

Daily Notices

Thursday 26 September 2024

YOUNG ENTERPRISE

All students who have expressed interest in the Young enterprise programme must speak directly to Miss Smith in Tech 5 at break or Lunch prior to Wednesday 2nd of October. Anyone who fails to speak to Miss Smith will be removed from the programme and re-enrolled in core PE / Private study. The deadline for sign up will be Wednesday 2nd October, no one new can sign up beyond this date.

This is a Level 6 qualification, not a free period. Anyone who is not committed to the coursework and meeting schedules will not be allowed to continue in the programme.

CURLING'S COOL

Anyone interested in participating in *Curling's Cool* at Stranraer Ice Rink should attend on Wednesday 2nd October at 4pm. This is open to all, including those who have never curled before. Regular coaching resumes on Monday 7th October 2024.



OCEAN YOUTH TRUST DROP IN AT LUNCH TIME

There will be a drop-in meeting at lunch on Wednesday 2nd October in the assembly hall for anyone interested in going on the Ocean Youth Trust sailing trip on the 28th October - 1st November. If you are looking for more information or can't make this trip but would be interested to go in the future, please still come along as we can have a list of people for next year.

Eilidh Lowe / Dr Marshall

PEER TO PEER SUPPORT TRAINING

The following pupils will embark on a 'Peer-to-Peer Support' training programme, as part of their SSA roles, for the next 12 school weeks. These sessions will be lead by Lesley McWilliam. This will take place every Monday P3 & P4 in the Conference room. Pupils should head directly to the conference room at 10:55 and 11:40 respectively. Pupils who do not wish to participate should contact Ms Livingstone asap. Thank you.

PLEASE CHECK NOTICE BOARD FOR YOUR NAME

STRANRAER ACADEMY V CARRICK U14 RUGBY WEDNESDAY 9TH OCTOBER

If any S1/S2 girls or boys want to put themselves forward to play rugby against Carrick on Wednesday 9th October, please come and see Mrs Farquhar for a consent form no later than Wednesday 25th September.

S1-6 DIVERSITY AND EQUALITY GROUP

Miss Anderson is looking for a group of volunteers to commit some of their time at school to building an LGBT Diversity and Equality identity in the school. The aim of this group is to make positive changes with the support of school staff to build better understanding of how people in the LGBT umbrella can feel more safe, respected and heard in school. Students from all year groups who are willing to be involved with ensuring Stranraer Academy is an inclusive place for all young people should attend a short meeting in Miss Andersons Art Room (Art 2) on Friday 27th September to find out more information and sign up for this opportunity. This is a great opportunity for BGE students to have their voices heard, and a leadership experience for senior students who may be looking to a future at University.

CAREERS ADVISER APPOINTMENTS WITH LUCY TILSTON

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CAREERS ADVISER APPOINTMENTS WITH KIM MCILWAITH

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LONDON TRIP JUNE 2025

S4/S5: Mrs Smith has organised a residential trip to London which will take place during Activities Week at the end of the Summer term in June 2025. Students who study subjects in the Creative Arts and Design Faculty will be given priority for places but other students are welcome to apply. The activities you will experience on the trip include:

- Performance of a West End Musical
- The Making of Harry Potter Studio Tour
- Visit to several Art Galleries
- General sightseeing and shopping in London

The trip is priced at £500.

Anyone interested in going on the trip should see Mrs Smith in the Art area at lunchtimes to get further information. **At the moment only a few people have shown interest in the trip so, unless more people come forward this week, the trip may not run.**

SCHOOL MEALS PUPIL SURVEY

To allow the catering service improve on their customer expectations, we would appreciate if you could complete this form to help us understand how to improve the school meals service. Thank you.

<https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=9h0uvVqNZ0imR0h8KnQC3s4VObXpf7JPhrdXm-9UMAJUNINNOUQ1WEtGWEdHODYzUkc5Qjg1U0VBNi4u&route=shorturl>



IMPORTANT NOTICE

Mr Farquhar expects all Stranraer Academy pupils to behave to the highest standards. This extends to bus travel before and after school. Please note that vaping/smoking, foul language / other anti-social behaviour or any activities that distract the driver or are otherwise unsafe are not permitted. Any pupil reported for these issues can expect to be sanctioned in school, interviewed by Police Scotland and face a travel ban. Pupils on town services will be asked to leave the bus immediately.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES 2025

Could all pupils please complete this form below to show interest in trips for Summer 2025. **You must choose 2 seperate options.**

You are not booking a place on a trip, this is for us to estimate numbers. Please note behaviour and attendance will be considered when we officially start booking places on trips. Miss McQuaker

Summer Activities 2025

