

FRIDAY APRIL 16th 2021

# **Headteacher's messag**

his week has flown by and it has been wonderful to see all our students back in school and engaging in their lessons. It has also been fabulous to see them all out and about at lunchtime and enjoying the welcome warmer weather, sun-shine and fresh air.

As the Easter break closed, we all heard the news of Prince Phillip, the Duke of Edinburgh's, passing. The Duke of Edinburgh's funeral will take place on Saturday, 17th April at 3pm in St George's Chapel, Windsor.

The funeral service will begin with a national minute's silence at 3pm. The service will be preceded by a ceremonial procession inside the grounds of Windsor Castle.

The plans for the funeral are in line with The Duke of Edinburgh's own personal wishes, and the occasion will recognise and celebrate The Duke's life and his

### No parking on yellow zig-zag lines

Despite a previous email to all parents and carers, unfortunately, a small minority of drivers continue to pull up and stop on the yellow zig zag lines outside the front of the school.

Please see the signage present in this area which is really clear.

Photographs will now be taken of car registrations and where repeat incidences occur, these will be reported to the local policing team.



more than 70 years of service to Her Majesty The Queen, the UK and the Commonwealth.

There is no doubt the Duke will leave a lasting legacy in many ways but, in particular, The Duke of Édinburgh Award Scheme is widely recognised as the world's leading youth achievement award. Now operating in more than 140 countries, the DofE has helped to transform the lives of millions of young people in the United Kingdom and across the globe.

As someone who has led DofE expeditions in the past, alongside Mr Edwards (Assistant Head -Behaviour), I am delighted to report that just before Easter, Headlands School successfully completed our application to become a DofE Centre.

More than 20 staff have volunteered their time and energy into supporting this scheme, which will be led and organised by Mr

Hoult (Subject Leader - PE) and Miss Mulligan (Assistant Director of Sixth Form). This is a really exciting development for our students and I can't wait to report back on their first expedition!

Finally, next week our Year 11 and Year 13 students begin undertaking two weeks of mock examinations. I am sure you will all join me in wishing them good luck.

Like all of our students, many in these year groups have found the last 12 months incredibly tough. However, Mrs Stamford (Deputy Head - Quality of Education) and I continue to feel so proud of how hard they are all working and how determined they are to succeed.

Keep up the great work! #Classof2021

Stay safe and well.

#### Sarah Bone



Thanks to our wonderful school community, we received a total of 50 laptops, tablets and iPad donations to help Team Headlands students with their learning at home during the lockdown. A special shout out goes to Hull Children's University, which donated 11 laptops.

Funding support has also been received from Leonard Chamberlain Trust, The Lords Feoffees, The Ernest Cook Trust and from personal donations made to our JustGiving page. This has helped to fund 37 Chromebooks for our students most in need.

You have helped us to provide our students in need with access to devices that will not only support their studies during the recent lockdown but also in their future studies. Regardless of lockdown this time has highlighted the issues some families face due to lack of access to technology. Thank you for playing a huge part in our initiative to help our students get online.



We are seeking to recruit enthusiastic Learning Tutors, responsible for helping students with Special Educational requirements to learn and achieve. Find out more on the Recruitment page of the school website, on Facebook or Twitter.



#### HEADLANDS SCHOOL

## EXTRA CURRICULAR TIMETABLE SUMMER TERM 2021

#### MONDAY

Breakfast Club: LRC 8:10am AFTER SCHOOL Homework/Revision Year 7: LRC Year 8 Cooking Club: Room 40 ICT - Coding: Room 60 Year 7 and 8 Rounders Year 9 and 10 Cricket (Boys and Girls) Year 7 Drama - Dance Studio

## TUESDAY

Breakfast Club: LRC 8:10am LUNCHTIME

Year 7 and 8 Homework Catch Up: Room 60/61

Word Games - Room 7

AFTER SCHOOL

Homework/Revision Year 8: LRC Year 7 Basketball Girls Football

#### **WEDNESDAY**

Breakfast Club: LRC 8:10am AFTER SCHOOL Homework/Revision Year 9: LRC Year 7 Geogra-fun: Room 21 Year 9 Greenpower Car: Room 35 Badminton Year 7 and 8 Year 7 and 8 Boys Rugby

#### THURSDAY

Breakfast Club: LRC 8:10am AFTER SCHOOL Homework/Revision Year 10: LRC Year 9 and 10 Rounders Year 7 and 8 Cricket (Boys and Girls)

## FRIDAY

Breakfast Club: LRC 8:10am LUNCHTIME Skateboarding club: PE AFTER SCHOOL Gymnastics (Competition Squad Only)

## VIRTUAL ACTIVITIES

The Extra-Curricular Google Classroom Code is 5fkomis Cooking Club Sports Mindfulness Technology Quizzes and Challenges Crafts Performing Arts Other classrooms and codes Travel Ambassadors (qakhzfe) Maths X Factor (4ysve5n) Art (gxstzoi) STEM (dl3a4rf) English reading club (x7ic5at) Words of the week (6mg2ifg) Geogra-fun (pnwzn6c) Digital Art (ajjqoqb)

#TeamHeadlands extracurricular clubs and activities start up again from Monday, 19th April.

Students will only be offered opportunities within their existing school bubble.

Students are encouraged to see the relevant staff for an activity they are interested in to see when or if they are able to sign up and attend..

As always, students will be rewarded with 100 stamps every time they attend a club or activity.

# **Careers Corner**

- This is the link for the latest Labour Market Information newsletter for March/April 2021 from LMI Humber: https:// lmihumber.co.uk/wp-content/ uploads/2021/03/March-April-2021-.pdf
- Skills Humber, the largest skills, career and apprenticeship event in the region will be virtual in

April! Sponsors and partners this year are: Humber LEP, Hull City Council, T-Levels and NHS Health Careers alongside 40 other exhibitors.

This free event brings young people from the region into contact with employers, training providers, colleges, universities and professional bodies. The event offers free insight and impartial advice with the option to visit as many virtual stands as possible and talk to the different organisations exhibiting. It is being held on Wednesday 21st April from 9:30am to 6pm. Find out more at: https://prospectsevents.co.uk/our -events/skills-england/skillshumber-2021. Register to attend at: https:// www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/skillshumber-2021-family-individualregistration-registration-111790749140

• The Team Headlands Careers Google Classroom is suitable for all year groups. The code is auz5ijv.