

**Term 5 – Week 6 – Friday 26 May 2017**

Weekly message from the Interim  
Headteacher - Lynton Golds

Dear Parents/Guardians

First of all, let me wish you an enjoyable half term break. School finishes on Friday 26 May for all students and resumes on **Monday 5 June**. It will be **Week 2** of the timetable.

The GCSEs continue for our Year 11 students and we wish them all, every success. The Year 11 leavers' assembly last week was led by Mrs James, acting Deputy Headteacher and many staff celebrated with the students afterwards. It was a pity that the weather was not on our side this year and the BBQ planned for outside had to be reorganised because it rained so much during the afternoon! However, everyone still enjoyed themselves. We look forward to the Year 11 Prom which is the next big social event in the school calendar.

Next term we look forward to Ms Danielle Kingsley, our SENCo, returning to work.

Finally, thank you for your on-going support. I have no further news regarding the substantive Headteacher, Mr Downs, but will keep you updated once I know anything further.

*Lynton K Golds*  
Interim Headteacher

**College re-opens to students  
on  
Monday 5 June at 8.50 am**

**Credit/Special Achievement Totals to date 2016-17**

Artisans: 11171 credits, 912 Special Achievements  
Mariners: 12158 credits, 1023 Special Achievements  
Smugglers: 11029 credits, 926 Special Achievements

**Well done to all!**

**Attendance Data—19/05/2017—25/05/2017**

House attendance data:  
Artisans: 95.9%  
Mariners: 95.5%  
Smugglers: 94.8%

Well done to **MSH** who achieved the best Mentor Group attendance for this week, at **99.7%**

**Key Dates for the week after  
half term**

- Week 2 on the student timetable
- Year 11 GCSE examinations continue



## Upcoming Events

- ◆ 5 June—College re-opens to students, 8.50 am
- ◆ 28 June—Year 11 Prom
- ◆ 29 June—Year 10 Parents' Evening (2nd one)

## Every Little Helps!

A reminder that if you shop at Tesco's, please ask for a blue token and put it in the Robertsbridge Community College Living Garden charity box. If we win, we will be awarded money to be spent on the garden.

Your support is very much appreciated by all.



## MFL News

Our Word of the Week this week is the phrase 'it is sunny'

- ◆ en français – il y a du soleil
- ◆ en español – hace sol
- ◆ auf Deutsch – es ist sonnig

A special achievement will be given to any student who can translate this sentence:

### Today, it is sunny

See Miss Ashton-Cobb to claim your special achievement.

After half term, after school revision sessions for Year 10 will be starting. Please see your language teacher for more information.

We have now finished our film this term in MFL Film club. Watch this space for reviews!

Next term we will be watching Miss Peregrine's home for peculiar children. As this film is a 12A, any student wishing to come to film club who is under 12 will need a **signed note** from their parents in their planner.

**Miss Ashton-Cobb, Teacher of MFL**



## Notice for Year 10 Drama Students

If you did not come and watch 'The Woman in Black' you will need to have seen a live theatre production prior to your mock exam on 22 June.

I will be showing a recorded version of 'The Railway Children' which was filmed live at The King's Cross Theatre last summer and this would be perfectly suitable to use for your mock exam.

It is quite a long production so will be split across two showings at the following times:

**Thursday 8 June 3.30 – 5.00 pm in A9**

**Friday 9 June 1.10 – 1.30 pm in A9**

If you are interested then please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the door of A9 so I know who to expect and how many guide notes to print. Whilst this is aimed at those who have not seen live theatre, all Year 10 Drama students are welcome!

Please see me if you would like further information.

**Miss Meugens, Subject Leader of Drama**





## Garden Visitors

This week we had a slightly damp but enjoyable afternoon in the garden with local Liberal Democrat Candidate, Joel Kemp. He was accompanied by our local councillor Sue Prochak. Our Student Health Ambassadors loved showing them around the garden and talking through our plans.

We are also having a mock election in school and our student Lib Dem candidates relished the opportunity to quiz Joel on his policies!



Our JustGiving page has now closed but we would like to thank everyone who donated - with your help we raised £670 for the garden.

In other fundraising news, The Grand Spring Raffle will be being drawn today and we will be notifying all winners after the May half term.

The Tesco's 'Bags of Help' is also still in stores; please collect your blue tokens and vote for us. We massively appreciate your support.

## Half Term Help Required!

The plan is that, if the weather is good on Tuesday in half term—30 May, we will be up in the garden finishing off the poly-tunnel. There is also digging, planting and irrigation to be done so if you would like to come up and help we would really appreciate it. The cover will be being put on with the help of our local Darvell Community from 5.00 pm, but we will be on site from 1.00 pm if you would like to come and lend a hand.

If you are available and would like to come and help please contact myself so I can confirm with you and give you my details.

My email address is [llinch@robertsbridgedge.org.uk](mailto:llinch@robertsbridgedge.org.uk)

From all the Living Garden Team we wish all our students and families a lovely half term break.

**Mrs L Linch**