



## Next Week, Week 1

### 7 March: Y10 Parent-Teacher Consultation Evening

A full calendar is available on our website

## School News and Notices

### Road Closure-Tree Works

We have been informed that part of Chesham road will be closed on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March. Please allow extra time for your journey to Ashlyns.

### Donations for World Book Day

For the second year running, as part of our World Book day celebrations on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March, the LRC will be collecting book donations for the charity Just be a Child. This organisation collects donated books to create and support libraries in rural Kenyan communities. Last year we managed to collect nearly 400 books as a result of your generosity. This year we are only collecting **Children's/YA** books so if you are having a clear out and wish to donate please bring them into the LRC by Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. For more information about the charity visit <http://justbeachild.com/>

### Internet Safety

The Momo Challenge is the latest in a series of hoax chain-letter viral stories. The UK Safer Internet Centre called the claims "fake news". And YouTube said it had seen no evidence of videos showing or promoting the Momo challenge on its platform. This is the modern day equivalent of chain letters or the clowns from 3 years ago. Advice for how to speak to your child about such issues can be found at: <https://www.internetmatters.org/hub/news-blogs/momo-challenge-what-parents-should-know-about-online-crazes/>

### Email notifications

From Monday, blue detention letters for after-school detentions will no longer be issued in paper copy; parents will still be informed by groupcall the day before a behaviour detention, and both students and parents can access information about behaviour, rewards and attendance through Insight.

It is important that we hold up-to-date email addresses and contact details for parents; if you have changed these recently, please check that we have been updated. Many thanks.

### Year 9 Options Evening

Well done to Year 9 parents and students for such excellent attendance and engagement at the Options Evening on Thursday night (with the added excitement of the fire alarm!). Please remember to submit your options forms to tutors by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March.

## Sports Results

### Netball

Y7 A team won 15-3 vs Kings Langley School

Y8 won 5-0 Vs Berkhamsted School

### Girls Football/Futsal

U15 won 3-0 Vs Tring

U14 A & B placed 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the District Finals

Y7 A & B placed 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in the District Finals

### Boys Football

U18 lost 2-0 vs Monk Walk

Y7 B Team won 3-0 Vs Tring

### Rugby

Well done to Victoria O Y9, for representing Herts County

## Key dates:

- 13 March: Extended Learning Day
- 18 March: E-Safety Session for Parents/Carers
- 21 March Y7 Parent-Teacher Consultation Evening

## This week's attachments:

- ASA 100 Club
- ASA Easyfundraising
- GCSE Revision Sessions Timetable
- Watford School of Music Study Sessions for Grade 5 Theory
- Science Poetry Competition
- Teacher Training Programme

## Letters out

- Y10 Geography Fieldwork
- Y11 Extended Learning Day
- A Level Economics Revision Workshops

## Staff Vacancies:

- Teacher of Photography
- Teaching Assistant

# ASA News

## ASA 100 Club Launch

Thank you if you have registered your interest in the new 100 club lottery. We need a few more members to launch in April with a minimum of 50. Please email [ASA100CLUB@gmail.com](mailto:ASA100CLUB@gmail.com) now to join

## EASY FUNDRAISING - at no extra cost or effort to you!

Do you purchase office stationery, computer equipment or regularly travel for business? Did you know you can raise FREE funds for Ashlyns School - Berkhamsted by using [#easyfundraising](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/)? There's literally 100's of well-known retailers you can use when you regularly buy-for-business. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/>



The graphic features a large green number '100' with 'ASA 100 Club' written vertically inside the '1'. Surrounding the number are several green lottery balls with white numbers: 20, 14, 48, 6, 35, 19, 23, and 7. In the background, a stylized green silhouette of Ashlyns School is visible.

**Introducing our new fundraising initiative coming in the New Year - the ASA 100 CLUB lottery.**

Choosing your number costs £2 per month. After each draw, a percentage of profits is given out in monthly cash prizes, with the remainder donated to Ashlyns School

It's an easy and fun way to support school, email [ASA100CLUB@gmail.com](mailto:ASA100CLUB@gmail.com) now to register your interest.



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## GCSE 2018-2019 Revision Sessions Timetable

| Day              | Lunchtime   | After school  |
|------------------|---|---|
| <b>Monday</b>    | Citizenship, F74<br>Art drop in, F36<br>Business Studies, F68   | Music coursework catch up, Music Block<br>Film Studies, 123<br>English Language revision, 119<br>Art, F36<br>Study session LRC (including Maths)  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | PE coursework catch up, G142<br>Art drop in, F36<br>Lit Lunch, The Hall   | PE Topic by topic, 116<br>Music coursework catch up, Music Block<br>Spanish drop-in, 106<br>French drop-in, 108<br>Study session LRC  |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | English Literature drop-in, 119<br>Geographical Skills drop-in, F92<br>Computer Studies exam and practical coursework, F107<br>Spanish drop-in, 109<br>Art drop in, F36<br>Religious Studies, 115 | Computer Science exam and practical coursework revision/support, F107<br>Drama Comp 2 and Comp 3 rehearsal and revision (ends at 5.00pm)<br>Study session LRC (including help with Maths)<br>Religious Studies, 114 |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | PE coursework catch up, G142<br>Film coursework catch up, 123<br>Business Studies, F68  | Geography, F92<br>History, F83<br>Art, F36<br>Textiles, F42<br>Product Design (week 2 only), 67<br>Religious Studies, 116<br>Study session LRC  |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Food NEA catch up, G142<br>French drop-in, 108<br>Film coursework catch up, 123<br>Drama Comp 2 and Comp 3 rehearsal and revision   | Citizenship<br>Music coursework catch up, Music Block   |



# WSM

Watford School of Music

# Theory

**Our Exciting new programme of study for students who need to pass their grade 5 theory. The course is open to all students of grade 2 standard and above. It includes a week's holiday course and drop-in clinics.**

**Dates:** Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019

**Times:** 9:30am-4:00pm

**Cost:** £120 per course

**Venue:** Watford School of Music

Designed and led by a specialist teacher

For more information please call 01923 225531

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January 2019



### **Ashlyns Science Poetry Competition**

**All students in KS3 are being set a homework to create a Haiku poem on the theme of Science for Science week 2019 by their Science Teachers. Year 7 will focus on what they saw on their Science Museum Trip.**

**The Science Department are also inviting short poems from KS4 and 6th form students, staff and parents on the theme of Science.**

**The best examples in each category as judged by our panel will be displayed around the school and receive a small prize.**

**Please submit your entries to Mrs Lowe via [clowe@ashlyns.herts.sch.uk](mailto:clowe@ashlyns.herts.sch.uk)**

**How do I do it? (17 syllables arranged in 3 lines, 5 syllables in first row, 7 in second, 5 in the third).**

**Use the seventeen  
syllables to make your point.  
Five, seven, five. Done.**



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