

Daily Pupil Briefing

Friday 01st March 2024



Today at a glance...



After School Activities (3.20 – 4.20)

- Please see below Timetable



New Announcements

		Additional Info	Exp Date
1	<u>Careers Appointments</u> The following pupils have Career's appointments scheduled for this week. Please make your way to A2 at your allocated time: <u>Friday 1st March</u> 9.45 Gracie Covington 10.35 Crystal Kirk 11.20 Imogen Milligan 12.10 Khianna Ahmed	F. McQuisten	01.03.24
2	<u>Dynamic Earth Trip</u> Notice to pupils attending Dynamic Earth Trip on Tuesday:	L.Wilson	01.03.24

Miss Wilson asks you to attend a short meeting at break time on Friday 01/03/24 to go over some details of the trip. Please attend C5 at break time for 5-10 mins.

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Practical Cookery S5/6 – Mr McLatchie

The following pupils will completing their Practical Cookery written assignment between 08.55 and 11.05 in C6 on the Friday 1st of March with Mr McLatchie.

Owen McMurray	Hayden Fairhurst
Joe Thomson	Aaron Keith
Rhys Kennedy	Kris Boyce
Tomos Gwynne	Maciej Wichowski
Johnny McClymont	Jack Mcllwraith
Keiran McKnight	Robbie Lochhead

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School Trips Consent Forms

Any pupil looking to attend an organised school trip, **must** hand in their completed consent form, with payment, **no later than the date given** on the bottom of the form.

We have an increasing number of pupils handing forms in the day of the trip, which is not allowing staff to fully prepare. It is important that we have names and numbers in advance.

If we do not have a completed consent form and payment by the date given, pupils will not be able to attend.

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HPV Immunisations

NHS D&G will visit the school on Tuesday 5th March to deliver the HPV Vaccine. This vaccine is primarily aimed at S1 pupils, however they are providing a catch-up for older pupils who have missed the vaccine in previous years.

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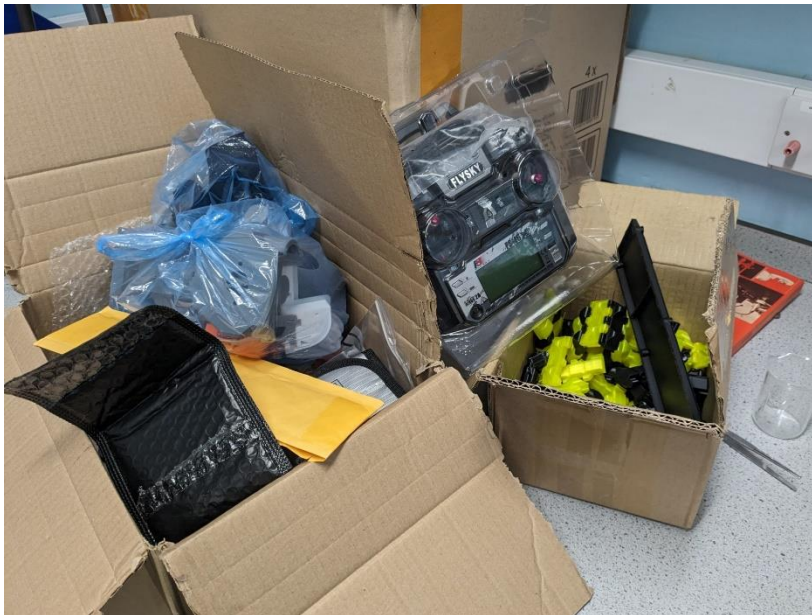
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Times have been allocated to pupils who have returned their forms for screening and have got parental consent. Times are displayed on the wall outside the school office and pupils are asked to arrive at D-Hall promptly.

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Robot Club

Robot Club will be on Wednesday lunchtimes as well as being part of our STEM project in STEM club, Wednesdays after school. We now have all our components to built our robot we just need the pupils to help! So come along and be part of the team that will take on Stranraer Academy at the end of the year in a robot battle.



R. Baxter

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Scottish Space School



Want to hear first-hand from NASA astronauts and engineers? 🙋

Currently studying in S5 in Scotland?

Thinking about studying Engineering?

Apply now for our Scottish Space School – running on campus for 1 week in June!

The deadline for applications for the residential programme is Monday 18th March.

Find out more and apply <https://brnw.ch/21wHm4M>

#ScottishSpaceSchool #NASA #Engineering



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Free Dentistry Careers Conference

As part of National Careers Week 2024, Medic Mentors have organised a free Dentistry Careers Conference for teachers and pupils where you will gain an insight into the diverse career paths that dentists can take.

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Teachers sign up: <https://airtable.com/appk48QxXyg6rsxgk/shrifCxkaekBWoMMj>

Students sign up: <https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lwk6/shrRVMnYG589uWiXs>

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Scan to register!

LIVE! **FREE** **InspireD** **CONFERENCE**

Come and meet our extraordinary guest speakers, on **Wednesday 6th March, 6 - 8pm**, as they offer a peek into their daily routines and share invaluable insights into the field of dentistry:

Dr Asid Khan: Humanitarian and Aid Dentistry	Dr Stevie Potter: Holistic Medicine & Building a Portfolio Career
Dr Curt McKenzie: Life as a Senior Community Dental Officer	Scarlett Debbage: How Dental Mentor Shaped Her Application Journey for Dental School
Dr Katy Galloway & Dr James Nolan: Entrepreneurship and Private Dentistry	

Gain insight into the diverse careers of dentists, inspiring change within their fields. Explore the key to success as a future dentist, including weaving in personal interests to complement your profession. Network with fellow dentists and gain valuable advice on how to navigate the path to becoming a future dentist.

<p>9</p>	<p><u>Medical and Dentistry Conferences</u></p> <p>From strategically selecting universities to perfecting your personal statements and acing the UCAT exam, we have your back every step of the way. In addition, we will dive into honing your interview skills, exploring medical leadership and awards programmes, enriching your extracurricular, gaining valuable work experience, and constructing a stellar CV. Consider this your one-stop-shop for all things medical or dental school prep!</p> <p>Get Into Medicine: -Saturday 2nd March from 9:30am - 3:30pm - Saturday 9th March from 9:30am - 3:30pm https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lwk6/shry7MZYtt3MGPjvO</p> <p>Get Into Dentistry conference dates: Saturday 23rd March, 9:30am - 3:30pm https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lwk6/shrBuiR7SBAC19kE</p>	<p>A Welsh</p>	<p>08.03.24</p>
 <p>Repeat Notices</p>		<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Exp Date</p>
<p>1</p>	<p><u>Cinema Listings</u></p>	<p>A.Llyod</p>	<p>07.03.24</p>

WICKED LITTLE LETTERS (15)



CLICK THE TIMES BELOW TO BOOK TICKETS!

Friday 1 Mar 2024	19:00
Saturday 2 Mar 2024	19:00
Tuesday 5 Mar 2024	19:00
Wednesday 6 Mar 2024	19:00
Thursday 7 Mar 2024	19:00

Wicked Little Letters is an incredibly funny, cheeky, and punchy film that will be sure to put a smile on your face.

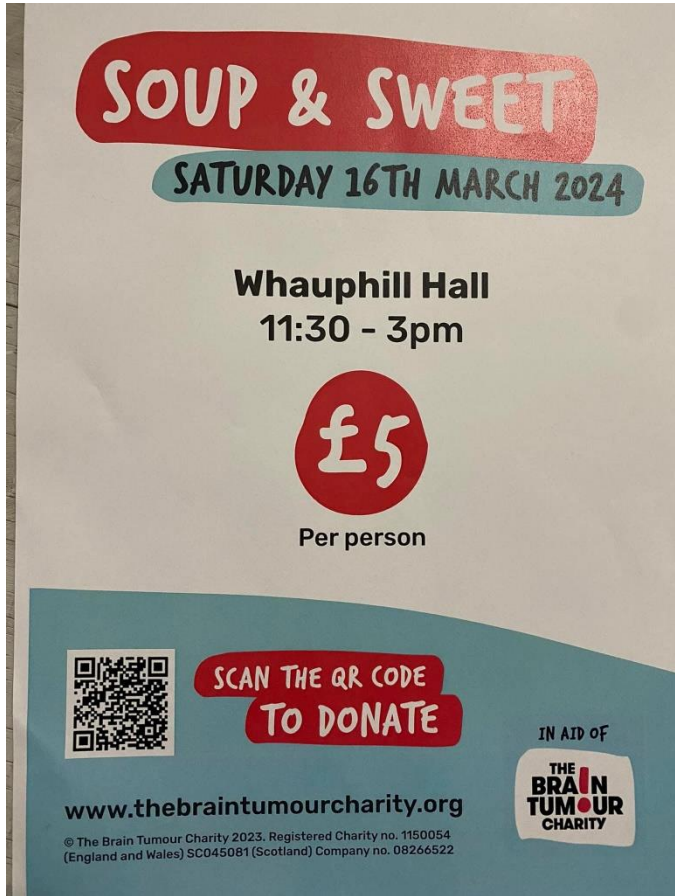
It follows a series of bizarre events as the pious and reserved Edith receives a string of crude letters, supposedly from her boisterous neighbour Rose. It's one of those delightful British films that brings to a light a surprisingly true story and packs it full of brilliant British talent.

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Soup and Sweet Day

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Pupil of the Month Awards

Could the following pupils come and see Mrs Bradley in B3 to collect their Pupil of the Month awards. Thank you.

Daisy Dalrymple, Blayre McKnight, Breagh Kirkpatrick, Luis Taylor, Kris Boyce, Kelsey McWilliam, Lila McDowall, Brooke Stewart (x2), Kieran Ho, Jack Rudd, Andrew Scott, Max Heughan, Benny McWilliam.

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Inspiring Futures- Health, Emergency and Social Care event

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This event is taking place on 18/06/24 and is aimed at current S3, moving into S4.

If you are interested in finding out more about careers in NHS/Social Care or Emergency Services.

Types of stalls and interactive sessions available at the event:

- Pharmacy
- Dentists
- Medics
- Nursing
- Police
- Finance
- Armed forces
- Psychological services
- Human resources
- Allied health professions (AHPs)
- Estates and facilities
- Let’s get sporty
- Ambulance
- Blood and cell sciences
- Midwifery
- Fire
- Skills development Scotland
- Social workers
- Communication team
- Administration and clerical services
- Support services
- Developing young workforce (DYW)
- Work experience information

This event is free, and transport is provided.

Spaces are limited; please see Kelly McCreadie for further information/express interest.

Names required by 16/03/24 to allow time for transport to be booked.

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Virtual Work Experience (over multiple days)

Students apply and join the opportunity individually on their own PC or device from school or home

Coding & Tech 3-day VWEX 16th – 18th April, 10:00 – 15:00 Daily

Closing date 19th March <https://www.speakersforschools.org/results/?opp=262DFE93-9160-4C7E-069F-08DBF00821E7>

and

23rd – 25th April, 10:00 – 15:00 Daily

Closing date 26th March <https://www.speakersforschools.org/results/?opp=90FC8B86-FF2F-4AB8-1BED-08DAD3AA4DD2>

Green Skills & Sustainability 2-day VWEX with Siemens Energy

13th – 14th June 10:00 – 14:00 daily

Closing date 16th May <https://www.speakersforschools.org/results/?opp=7FFE9623-C95A-41C2-11E2-08DC1283ACD5>

Bentley Motors, Concept, Planning, Design, Engineer, Build, Selling, Distribution 5-Day VWEX

1st – 5th July 09:30 – 15:00 daily

Closing date 17th June <https://www.speakersforschools.org/results/?opp=F9C38DBF-A06D-4261-77C0-08DBA93330B3>

Mondelez / Cadbury Chocolate – create your own chocolate bar 5-Day VWEX

8th – 12th July, 09:00 – 16:00 daily

Closing date 10th May

<https://www.speakersforschools.org/results/?opp=C8B3ADEC-FD21-420C-A6EE-08DC180678A5>

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Micro-Tyco

Please scan the QR code to find out more.

The flyer is for 'MICRO-TYCO' by WildHearts Business for Good. It features a QR code and the text 'Find out more:'. The 'About' section describes it as a free global entrepreneurship competition where students work on solutions for the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) over 30 days. The 'How it Works' section is a six-step process: 1. Select and research an SDG. 2. Explore the Micro-Tyco method with your team. 3. Collaborate with corporate partners for feedback. 4. Adapt and improve your idea. 5. Submit your final idea for judging. 6. Top-performing teams are shortlisted for an awards ceremony. Logos for Micro-Business, Accredited, and Babson are at the bottom, along with contact information: E: schoolprogramme@wildheartsgroup.com, T: 0141 465 2700 / 0141 375 7818.

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Sutton Trust Summer School at the University of Edinburgh

The Sutton Trust Summer School is an amazing opportunity for your students to experience what being a real university student is like. Participants stay in real student halls, study subjects they love, develop skills in social activities across the city, and receive expert support with their future

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university applications. And the best part: it's completely free! All costs are covered – including travel, meals, accommodation and activities.

Open to students currently in S5 (Scotland), who have always attended a state school.

Pupils who attend a Sutton Trust Summer School are four times more likely to receive an offer from a top university.

Applications close 7th March 2024

Join the University of Edinburgh & University of St Andrews to find out more! Pupils, teachers and guardians all welcome to find out about both of our exciting summer schools.

- Friday 16th February (18:30-19:30) @ University of St Andrews
- Monday 19th February (18:30-19:30) @ University of Edinburgh
- Wednesday 21st February (18:30-19:30) - joint online session

For more info email - st-summer-school@ed.ac.uk

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	Yr Groups
Monday	<i>LUNCH</i>	Chess Club All Welcome, no experience required. Please bring lunch.	Mr Smith	A23	S1-S6
	<i>LUNCH</i>	Table Tennis	Lewis (Active Schools)	D-Hall	All Welcome
	<i>LUNCH</i>	Book Club	Ms Nadalutti & Miss Faux	A19	All Welcome

	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Physics N5 & Higher	Mr Baxter	C1	S4-S6
	<i>3.20-4.30</i>	N5 Biology	Miss Wilson	C5	S4 – S6
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Warhammer Club	Mrs Rowley A Hannah	Back room of ASN Base	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Maths	Mr Gilmour	A24	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Badminton	Lewis (Active Schools)	Games Hall	S1-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Higher PE	K Hornell	PE Base	S5-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	National 5 PE	J Muir	PE Base	S4-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Design & Manufacture	Miss Brumwell	T5	N5 & Higher
Tuesday	<i>LUNCH</i>	Sports Club	Mrs Graham	Bottom Field or Sports Hall	S1 - S2
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Football (Boys & Girls) All Welcome	Mrs Graham Mr Smith	3G (meet at the PE base)	S1 – S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Music (N5- AH) – by Appointment Only	Mr Riddick	D1	S4-S6
	<i>3.20-4.30</i>	Biology	Mrs Swalwell	C7	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Spanish (National 5)	Mrs Bernard	A14	S4-S6

	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Chemistry	Mrs Creel	C8	S3 – S6
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Volleyball	PE Department	Games Hall	S4 – S6
	<i>3.30-4.30</i>	AH Maths	Miss Welsh	A27	S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Maths Apps (National 5)	Mrs Morton	A25	S4-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Design & Manufacture	Miss Brumwell	T5	N5 & Higher
Wednesday	<i>LUNCH</i>	School Show Singing Rehearsals	Mr Riddick	D1	School Show Pupils
	<i>LUNCH</i>	Robot Club (Starts 17.01.24)	Mr Baxter	C1	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Rugby	Thomas Quigley	PE	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Senior Netball	Mrs Hornell	PE Base	S4-S6
	<i>3.30 – 4.30</i>	Maths (All levels)	Mr Smith	A23	S1-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Maths	Mrs Rennie	A28	S4 – S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Biology	Mrs McColm	C3	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	STEM Club (Starts 24.01.24)	S6 Students	C1	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Physics (National 5)	Mr Baxter	C1	S4-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	School Show Acting Rehearsals	J Faux	D Hall	School Show Pupils

Thursday	<i>LUNCH</i>	Coding Club	Mr Smith	A30	S1 – S6
	<i>LUNCH</i>	SEET Film Making Club	Miss Charpentier	A13	S1-S3
	<i>LUNCH</i>	School Show Backstage Meetings	Miss Faux	A17	School Show Pupils
	<i>3.20-4.30</i>	English (National 5)	Mrs Llyod	A18	S4
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Netball	Mrs Francis	PE Base	S1-S3
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Maths	Mr Gilmour	A24	All welcome
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Maths Apps (Higher)	Mrs Morton	A25	S5-S6
	<i>3.20- 4.30</i>	Art	Mrs Bradley	B3	All Welcome
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Warhammer Club	Mrs Rowley A Hannah	Back room of ASN Base	All Welcome