

# Daily Notices

## Friday 29th November 2024

### CANTEEN - MORNING BREAK

Hot snack food is available from the canteen at morning break. Your Young Scot card can be used to pay for this and drinks. Free Meal allowances can be used at either break or at lunch.

### Monday - Wednesday - Friday

Chicken link sausage roll  
Chicken burger roll  
Chicken burger and cheese roll  
Potato scone roll  
Egg and cheese muffin  
Potato scone and egg muffin  
Rollover hotdog  
Pizza sub  
Chicken goujon wrap  
Pretzel - jam and margarine  
Baguette - jam and margarine

### Tuesday and Thursday

Pork link sausage roll  
Slice sausage roll  
Bacon roll  
Potato scone roll  
Rollover hotdog  
Pastry sausage roll  
Haggis roll  
Pretzel - jam and margarine  
Baguette - jam and margarine  
Cold and hot drinks available  
Cakes - fruit - crisps - breakfast bars  
All available Daily

**GRAB AND GO** is now located back in the corner of the canteen with the queue forming at the door nearest Mr Hyslop's office.

## S6 YEARBOOK PHOTOGRAPHS

The following S6 registration classes should go to the **Photography Studio (located in the salon) during lunch time** on the dates listed below.

Friday 29 November - Miss Hutchinson reg class **(change of date due to non uniform day)**

If anyone is unable to make the above dates then please go to get your photograph taken on any of the other dates (it does not matter if it is not your reg class).

**All pupils should be in shirt, tie and blazer** to get their photograph taken. Any issues please see Miss McQuaker.

For all S1 and S2, there is now an **ART COMPETITION** to reward house points. This will take place every 2 weeks with a different theme each time. The first theme is Autumn. You can complete your artwork with any materials. Please hand any submissions to Mr Lochrie. All hand ins must be in by Monday 2 December.

## RED LIDDED BINS IN THE STREET!

Could both students and staff please be mindful that the **Red Lidded Bins in the Street are for Plastic Bottles and Cans only**. Absolutely no food items or food packaging such as sweet and crisp packets should be put in these bins. It is getting to the point that the council will refuse to empty these bins and fine the school if food contamination continues.



## PLEASE NOTE FOR ALL PUPILS

The library is closed Thursday and Friday this week.

## **CAREERS APPOINTMENTS with Lucy Tilston**

Friday 29th November

Monday 2nd December

Thursday 5th December

Friday 6th December

**Please check notice board for your name.**

## **CAREERS APPOINTMENTS with Kim McIlwraith**

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

**Please check notice board for your name.**

## **S2 OPTION CHOICE APPOINTMENT with Jenni**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

**Please check notice board for your name.**

## **S2 OPTION CHOICE APPOINTMENT with Connar**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December

**Please check notice board for your name.**

## **BRONZE DofE**

There will be a bronze DofE meeting every Thursday lunch time at 1:20pm in Miss Bird's classroom. Please let either Miss Bird or Miss McCrone know if you can't make it. You are welcome to bring your lunch with you. Thank you.

## **SCOTLAND READS TRAINING (S3-S6)**

Can all those who signed up to be Scotland Reads tutors please attend a short meeting in GT1 (Mrs Little's Room) - Thursday 5th Dec at 1.30.

## **S6 YEARBOOK DEPOSIT**

If you would like to purchase a yearbook, could you please pay a £10 deposit to the school office before Friday 13 December. Please note: if you do not pay a deposit, this means you have not secured a yearbook. Any issues please see Miss McQuaker

## **S1-6: REGIONAL SWIMMING**

Can all pupils who recently attended the Scottish Schools Qualifying event at DG one in Dumfries please come to the Queens Hall on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at 1.40pm? Please be in uniform and bring along any medals you won at the event. Mr Shannon

## **SPORT IN OUR SCHOOL QUESTIONNAIRE**

Can all pupils S1-6 complete the following form.  
Thanks from the Young Sports Ambassadors



## **DESIGN THE FUTURE YOU CHOOSE: THE UN GLOBAL COMPACT NETWORK UK: SDG T-SHIRT COMPETITION**

The UN Global Compact Network UK, ACS Clothing Ltd and DYW invite you to Design the Future you choose, and enter the very first **UN Global Compact Network UK Sustainable Development Goals T Shirt Competition!**

**The Task:** Design a T-Shirt based on one or more of the Sustainable Development Goals

**What to submit:** A 5 minute presentation showcasing your idea and telling us how you came up with it. You can give this presentation in a way you choose. E.g. a PowerPoint and talk through it or act it out as a play, Be creative!

**Answer the following questions:** Tell us why the SDGs are important to you? How does your t-shirt represent the SDGs. Tell us about what it was like to work as a Team.

**Timings & Prizes:** Open for entries September - February Grand Final on 1st April 2025

**Prizes include:** Winner will have their t-shirts printed, be invited to ACS Clothing to work with them on an SDG Project, and may even get to exhibit at the Scottish Parliament

Staff/S1-6: **COFFEE MORNING AND BAKE SALE WEDNESDAY**

**4<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER.** Any donations of home baking can be brought to the Breakfast club room on Wednesday morning. All money raised will go to funding 'A box of joy' Christmas project and the Cash for Kids Mission Stranraer. Miss Moffat

Staff/S1-6: **CHRISTMAS FAIR!** This year's Christmas fair will take place in the school hall from 4.30-6.30pm on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December. Come along to see Santa or get some festive shopping from local businesses and school groups. There will be lots of tasty treats and festive gifts. Miss Moffat

S5-6: **SNOWBALL TICKETS WILL GO ON SALE ON WEDNESDAY 4TH.** They will be on sale until Friday 13th. Getting your ticket is a 2 step process- you need to pay your £10 at the office and then bring your receipt as proof of payment to Miss Moffat in SS2 at morning interval any day between the 4<sup>th</sup> and 13th. Miss Moffat

S1-6: **REVERSE ADVENT CALENDAR!** The annual house competition to see which house can donate the most goods starts now. All donated items will be given to Apex foodbank to help support local families over the festive period. Each registration group should aim to bring in as many tinned and dry goods as possible, these can be taken down to pupil support where there will be a designated area for each house. The last day to donate will be Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December. Get donating now! Miss Moffat/House Captains.

S1-6: **CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY!** Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December is the annual Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day. Get your festive jumpers looked out and bring your £1 ready to support a great cause. Donations will be collected in Registration on Thursday 12th. Miss Moffat

**PERFORMANCE COLLECTIVE STRANRAER - FREE CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN D&G! 9TH-12TH JANUARY - STUDIO THEATRE, MOFFAT**

Over the weekend, we aim to create synergy between the participants, as well as meet each individual's development needs. This Lab will be led by PCS Artistic Director, Sarah Rose Graber, and an additional guest artist.

**You will be provided travel, accommodation, and food free of charge. Though we aim to ensure artists arrive by car, we can also provide route and travel information for those using public transport**

**WHO CAN APPLY?** You must be between the ages of 16-25 from Dumfries & Galloway or with a connection to the region and able to participate in the whole residential experience. This lab is for artists from any creative background - theatre, dance, poetry, writing, film, music, design, directing, etc

**TO APPLY** please provide: A short statement under 200 words on your interest in the lab and why you would benefit from it. Evidence of your passion for the creative arts i.e. a CV, a video or written testimony, photographic documentation, an autobiographical poem etc.

**Please email applications by 5pm on Wednesday 18th of December 2024 to Artistic Director, Sarah Rose Graber at [sarahrose@performancecollectivestranraer.com](mailto:sarahrose@performancecollectivestranraer.com). PLACES ARE VERY LIMITED.**



## S5/6 STUDENTS

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN EXPLORING CAREER PATHWAYS INTO THE CREATIVE INDUSTRIES? IF THE ANSWER IS YES READ ON!**

**Wonderfools** (a Glasgow based theatre company) are offering a free workshop to Stranraer Academy students. The session will be held on **Thursday 12th December during Period 3** and lead by theatre director, **Jack Nurse**. If you would like to sign up please see Mrs Fay or complete the attached Form . Note - there are only 20 places available!



**JACK NURSE** (he/him)  
Co-Founder / Artistic Director  
Tel: 07969 652 593

**ORAN**  
Pleasance Courtyard  
Jul 31 - Aug 25, 3:15pm



@wonder\_fools\_online / @wonder\_fools

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FOOLS**  
wonderfools.org

*"The aim of these workshops is for young people of all backgrounds and interests within upper high school to gain exposure to different roles and skills that they might not have thought about within the creative industries in a fun and engaging creative workshop setting.*

**In spring 2025, WonderFools will be staging a gripping new theatre show, The Kelton Hill Fair, at Castle Douglas Town Hall in partnership with D&G Arts Live. Following the workshops, there will be a public callout for young people in Dumfries and Galloway to gain paid work experience through employment on the production**







# CHRISTMAS RAFFEL



**MISSION STRANRAER!**

**£1 A STRIP**

Great prizes  
donated by local  
businesses

**ALL FUNDS WILL GO  
TO CASH FOR KIDS  
MISSION CHRISTMAS!**







# CHRISTMAS FAIR

JOIN US FOR CRAFTS, GIFTS  
SANTA'S GROTTO AND YUMMY  
TREATS

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THURSDAY 5TH DEC

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4.30-6.30PM

STRANRAER ACADEMY  
SCHOOL HALL

Coffee morning 4th December- all  
proceeds go to funding 'A box of joy'



A BOX OF JOY

Wishing you a very

*Merry Christmas!*

Stranraer community events group &  
Stranraer Academy Barista class

Giftng a box of Christmas joy to  
members of Stranraer community this  
Christmas!

