



# Headlands HEADLINES

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## Message from Mrs Stamford

Welcome back! I hope everyone had a good half-term and a restful break ready for what will be another busy half-term.

On the last day of term, I had the pleasure of judging the Young Future Chef competition. Four incredibly talented students created meals in a set time. Dishes included, a curry with home-made chapatis, chicken and vegetables in a creamy mushroom sauce, lasagne and fish goujon burgers. I must commend all students on how fabulous their dishes tasted - we have some very talented chefs at

Headlands School! The winners going through to the next round at Hull College are Josh (Yr 11) and Isaac. (Yr 9)

Congratulations and good luck in the next round!

This week, students have been performing 'Hollowfield', a play written by our very own Mr Wilson!

The play was absolutely fantastic and the students who have taken part in this show have shown real dedication and commitment during rehearsals which has resulted in great entertainment for the audience. Thank you to the

staff and students involved and to everyone who supported the show by coming to watch it.

A reminder to parents/ carers of Year 11 and 13 that mock exams began today (4 November). All students should have received their exam timetables via Edulink but if this not the case, please ask your child to see Mrs Bennett, the Exams Officer.

Amy Stamford  
Head of School

## National Champion - Oliver Male!

Over the half-term holidays Oliver competed in a national championship in London in the under 70kg category. Oliver had two boxing matches over one weekend and absolutely dominated in both bouts. As a "southpaw" boxer, Oliver demonstrated a gritty display of quality technical boxing, was always going forward, and as a result of his relentless pace and quick, on target responses, he beat a previously unbeaten opponent in the final. An amazing achievement for a student who has worked incredibly hard behind the scenes to work on both his boxing skills and fitness to ensure he could "out box" his fellow competitors. #TeamHeadlands are super proud of your Oliver! Onwards and upwards now!





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## Mrs Bone's Newsflash

So this week I have two Sporting Superstars to mention to you in this week's edition. The first is Oliver Male (Year 11) You can read more about his sporting successes over half-term further on in this Newsletter. However I just wanted to highlight here how immensely proud everyone at Headlands School is of Oliver's achievements to date in the boxing ring. If anyone knows Oliver, he is incredibly modest about his boxing talents and does shy away from the limelight. Oliver this really is your chance to shine and everyone here at Headlands is completely behind you! Good luck in the next few weeks -

we know you have some more tournaments ahead of you. Whatever the outcome we know you will have given it your all! Well done again.

Then at the start of the working week I received a wonderful email from Leeds United Football Academy informing me that Owen Grainger, also in Year 11, had secured a Scholarship with the Club. This is a brilliant achievement for a student who has dedicated hours and hours of his teenage years to his chosen sport. I can still remember meeting Owen in Year 7 with a Leeds United Representative at the start of his Headlands School journey, and I can't believe how

quickly time has flown. Owen stands out as a football player because of his unbelievable 100% tunnel vision and dedication to improving his skills. His Academy Reports always reflect his willingness to listen to his coaches, take on board constructive feedback and he always works hard to improve his game. As with Oliver, the team here at Headlands are totally behind you and know you will have to juggle your professional football career alongside ambitious GCSE grades - Go Owen!

Best Wishes

Mrs S Bone

Executive Headteacher

On Thursday 20 October four students, Caitlin Whiting, Isaac Hatton, Harvey Brook and Josh Jobson took part in the first heat of the future chef competition. They made some amazing dishes, Caitlin made a lasagne with side salad, Harvey made coated sea bass burgers with syrup glazed onions, garlic and wedges with cherry tomatoes and french beans. Isaac made chicken curry with turmeric rice and chapatis, Josh made chicken in a creamy mushroom sauce, homemade bread with carrots and baby corn. All of the dishes were presented well and had super flavour. It was very difficult to choose two students to compete at Hull College in December, after being tasted and discussed by the judges, Mrs Stamford, Mr Shaw, Mr Wier and Mrs Jones the decision was made that Josh and Isaac should go through to the next stage at Hull College to compete against other future chefs in Hull and the East riding. Well done to all! - Mrs Jones





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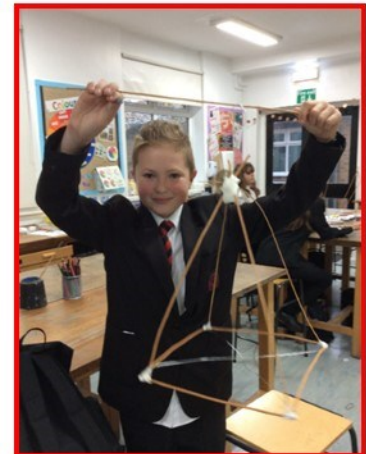
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## Art Club

**Art Club is busy making lanterns from willow ready to celebrate the old town lantern festival in the upcoming weeks. We have made a great start already and are looking forward to adding individual designs this week.**

**Don't forget that you can hear a selection of student and staff voices at the Artwaves exhibition, as we collaborated with Mark Parry and are now part of his light and sound installation. We are also exhibiting our Plastic Paradise installation from our summer term Art Club. Artwaves is a free event at the Bridlington Spa this weekend, there are lots of arty activities and exhibits to explore.**



Ten Year 11 students from the GCSE 3D Design course and the ARC who have shown an interest in careers within the construction industry visited the Foundations Live event. Provided by Hobson Porters of Hull, this event brought together a wide range of companies, trades people and education establishments from across the Construction industry. Companies had a wide variety of materials and equipment on show from tracked vehicles, robotic pipe surveyors down to tubes of specialised underwater sealant. All the employers were very engaging and students certainly enjoyed themselves. Students had a demonstration in the use of Virtual Reality headsets by a Hull based architect who completed a building design for the Hull4Hereos village. They got hands on with a Gas Network pipe surveying robot, took on the Kitchen cabinet challenge and got an insight into new methods for flat pack cabinet construction learning about machining and fixing methods. Students also got to see Mark Millar (of the BBC's DIY SOS fame) who attended the event conducting TV interviews with companies and students. Students came away from the event with a wide range of information leaflets and even some very generous freebies from pens and notepads to water bottles, hats and t-shirts, all sponsored by the Companies at the event.

