

1 S5/6 pupils – UCAS Applications

A gentle reminder to those pupils who are applying for UCAS that your draft personal statement needs to be with your Guidance Teacher (paper copy or emailed) by Friday 11 October (last day of term).

If you have any issues or questions, please speak to your Guidance Teacher sooner rather than later! Thanks!

The Guidance Team

2 All St Ola Bus pupils – Important Message

As numbers on the Route 37 St Ola bus are now so high, only entitled pupils can go on that bus in the afternoons. Therefore pupils in the Glaitness Road/Soulisquoy area will no longer be able to use it as fare paying passengers. They can still pay to go on the No9 Town Service bus in the mornings but NOT in the afternoon.

OIC Education Dept

3 All Pupils – Into Film Festival**Orkney Film Focus Festival**

Want to programme your own film event for this years FILM FOCUS FESTIVAL?

A MYSTERY MOVIE event will take place on SAT 09 NOV at West Side Cinema in Stromness and will be the chance for anyone aged 25 and under to become film programmers.

Participants will learn from professionals about programming film events and turn their ideas into a real public screening!

Funding will be available to pay for licences, audience transportation and other added activity.

Come and join in for the film event of the year!

There will be an initial meeting on the 11th October in the Orkney Theatre at 13.00.

Any interested pupils give their names to Mr Robinson in Rm F074.

Film Club Special Screening

On the **1st of November** we have TakeOne Action in school to hold a special screening of the environmental change film 'Tomorrow'. It was screened at Picky a couple of months ago and was very well received. TakeOne would love all pupils to have the opportunity to see this poignant and vital film in these crucial times for climate change.

13.00, Friday 1st November, Orkney Theatre.

The Film Club Team

4 All Pupils – House Points

On the last day of term, tomorrow, the house points for each house for this term will be revealed. In addition the two pupils in each year who have been awarded the most house points this term, will each receive a KGS Golden Ticket which will entitle them to go straight to the front of the break and lunch queue for a week.

Just a reminder that House Points can be awarded for any positive contribution to school life by pupils. This includes work rate and a positive attitude within classes as well as contribution to KGS through whole school events, such as concerts, sport, coffee mornings etc.

Mr N Ewing

5 All Pupils – LGBT + Safe Space

Where – Youth Cafe

When – Every Thursday 1800 to 1930

Who – All S2 to S6 pupils are welcome

What – Come along, have a chat and a cuppa.

Miss D Currie

6 All Pupils – Dia de los Muertos Competition

Join the Modern Languages Department in celebrating the day of the dead! Pick up a "sugar skull" outside room S007 and decorate it. Let your creativity guide you! Return it with your name and class at the back to the Department before the 9th of November. The best designs will be displayed and the winner will get a fabulous prize.

The Modern Languages Department.

7 All Pupils – Bake Sale

There will be a Bake Sale at Break and Lunch times **today** to raise funds for a Special Christmas Event. Bring some money to buy some delicious home baked goods

S3 Wider Achievement Group

8 All Pupils – KGS Badminton:

Come along to lunchtime badminton on from 1.20 in the games hall today for social & competitive games. Please wear PE kit. Reminder that after school training will start after the October holidays. Any players wishing to be considered for the KGS junior (S1 & S2) and senior (S3+) teams who haven't yet spoken to Miss Reid please do so before the October holidays.

Mrs R Reid

9 All Pupils – Basketball Club

Could any students interested in attending basketball club next term please attend a short meeting in FO57 at break-time today.

Mr M Drake

10 S5/6 Pupils – Printing for Seniors

Until a new school librarian is appointed, any S5/6 pupil who needs school work printed for either subjects or whole school activities such as S6 Committees, please email Mrs Kent or Mr Ewing with attached materials printed. Details of email addresses have been emailed to S5/6 Pupils through Glow.

Mr N Ewing

11 All Pupils – Dress Down Day

On Friday there will be a dress down day to support the Orkney Gymnastics Club. Please bring £1 to dress down.

Orkney Gymnastics Club

12 All Pupils – Children in Need 2019 Theme

The Children in Need dressing up theme this year will be heroes and villains. Wear your most heroic or ferocious costumes on November 14th for £1. Don't forget to take in lots of change for the activities that will run through that week.

Charities Committee

13 All Pupils – Music Rehearsals Today

Arthritis Care Singers – you know who you are! 1.25pm in Music.
Strings – Both groups after school.

Mrs R Harvey

14 All pupils – Careers Appointments

P1 Connor MacLeod	P2 Kalle Shearer	P3 Einar Muir	P4 Megan Waterson
P5 Samantha McDermott	P6 Courtney Russell	P7 Justine Pizon	

Mrs K Hume