

Celebration of success

On Monday 23rd June 2014 we had the pleasure of formally recognising the effort, progress and achievements of our new years 10 and 11 students, in two celebration assemblies. Mr Winter was the key note speaker and reminded the students about the key components of success.

Every student managed to achieve at least one commendation, many of them had more. The highest achievers and those who had made most progress were recognised with head teacher and governor awards. I was able to tell the students and parents how we already had the type of school culture which Michael Wilshaw, the Chief Inspector of schools described in his latest speech. We do insist on a well ordered environment, recognise examinations as important and embrace an academic curriculum which opens doors to a wide range of futures.

I am delighted to be able to announce the outcomes of the selection process for the senior student leadership team. I was impressed by the quality of the letters of application and the range of activities that were described. The presentations which were made to myself and my leadership team were clear and confident demonstrating important skills needed for the world beyond school. The six successful members of the team will take real responsibility for representing the school's students, both internally and in the wider community. This will include



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Headteacher

regular lunches with myself to discuss school strategy, and attendance at evening events to support and provide information. Being selected for these roles is a serious commitment, which is why the selection process was so challenging. To a great extent, these students will be the faces of North Walsham High School over the next 12 months. I'm confident that this group of young people will do a really good job in representing everyone at the school.



The new senior student leadership team are James Maisner and Lucy Curtis-Warming as Head Boy and Head Girl respectively, with George Fleming and Joshua Willis as Deputy Head Boys, and Lucy Vann and Ellie Wait as Deputy Head Girls.

SPORTS DAY

Tuesday 8th July

Parents welcome anytime between 9:00am and 2:45pm.

Refreshments will be available.

Please sign in at the Atrium reception. Parking in the Sports Centre carpark via the Spenser Avenue entrance.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Diary dates

School Events

30th June - 3rd July Year 6 Induction Days

3rd July Year 10 Beacon East Careers Event in the Atrium 3-4pm Parents welcome

7th July Meningitis C Vaccinations Year 11

8th July Sport Day - All parents are welcome to attend

8th July 'Show My Homework' drop-in session 4-7pm Atrium Cafe

9th July Uniform Shop 3-7pm in the Atrium Cafe

9th July Year 6 Information Evening for Parents 6-7pm in the Atrium

Study

Timetable

Week 1 30th June to 4th July

Week 2 7th July to 11 July

Homework Club

Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 3 - 4pm, Library

Sports

Sports fixtures

Tues 1st July - 12:30 - 5:00pm U14 Cricket V Litcham HS (A) Boys
3:00 - 4:30pm Year 9 Rounders Tournament V Reepham (A) Girls

Wed 2nd July - 3:00 - 6:00pm U15 Cricket V Sprowston (H) Boys
3:00 - 4:30pm U12 Rounders & U14 Tennis V Aylsham (A) Girls

Thur 3rd July - 3:00 - 4:30pm Year 10 Rounders Tournament V Reepham (A) Girls

Fri 4th July - 9:00am - 6:00pm Norfolk School Games Athletics, UEA

Wed 9th July - 3:00 - 6:00pm U14 Cricket V Aylsham (H) Boys

Thurs 10th July - 3:00 - 4:30pm U12/ U13 Rounders V Reepham (A) Girls
3:00 - 6:00pm U15 Cricket V Aylsham (H) Boys
3:00 - 6:30pm U12 Cricket V Thorpe (A) Boys

Wed 16th July - 3:00 - 4:30pm Year 10 Mixed Rounders Tournament (H)

After school sports clubs

Tennis Club Wednesdays 3 - 4pm

Athletics Thursdays 3 - 4pm

Running Club Fridays 3 - 3:45pm

SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

Wednesday 9th July

3:00 - 7:00pm
in The Atrium



Celebration Assembly

On Monday 23rd June we welcomed students and parents of Year 9 and 10 to celebrate their achievements from the last academic year.

The morning was full of inspirational people and celebrating the fantastic achievements of all of our students, combined with some truly great performances by students.

Well done!



Year 11 Leavers go out in style

North Walsham High School's 2014 Prom took place at The Old Rectory in Crostwick, with over 120 Year 11 students celebrating the end of their GCSE exams. In keeping with Prom tradition, students arrived in a dazzling variety of modes of transport, in a procession which took over an hour to make its way to the front door of the venue. Deputy Head Chris Tooth said, "After months of really hard work, this was the time for our Year 11 students to celebrate the end of exams in the traditional manner. Much thought and effort went into making the grand entrance, and the procession of weird and wonderful vehicles got the evening off to a great start. "The Prom was organised by a committee of students themselves, along with our administrator Suzie Sharp, and it is a tribute to their hard work that the event was such a success." *More photographs on the NWHS website*



German Exchange Sunday 14th September - Saturday 20th September



This is the first part of the exchange where Mayen students come over to the UK and spend a week living with a volunteer host family. They will be involved in trips out and time spent in school. This is an amazing opportunity and is open to all Year 10 students and also on an invited only basis to any year 11s who were involved in hosting the last exchange.

Anyone involved in stage 1 of the exchange in September (hosting) will be able to take part in stage 2, July 2015, at a heavily subsidized price of just £50 for a week's exchange in Germany.

With this in mind, we anticipate that this exchange will be in high demand and so it will be a first come first served basis. Any further questions regarding any aspect/concern with the exchange, please feel free to contact Emma Walker

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