



Bell Baxter High School

Weekly Update



Week 23 - 13th February 2017

YEAR GROUP ASSEMBLIES - MONDAY 13TH FEBRUARY

Period 1 – S3

Period 2 – S1

Period 3 – S2

Pupils should register in class, then wait to be accompanied to the assembly hall by the teacher. (Mr Harris)

PUPIL COUNCIL MEETING/HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING

The next Pupil Council meeting will take place on Friday 24th February period 1. Please see your House Captains to raise any issues. The House Committee meeting will happen before the full pupil council meeting. (Ms Cunneen)

BAXTER HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a Baxter House Committee meeting in Room 201 on Tuesday lunch time – all house committee members should attend.

HOWE HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING

There will be a Howe House Committee meeting in Room 200 on Tuesday lunch time – all house committee members should attend.

S2 – S6 PARENT SURVEY – DEADLINE SUNDAY 19TH FEBRUARY

Parents will be contacted by email and asked to participate in a mid-session survey about their child's experience in 2016-2017. Please take time to complete the survey. (Mr Gibbons)

DEPUTE RECTOR AWARDS S1- S3

Award certificates will be issued to pupils at year group assemblies on Monday morning. Well done to everyone who achieved this award. (Mr Harris)

S2 PROGRESS REPORTS

Progress Reports will be issued to S2 pupils at their assembly on Monday morning. (Mr Gibbons)

S2 PARENTS' EVENINGS – 23RD FEBRUARY AND 1ST MARCH

Information has been emailed to parents about the upcoming events. The booking system opens on 11th February for the first evening and 18th February for the second evening. Admin staff are also able to book appointments for parents.

S3 PROFILES TO BE HANDED IN WEEK BEGINNING 20TH FEBRUARY

A reminder that all S3 pupils should be completing their profiles, Profiles must be handed in during Social Education. If you are yet to receive your profile, you can collect one from the Pupil Reception. (Miss Thomson)

OPTION CHOICE S3-S5

A wide range of career related talks have been organised to support Faculty Information Week, 20th – 24th February. Parents/Carers are asked to notify Mr Duncan of interest by Monday 13th February. More information on our website [Info](#)

NATIONAL 5 EARLY EDUCATION AND CHILDCARE

S3-S5 pupils interested in studying National 5 Early Education & Childcare must meet with college staff in the Assembly Hall on Tuesday 14th February at 12 noon. Interested Pupils should notify pupil reception by end of day Monday.

COLOURS AWARDS 2017

Thank you for all the nominations received. The deadline was Friday 10th February. The Colours Committee will meet to review all nominations later this month. (Mr Harris)

CDT/HOME ECONOMICS CONTRIBUTIONS

Parents are being emailed with reminders about any outstanding pupil contributions for CDT and Home Economics courses. (Mrs Currie)

HIGHER PE STUDY CLUB

This will take place at Lunchtimes on a Tuesday in HWB Classroom 1. This is open to all pupils studying Higher PE. Please bring lunch with you. (Mr Lowrie)

BORNEO EXPEDITION 2018

Updated team lists have been uploaded to Yammer. Anyone unhappy with the changes should speak to a member of the staff team a.s.a.p. (Staff Team)

FAIRTRADE BANNER COMPETITION

Deadline extended to Tuesday 14th February. Entries to Ms Doig or Mrs Kerr.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD – BRONZE LEVEL

Any S4 or S5 pupil who would still like to sign up for the extra-curricular bronze Duke of Edinburgh's Award should register their interest with Miss Doig before the end of the week.

CHRISTMAS DANCE PHOTOS

Anyone that has not received or collected their dance photo please go to room 204 on Wednesday 22nd or Thursday 23rd February at lunchtime and the yearbook team will arrange to have to photo printed immediately. Yearbook team.

FUN FUTSAL

Fun futsal will run on a Wednesday lunchtime in the Games Hall for all S1 and S2 pupils. Change of shoes required. (Mr Lowrie)

PRETTY MUDDERS

S4-S6 girls obstacle course racing (OCR) after school club starts Wednesday 22nd February from 4 pm - 5.30 pm in Gym 1. Come and train for seriously fun mud runs. Beginners welcome. (Mrs McAvoy)

EMPLOYABILITY/WORK EXPERIENCE

ENGINEERING THE FUTURE FOR GIRLS – S3 GIRLS

This is being delivered in collaboration with BP and BAM Nuttall. Interested S3 girls should see Mr Duncan (Room 205 or CDT Base) for further information.

APPRENTICESHIP ROLES

Apprenticeship roles with [SSE](#) are now available in various locations. For more information see Mr Duncan in room 205 or the Technologies base.

WORK EXPERIENCE WITH SKY DUNFERMLINE

Pupils (aged 15+) with an interest in Customer Service, Engineering and Sales job have the opportunity to apply for work experience at Sky Dunfermline. Interested pupils should speak to Mr Duncan in Room 205 or the Technologies

LOCAL APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY

Kettle Produce Ltd are looking to employ a Modern Apprentice Receptionist / Administrator based at Orkie Production Facility, near Freuchie. For more information see Mr Duncan in Room 205 or Technologies Base.

BT APPRENTICESHIPS

BT have opened their recruitment for apprentices in a wide variety of areas. For more information see Mr Duncan in Room 205 or in the Technologies Base.

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