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Message from Mrs Stamford

We are now half way through this half term and the busyness just continues!!

Congratulations to Jacob Taylor in Year 8 for scoring our first 180 in the darts competition!

Our Next Gen Leaders have made a splash in the Bridlington Echo! The Next Gen Leaders Programme is a youth leadership initiative aimed at empowering young individuals to become responsible leaders through project-based learning and youth participatory action. Lots of our students have been involved in community projects including Harry

Douthwaite who ran 5k every day for a month to raise money for children's hospitals in the area. A phenomenal achievement. Well done to all of our students who are taking part in the Next Gen Leaders project and making a real difference within our community.

It is this time of the year when we begin to explore potential work experience placements for our Year 10 students. If your child is struggling to find a work placement, please get in touch with Mr Stamper for further ideas and information. Students who have secured their placements can we ask that all forms

are completed and returned to Mr Stamper as soon as possible.

Applications for our Sixth Form remain open and Mr Harah has now interviewed over 70 students! If you still wish to apply to the Sixth Form, please get your application in before 14 February. This will enable us to put the option blocks together and ensure students get their first choice subjects.

Mrs Stamford

Head of School

Mrs Bone's Newsflash

This week Mr Murray, Director of English has led Assemblies on the English curriculum from Years 7-13. Through his Assembly we were shown the Long Term Curriculum Plan for English which can be found here on the school website -

https://headlandsschool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/7-year-Curriculum-Map-website-doc.pdf

and provides references to the text students will be reading through the years. Worth a look if you want to help your child(ren) get ahead in terms of their reading.

Local Authority Visit to The ARC - this week was incredibly positive and the students spoke really well and highly of the relational approach The ARC staff adopt when supporting them in

and outside of lessons.

Students reported they valued the smaller teaching groups, the ability to interact with staff to help support their emotions and recognised the unique curriculum opportunities they had to support their engagement in learning.

Their key "Areas for Development" where they would like more Learning Tutors (yes we know!) to support their learning in and outside the classroom, to see mainstream staff popping in to see them more often and celebrating the learning they are undertaking, and finally for the Local Authority to invest in their learning environment and facilities they have on offer.

Their messaging was really clearly

delivered and in a very mature manner. We received a wonderful email back from the Local Authority complimenting students on their ability to engage in the discussion and conversation and to support us in looking to find ways to make The ARC even better!

Have a good weekend everyone and enjoy the sunshine (not wind!) on Saturday!

Best wishes,
Mrs Bone
Executive Head

180!

Jacob Taylor has hit the first
Headlands 180! Massive
congratulations and hopefully a
lot more to come, he will be very
sought after for the doubles
tournament next half term! Well
done Jacob.







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