

# J6th News & Events

April 2019

## Exam Practice Sessions

Both sites will be running exam practice sessions (days are flexible) where students can bring along a past paper and have a go at sitting it in exam conditions. This helps students with time management, gets them used to working in the exam-style environment and gives them a chance to improve on their exam technique. See Mr Wright or Miss Cooper to sign up.

## J6th Football Team

Congratulations to all students involved in the hard fought competitive fixture against St. Mary's last month, which ended in a J6th 3-2 win.

10 students from the J6th were involved in a 8-a-side tournament at Hull Collegiate yesterday. We were one of 10 teams involved in the tournament, which was split into two groups. In games of high intensity football for 16 minutes on full sized pitches, they played really well as a team and did the school extremely proud. The J6th students topped their group and then went on to win in the final against a strong Scarborough College side. The students played some fantastic football and were the standout team in the tournament.

A superb achievement, congratulations to all students involved. A massive success for the J6th to win a tournament of this prestigious status. Hopefully we can try and retain the trophy next year.



Comic Relief

Both schools participated in Red Nose Day on Friday 15th March with a variety of activities taking place during the day.

### **CYCLONE IDAI APPEAL**

One of our Year 13 students decided to set up a non-uniform day at BGS on Friday 29th March to help raise funds for Cyclone Idai.

### **Year 13 Prom**

A date for Year 13 students' diaries. The annual Year 13 Prom will take place at Cave Castle on Saturday 29th June - a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the end of students' time at Beverley J6th. Tickets are £28 and must be paid for via BGS or BHS Parent Pay.

### **Government & Politics**

The G&P students have been very busy; the Year 13 students attended the annual Politics Revision Day in Manchester to help them maximise marks for their upcoming exams. The Year 12 students recently visited Parliament and the Supreme Court on 3rd April. Mrs Richardson commented on how students were a credit to the J6th and other members of staff commented on how enthusiastic and passionate they were about the subject.

### **University Preparations for Year 12**

An event was held on Thursday 28th March at BHS to give guidance for those students considering an early application to UCAS for Medicine, medicine related subjects or Oxbridge. In the coming months all Year 12 students will begin working on their UCAS applications and attending Open Days. Students and parents are welcome to contact either 6th form office with any questions.

### **Year 12 Work Experience**

A reminder that all Year 12 students need to complete a weeks work experience during the last week of the school year, 15th July to 19th July. A form needs to be filled in and then returned to either J6th office. If students have any questions or concerns please see Miss Cooper or Mr Wright.



Following on from the MIND tutorial earlier this month a drop in session has been offered to all students on a Thursday lunchtime at BHS in SF2. It's really important for the students to look after their mental wellbeing especially at this busy time of year so it is important to seek support. If you would like to know more about this drop in session please speak to Mr Wright or Miss Cooper.

### **Law**

8 Students from Year 13 took part in a Law revision conference in Manchester on Friday 29th March. It was a successful day for all and a great opportunity to find out revision tips and techniques.

### **Careers Advisor Appointments Available**

Mrs Darvell is our Careers Advisor and she works on both sites. If you would like an appointment to discuss your future aspirations please ask Mr Wright or Miss Cooper to arrange this.

### **R-evolution**

We recently had R-evolution come speak to both Year 12 & 13 about a fantastic opportunity for young people within the East Yorkshire area. R-evolution are setting up their very own Cycle Academy for 16-18 year olds. If you are interested in finding out more, please contact Mrs Field.

### **[www.beverleyj6.co.uk](http://www.beverleyj6.co.uk)**

Please visit our website. A wealth of information is available on everything from Year 12 examination timetables to guidance on University applications

### **Relaunch of J6th Blog - Purple and White**

Watch this space for the re-launch of the J6th blog - we have a group of students already interested and updates will be posted on [www.beverleyj6.co.uk](http://www.beverleyj6.co.uk) and our Twitter feed @beverleyj6

### **UCAT and BMAT Preparation Sessions**

Sessions for Year 12 students who need to sit the UCAT or BMAT examinations are on every Thursday lunchtime in M6 at BGS. Contact Mrs Field for further details.

### Twitter

Keep up to date with all guest speakers, sporting events etc that happen in the J6th by following our twitter account: @beverleyj6

### Student/Pastoral Support

If you have an issue or query to do with your child that is not related to an individual subject, please contact either pastoral manager; they are always happy to help:

Beverley High Pastoral Manager: Miss Cooper [a.cooper@beverleyhigh.net](mailto:a.cooper@beverleyhigh.net)

Beverley Grammar Pastoral Manager: Mr Wright [s.wright@beverleygrammar.co.uk](mailto:s.wright@beverleygrammar.co.uk)

### KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

5th April - Science Practical work write-ups deadline

5th April - Y13 Final History Coursework deadline (1pm BGS J6th Office)

8th April - Start of Easter Holidays

22nd April - Bank Holiday, both schools close

23rd April - Schools back after Holidays

6th May - May Day - Schools closed

17th May - Y13s last day before study leave

27th May - May half-term starts

3rd June - Schools back after half-term

17th June - 28th June inclusive - Y12 Mock exams, study leave during the exams.

18th June - UCAS Convention for Y12

28th June - Y13 Leavers Assembly

29th June - Y13 Prom at Cave Castle

1st July - Y12 lessons start again

12th July - Last day of lessons for Y12

Week commencing 15th July - Y12 Work Experience/Biology Trip/Sri Lanka Trip

15th August - A Level Results Day