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Old Buckenham High School

STUDENT Bulletin

Week Beginning 12th July 2021

Be the best we can be

Have a great Summer Break!



Summer Holidays

School closes on Friday 16th July and reopens to students on Monday 6th September.

Summer Sports Clubs 3.15 – 4.15 (Open to all year groups)

Monday	Box Fit (<i>Girls only</i>) Rounders
Tuesday	Cricket
Thursday	Tennis

School Allotment Club 3.15 – 4.15

Monday	Years 7 and 8
Wednesday	Years 9 and 10

Sports Day Wednesday 14th July

Students who are competing will need to arrive at school in their PE kits, the changing rooms will not be open for them to change. They need to ensure they have sun cream and water with them.

Students who are not competing must be in correct school uniform.

Unfortunately, for Covid reasons parents/carers will not be able to attend. If unsuitable weather looks like it is going to upset proceedings a decision will be made in the morning. In the event of sports day being cancelled a normal school day will go ahead.

Vaccinations Tuesday 13th July

The School Immunisation Team are in school for a general catch-up session. Parents and Carers of the students involved have been informed. Year 9 and 10 will be having Men ACWY & DTP, Year 8, 9 and 10 HPV. If you have any queries, please contact them on 0300 555 5055 selecting option for Norfolk.

Instrumental Music Lessons

Would you like to learn a musical instrument, or start learning again? There are spaces available from September with all the music instrument teachers who visit the school. Lessons are available in: Piano; Guitar; Drums; Woodwind (saxophone, flute etc), Strings (violin and 'cello) and Singing. There is a charge for these lessons and information is available from Mr Jay. Shared lessons are available for some instruments which would reduce the cost.

School Library

Students are welcome to keep their school library reading books over the summer, however they must keep them safe and return or renew them in September.

Lockers

Please can students be reminded to completely empty their lockers before the end of term as we cannot guarantee they will be issued the same one next year.

Star of the Week

Y7	Oliver H 7Y – For his excellent progress and attitude in English.
Yrs 8 & 9	Mr Cowan has nominated the whole year group for Y8 and Y9 for their conduct on the trip to Thorpe Woodlands. You made him very proud. Well done!
Y10	Poppy B 10P – For supporting and caring about the well-being of others.

Lost Property – Last chance to collect

All items unclaimed by the end of the school year will be disposed of: -

Dark blue Nike zip up jacket (found on bus after Thorpe Woodlands trip Thursday)
Black 'Mckenzie' padded coat
Plain black pencil case containing calculator, pencils, scissors, glue stick etc.
Clear pencil case with red zip containing stationery
Clear pencil case with yellow zip containing stationery
Pale Blue pencil case containing stationery
Grey zipped pencil case with yellow painted insect on front.
Water bottle 'Quorn' logo on front
Nike backpack
Boys P.E. rugby top
Adidas waterproof jacket
Trespass black jacket
Girls grey P.E. jumper
Black scarf with grey stripes
Plain black V-neck jumper



Careers Bulletin – Explore your Future!

Welcome to the weekly careers bulletin for students to help them discover the career pathways available for their future options. The bulletin will provide information about different industry sectors and the jobs available within them, plus details of education and training opportunities.

Explore your career ideas: Have a go at the *Skills-O-Meter* quiz on the *icanbea* website <https://www.icanbea.org.uk/skills-o-meter/> It will show you a series of statements about different job roles and you can choose an emoji for each one to show if you would like to do it or not! At the end, the *Skills-O-Meter* will produce a list of jobs based on your answers and you can explore these further on <https://www.icanbea.org.uk/app/explore/jobroles/>

‘Careers & Coffee’ virtual talks from New Anglia Employers:

Tillie Banyard is a **Hairstylist and salon owner** so will be talking about her career journey and managing a busy salon. Tillie’s talk is on Tuesday 13th July at 4.30.

YouTube - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xxSUrDj4IRY> Twitch - <https://www.twitch.tv/NewAngliaEAN>

You can watch the talk live or catch up later. The ‘Careers & Coffee’ talks have been taking place for several weeks and have covered a wide range of jobs and organisations. You can watch past episodes here: [Season 3](#)

Careers in the Royal Navy: What does the Royal Navy do, and what job roles are available? You can find out here [Why Choose a Career in the Royal Navy? | Reasons to Join \(mod.uk\)](#) and then take a look at the ‘Day in the Life’ profiles here [Royal Navy Life | Six Examples of a Typical Day in the Navy \(mod.uk\)](#)

For Years 9 and 10

Careers in Property Development: Here is a free online course for the summer holidays! Would you like to find out about becoming a Property Developer? This free online **Pathways to Property** course from FutureLearn allows you to work at your own pace at times which are convenient for you, and it will take approximately 6 hours to complete. You will need to register, so speak to your parent/carer if you are interested.

[Pathways to Property - Online Course \(futurelearn.com\)](#)

For Year 10

Creating a CV: If you would like to start building your CV, you can use the CV Builder on the *icanbea* website <https://cv.icanbea.org.uk/> You will need to set up an account, so check with your parent/carer first. You can then go back to your CV during Year 11 and update it as you go along.

Have a great summer break everyone!