Daily Pupil Briefing Friday 04th October 2024



Today at a glance... **Events** After School Activities (3.20 – 4.20) • Please see below Timetable.



New Announcements

		Additional Info	Exp Date
1	Bus Pass	Office	11.10.24
•	Please tell all pupils that they need to keep the bus pass on their persons at all times to get on the bus. In addition, they must not switch buses at any time unless they have a written bus pass from the office and they are all colour coded so the drivers know which bus the pupils are supposed to be on and they cannot go on any bus they wish. This is VERY IMPORTANT.		
	Could you ask these pupils to come at break or lunch to collect their bus pass: List of names for:		
	<mark>BUS 4:</mark> Sophie Dickinson Ava Parker-Aird		
	CREETOWN:		
	Caiden Brawls Katie cloy Kasper Conway		

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2	S1-S5 PUPIL COUNCIL ELECTIONS - THIS WEEK DURING SET	K. Hogg/ K.Stirling	04.10.24
	Would you like to make a difference in your school? Do you have ideas how to make our school better for you?		
	We want you to get involved. We are looking to elect 1 rep per house group, per year group. If you wish to put your name forward, your SET teacher has a QR code for you to scan and fill out a simple form. Elected members will be notified and shared with the school on this Friday, 4th October.		
	First meeting will be on Wednesday 9th October during SET with the teachers, Mrs Hogg and Miss Stirling, facilitating the Pupil Council this year.		
	May 2025 - S2 pupils Ardeche (South of France) watersports/activity week.	A Llyod	11.10.24
4	We have a few spare places. Any S2 pupils that would like to go on the Ardeche trip in May please come to a meeting in A18 at 1.10 on Wednesday 2nd Oct.		
	You do NOT need to attend if you are already making payments towards the trip.		
_	Kirkcudbright Autumn Sessions	Office	04.10.24
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6	School Show Backstage Meeting Friday Oct. 4 th in Miss Faux's room - all students interested in backstage (designing Set, Costume, Props, Lighting, Sound, Makeup, Choreography, Front of House) please bring your lunch to A17 to hat about the roles and understand what is needed.	J. Faux	04.10.24
7	Scottish School Swimming Competition	L. Hutchison	14.11.24

	On Thursday 14 th of November at Dumfries DG1 the Scottish Schools Swimming Competition will be held.		
	If anyone is interested in taking part in this and would like to be considered for it could you please		
	put your name, stroke and what club you belong to in to the PE department this week. Thank you.		
3	Lockerbie Skating Club	Office	11.10.24
	LOCKERBIE SKATING CLUB		
	The Lockerbie skating club will run from Sunday 6 th October until Sunday 9 th March with the exception of 20 th October, 29 th December and 2 nd March. The sessions lasts approximately 2 hours from 0930-1130. The club welcomes beginners who would like to learn the basics, through to the more experienced skaters.		
	ADULT SEASON TICKET - £200 WHICH INCLUDES FREE MEMBERSHIP		
	JUNIOR SEASON TICKET - £190 WHICH INCLUDES FREE MEMBERSHIP		
	ATTENDANCE TO EACH SESSION IS INCLUDED IN THE SEASON TICKET ADULT MEMBERSHIP - £60 PLUS £10 PER SESSION		
	JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP - £40 PLUS £10 PER SESSION		
	(WHICH INCLUDES GROUP TUITION FOR PART OF THE SESSION)		
	A GUEST FEE IS AVAILABLE FOR NON-CLUB MEMBERS - £15		
	SKATE HIRE - £4 PER PAIR		
	Please note the club takes both card and cash payments.		
	The club is supported by the following nationally recognised coaches who will provide coaching;		
	STACEY KING		
	Double Olympian – Vancouver 2010 & Sochi 2014 10 time British Pairs Champion International Gold Medalist Professional Show Skater 2007 - 2017 10 ⁺ Years coaching Experience		
	DAVID KING		
	Double Olympian – Vancouver 2010 & Sochi 2014 10 time British Pairs Champion International Gold Medalist Professional Show Skater 2007 - 2017 10+ Years coaching Experience		
	LOUISA NAIRN		
	NISA Coach Level 2 Former British Junior Ladies Champion 25 Years Coaching Experience		
	For further details please E Mail Dave King at <u>david king@olympian.org</u> or by telephone on 07473213931 Alternatively contact the ice rink office at <u>office@lockerbieicerink.com</u> or 01576202197		
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GRepeat Notices

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University Open Days	PTS	11.10.24
S6 Pupils		
University Open Days		
 Edinburgh Napier University – Saturday 26th October 		
 University of Strathclyde Glasgow – Saturday 5th October 10am – 2.30pm 		
 Glasgow Caledonian University –Saturday 5th October 10am – 2pm 		
Heriot Watt University:		
Edinburgh Campus – Saturday 28th September – 10am – 4pm & Saturday 26 October 12pm –		
6pm		
Scottish Borders Campus - Friday 4 October – 10am – 3pm & Friday 8 November 10am – 3pm		
See posters outside PTS office for more details and registration		
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S5 Pupils		
 Edinburgh Napier University – October 14th & 15th 		
For S5 pupils, join us at Edinburgh Napier to explore what life at University is really like. Gain 1-1		
support from the Scottish Outreach Team, and find out more about what it would be like to study on		
of the below topics:		
Engineering		

Additional

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	 Computing Nursing & Midwifery Music 		
	· Film		
	· Design		
	· Business		
	·Law		
2	Free Webinar	K. McCreadie	31.10.24
	 Are you planning on applying to university or college? Then why not consider a degree in Computing? There is a digital career for everyone! It does not matter whether you are already thinking about a career in digital technology, or whether you are still unsure about your options. So, join us at the 'Meet the Learner – College and University Students,' event on Tuesday 5th November at 09:00 to 09:45am to hear from university and college students who are studying undergraduate degrees in Computing and are taking their first steps towards a career in tech! At this free, online event students will be talking about their learning journeys, explaining: Why they chose to study Computing at university or college; What they're learning; What they enjoy most about their courses and What they intend to do after their studies. To book your place visit: <u>https://forms.office.com/e/G9M1Tn2Y0B</u> 		
3	Free Webinar	K. McCreadie	31.10.24
	Are you thinking about your next steps? Then why not consider a Graduate Apprenticeship in Computing?		
	Graduate Apprentices learn while they earn. They are employed by a company but study for part of their week at university and gain a degree at the end of their studies.		
	It does not matter whether you are already thinking about a career in digital technology, or whether you are still unsure about your options.		

	 So, join us to find out more at the 'Meet the Learner – Graduate Apprenticeships,' event on Tuesday 26th November at 09:00 to 09:45am to hear from university students who are studying Graduate Apprenticeships in Computing and are taking their first steps towards a career in tech! At this free, online event Graduate Apprentices will be talking about their learning journeys, explaining: Why they chose the Graduate Apprenticeship route; What they're learning and how they learn; What they enjoy most about their courses and What they intend to do after their studies. To book your place visit: https://forms.office.com/e/W7M3t5gDnm 		
4	Chess Tournament This year's Douglas Ewart Chess Tournament will begin shortly after the October holidays. If anyone would like to take part, please give your name to Mr Smith as soon as possible. All levels welcome!	W. Smith	30.09.24
5	The Big Book Event	Office	11.10.24

	The BIG BOOK		
	EVENT!		
	We would like you to,		
	Write about a book you love, OR		
	Illustrate part of a book you love, OR		
	Bake something from a book you love.		
	50p per entry.		
	Entries for writing / drawing must be received by October 10th Entries for baked goods received by October 11th ONLY.		
	Open to everyone		
	Categories: SI-3 S4-6 & ASN Base	A Welsh	10.10.24
6	Thurs 10th Oct 4-7pm		10.10.24
	Learn about Further and Higher Education courses offered in Agriculture, Animal Care, Equine,		
	Forestry, Wildlife and Conservation and Business.		
	 Tuesday 8th Oct 10am-2pm 		
	For pupils interested in pursuing a career in Vet Nursing.		
	Pupils attending will have the chance to tour the campus, meet staff and current students, and learn		
	more about the diverse range of courses available at SRUC Barony.		
	We will not be able to take any pupils to these open days but anyone wishing to book a place should		
	visit www.sruc.ac.uk/opendays		

The following After School Activities, Study Classes and Lunch Activities are available this term:

• Please note that unless indicated below, sessions run between 15:20 and 16:30.

	*Time	Title	Organiser	Location	Year Groups
Monday	LUNCH	Higher PE Supported Study (By Appointment Only)	Mrs Hornell	PE Base	S4-S6
	LUNCH	Chess Club	Mr Smith	A23	All Welcome
	LUNCH	Volleyball	Miss Cain	PE Base	All Welcome
	3.20 - 4.30	Warhammer Club	Mrs Rowley	Back room of ASN Base	All Welcome
	3.20-4.30	Basketball	Mr Scobie	PE Base	All Welcome
	3.20-4.30	N5 Maths	Miss Welsh	A27	S4-6
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Tuesday	LUNCH	Illustration Group (Will start 10/09/24)	Mrs Fulton	B2	S1-S6
	LUNCH	Indoor Football	Mrs Hutchison	PE Base	All Welcome
	3.20 - 4.30	Football (Boys & Girls) All Welcome	Mr Scobie Mr Smith	3G (meet at the PE base)	S1 – S6
	3.20-4.30	Junior Netball	Mrs Hornell	PE Base	S1-S3
	3.20-4.30	Maths BGE	Mr Gilmour	A24	S1-S3
	3.20-4.30	N5 Apps of Maths	Mrs Morton	A25	S4-S6

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Wednesday	LUNCH	School Show Singing Rehearsals	Mr Riddick	D1	School Show Pupils
	LUNCH	Futsal (Indoor Football)	Mr Scobie & Mrs Hutchison	PE Base	All Welcome
	3.20 - 4.30	Senior Netball	Mrs Hornell	PE Base	S4-S6
	3.20-4.30	N5 Apps of Maths	Mr Smith	A23	S4-S6
	3.20-4.30	Maths	Mr Gilmour	A24	All Welcome
Thursday	LUNCH	Badminton	Mr Scobie	Games Hall	S1 – S6
	3.20-4.30	Rugby	Miss Cain	PE Base	S1 – S6
	3.20 - 4.30	Warhammer Club	Mrs Rowley	Back room of ASN Base	All Welcome
	3.20-4.30	Duke of Edinburgh Drop-In	Lisa Martin	T1	S4-6
	3.20-4.30	Higher Apps of Maths	Mrs Morton	A25	S4-S6
	3.20-4.30	N5 & Higher Maths	Mrs Rennie	A28	S4-S6
Friday	LUNCH	Coding Club	Mr Smith	A23	All Welcome
	LUNCH	Basketball	Miss Cain	PE Base	All Welcome
	LUNCH	N5 History	Miss Stirling	C11	S4-6