

**End of school bell**1st bell – for ground floor2nd bell – all other floors

GENERAL INFORMATION

Note: *The number in brackets identifies the first week this item appeared in the bulletin. This week is pupil bulletin No. 9.*

RIGHTS FACT OF THE WEEK (9)

The rights focus this month is tackling inequality. **71%** of LGBT young people in Scotland experienced bullying in school on the grounds of being LGBT.

Miss Rowan**ECO COMMITTEE – ENVIRONMENTAL FACT OF THE WEEK (9)**

You burn more calories sleeping than you do watching TV.

The Eco Committee**EMPLOYABILITY SKILL OF THE MONTH – RESILIENCE (8)**

Think about when you are using your RESILIENCE SKILLS in class and around the school - record these in your learning diary.

Miss Paterson**READY TO LEARN CLUBS (4)**

Breakfast Club is open for all pupils **Mon-Fri 8am to 8.40am**. The club is for pupils requiring a small breakfast, wanting to chat with a support teacher or get help with homework. Lunch Club is also open **Mon-Fri during lunch**. The club offers a place to relax and catch up with friends, access help with homework or speak to an S6 buddy or support teacher. Both clubs are held within the Wellbeing Hub in the Support Corridor.

Mrs Costello**GLOBAL DIVERSITY MONTH OCTOBER 2018 (8)**

Look out for coverage in classes and some whole school activities across the month.

Mrs Sharp**ABSENCE/PERMISSION NOTES (9)**

Any pupils handing in notes for absence or permission to be out of school please hand this in to the office in the first instance for registers to be updated and not guidance to guidance staff unless necessary.

Miss Still**CITIZENSHIP (9)**

This is Global Diversity Month. Keep an eye out for exciting events including our annual Henna stall. The Citizenship Committee meets Mondays at 1:35pm in SS3. All Welcome.

Miss Rowan**LGBT GROUP (9)**

There will be a meeting for anyone interested in promoting LGBT rights in E2 this Thursday lunch at 1:35pm. All welcome.

Miss Rowan**IT'S A KNOCK OUT COMPETITION (9) – WEDNESDAY 10 OCTOBER**

Come on down to the Games Hall at the start of lunch on Wednesday for a knock out competition including throwback sports day games such as the 3-legged race, with a finale of tug of war! It's 50p to come and watch and support your house. Participants please come down just before the start of lunch. Let the games begin!

Julie McGinn/PE Dept**ADHD AWARENESS WEEK (9)**

Oct 8th-12th is ADHD Awareness Week at Gryffe. Along with informative posters & assemblies S6 pupils will be holding an interactive workshop **Tuesday 9th all day** within the **conference room**. The experience consists of short activities using a carousel approach. All pupils are welcome to attend.

Mrs Costello

S1 - S3 INFORMATION

ANIMATION CLUB (9)

Gryffe Animation Club is open to S1-S3 pupils and meets every Monday 3.40-4.30 in Art Room 2. For more information, please see Ms Stewart in Art Room 2.

Ms Stewart

RENFREWSHIRE SECONDARY SCHOOLS ROAD RACE CHAMPIONSHIP (9)

Open to pupils S1-S3, taking place at the ON-X on **Thursday 25 October**. Please see **Miss Clark (PE)** to sign up and there will be a meeting Friday 5 and 12 October. **Miss Clark**

LUNCH QUEUES (4)

S1 will be allowed out of class prior to the lunch break a few minutes early, on a trial basis. This should help S1 pupils be at the front of the lunch queue and will also help ease the congestion within the lunch hall. **Mr Johnson**

S4 – S6 INFORMATION

COMMUNITY LINKS - TEACHING SPANISH IN MOSSWOOD CARE HOME (9)

This will be taking place Wednesdays after school, any S5/6 interested and willing to commit for the session on a rotation basis, please attend a lunch meeting at 1:45pm today (Monday 8 Oct) in ML3. **Mrs Graham**

S6 FACEBOOK PAGE (9)

S6 Remember to check S6 Facebook page for continuous updates. **Mrs Brown**

ASSEMBLIES

Tuesday 9 October

S4 Assembly, Period 5

Pupils should report straight to the theatre to be registered.
Assembly will last the full period.

Wednesday 10 October

S3 Assembly, Period 2

Pupils should report straight to the theatre to be registered.
Assembly will last the full period.

Friday 12 October

S2 Assembly, Period 2

Pupils should report straight to the theatre to be registered.
Assembly will last the full period.