

ABOYNE ACADEMY

Thursday 9th November 2017



Early Lunch this week - S3

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A L L S T A F F & P U P I L S	<p>Safe Drive Stay Alive Could staff please let 5th year pupils who are attending the Safe Drive Stay Alive Trip, out of class at 10:50am to allow them to head down to the bus bay. This is to ensure the bus can leave promptly at 11am.</p>	New Guidance
	<p>Children in Need - Talent Show update After what was a brilliant first Talent Show we are delighted to inform you that the first act through to next Friday's Grand Finale is: Scott Angus! Remember, there is no talent show today. Make sure you keep yesterday's ticket safe. The acts performing for your entertainment on Friday are: Sasha Eriksson, Beth Jaffray, Katie Bannister & Ellen Thomson and Grace Halley.</p>	New CiN Staff Team
	<p>Christmas Fair Volunteers Could all pupils who have volunteered to help set up the Christmas Fair on Friday after school and on Saturday, please attend a short meeting at break time TODAY in room 27. If you can't make it, please let Miss Easton know. See you there!</p>	New Miss Easton
	<p>Bus Lists Up to date bus lists are displayed on the wall outside Room 1, please check that you are using the correct bus. Contract numbers can be found on the top of your bus pass and bus passes should be carried with you everyday. Pupils are not allowed to use any other bus only the one you have a bus pass for. If you have any queries about this please come to the school office.</p>	Mrs Reid
	<p>School website The new school website is starting to take shape but work continues to complete it. On the right hand side of the home page there are links for Show My Homework and SCHOLAR login pages. Check out the pupils tab for information on extra-curricular opportunities plus other pages.</p>	Miss Cooper
	<p>PE lost property - Claim by Friday 10th Nov Please claim all PE lost property by Friday 10th Nov. All unclaimed items will be donated to charity. Thanks</p>	Mr Birse
	<p>SENIOR PUPILS - HIT THE GROUND RUNNING SHOW If you are in S4/5/6 and interested in a career in media production, this opportunity is for you. The Hit the Ground Running Roadshow is a unique chance to meet top Scottish film and TV experts who've worked for BBC, STV and independent production companies. Attendance is FREE and the event will cover such topics as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What jobs make up a film crew and what is available at entry level • What it's like to work as part of a professional film crew • What employers are looking from your CV and how to make yours stand out from the crowd • What to do next? Practical advice on choosing your next steps <p>Each HTGR Roadshow lasts 90 minutes and is followed by a chance for coffee and a one-on-one chat. The Aberdeen event will be held at the Belmont Filmhouse, Belmont Street, Aberdeen on Wednesday 15th November at 4pm. For information on how to register and attend, see your guidance teacher.</p>	Mrs Law

	<p>SENIOR PUPILS - OPITO Opportunity Any S4/5/6 pupils interested in a career in the oil and gas industry - this opportunity is for you! There will be a presentation in December in school about the Oil and Gas Technical Training Programme (OGTAP) with OPITO to gain future interest for the 2018 Intake of trainees. This is a great opportunity to go straight into a training programme from school which several former pupils have done in the past. If you are interested in this please give your name to Guidance and we will tell you more about the talk and when it will take place.</p>	Mrs Law
	<p>Badminton Club Badminton Club will begin again on Thursday 9th Nov led by student Tom Flaherty from 3.45-4.45pm in the Games. Spaces will be limited due to climbing club on in the hall at the same time, therefore it will be first come, first served. If you have not already completed a consent form there are forms available at Active Schools Room 9b. Please return this to the school office or Room 9b the day before the club starts.</p>	Shona Park
	<p>Junior Basketball Club Basketball for S1-4 will start on Friday 10th Nov from 3.45-4.45pm with student teacher Zoe Grant in the Games Hall. For those of you who already applied before you do not need another consent form. If you have not already completed a consent form there are forms available at Active Schools Room 9b. Please return this to the school office or Room 9b the day before the club starts.</p>	Shona Park
S1/2	<p>S1 Science trip. Please return consent forms and money to your science teacher ASAP. Deadline was Monday but you're not here so lets make it Friday 10th please!</p>	New Mrs Abrahams
	<p>Careers Interviews Appointments have been made for the pupils below (who are all in 2L3). These will take place in Room 28 (the room above Guidance) with Stuart Clark the Careers Advisor. Appointment cards have been issued. Please note there are multiple appointments per period. Thursday 9th November 2017 P1 - 9.25 Katie Bannister 9.40 Myles Barron P2 - 10.05 Elizabeth Christie 10.45 Matthew Ellington P3 - 11.15 Anna Ellson 11.30 Jessica Farquhar 11.45 Douglas Foy P4 - 12.10 Callan Fraser 12.25 Cameron Fraser 12.40 Ben Geddes P5 - 13.45 Nathan Mackie 14.00 Kacper Nalepa 14.15 Jemma Shand P6 - 14.40 Alice Telford 14.55 Ellen Thompson</p>	New Mr Clark
S3/4	<p>PSE Talk from Alcoholics Anonymous A representative from Alcoholics Anonymous will delivering a talk in the theatre during period 2 for all S3 pupils. It will be on Thursday 9th of November. Could all S3 class teachers at that time please register their classes and bring them along to the theatre. Thanks in anticipation.</p>	Mr Rennie
S5/6	<p>Children In Need money counters Could all of the S6 pupils that have volunteered to help with the money counting on Children In Need day, please come along to W5 at break time today for a very quick meeting. Thank you.</p>	New Mrs Drewitt