

Main Dish & dessert	£2.34
Main Dish	£1.76
Chicken Royale	£1.67
Beans on toast	52p
Chips	£1.07
Large Salad Pot	£1.76
Love Joes Chicken Wrap	£2.08
Chicken Wings	£1.19
Pasta with sauce	£1.88
Pasta (plain)	£1.07
Cheese	54p
Pizza Slice (Margherita, Veg)	£1.50
Burger/Hot Dog	£1.56
Pizza Slice (with meat)	£1.71
Jacket potato	£1.07
Fillings	54p
Soup & a roll	£1.17
Baguette	£1.81
Sandwich	£1.45
Wrap	£1.76
Salad Bar (small pot)	£1.28
Cheese burger	£1.66

Morning Break / Breakfast

Crumpet	48p
Toast	24p
Cheese on Toast	45p
Bacon on Toast	97p
Bacon Roll	97p
Toasted Muffin	62p
Cheese & Bacon Bagel	£1.07
Currant Teacake	52p

Drinks

Water (500ml)	54p
Milk (189ml)	48p
Cuplet (85ml)	43p
Calypso Cup (185ml)	54p
Fruit Juice (200ml)	64p
Ranor juice	92p
Viva Milkshake (200ml)	74p
Capri Sun Fruit Crush	69p
Berry Aid	92p
Slush	69p
Lolly ice	£1.04
Jelly squeeze	71p
Juice burst	£1.02
Pancakes	89p
Waffles	99p
Pizza batch	£1.01
Croissant	76p
Teacake	52p
Hot cross bun	64p

Fresh Fruit & Desserts

Fresh fruit per piece	43p
Fruit Pots	74p
Yoghurt	74p
Jelly	69p
Mousse	69p
Cookies	59p
Iced Fingers	69p
Cup Cakes	79p
Tray bakes	74p
Hot Pudding	75p
Yo Yo Bears	£1.07

ALL prices displayed exclude VAT.

As required by law all adults & visitors will be charged VAT, currently 20%

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Meal Deal

Available from the canteen every day and includes:
Main meal and cake/cookie/fruit/pudding for £2.34

Spring 2016
WEEK 2 W/C 4th April, 25th April, 16th May, 6th June, 27th June, 16th July, 8th Aug, 29th Aug, 19th Sep, 10th Oct.

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	Please see Theme Day posters for this week's "Pop Up" menu	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
Gingerbread Cake with Custard	Lemon Curd and Yoghurt Fool with Shortbread	Toffee Apple Strudel with Custard (fruit based)		Seasonal Fruit Salad (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

Cajun Salmon Wrap
with Spicy Rice**

Loaded Triple
Mac & Cheese

Wholemeal Loaf

Sweetcorn
Healthy Salad

Lemon Drizzle Cake

TUESDAY

Mexican Beef Chilli
with Paprika Wedges

Tabasco Spiced
Vegetable Jambalaya

Garlic and Herb Bread

Fresh Carrots
Minted Peas

Apple Cracknell
with Custard
(fruit based)

WEDNESDAY

Roast Pork
with Roast Potatoes and
Gravy

Pan Haggerty
(Quorn and Potato Pie)

Crown Loaf

Roasted Vegetables
Seasonal Cabbage

Chocolate Sponge
with Chocolate Sauce

THURSDAY

Please see
Theme Day
posters for
this week's
"Pop Up"
menu

FRIDAY

Cajun Battered Fillet of
Fish
with Chunky Chips

Goats Cheese, Leek and
Tomato Tart
with Chunky Chips

Poppy Bread

Garden or Mushy Peas
Coleslaw

Apricot Bakewell Mini
Slice
with Peaches
(fruit based)

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Breakfast Club

For all year 11 and Pupil Premium students in any year group. Breakfast club is a hive of activity where your child



Start your day the healthy way

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



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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



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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



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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



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LOOK OUT FOR OUR THEME DAY MENUS EVERY WEEK.

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


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