



Next Week -Week 2

23-25 September: Y7 X Band Peak District Trip

25-27 September: Y7 Y Band Peak District Trip

26 September: Y8 Parents' Support Evening

A full calendar is available on our website

School News and Notices

Parent Governor

There is a vacancy for a Parent Governor on the school's governing body. Parents who would like to stand for election are asked to complete a nomination form. A letter with further information and the nomination form was emailed to parents earlier today. It is available on the school website and from the school office.

Jeans for Textiles

If you have any old jeans please donate them to the Textiles department, you can leave them at reception or send students in with them for Mrs Boyd.

Home Learning

Following some work on home learning last year with Parent Forum, Student Voice groups and the results of the Stakeholder surveys, we have reviewed our home learning guidance and added some ideas for building habits around independent learning and revision at home. Please have a look at the guidance on our website; it can be found here: <https://www.ashlyns.herts.sch.uk/school-life/home-learning/>

The Great Ashlyns Bake Off

Ashlyns are hosting our own Bake Off! The competition is open to all years, teams of 1-3 and the winners earn house points. There is a meeting on 25th September at 1.30 in 601 for anyone who is interested.

Pick Up and Drop Off

Please would drivers be mindful of local residents and pedestrians, refraining from dropping off in Corum Close where possible.

Dick Moore

A talk not to miss! Supporting the mental health and wellbeing of our students, we are delighted to welcome Dick Moore to Ashlyns on 24th September who will deliver an inspirational talk on parenting, emotional health and wellbeing. Please see the attached flyer with further details and booking information.

Support for SEN

Dacorum offer a wide range of course and events to support parents and carers of children with SEN. Please use the link to find details of upcoming events. <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/dspl8-18657916533>

Key dates this half term:

- 30 September: Y12 Information Evening
- 3 October: School closes to students at 12.30
- 3 October: Open Evening
- 4 October: Inset Day

This Week's Attachments

- Dick Moore Inspirational Talk

Letters out This Week

- Year 11 Trip to An Inspector Calls
- Year 10 Science Revision Preparation
- Year 8 Parents' Support and Information Evening
- Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Application
- Year 7 Insight Access

Attendance

Forms with highest attendance week ending 13/9
7C1, 7C2, 7H1 and 7H2 all with 100%
8H1 100%
9H1 100%
10B2 100%
11B1, 11R1 and 11R2 all with 100%
Forms with the highest attendance receive 20 house points.

Sport

Senior Netball V Hemel School Lost 35-18

U14 Girls Football V Orleans Park Academy Win 3-1 in the School Football National Cup



ASA NEWS

ASA MEETING - Wednesday 25th September - 7.30pm - LRC

All are very welcome, especially our new members, so if you have any ideas for fundraising or social events for the forthcoming year, we'd love to hear from you. Our get-togethers are friendly and informal, and there's never any pressure to sign up to anything! And it's a great way to meet other parents too. We look forward to seeing you.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

w/c 16 September 2019

PE

Tam H, Y7
Natalie C, Y9

MATHS

Edward C, Y7
Libby M, Y7
Samuel J, Y10
Sebastian R, Y11

ENGLISH

Curtis F, Y8
Lucy B, Y10
Mia M, Y10

HUMANITIES

Rebecca H, Y7 (G)
Ilya S, Y10 (G)
Sam B, Y9 (H)
Romi H, Y10 (H)
Lina B, Y11 (H)

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Will A, Y8
Etian D, Y9
Justin F, Y9

TECHNOLOGY

Noemi F, Y7
Ellie G, Y7
Brooke L, Y7
Ethan M, Y7
Luca W, Y7
Isabella M, Y10
Jayden A, Y11
Jack B, Y11
Arthur G, Y11
Alice O'N-B, Y11
Noah R, Y11
Sam S, Y11
Livvy T, Y11

YEAR 10

Laura C
Ella Louise M
Will S
Kai R

YEAR 11

Lola C
Lina B

YEAR 13

Sam C

INSPIRATIONAL SPEAKER ON EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING

A TALK NOT TO MISS!



**Dick Moore at Ashlyns School on
Tuesday 24 September 2019 at 6.45pm**

[To book a place, please click here](#)

Places are limited, so please book as early as possible.

Who suggested that being a parent is easy?

Dick Moore, the parent of 4 often-errant children and a headteacher for almost 23 years, embarked upon a mission to discover more about what makes young people tick and what he could or should have done during the challenging times!

He has a passion for the mental and emotional health and wellbeing of young people and will be exploring how young people think, why adolescence is an especially vulnerable time and about common issues, which can arise when the going gets tough. Finally, he will offer some tongue-in-cheek tips for parenthood.

Dick has spoken at over 350 schools, universities, businesses and conferences both in the UK and overseas. He is an instructor for Mental Health First Aid, a trainer for the Charlie Waller Memorial Trust and has attended an ASIST course in suicide intervention.