

Old Buckenham High School

STUDENT Bulletin

Week Beginning 28th September 2020

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Be the best we can be

	MON 28 TH	TUES 29 TH	WED 30 TH	THUR 1 ST	FRI 2 ND
Notes		Careers Interviews		Y7 Settling in Evening Cancelled	
Events					

Star of the Week

- Y7 Hayden B 7B – For making excellent progress in such a short space of time.
Y8 Alfred H 8CO – For a superb start to the school year. Well done Alfred!
Mia M 8B – For a brilliant week, 11 positive events. Well done Mia!
Y9 Jamie C 9CR – For working incredibly hard in Science and for helping other students. Well done Jamie!
Y10 Megan R 10B – For a positive start to the year, showing an excellent attitude to learning in Enterprise and Marketing.
Y11 Emily T 11CO – For showing a positive attitude around school.

Attendance

Whole School Weekly 90.34% Cumulative 93.20%

Year 7 Flu Immunisation Programme

Just a reminder that the portal deadline is 30th September for you to consent or decline your Year 7 child having the nasal flu immunisation in School on 1st December.

If you have any questions regarding this immunisation or are having problems with the online registration, please contact the School Immunisation Team on 0300 555 5055 or email them at ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net

NHS Test and Trace

Please see attached a letter from the NHS to Parents and Carers with important information regarding Test and Trace.

Friends of Old Buckenham High School

Firstly, thank you to everyone for raising donations for Friends of Old Buckenham High School with easyfundraising! If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 4,300 shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to do your everyday online shopping - at no extra cost to you! Every donation you raise makes a difference to us so please sign up & share today.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/obhs/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_content=cpl

Secondly, new members are urgently needed to join the Friends of OBHS. There are currently 8 of us on the committee, 2 are standing down as they no longer have children at OBHS. A further 3 of us will be finishing at the end of this academic year when our children leave the school.

This means the Friends will be in real danger of folding if we do not get more support and people on board. This would be devastating to the school and students, as all of the monies we raise goes directly to purchase items to benefit the students in school. For those who are unaware of the sort of things we have supported the school with over recent years, they include:

Sewing machines, kitchen equipment and other resources for the Technology dept; prizes for the Great Old Buck Bake Off that happened last term; £230 Lego mindstorm kit for the Science dept; Hockey kits, handball goals, lawn tennis annual subscriptions for the PE dept; keyboards, guitars, sound mixing desk and a new drum kit for the music dept; printing press, purchase of a GoGo Hare and associated resources, Open Studio fees for the Art dept; exam reader pens and large exam clocks; water fountain; donations towards the annual year 11 prom. As you can see, our efforts really do benefit the school - many of these purchases would not have been possible without the Friends.

In the current climate, our fundraising has been severely impacted, due to not being able to sell refreshments at school concerts and the annual production. We are committed to continue to try and fundraise where we can, in the hopes of a more normal future. We would love some new faces to help us continue this going forwards.

Finally, please see below details of our Bag2School collection.

Careers Guidance Appointments - Tuesday 29th September 2020

Careers Interviews take place in the Meeting Room in front of Mrs Picksley's room with our Careers Adviser, Ellen Alexander.

<u>Time</u>	<u>Student</u>	
Period One 8.55am – 9.25am	Emily T	11CO
Period One 9.25am – 9.55am	William S	11F
Period One 9.55am – 10.25am	Megan R	11F
<i>Break 10.25am – 10.45am</i>		
Base Time 10.45am – 11.05am		
Period Two 11.05am – 11.35am	Kaitlin H	11CO
Period Two 11.35am – 12.05pm	Jess N	11CO
Period Two 12.05pm – 12.35pm	Eve B	11CO
<i>Lunch 12.40pm – 1.10pm</i>	<i>Year 11 Drop-in Session, no appointment needed</i>	
IL 1.10pm – 1.40pm	Kirsty E	11CO
Period Three 1.40pm – 2.10pm	Katie M	11CO
Period Three 2.10pm – 2.40pm	Henry H	11T
Period Three 2.40pm – 3.10pm	Marcel A	11CO

The Friends of OBHS are participating again in a fundraising recycling project in partnership with “Bag2School” – a company that recycle good quality second-hand clothing items. We took part last year and raised a fantastic amount. Bags to be filled are available from the school reception office but they also accept filled black sacks. The more we collect the more we will benefit, as all bags are weighed, and we are paid by total weight.

This is a great opportunity to have a clear out of unwanted items and in turn school will benefit! Please return any filled bags to school by Monday 12th October. There will be a dedicated wheelie bin for you to donate any filled bags outside the main reception at school.

WHAT WE COLLECT



We accept the following ‘good quality’ items for RE-USE*:

- Men’s, Ladies’ and Children’s clothing
 - Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
 - Handbags
 - Hats
 - Bags
 - Scarves and ties
 - Jewellery
 - Lingerie
 - Socks
 - Belts
 - Soft toys
 - Household linen
 - Household curtains
 - Household towels
 - Household bedding (bed sheets, pillowcases and duvet covers)
- * We reserve the right to refuse any unsuitable items*

*We **DO NOT** accept:*

- *Duvets and blankets*
- *Pillows and cushions*
- *Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)*
- *Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing*
- *School uniforms with and without logo*
- *Corporate clothing and workwear*
- *Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material*

In these difficult times, our fundraising has been hugely impacted, so this is one way we can continue our fundraising efforts. Many thanks for your support.