

**LUNCH QUEUES**

S3 - S5 – First  
S1 - S2 – Second

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| <b>GENERAL INFORMATION</b> |
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**SKILL OF THE MONTH; FEBRUARY – APPLICATION OF KNOWLEDGE**

Last month was the skill of knowledge. This month is building upon that foundation. Application of knowledge in different situations helps you to raise your grades. Look at cross curricular themes, as well as specific knowledge in different situations. Please see the notice boards or Mrs Darroch for more information.

**Mrs Darroch****RIGHT OF THE MONTH**

This month we will be focussing of Fairtrade at assemblies and events around the school. Our Right this month is Article 32 from the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child - *You have the right to protection from work that harms you, and is bad for your health and education. If you work, you have the right to be safe and paid properly.*

**Mrs Davey****HOUSE WEEK – WEDNESDAY 11 - FRIDAY 13 FEBRUARY**

- **Wednesday and Thursday** - Please note there will be extended lunches on Wednesday and Thursday.
- **Wednesday** - 'The Gryffe Factor' Karaoke Competition at lunchtime in the theatre - £1 to watch
- **Thursday** - Staff Tug of War at lunchtime in the Games Hall - £1 to watch
- **Friday - non uniform 'House Colours Day'** We hope that all pupils and staff will wear your house colour on this day. Pay £1 (if £1 not paid, no non uniform)  
- Wii Competition at lunchtime in the theatre - £1 to watch

There will be a **WHOLE SCHOOL photo** taken on Friday 13 February, period 5. Mr Findlay will send out instructions for registering classes and coming along to the Games Hall for the photo.

To enter the competitions see Guidance Team. To watch come along and pay £1

**Guidance Team****FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT**

It is not long to go until our Annual Fairtrade Fortnight events and activities begin! Keep an eye out across the school for posters about events and for all keen bakers we will be launching our very own 'Great Gryffe Bake Off' next week! If you are interested in participating or volunteering to help at any events, there will be information coming up about this next week.

**Citizenship Committee****BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS**

All pupils who have entered into the school Badminton Championships have to attend a short meeting at Interval in Gym Hall on Wednesday 11 February.

**Mr O'Hare****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**

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| <b>New S1 - S3 INFORMATION</b> |
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**SCARY SCOTLAND**

The next instalment of £35 for Scary Scotland is due Tuesday 17 February. Please pass payments to Mrs L Campbell in Maths.

**Mrs Campbell**

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| <b>New S4 - S6 INFORMATION</b> |
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**S5/6 PUPILS INTERESTED IN DANCE**

Glasgow Kelvin College have just opened applications for the DANCE courses (NQ/HND) commencing August 2015, studying the 5 main disciplines - ballet, jazz, contemporary, commercial and tap, along with other units.

The first set of auditions are on Wednesday 25 February at the Springburn campus. See Miss Brand asap if you are interested.

**Miss Brand****SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP**

Any National or International Sports competitors interested in studying in America with a scholarship please contact Mrs Darroch for information ASAP.

**Mrs Darroch**

## **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.

## **This week's School Charter/Fairtrade/SCIAF Assemblies,**

Pupils should report directly to the theatre to be registered. The Assemblies will last the whole period.

S1 - Wednesday 11 February, period 5

S2 - Thursday 12 February, period 5

S3 - Thursday 12 February, period 3

S4 - Thursday 12 February, period 4

S5 - Friday 13 February, period 3

S6 - Wednesday 11 February, period 4