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MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

It has been a great first week back and the children have settled in well. We have had lots of building work completed over the summer break. Thank you to all of the staff involved for their hard work over the summer.

In this newsletter we have lots of notices and information about upcoming career events that are open to the children and parents and carers.

Good luck to all of the staff and children who will be taking part in Run Reigate this Sunday.

Have a great weekend.

Mr Alexander

SPOTLIGHT

YEAR 7

Ryan Green who has worked really hard to settle in well at Reigate School.

YEAR 8

Well done to 8RCH who were excellent in their Music class this week. Jake Head for his brilliant enthusiasm and engagement in English.

YEAR 9

Christopher Reed for fantastic attitude and effort in lessons.
Bejna Yildirim for an outstanding start to learning in Year 9.
Riley Parker, Phoenix Woodford and Sid Anderson for learning the whole of their Hamlet lines during the summer holidays (extra-curricular) and for generally being great in lessons. Matthew Maguire for being awarded an incredible 13 achievement points in a single day!
Lewis Dixon for his work in History, he has been volunteering lots of great ideas.

YEAR 10

James Jenkins for his excellent work in lesson on the Titanic.

YEAR 11

Marley Horsburgh for making such a brilliant start by being engaged in RE lessons and working really hard.



Hello Everyone

It has been great to be back – I have missed you all!

Just as our children received exam results in the summer so did I. I have completed all my assessments and am a fully qualified Pets as Therapy (PAT) dog – I even have my own certificate and keyring! I really enjoyed the experience especially watching my owners getting quizzed on things (they did really well too). I look forward to meeting lots of you this year and wish you all a very enjoyable 2023-2024!

See you soon.

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YEAR 8 FOOTBALL



On Thursday 14th September the Year 8 football league kicked off with a home game against St Bede's School. Facing strong opposition we knew it was going to be a tough game. St Bede's dominated the ball and Bryce was called into action almost immediately and made a fine save. Minutes later, down the other end Reuben found himself through on goal and was pulled down. A penalty was awarded but sadly Reigate couldn't convert. We were then awarded a second penalty after hand ball claims however we still couldn't get the ball in the back of the net. St Bede's had an opportunity to take the lead, with a penalty of their own, which again was missed after Bryce guessed the right way. However after dominating the ball for the rest of the half, St Bede's scored two quick goals.

During the second half Reigate were very much pinned back in their half but worked relentlessly off the ball to stop St Bede's creating any real goal threat. The 4th penalty of the match was awarded after St Bede's felt a push in the back from a corner. The penalty was dragged wide and the game stayed 2-0.

There was some excellent defending from Alex and Taylor who kept the score line the same. St Bede's finally found a way through after a teasing cross was met by the head of a St Bede's player which looped off Bryce's head. Reigate did not give up and kept pushing to get the ball up the pitch but with no luck. The final whistle went and the game finished 3-0 St Bede's.

Player of the Match: Alex



What's on this week?

Monday 18th September

Y10 & Y11 Netball Training (MUGA)

Y7 Boys Football Training (Astro)

Y7, 8 & 9 Basketball Training (Gym 3)

Y10 Boys Football v St Bede's (A)



Tuesday 19th September

Girls Football Training – All Years (Astro)

Boxing – All Years (Gym 3)

Wednesday 20th September

Y9 Boys Football Training (Astro)

Y8 & Y9 Netball Training (MUGA)

Gymnastics – All Year Groups (Gym 2)

Rugby Training – All Year Groups (Field)

Y7 Boys Football v St Bede's (H)



Thursday 21st September

Y10 Football Training (Astro)

Y7 Netball Training (MUGA)

Table Tennis Club – All Year Groups (Gym 1)

Badminton Club – All Year Groups (Gym 2)

Y10 & Y11 Basketball Club (Gym 3)



Friday 22nd September

No Fixtures




SPANISH CULTURE AND CONVERSATIONAL CLUB



WITH SEÑORA BALLY
MONDAYS AND FRIDAYS
3-3.30 PM
@ROOM 3

MACRAMÉ CLUB

LEARN THE WONDERFUL ART OF MACRAMÉ, TO INSPIRE AND FUEL
YOUR CREATIVITY
HOW TO MAKE DECORATIVE ITEMS WITH KNOTS,
FOR YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS



EVERY WEDNESDAY 3 - 4 PM
@ROOM 3
WITH MISS BETANCOUR

CAREERS

There is a comprehensive careers section on the Reigate School website. Go to www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk our school/careers.

In the CEIAG - Careers, Education, Information, Advice and Guidance section you will find our termly career plan which details what CEIAG each year group receives throughout the academic year. Our careers policy can be found in the same section.

The careers section also includes information on the labour market, apprenticeships and apprenticeship vacancies. The section for parents and carers contains guides to post 16 options, the new T level qualifications and apprenticeships.

In the "Options at post 16" section, there are links to the local colleges where you can register for their open events.

<https://www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Careers/2023-2024/FURTHER%20EDUCATION%20COLLEGES%20OPEN%20EVENTS%202023-24.pdf>

The website contains much information, which I hope you and your children will find useful.

COMING UP IN CAREERS

Coming up in Careers



22 nd September	Year 11 assembly from East Surrey College (application information and support)
29 th September	Year 11 assembly from Reigate College (application information and support)
4 th October	Year 11 Meet the Army (teamwork, problem solving, STEM activities, building confidence)
9 th October	Year 7 Introduction to Careers assembly
10 th October	Year 8 Re-introduction to Careers assembly
11 th October	Year 9 Re-introduction to Careers assembly
12 th October	Year 10 Re-introduction to Careers assembly
13 th October	Year 11 re-introduction to Careers assembly
1 st November	Year 8 NHS careers theatre production
7 th November	Year 10 Information lesson from Crawley College and ALPS (Association of Independent Learning Providers)

Every Wednesday lunchtime – Careers drop in with Mrs Grew, Careers Officer

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.allaboutschoollleavers.co.uk

www.icould.com



Free Event for Parents: Making it into Medical School

Supporting your child in applying to medical school



We are delighted to announce our upcoming **free webinar for parents on breaking into medical school**. We will be joined by one of our expert doctors who will be introducing parents to the world of medicine and how their child can secure a place at a top medical school.

Join us to learn more about:

What you can expect from a career in medicine, including a breakdown of the opportunities and roles available

How students can get a head-start, by building the key skills required whilst still at school

A breakdown of the medical school application process and expert advice on how students can stand out from the competition

This webinar will take place online on **Wednesday 27th September 7.00pm – 8.00pm** (UK time) and is free to attend.

[Sign Up Here](#)

OPENEVENTS



@ Guildford College

Wednesday 11th October 4.30 - 7.30pm

Saturday 11th November 9.30am - 12.30pm

@ Merrist Wood College

Wednesday 4th October 4.30 - 7.30pm

Saturday 18th November 9.30am - 12.30pm

@ Farnham College

Saturday 14th October 9.30am - 12.30pm

Wednesday 15th November 4.30 - 7.30pm

ACTIVATE YOUR FUTURE,
REGISTER NOW:



YOUNG MARINE BIOLOGIST SUMMIT DRIVING CHANGE

Saturday 4 November 2023

Our marine environment is intricate, interconnected and vital to all life on Earth. Find out who is driving change in ocean conservation and learn how you can become part of the solution

**FREE
ONLINE EVENT**

I'm really happy to join the Young Marine Biologist Summit. I learnt so much and it's even interesting as I was able to understand explanations by the speakers.

– Gayathri, Malaysia

EXPERT SPEAKERS



**DR EMMA
CAMP**

The future of coral reefs in the face of climate change

**TOM "THE
BLOWFISH"**

Freaks from a Beach!



**ANNA
TURNS**

How to be an ocean optimist



Marine
Biological
Association

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mba.ac.uk/ymbsummit23



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save our seas
foundation


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England



NHS CAREERS UNTAPPED UPCOMING WEBINARS

The NHS Careers Untapped NHS Team are pleased to announce upcoming webinars showcasing some more of the great jobs available in the NHS

Careers in Medicine

27th September 2023: 16:30-18:00

Online via Zoom

For anyone interested in medicine, this webinar will showcase the variety of roles available including paediatric medicine, surgery and general practice

[Click here to register or scan below](#)



Careers in Digital Healthcare

19th October 2023: 16:30-18:00

Online via Zoom

Spotlighting some of the exciting roles in digital healthcare, this webinar will introduce careers in analytics, social media, web development and more

[Click here to register or scan below](#)



Future career webinar dates for your diary include: Nursing & Midwifery on 14th November 2023, Primary Care on 6th December 2023, Allied Health Professions & Healthcare Science on 25th January 2024 and Mental Health on 5th March 2024



NHS Careers Untapped is brought to you by London NHS employers including:

Barnet, Enfield and Haringey Mental Health Trust, Camden and Islington NHS Foundation Trust, Croydon Health Services Trust, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust, Kings College Hospital, North Middlesex University Hospital, St George's University Hospitals, University College London Hospital, Whittington Health & London Primary Care Anchor Networks

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 ds1@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>



VACANCIES

INVIGILATORS

Reigate School is seeking to appoint casual invigilators to join our friendly and supportive examination's team. Applicants should be reliable and friendly with a flexible approach to work. Good communication and interpersonal skills are essential, as is the ability to work as part of a team.



Rate of Pay: £11.33 per hour plus holiday pay.

Closing date: Monday 25th September at 9am, however please be advised applications will be considered upon receipt and we reserve the right to close the advert early if a suitable candidate(s) is appointed.

Applicants are warmly invited to contact Mrs S Calder, Reigate School's Exams officer, to discuss the role in more depth.

Reigate School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. The post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 and the successful candidate will be required to have an enhanced DBS check and an overseas criminal records check if you have lived or worked outside the UK within the last 10 years.

Safeguarding Statement

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. An enhanced CRB check will be required.

For more information and to apply please visit [Invigilators jobs in Reigate RH2, UK - Eteach](#)

NOTICES



Royal Earlswood FC

New Players Needed for U12s Team Yr 7

After back-to-back promotions, Royal Earlswood FC are looking to add experienced players to our successful U12 Team. If you enjoy training regularly and pushing yourself to compete against strong Division 2 teams every Sunday in the Mid Sussex Youth League, then we are keen to talk to you!

Royal Earlswood FC was formed in June 2018 Our aim is to provide a safe, welcoming and fun environment for all members of the club. You can be assured and safe in the knowledge that all our coaches are DBS checked, hold safeguarding qualification's and are FA Level 1 qualified as a minimum.

Royal Earlswood FC
Monotype Sports & Special Club
Honeycrook Lane
Salfords
RH1 5JP

Please Contact Matt Watson 07780662785 /
mattwrefc@gmail.com



Talking Teens

A guide to understanding teenagers!



A 4-week course suitable for parents and carers of children in school year 5 and upwards!

What is covered?

- Being a parent of a teenager
- The role of parents
- Responding to difficult feelings
- Understanding teenage development
- Parenting styles
- Praise and criticism
- Communicating, talking and listening
- Communicating clearly
- Handling difficult issues
- Managing conflict
- Rules and boundaries
- Choosing how to respond
- Problem solving.

What are the benefits of this programme?

- Increase your understanding of teenage development.
- Learn and improve practical strategies in areas such as setting boundaries.
- A great opportunity to meet other parents going through the same problems and share your wealth of experiences.
- Promotes healthy physical and mental development in both parent and teen.
- Improve communication skills which can help build stronger bonds with your teen which can improve your home life environment.

Talking Teens:
Your Guide to
Understanding
Teenagers



FAMILY
LINKS

Where:

The Red Oak Family Centre, Radstock Way,
Merstham, Redhill, Surrey RH1 3NH

When:

Thursday 21st September 2023

Thursday 28th September 2023

Thursday 5th October 2023

Thursday 12th October 2023

At: 7.30pm - 9.30pm

Cost: £15.00

(payable on booking, CASH or BACS only)

To book your place on the course, please contact
The Red Oak Family Centre on 01737 645908 or
email info@theredoak.org.uk





I Wish I'd Known – a workshop for parents and carers on young people, drugs and decisions from the DSM Foundation

We would like to invite you to a drug and alcohol awareness workshop by webinar for our parents and carers by drug education charity the Daniel Spargo-Mabbs Foundation. This will be held on **Tuesday 3rd October at 7.00-8.30pm** and led by Fiona Spargo-Mabbs and Asha Fowells.

Please click the link below to register for the event:

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_RNnE6tN9RJ6aazZQphGwyQ

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email from the Foundation containing information about joining the webinar.

For more information please visit www.dsmfoundation.org.uk

Fiona Spargo-Mabbs has currently been interviewed on Gabby Logan's podcast Extraordinary People; telling the moving story of the death of her son after taking Ecstasy for the first time and how she subsequently set up the DSM Foundation to support other parents how to talk to their children about drugs <https://spotify.link/TxXdWET64Cb>