HT Update Friday 28/6/24

Dear pupils, staff and parents/carers,

Prizegiving

* We held our annual Prizegiving speech last night. It was a wonderful event to recognise the achievements of our young people.
* As well as the superb musical introduction from Rowan Steele and Fin Price, we enjoyed superb speeches from outgoing Head Team member Charlie Frankin-White and our guest speaker and former pupil Colin Kaljee.
* Charlie talked about how his experiences at PHS have helped him set and achieve his goals and how grateful he and his fellow S6 were grateful for everything the staff have done for them.
* At the age of 25, Colin is the Briefing Officer in the No.10 Downing St. Research & Information Unit following a 1st Class Honours Degree from Cambridge. He talked about how the

German Exchange

* We have been really pleased to welcome our musical partner school back to Peebles.
* There has been such a positive atmosphere in the hall all week with musicians from each school working and playing together – well done to all!

Model UN

* Today we are hosting our Model UN conference with over 100 pupils from 8 other schools in Scotland joining us for a day of debating and looking at the best ways to fix global problems.
* It is inspiring to have young people lead this and engage so passionately with these issues.

I hope everyone has a nice Beltane weekend,

Yours faithfully,

Kevin Ryalls

Headteacher