



JOHNSTONE HIGH SCHOOL

PUPIL BULLETIN

18 March 2016

1. A Note from Mrs Hollywood

There are eight school days left until Spring break. In that time we will be meeting with all year groups through the assembly programme and will be discussing a range of topics with you. Sgt Petrie will also be meeting with the year groups to speak about a range of issues – some of which are in the media at the moment – all designed to keep you safe at home, in the community and at school.

Assemblies coming up:

Monday 21 st March	Period 1	S5 and S6
	Period 3	S3
	Period 4	S1
Thursday 24 th March	Period 2	S2
Tuesday 29 th March	Period 2	S4

Pupils should report to the assembly hall with bags and jackets (and something to write with) and the assembly will take the entire period.

We will also be carrying out a **uniform check** at these assemblies so ties on, no jeans/inappropriate clothing etc. Letters will start going home to repeat offenders!

Finally, remember that it is a no uniform day on the 24th of March (£1 suggested donation).

2. Music Dept

Annie Rehearsals:

Friday 18th 3pm-5pm - Principals only for drama and blocking

Saturday 19th - All members of cast, band and back stage 10am-4pm. Do not forget to return your permission slip and tear off form!

3. Employability Update from Mr Rankin

Medical Applications Information Evening

There is an Information Evening being held on April 20th for senior pupils considering applying for any Medical Course at University.

See Mr Rankin for more details if interested.

4. P.E. Dept

Johnstone HS Volleyball Club

The PE department are growing the sport of volleyball and we are looking for pupils to come along to our club on a Friday lunchtime to develop their skills. We have entered teams in the Renfrewshire leagues for S4-6 in the past few months and we are now looking to extend this down to S1-3. Anyone interested can come along and join in or see Mr Connelly for more details.

Renfrewshire Schools Gym Festival

Johnstone HS hosted the first ever schools gymfest in PE on Wednesday 16th March to compete against other schools at both Gymnastics and Trampolining. The event was a huge success with some fantastic performances from the pupils taking part from J High.

If you are interested in trying out some trampolining or gymnastics then Mrs Dornan has a club for both activities on Mondays and Thursdays after school. No need to sign up; just come along!

S1/2 Fitness Testing

Over the next few weeks we will be doing our series of fitness test that all pupils went through at the start of the school year in August. Pupils have the target of beating their own personal scores from last time and we have had many smashing these goals already. There is also a chance to make the All Time records board in PE so look out for opportunities where you could become the new record holder!

