



## BULLETIN

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Issue 13

### NEWS & REMINDERS

#### First Aid - Group 3

The third group of students to undertake valuable First Aid training will begin on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January** with further sessions on **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February** and **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February**.

#### Stress Relief Workshop

Following the success of the recent *Interview Skills* Workshop, Northumbria University will be returning in January before the Mocks to run a *Stress Relief* Workshop.

#### Year 11 Transition Christmas Gathering

Lunchtime, **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December**, new Year 11 applicants have been invited to the Sixth Form Common Room for a Christmas-themed lunch and gathering. Apologies in advance for the inconvenience – the AW rooms will be made available as an alternative space to socialise in at lunchtime for our current Sixth Form students.

#### External Speaker - John House

John House came into a Business Studies lesson on Tuesday to discuss Marketing, Social Media and Careers in Business.

#### Reports

Reports will be sent out this week using recent data collected. These will highlight to students and parents/carers how students are performing against their targets.

#### EPQ

The first of the EPQ presentations started this week and we have been impressed with the confidence and high level of eloquence demonstrated by the Year 13 students.

#### Future Opportunity

As part of our link with Shrewsbury School, students have been invited to attend the 'Business Start-Ups and Innovation' lecture on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2017**, 7.30 p.m. at the Science Lecture Theatre, Shrewsbury School. If you are interested in attending please let Mrs Wyatt know so she can inform them of numbers. Students will have to arrange their own transport.

Wishing all of our students a very happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

#### Law Trip

Year 12 and 13 law students went to The Dana in Shrewsbury on **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December** and had a tour from an ex-prison guard called Keith. He took them through the different areas of the prison and told them stories from when he worked there. The students thoroughly enjoyed hearing the stories about inmates and prison rules.



### SIXTH FORM COUNCIL

#### Fun Friday Competitions

We cannot wait for the Form Christmas Carol/Song Competition **today and tomorrow** – there have been whispers that the Sixth Form Leadership has been roped into doing their own rendition too.

Wednesday will see the climax of the 'Best Decorated Room' and rumours abound that Mr Lane's form will be getting a 'special guest' during break-time to help him try and win the coveted title.

#### Bag-Packing

We are really proud of the large number of students signed up to Bag Pack at Sainsbury's to raise money for Severn Hospice on **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December** for 2-hour slots. It is a local charity that provides invaluable support at the most difficult of times. Please pop in to show your support!