

Brakenhale School

Year 8 News



Friday 1st December 2017

Dear Year 8 Students

Another good week for the year group and the school.

At our assembly on Monday Mrs Coley celebrated the students with the highest attendance and the highest achievement points. It was great to see such a huge amount of you all standing at the front and receiving letters.

We were also reminded by Mrs Douse that her past year 11 students who had excellent attendance all achieved very pleasing results. There is a direct link.

Year 8 House competitions

The Year 8 Rugby and Netball competitions which took place on Wednesday were a great success.

Year 8 Rugby - Farley Year 8 Netball - Farley

Year 7 and 8 Netball v Sandhurst - all tried their hardest however they lost!

Next Week's Fixtures

Tuesday

U13 Girls Football v Holyport (H)

KS3 Boys and Girls Badminton v Ranelagh (A)

Wednesday

U12 Boys Football - 5 a-side - Bracknell Leisure Centre

Thursday

U13 Girls Football v St. Crispin's (A)

KS3 and 4 Boys v Garth (A)

During our PSHE session we discussed homophobia and we watched some amazing videos which we discussed in detail.

Unfortunately one student of our year group had an accident in the school which resulted in the air ambulance having to come to Brakenhale. The very good news is that the student is ok. This is however a reminder how important it is not to use the stairs/bannisters in the wrong way ie. sliding down etc.

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High Expectations and Challenge for All

A reminder that uniform needs to be worn correctly at all times and that skirts must not be rolled up. The wearing of nail varnish is also a no-no! Most of our year group are getting this right every day.

Also remember to bring your reading books for Silent reading on Tuesdays and that you have all your tools for learning ready every day.

Here's to another great forthcoming week!

Many thanks



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Key Dates:

| Date | Event |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Monday 4 th December | Variety Show 3.30pm & 6.00pm |
| Monday 11 th December | Head Of House Assemblies All Week |
| Thursday 14 th December | Year 8 & 9 Girls Football – All Day Woodley u/15 5 a side tournament |
| Friday 15 th December | Christmas Jumper Day |
| Friday 15 th December | School Closes Early – 12.05pm -TBC |

| Student Runners w/c 04/12/2017 | | |
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| Monday | Cameron Betteridge | Rishyal Bhatti |
| Tuesday | Anezka Church | William Daniels |
| Wednesday | Daniel Donovan | Dominic Franklin |
| Thursday | Bartek Grajner | Millie Griffin |
| Friday | Harvey Griffiths | Harvey Horsted |

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KEY EVENTS – w/c 4th December 2017

| | Tutor | Extra-curricular / Notes |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Monday | Sports Hall Assembly | Learning Reflection |
| Tuesday | Silent Reading/Attendance/ Notices | Learning Reflection |
| Wednesday | ICT Independent Learning/Notices | Learning Reflection |
| Thursday | Newsround catch up on the week | Learning Reflection |
| Friday | Quiz/Notices | Learning Reflection |

Lunch-time and Period 6 detentions

Lunch-time detentions for lateness and uniform in M13
P6 in HoY office with Mrs Douse/Mrs Howes from after school until 3:30pm

If you do not attend your lunchtime detention, there will be a message sent out via schoolcomms to your parents/carers and you will be expected to be in period 6 the following day.

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