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MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Last night was the Year 11 GCSE Dance Show at The Harlequin Theatre. It was a fantastic evening with GCSE exam pieces and performances from other year groups and schools across the Trust.

In this newsletter we have information about the Year 7 Readathon which started this week, details of some of our House events and lots more information on careers.

Mr Alexander

UPCOMING DATES	G DATES	
Thursday 30 th March	Year 7 Parents' and Carers' Evening (Virtual)	
Friday 31st March	END OF TERM – Finish at 12.05pm	

PARENTS' EVENINGS	
Year 7	Thursday 30 th March

SPOTLIGHT

YEAR 7

Faye Young for fantastic resilience and maturity in her Literacy class. Ayden Day for working outside of his comfort zone and performing a speech in front of his peers. Alfie Cunningham, Tilly Fox and Neve Ewington for an excellent attitude and contributions in English this week. Cecily Miller and Ruby Proctor for excellent script work in Drama. Skyla Francis and Holly McClean for their enthusiasm and engagement during every single Maths lesson. Sammy Krystowczyk for being an excellent friend and role model to our new starters in Year 7.



YEAR 8

8SCG for respectful discussions in History. Sejal Dhanani for a fantastic start to her time at Reigate School.

YEAR 9

Noah Williamson for his enthusiasm and engagement during every single Maths lesson. Daisy Arnell, Georgina Baldwin, Oliver Barlow, Bella Barton, Boris Borisov, Katherine Leitch, Amy Marcoolyn, Ethan Patterson, Jacob Pennington, Lana Powell, Emilie Sepulveda, Cathryn-Ann Tonks, Rosie Turner, Oscar Woods and Barnaby Whitfield for being outstanding role models to younger students at the Sandcross Spanish café event on Wednesday. Hermione Berrett-Carter, Nelly Bhebe, Ralph Burke, Neave Canneaux, Tyler Giles, Maxence Giubergia, Tom Howarth, Eleanor Ross, Frederick Savidge, Rohan Shetty, Joseph Smith, Isla Stock, Cem Turan and Alicia Wallbank for showing resilience every day and having outstanding attendance. Rebecca Bird for outstanding effort on her GCSE Drama coursework.

YEAR 10

Abigail Softley for having a positive attitude to everything she puts her mind to. A real credit to the Form. Amy Bloomfield for showing fantastic resilience during this week's netball matches. Thomas Doyle for consistent effort towards his studies. Luke Hyde for an act of kindness in form time. Ollie Knight for his efforts in Travel and Tourism. Charlie McDonald who is always polite, kind, helpful and works hard in his studies. Well done Charlie!

YEAR 11

Maya Chan who showed great resilience at the Dance Show. All the Year 11 dancers who performed at the Dance Show. They did brilliantly at the end of a really long day performing and practicing at the Harlequin Theatre.

YEAR 7 READATHON





This week kicks off the Year 7 Readathon - a fantastic initiative that runs until the 21st of April. The children will be given a sponsorship card this week and are encouraged to set themselves a reading challenge for this time period. The money raised by the children will be helping lots of children in hospital, as well as securing books for our own Reigate School library. Look out for an email from the English Department for more details on how to get involved in this fantastic competition. Get reading Year 7!

HOUSE EVENT RESULTS



Year 7 to Year 10 took part in the Battle of the Bands on TT Rocks stars. The results are published below.

1 st	Curie – 40, 336
2 nd	Parks - 13, 645
3 rd	Turing – 9, 917
4 th	Attenborough – 5, 337

There were over 70 000 correct answers submitted in 7 days! Congratulations to all the children who took part, but special mention to Curie who did phenomenally well. Below are some special mentions to children who really put in effort for their Houses.

Parks	Oliver Le Marechal (MVP)	Bethany Martin	Matilda Fox
Curie	Blake Bassett (MVP)	Zachary Killick	Emily Bonnar
Turing	Toby Allin (MVP)	Jack Woods	Elissia Reynolds
Attenborough	Natasha Atherfold (MVP)	Millicent Mckay	James Lee

Special mention to Blake Bassett who really put in lots of work and scored over 36, 000 point for Curie.

Battle of the Bands will return in the Summer Term,

Well Done!

Maths Department

CCF CADETS

This week CCF cadets enjoyed an afternoon of archery tag after a bit of drill practice, two teams battled it out to see who had the most players left standing at the end of the game. There was added fun of inflatables to hide behind and sneak up on the enemy! Well done cadets for another amazing term. Next term we are going to be recruiting for Army, RAF and Navy CCF cadets – Year 8s can join RAF and Navy, Year 9s can join any of the three services. Look out for more information after Easter. Don't forget, Year 7s will be Year 8s in a few months' time.

Mrs Parsons CCF Co-ordinator



SPANISH CAFÉ

On Wednesday 22nd March a group of Year 9s visited Sandcross Primary School to help at their Spanish Café. The school hall had been creatively converted into a café and the primary school children took it in turns to order typical Spanish food from menus, which they had designed themselves. The Year 9s waited on Year 5 and 6 pupils at the café.

Everyone really enjoyed the event and it was such a great cultural learning experience. Thank you so much to our Year 9 'camareros' (waiters); Daisy, Georgina, Oliver, Bella, Boris, Katherine, Amy, Ethan, Jacob, Lana, Emilie, Cathryn-Ann, Rosie, Oscar and Barnaby.

Mrs Peckham



STUDENT SERVICES NOTICES



As we are heading towards the end of term the lost property cupboard is almost full of unnamed items. The children can search the lost property room at any time, although more valuable items such as watches etc. are kept within Student Services.

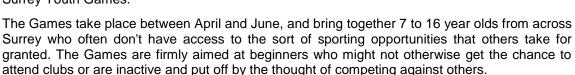
Please ensure that all items brought into school are named, as all named items are returned to the children.

All unclaimed items will be recycled at the end of term.



PE NEWS

This half term in school we have been very fortunate to be able to offer free boxing sessions to our children as part of our after school extra-curricular activities. The sessions have been run by former champion and Licensed BBBOC trainer, Tony Cesay. Unfortunately going into the summer term this is something we are unable to continue but will look to start up again in September. The sessions have been a huge success and have given the children an insight into boxing whilst also putting their muscular endurance to the test. For those children that wish to continue Boxing or would like further training, Redhill ABC (Amateur Boxing Club), 1st Floor Warwick Quadrant, 7 Station Road, Redhill will be running Boxing taster sessions in partnership with The Specsavers Surrey Youth Games.





The focus of the activity training sessions and the final Games event is about joining in, having a go and having fun. The taster session will be at the club on Tuesday 4th April 2pm-3pm, and the sessions will then run every Monday for 8 weeks, commencing on Monday 17th April. Anyone who wishes to sign up can do so via the following link: https://www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk/info/20074/health_and_wellbeing/663/randbe_active/3

YEAR 10 NETBALL

Congratulations to the Year 10 Netball teams that played the Royal Alexandra and Albert School on Wednesday 22nd March. The A team started the game well and remained in the lead for the whole game, it was a tight match but they defended brilliantly and ended up winning 7 - 3. The B team game was a bit tougher with the score tied in the first two quarters, the team attacked really well in the last quarter, picked up loose balls and got lots of interceptions, they finished the game winning 10 -5.

Well done to all the players and thanks to the supporters, a great game to finish the season on.

Players of the Match - Charlotte and Amy

Ms Tufo



YEAR 9 FOOTBALL

On a very wet and windy Thursday afternoon the Year 9 football team travelled to the Royal Alexandra and Albert School (RAAS) for another league fixture. The weather was truly awful so it wasn't just the challenges of football that lay ahead.

The game started with RAAS dominant from the whistle. They moved the ball well and Reigate really struggled to get a foothold in the game. Within the first 10 minutes we were 2-0 down with a rather chaotic display in defence leading to the concession of two goals. Like the weather the performance from Reigate started to further deteriorate and several saves from Ted in goal saw us hanging on to half time.



The second half saw us kick off with optimism but this was quickly dashed as Reigate conceded a third goal. Serious questions were being asked of this team as a collective. Heads not dropping saw the game shift slightly and Reigate started to gain a little more possession. Oliver scored after a little sustained pressure pulling a goal back to make the score 3-1. Substitutions saw a debut for Liam Tutin and a second outing for Barnaby Whitfield. Unfortunately, RAAS managed to score a fourth goal but Reigate had the final say with a second. Opportunity for a third goal at the very end came close but it was not meant to be.

On a very wet and windy afternoon, final score RAAS 4 Reigate 2.

Team: Ted, Joshua, Harry, Justin, Benjamin, Finlay ©, Lennon, Oscar, Charlie, Oliver, Archie, Liam, Barnaby

Mr Simmonds-Dance

OTHER NEWS

Well done to Samuel who competed at Wollaton Hall in Nottingham for the English Schools Cross Country Championships on Saturday. Samuel came 11th in a time of 17 minutes 17 seconds out of the 327 runners who completed the course. Due to Samuel finishing 11th he has been selected as 1st placed reserve for the England squad for the SIAB (Schools International Athletics Board) four nations event next Saturday.

Congratulations Samuel!



RAMADAN 2023



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Ramadan is the holiest month in the Islamic calendar and remembers the first revelation of the Qur'an (holiest text) to Muhammad (last prophet).

During the month of Ramadan, Muslims won't eat or drink between dawn and sunset. This is called fasting.

Fasting is important during Ramadan as Muslims believe it allows to devote themselves to their faith and come closer to Allah (God). It also helps Muslims become more aware of the needs of the poor and hungry.

Ramadan is expected to start on Thursday 23rd March, when the new moon will be sighted over Mecca, in Saudi Arabia.

RAMADAN 2023 (CONT.)



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Many in our school community will be choosing to fast, showing great **resilience**. Make sure you support each other by showing **respect** and **friendship**. If your friend is fasting, check in with them to see how they are getting on. This shows **curiosity** and **kindness**.

HOUSE EVENT

On the 27th and 28th of March we are hosting an event to celebrate the coming Easter holidays. It is inspired by a Christian tradition common in Europe.

The children will be painting hard boiled eggs and then smashing them together. The winners will receive *good luck* and a delicious **Chocolate** Easter egg.

On Monday the 27th March the children can bring in their own hard boiled eggs, which they will decorate in preparation for Tuesday the 28th where their eggs will be pitted against one another.

All children are welcome to participate.





CAREERS

Our Reigate School website has a Careers Section which contains lots of useful information regarding college open events, up and coming careers events at School, details regarding apprenticeships and how to search and apply for them along with links to useful websites. Below are some other very useful websites which have plenty of information regarding further education, apprenticeships and careers choices plus interview techniques and many other tips. The library also has lots of Careers Resources and books for the children to use. When using the Morrisby platform please use the Reigate School Code when signing up: MC94232M









www.barclayslifeskills.com

www.apprenticeships.org.uk

www.allaboutschoolleavers.co.uk

www.icould.com



CAREERS

Coming up in Careers...

18th April – "University Start" trip to the University of Surrey (Year 7)

21st April – "Goal Mapping" workshop from the University of Surrey (Year 9)

13th June – "Enterprise" workshop from the University of Surrey (Year 7)

13th July – "University Experience" on campus visit to the University of Surrey (Year 10)

17th and 18th July – Work Experience (Year 10)

17th July – Inspirational Learning Group Dragon's Den (Year 9)

18th July – Money Management (Year 9)

19th July – Inspirational Learning Group Airbus Challenge (Year 8)

19th July – Money Management (Year 10)

20th July - Money Management (Year 8)

Every Wednesday lunchtime - Careers Drop In with Mrs Grew - Careers Officer

CAREERS

TALK CAREERS

This week saw the launch of a new app, **The Big Help Out**, to mark the King's coronation this year. Go online, find an opportunity to contribute to your local community, build your skills and enjoy new experiences. Download the app now:- <u>The Big Help Out | Home</u>



Green Jobs for Nature

The **Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management** has a 'go to' resource for career ideas and information on finding employment in a 'Green Career'. **Get that Green Job - Green Jobs for Nature**

On the 'Green Jobs For Nature' pages find practical guidance on how to approach and secure 'green' work experience including suggestions of organisations who may be able to help.

Still a student? Always check with your Head of Careers for advice on setting up work experience placements.



What does it take to be a world leading astrophysicist?

Whatever your subject interests take **inspiration** from this podcast where **Professor Haley Gomez MBE of Cardiff University** shares her life experience, education and professional pathway to becoming a world leading authority on cosmic dust along with the initiatives she has spearheaded to widen participation in scientific study and careers.

As you will hear, her A Level grades were not the highest and a much-needed part time job during her first year of undergraduate studies nearly upset her pathway; however persistence, resilience and a love of learning saw her through. Listen here:- The Life Scientific - Haley Gomez on cosmic dust - BBC Sounds

For other career ideas in physics see:- Your future with physics: A guide for young people | Institute of Physics (iop.org)







March has seen a vibrant National Careers Week, exciting British Science Week and inspiring International Women's Day. Here are some of our favourite resources and activities highlighted by employers, industry associations and education providers through these celebrations.

More on Green Careers

- The STEM Learning Team have produced a fascinating 52-page booklet packed with case studies of those working in Green Careers including a Senior Marine Mammal Consultant, Forester and Chemistry Engineer. The booklet also includes teaching resources to support classroom discussion:-
- A_Day_in_the_Life_Green_Careers.pdf (ctfassets.net)

Travel and Tourism Careers

- This website from the Institute of Travel and Tourism offers advice and ideas for those wishing to explore
 careers in the aviation, hospitality, travel, tourism and associated business careers; it includes a particularly useful
 Resources section:-
- Home ITT (itteducationandtraining.com)

Insight into Medicine for Years 9-11 - 24th and 25th July 2023

- If you live within travelling distance of Southampton and are interested in medicine then this two-day Summer School run by the **Life Lab Team at the University of Southampton** and delivered on their campus may be for you. Targeted at Years 911 the cost for participants is £150, however there are bursary places available. Applications are now being accepted and should be made **ASAP**:-
- Experience Medicine with LifeLab Summer School 2023 (office.com)

Inspiring Women

• For International Women's Day 2023, The World Economic Forum offered us their list of 10 role models to watch from across the globe. With only just under a third of all senior leadership positions in private and public sector organisations internationally being held by women it's important to remember there is still much to do to build true representation:- International Women's Day: 10 women role models to watch in 2023 | World Economic Forum (weforum.org)



Looking into the future

Career choice is about having your skills, aptitudes, strengths, values and interests at the heart of the decision-making along with building insight and awareness of the types of opportunities available now and in the future.

Adzuna the job search engine company highlights a report from U.S. company Gartner that by 'by 2026, around 25% of the world's population will spend at least an hour a day on the metaverse.' Adzuna offers guidance on this trend and what it could mean for the job-hunter.

Take a look into the future:- <u>Metaverse jobs rising exponentially | Adzuna.co.uk</u> <u>How to ace your metaverse interview | Adzuna.co.uk</u>



Dealing with Exam Stress Self-help Guide





For more information please visit the guide using the link below which includes some practical strategies to help your child manage any exam stress.

 $\frac{https://www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Examinations/RISE%20Self-help%20booklet%20-w20exam%20stress.pdf}{}$

EDUCAKE

Congratulations to the following children who have answered the most questions on Educake.



17th March - 24th March

Year 7

Bethan Verga
Vainavi Ramjeeawon
Iris Woodhams
Jack Lambert
Lacey Rose
Freya Saelthun-Peacock
Gabriel Reis
Leighton Hyett
Oscar Sexton
Bennett Samolczyk

Year 8

Rushan Moid Dominic Gibbens Freya De-Grads Freya Pocklington Loretta White Sophia O'Donohue Mason Stevenson Tosia Maksymiuk Stan O'Gara Abel Libin

Year 9

Boris Borisov
Mia Adolphe
Max Knoetze
Oliver Mitchell
Mackenzie Fowler
Joseph Emberson
Harry Bews
Alex Moore
Toby Borrett
Vermilion Allan-Jones

Year 10

Emily Hayes
Lucina U
Felix March
Holly Maclennan
Niyo Uthuba-Hatari
Avery Samolczyk
Diogo Ramos
Louis Line-Richard
Amy Hedges
Oliver Elmes

Year 11

Benjamin Wield Priyanka Patel Oscar Yermo Spencer Hawley Jacob Mills Amy Dunlop Joshua Saunders Chloe Anderson Shanayde Walder Isabelle Walker

VOCAB EXPRESS

Vocab Express is an online package that aims to help children learn vocabulary independently for French and Spanish. The children are motivated to compete by a points-based system. All the vocabulary on the website is from the AQA exam board word list and could potentially appear on their GCSE exam papers. The children have been given usernames and passwords by their class teachers.



Modern Foreign Languages Department

Week 22 – 24th March Challenge – Congratulations to the following children:

Year 7	Year 8	Year 10	Year 11
Samar Shetty	Gabe Martin	Afua Larbi-Yeboa Charlie McDonald	Alex Knowles Matty Stevens Zoe Byrne Sienna Rogers

SPARX MATHS

Congratulations to the following children who have clocked up the most learning hours on Sparx Maths.



17th March - 24th March Top Correct Answers

17 March 24 Marc	Trop Correct Answers			
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Bethan Verga	Felicity Urquhart	Sophia Weston	Felipe Moreira	Joaquin Sidir
Charlotte Anderson	Maysie-Lou Stoner	Jacob Hill	Jack Dewey	Maya Chan
Stuart Cameron	Tom Barham	Justin Bignell	Zoe Canessa	Ella Critchlow
Sophie Bonnar	Maia Denman-Tanner	Harry Bews	Laila Lineker	Nandini Joshi
Danny Rogers	Rushan Moid	Benjamin Kester	Ethan Lay	Emma Shaw
Alfred Rudge	Avani Sandhu	Kyla Stone	James Turnbull	Freddie Jones
Chloe Reid	Tobias Houghton	Tom Byrne	Freya Moxley	Grace Weids
Sarah McCormack	Dorsa Nasekhian	Avinash Castro	Nila Nasekhian	Sam Davidson
Jake Head	Martha England	Delilah Skyrme	Joshua Brown	James Delany
Tilly Fox	Teddy Nott	Layla Garlick	Tamia Quantick	Jacob Mills

HOUSE RESULTS – WEEK ENDING 24 TH MARCH				
	Total Interhouse & House Points			
	Attenborough	57103	2nd	
	Curie	57890	1st	
	Parks	56802	3rd	
	Turing	55387	4th	

What's on this week?

Monday 27th March

GCSE PE Moderation

10 Football v de Stafford (A)

8 Football v de Stafford (H)

9 vs 10 Netball (H)



No fixtures - Staff meeting

Wednesday 29th March

9 Football v Beacon (A)

Thursday 30th Marc 10 Football v RAAS (A)

Friday 31st March NO FIXTURES











SAFEGUARDING AT REIGATE SCHOOL

We recognise our moral and statutory responsibility to safeguard and promote the welfare of all children. Reigate School makes every effort to provide a Ready, Respectful and Safe environment in which children feel secure, valued and respected. If a child has any worries or needs some support at any time, we encourage them to speak to their pastoral team or any member of the safeguarding team in the first instance.





Please visit the school website https://www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk to access our safeguarding pages for guidance, support and signposting information. We have a comprehensive outline of our Reigate School Early Help offer, which is designed to help families access key services when support is first needed.

If you have any concerns, questions or would like advice surrounding any aspect of safeguarding please contact the school and ask to speak to a member of the safeguarding team or email dsl@reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk

SAFEGUARDING - ONLINE SAFETY

The internet is a wonderful resource, however ensuring children know how to use the internet safely is vitally important. Please visit the school website E-Safety page using the link below to access important signposting information designed to inform parents and carers about online safety and how to best support your child at home.





Education from the National Crime Agency

E-Safety: https://www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk/safeguarding/esafety

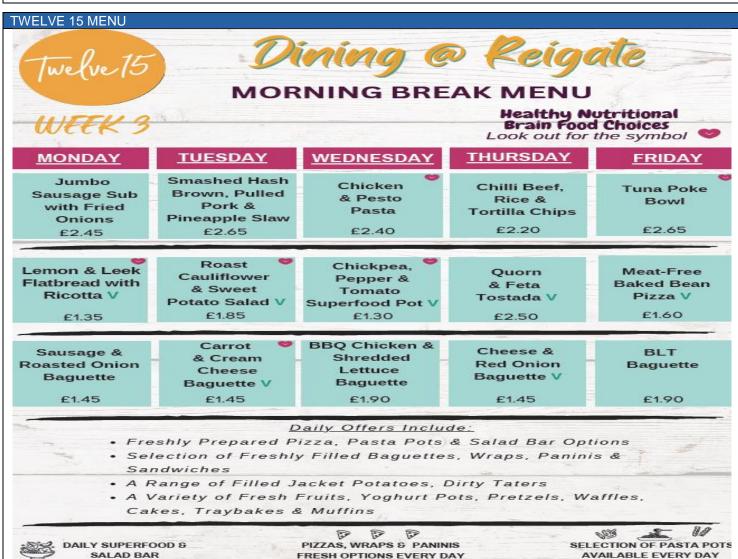
The following resource from Childnet has been created to help a parent/ carer and child to have a conversation together about life online. https://www.childnet.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/My-Life-Online.pdf

CHATHEALTH SERVICE

For children aged between 11 and 19 there is a ChatHealth Service available provided by the Surrey School Nursing Service.

For more information please visit the website https://childrenshealthsurrey.nhs.uk/ChatHealth





WELVE 15 MENU Dining @ Reigate Healthy Nutritional **Brain Food Choices** Look out for the symbol 🤎 FRIDAY THURSDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY Fantastic Street Food Great British World Food Traditional WFFK 3 Market **Cuisine** Kitchen Favourites Roast Fish Orange & Herb Chicken Tikka Harry Ramsden **Beef Burrito** Beef Lasagne Glazed Turkey Masala Fish in Batter Meat-Free Quarter Summer Vegetable Orange Glazed Meat-Free Tikka Meat-Free Burrito Pounder with Lasagne Meat-Free Fillet Massala Minted Yoghurt Chips, Paprika Roast **Brown Rice Braised Rice** Garlic Bread, **Mushy Peas** Potatoes, Sweetcorn Naan **Mixed Vegetables** Mixed Salad Gravy Pea Mix, Gravy Onion Bhaji Mixed Berry 9 Summer Fruit Raspberry & Apple Fruit Salad with Beetroot & Mousse with Crumble with Cake with Creme Chocolate Brownie Citrus Syrup Fraiche **Berry Compote** Vanilla Ice Cream Chef's Daily Selection of Fillings Jacket Potato

Pots

Chef's Daily Selection of Yoghurt Pots & Fresh Fruit Choice



DAILY SUPERFOOD & SALAD BAR







Teaching Partnership

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On rare occasions due to supply issues we might need to adjust the menus slightly at short notice

NOTICES

i2i Teaching Partnership SCITT

Specialist secondary teacher training provider, passionate about delivering high quality training in your local community

Get into Teaching Information Seminars

Wednesday 8th March 1.30 to 3.30pm at Ash Manor School, Ash, Aldershot, Hants

Tuesday 21st March 9.30 to 11.30am at Thamesmead School, Shepperton, Surrey

Saturday 25th March 10am to 12 noon at Reigate School, Reigate,

Thursday 20th April 9.30am to 11.30am at Amery Hill School, Alton, Hampshire

Tuesday 9th May 9.30-11.30am at Charterhouse School, Godalming, Surrey

Saturday 13th May 9.30-11.30am at Weydon School, Farnham, Surrey



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