

Daily Notices

Friday 30th May 2025

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.

Can you please remind all S1-3 pupils that during the exam diet, pupils should not be upstairs during interval or lunch and should be moving around the school quietly? We would also ask all pupils not to congregate at the front foyer/reception area prior to Reg or during interval and lunch but instead to make their way outside or wait in the main street area/canteen.

Thank you

Please note the back stairs from Home Economics to the canteen are out of bounds at all times. Pupils who have Home Economics should access the department through the HE Corridor from the street.
Thanks. Mrs Farquhar

LOST PROPERTY

- A number of jackets, uniform and school bags have been handed into Michelle at Nurture. If you have lost anything pop in and see Michelle.
 - A significant amount of clothing has been left in PE since the Xmas holidays. If you have lost any items, please speak with a member of the PE staff to claim these as soon as possible. The clothing will be removed from the PE department at the end of the week.
- Thank you - PE department.

'Rhins Educational Trust - Design a Logo Competition.'

The Rhins Educational Trust provides financial support to young people attending Stranraer Academy and its cluster primary schools. And we need a logo to include on our paperwork and publicity.

Can you create this for us?

If yes, here's the success criteria:

My logo design is:

- 1 - simple
- 2 - colourful
- 3 - easily recognisable as belonging to the Rhins Educational Trust
- 4 - able to be used on printing, embroidery (of football strips, etc) and websites

Submit your design on plain A4 paper to Stranraer Academy for the attention of Mrs Gibb, or as a photograph emailed to:
gw08gibblyndsay@glow.sch.uk

Remember to include your name and school attended as there will be gift vouchers available for the top 3 designs.

Good luck!' – **Closing date Friday 30th May** Mrs Gibb

S3:

All S3 pupils who are on the S3 Team 'P7/S1 Guides' , please ensure they have checked the information regarding becoming Senior Support Ambassadors. An application WAS to be completed by 28th May but I have extended this to 30th May. The applications are available via the Team or a physical copy from Ms Livingstone. You MUST read through the power point, also in the Team.

Ms Livingstone

Blackpool Trip:

Could all students with confirmed places on the Blackpool trip please ensure they see Ms Aston (either in GT2 or the English base) to collect their letter by Monday 2nd June. This letter contains important information about the trip, as well as permission slips for return.

The remaining balance of £56 is due paid to the school office by Friday 6th June 2025. Please note: an estimate of £70 was given initially but the final price is £71. If you have already paid £70, could you please pay a further £1 by Friday 6 June 2025.

Please contact Ms Aston with any queries.

Alton Towers 2025

The final price for Alton Towers is £146. Could anyone who is going on this trip please pay their remaining balance by Friday 6 June 2025.

Please note: an estimate of £140 was given initially. If you have paid the full amount to the office, could you please pay a further £6 by Friday 6 June 2025.

Alton Towers Rooms

Could all pupils going on the Alton Towers Trip please give Miss McQuaker your rooms by Friday 6 June 2025.

Please note rooms must be 3 people.

Miss McQuaker

The Blackpool trip is now FULL.

Could all students with confirmed places please ensure the remaining balance of £56 is paid to the school office by Friday 6th June 2025. Please contact Ms Aston with any queries

CAREERS ADVISER APPOINTMENTS with Kim McIlwraith

Please check notice board for your name.

CAREERS ADVISER APPOINTMENTS with Lucy Tilston

Please check notice board for your name.

Inspiring futures event - 17th June at D&G college

If you are interested in a career within the healthcare sector/NHS and would like to sign up for the event to get an insight into the various jobs, please see Mrs Edwards in the PE base as soon as possible. This is a popular event and there are only 15 places available.

Health & emergency Service stall holders available at the event:

- Dental and Dental school
- Allied Health Professional (Physio's, Speech and language, Occupational health, Podiatry etc)
- Nursing and University
- Pharmacy
- Social Work
- Ambulance
- Fire
- Healthcare Scientists
- Finance
- Human Resources
- Estates and Catering
- Work Experience
- Selfie boards
- Developing Young Workforce
- Skills Development Scotland
- Visit to the UWS Nursing training suite

Mrs Edwards

S2-S6: Scotland Reads Tutors

Scotland Reads will continue next week when the new timetable commences. Could all tutors please attend Tuesday – Friday at the new time of 10.20 am (please head to the library straight after period two). Tutors should continue to attend their own registration class as normal on a Monday. Thank you for your continued support. If you have any queries please see Miss Parker.
Miss Parker

Pupil Support drop in

Starting next week there will be an opportunity for pupils to meet privately with their Pupil Support teachers.

The drop ins will take place at lunch times in ST 6 (Mrs Livingstones room).

Please feel free to come along for advice or to discuss privately, any concerns or queries you might have .

Mr Halliday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Pupil Support

Lunchtime

Drop-In

ST6 – Ms Livingston's Room

GLENAPP

Mrs A Little

DUNSKY

Dr R Marshall

INCH

Mrs C Dougan

LOGAN

Mr D Halliday

Free School Meals

Did you know?

You can use your free meal at Break— filled rolls

or

Pick up something to eat on the way home

or

Something to keep you going if going to work after school



If you are unsure if this is an option for you, please ask.



S2 & S3

DEBATE TEAM

Are you a pupil who
wants to have your
voice heard on
various different
issues in the world?

This is the place for
you!

Why Join?

- Improve public speaking
- Develop critical thinking
- Builds confidence
- Enhances teamwork skills
- Improves research skills
- Debating is fun!

**Every Friday,
Lunch time @ 1.30
Mr. Dornan`s Room (SS3)**

Bring your lunch with you to Mr. Dornan`s room

**Any questions please do not hesitate to speak to Daylen Reay,
or Mr. Dornan**



Youth Beatz

Youth Beatz Festival is back for 2025 and signups have now opened for young people and adults to register their interest in volunteering at this year's event.

This opportunity is specifically for people who want to support the delivery of the event over the Youth Beatz festival including our region-wide Fringe programme that will see free events delivered across every Ward area throughout Dumfries and Galloway, and the main event days.

Volunteering roles during the Main Event Days range from photographers to stage support, welfare to customer service, content creators to donation points collectors and more! There are also opportunities for those who would prefer to volunteer behind the scenes in the week leading up to and following the main event

with a call out including people who want to give their time to physically transform the site from field to festival.

In 2024 we were incredibly grateful to have over 10,100 hours of volunteering from both young people and adults. There are plenty of opportunities to suit all interests, whether this is in customer service, photography or stage management. This is the perfect opportunity for people interested in:

- Gaining experience working in live events industry,
- Building their skills and working as part of a motivated team to deliver an award-winning experience for young people,
- Sharing their expertise and experience,
- Getting more involved in their community!

Sign up is now open until 31 May.

More information and how to sign up can be found at www.youthbeatz.co.uk/getinvolved.

You can also call 01387 260243 for further information.