

**LUNCH QUEUES**

S3 - S5 – First
S1 - S2 – Second

GENERAL INFORMATION

SKILL OF THE MONTH; MARCH – ANALYSIS

This month focuses on your ability to break down ideas and new learning into simpler parts and find evidence to support generalisations. You should question 'what' you know and 'how' you know it. This will help you to apply knowledge as well as problem solve.

Mrs Darroch**PTA PAMPER EVENING**

Treat yourself (or your mum for Mother's Day), at the PTA Pamper Evening to be held in school on **Friday March 13 2015 at 7:00pm**. There will be various treatments available including; facials, gel nails, tinting, waxing, massage, file and polish with prices from £5 - £12. There will also be gifts on sale from various stalls including; Benefit, N^o. 7, jewellery, gift sets and bags. Tickets are £5 for ladies/mothers and £3 for girls (this includes a complimentary drink).

Mr Holsgrove**SCOTTISH YOUTH PARLIAMENT ELECTIONS**

All year groups will have the opportunity to vote on Wednesday 11 March in the Scottish Youth Parliament elections. There are various posters across the school which you should look at with your SYP candidates on them. Your class teacher will let you know when you will be voting.

Miss Hannigan**FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT**

Many thanks to all pupils and staff who helped get involved with our Fairtrade events over the last two weeks - your ongoing support ensures that we continue to be a 'FairAchiever School'!

Congratulations to the following pupils who were our 'star bakers' at our Fairtrade bake off: Emma Ross, Lucy Cameron, Emily Svensson, Logan McBride, Laura James, Thea Raeburn, Codi Carswell, Hannah Brummitt and Nicole Hagen.

Also a big well done to Mr Gibb in Science who was the staff 'Star baker'! Thank you also to everyone who took time to bake treats and those who came along and bought some of the delicious offerings! If you handed in a bake, please collect your tub from the Humanities base ASAP as we cannot store them all.

Citizenship Committee**SCIAF FAST**

If you are interested in taking part in the 12 or 24 hour fast on Friday 27 March then please come to a short meeting in SS3 at the start of interval today, Monday 09 March to receive a consent letter and sponsorship form. Let's raise as much money as possible for this great organisation.

Miss Rowan**SPORTS TEAMS AND CLUBS**

Information on Sports Teams and Clubs will be updated on notice boards within PE department throughout the year. All participants should regularly check notice boards for updates.

Mr O'Hare

New S1 - S3 INFORMATION

DTP/ MEN C TEENAGE BOOSTER PROGRAMME/CATCH UP IMMUNISATIONS – WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH

Pupils from the appropriate classes should report to the E-room at the time indicated below.

Class	Time
HPV catch up – pupils red flagged	9.10am
3B	9.20am
3Bn	9.35am
3F	10.00am
3M	10.15am
3W	10.50am
3Wa	11.05am
DTP catch up - pupils red flagged	11.20am

Mrs Brown**SKI TRIP TO ITALY 2016**

There will be a meeting today, Monday 09 March in M7 at 1:45pm for all pupils in S1 and S2 who are interested in going on the Ski Trip to Italy in February 2016.

Mr Hannah

CAN YOU HANDLE IT

All of the group lists for "Can You Handle It" are now on display in the canteen. If anyone has any issues with the group that they have been placed in, please see Miss Doherty, Miss MacDonald or Miss Gray by the end of the day on Wednesday 11 March.

Miss Doherty

NOORDWIJK 2015

There will be a meeting for all pupils attending the above trip on Thursday 12 March, in the RME room at 1:30pm.

Miss Dhesi

S1 NUMERACY CLUB

All S1 pupils are invited to the Numeracy Club on Thursday lunchtimes in ICT 1 and ICT 2. We have had a great response so far and want to keep the momentum going, so bring your friends and have "math-tacular" fun! **Mr Deans**

New S4 - S6 INFORMATION

APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Apprenticeships that are now available will be regularly posted on the red board, next to the S4 Social Area, for your information. Pupils are encouraged to check the board regularly. Anyone requiring further detail of the opportunities displayed should see Miss Brand. Thanks.

Miss Brand

S@S ACCELERATE

This is a one-week programme at University of Strathclyde, for pupils at the end of S4, S5 and S6 thinking about going to University. It aims to provide a targeted focus on the pupils' chosen area of academic interest, giving them a head start on the road to their chosen career.

S@S ACCELERATE 1 –Monday 22 – Friday 26 June 2015

- **Mini Space Academy (Electronic & Electrical Engineering)**
- **Psychology**
- **Product Design**
- **Sport**

S@S ACCELERATE 2 – Monday 27 – Friday 31 July 2015

- **Business**
- **Chemistry**
- **Education**
- **Languages**
- **Law**
- **Physics**

The cost of each programme is £100. For further information look on the school website or visit www.strath.ac.uk/irl/accelerate, or see Miss Brand

Miss Brand