



JOHNSTONE HIGH SCHOOL

PUPIL BULLETIN

3 June 2016

1. Note from Mrs Hollywood

Welcome back to school for our senior pupils who have just finished their exams and to the new S4 who were on work experience last week. Many seniors took part in befriender training on the 3rd of June and returned to their timetables on the 6th of June. Please note that Sportswear Made Easy (uniform suppliers) are in school on 7th of June for blazers and braiding.

As we are now in the final few weeks of the school term I would like to remind all pupils about the importance of attendance, timekeeping and uniform. With three full weeks of term left there is an expectation that you will maintain our usual high standards in all areas.

Activities days – not too late to get involved. Please see the promotional posters around the school and speak to the teachers running the events.

Finally, the P7 pupils are in school on Wednesday 8th – Friday 10th of June. I expect every pupil in Johnstone High School to be welcoming, friendly and supportive of these younger students. This is a great opportunity for you to show leadership and community spirit.

2. Millport Cycle

Millport Cycle - Thursday 23 June 2016

Pupils should make payment to Mrs Moffat at a morning interval before Wednesday 8 June.

There are still a few spaces available should anyone else wish to take part - see Mrs Moffat for details.

3. Home Economics

On the 14th June the National 4 Fashion and Textile class are attending a workshop day at Glasgow Clyde College (Cardonald Campus) whereby they will have the opportunity to experience what happens in the Fashion Industry.

Also, as part of Future Textiles at Dumfries House on the 22nd June, Lisa Thomson, Beth McColl and Megan Cook will be taking part in a fashion competition to design and make a dress. The dresses will be judged by Patrick Grant the judge from the Great British Sewing Bee (BBC). Cameras from the BBC will be filming, so the girls may be famous for a day! Celebrity guests are invited to the competition, so hopefully we will come back with some great photos and hopefully the winning prize!

4. English /Literacy

Author Visit

As promised, Mr Kerr and I have contacted Catherine Mc Phail and she has agreed to visit Johnstone High School on June 8th. She has agreed to talk to S2 readers. I am looking forward to organising a visit to the library to meet with Catherine Mc Phail.

Carnegie Medal

I would like to remind S3 readers that Mr Kerr has novels, nominated for the Carnegie medal, waiting to be borrowed by you avid readers. Please visit the library if you have finished your novel and are ready for the next one.

Literacy Focus Time

Teachers from a range of departments will be helping you to reinforce your literacy skills by reminding you about the importance of using accurate punctuation to help communicate meaning. I am sure that you will enjoy the activities which your teachers have planned for you.

Word of the Week

Resilient (adjective) means springy or recovering from something quickly, like illness or trouble.

5. P.E. Dept

Pupils who are involved in Secondary Games (you will find your name displayed on a poster in PE) please make sure you have collected and returned your consent form to Miss Still. The games are on Monday 6th June and pupils will be out of school all day.

Any pupil who has signed up for PE run events on activities days please see the posters on the games hall windows to see if your name is on the list to go on the trip. If your name is down for a trip then see your PE teacher to get an information sheet and permission slip.

Mr Connelly, PE.