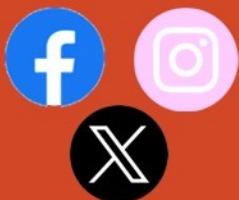


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Message from Mrs Stamford

Shrek the musical, what a show!
A big well done and thank you to all involved. We have such amazingly talented students and staff here at Headlands School and what a show they put on!!

Here's a few of the after show comments to sum up an amazing evening at the theatre!

"Simply brilliant, better than the West End!"

"A monster show with a magical cast!"

"The production blew me away and it was lovely to see so many students and staff involved!"

"Better than Gareth Gates last week!"

"Great to see such talented students from all year groups joining together for a

stunning and entertaining performance!"

"What fairy tales are all about!"

"That'll do donkey, that'll do!"

In other news this week, we have been giving reports out to students across all year groups. Students are receiving reports from the following staff:

Year 7- Mrs Bone & Mrs Woodward

Year 8- Mr Cooke & Miss Dearing

Year 9- Mrs Roberts & Mr Fraser

Year 10- Mr Woolley & Mr Stamper

Year 11- Mrs Stamford & Mrs Rogers

Year 12- Mr Harah

Year 13- Mrs Stamford

Reports will be sent home by 22 March 2024.

Thank you to parents who attended the Sixth Form Parents Evening last night, I hope you found the evening helpful and informative in terms of your child's next steps. A reminder that next Thursday 7th March is our Year 9 Options Evening/ Parents Evening from 4pm-7pm. Please make appointments via the Edulink App but this is an in person event in the Sports Hall at the school. We are looking forward to seeing you to support your child in making positive choices for their options.

Mrs Stamford
Head of School

Well Done Jamie – we are very proud of you!

Jamie Moore is part of a power chair football club. His team (The Electric Eels) played in the Murray Watson Cup Tournament, which took place in Leeds. Not only did they get to the final – they won the cup! He proudly brought in the Murray Watson Cup to show us.



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Mrs Bone's Newsflash

This week Mr Stamper (Associate Assistant Head - Community) has led Assemblies on future careers and Post-16 and Post-18 opportunities for our students. As the lead school in the Humber region for careers, we can not underestimate how significant these regular opportunities to think about and discuss future employment routes are. Indeed students in Year 9 have this week also been having 1-2-1

conversations with a Careers Professional on their "next steps." These are completely impartial conversations and are intended to assist students in making informed choices about their GCSE options in the coming weeks. These activities do not happen by chance and do not happen in all schools. The Careers Fair that will run alongside Year 9 Parents Evening next week is unique to Headlands School and sets

us apart from other secondary schools both across the region and indeed the country. Exciting times ahead for our students as we leave a very wet Winter behind and head into the optimism of Spring, with lighter and longer days ahead.

Have a good weekend,
Mrs Bone
Executive Head

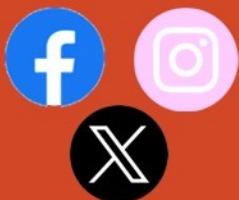
National Careers Week 2024

Next week is National Careers Week so it is a great time to remind students and parents/carers about the brilliant all year round careers provision we have at Headlands. There are a huge amount of activities that go on from Year 7 through to Year 13 to help students have high aspirations and to make positive informed choices about their future. To find out more please see our website (<https://headlandsschool.co.uk/careers/>). The Careers Google Classroom is an area that is full of up to date careers information and opportunities (code: auz5ijv) and is well worth students signing up to.

Here is an excellent guide giving an overview of what's available for students at 16 and 18 years' old and it also summarises different routes your child can take into the workplace ([Click Here](#)).

Mr Stamper is always available to support students with their aspirations and their next steps to have a fantastic future and can be contacted through admin@headlandsschool.co.uk

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STEM



Five Year 11 students visited East Riding College to take part in a Bricklaying taster course on Thursday 29th February. The session was led by Mr D Marshall (Course tutor) which involved a walk round, discussion about the construction industry and the facilities at the ER College site. Mr Marshall highlighted the sustainability of the

course, as all of the walls etc that are built, are taken down after assessment, the bricks cleaned up and the mortar reused. They use a lime based mortar and have a machine to recycle the used mortar for use over and over again.

Students were then given a demonstration on how to set out a course of bricks working to basic building standards. Mr Marshall highlighted the need for a sound understanding of maths as brick dimensions, mortar depths and standard house sizes were discussed. This was followed by each student having their own work area and constructing a 5 course brick wall. ER College students completing the Level 1/2 Bricklaying course were on hand to give advice and support. Nearly all of our students had never had a go at bricklaying and this made the results of their brick walls very impressive. Several students are now considering Bricklaying as a future career option.

