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# Parkside Sixth Bulletin June 13, 2022

## **THIS WEEK - Sixth Form Open Evening**

## Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2022, 5 – 8pm - All Y12s are expected to attend

The following students will be supporting the following subject teachers or acting as tour guides.

Eng/Film	Languages	Hist/Geog/ SocAnth	Psych/Econ	Science	Maths	Music/Art	Q&A
Alec	Lucia	Danny	Olga	Minh	Sophia	Keira	Laura
Isla	Cara	Darris	Abbie	Angela	Amy	Marcus	Felix
Michal	Alex	Oliver	Julia W	Grace	Mariana	Harri	Adam
Rin		Abolina	Ross	Anisa	Moira	Julia	Matthew
Joewett		Catey		Barshana			Venus
							Paula

## Y12 - Assemblies

#### **Assemblies and Talks in EC1**

The aim is to broaden horizons and share the range of options available to you in the future! You are expected to attend all these assemblies unless they fall in lesson time.

- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June 12:30pm lunch 12:30pm William McCorkindale "machine learning"
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June P1 Alexandra Oberrotman "social mobility in the creative sector" (all Group 6 students to attend, I would highly recommend to other students too!)
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June 12:30pm Nicky Swett 'Music in Translation: Bridging musical styles through re-composition'
- Tuesday 21st June 1pm Martin Harper "International Nature Conservation"
- **Friday 24**<sup>th</sup> **June P1** Yannick Maneuf "Working in the Pharmaceutical Industry" (biology/physics students to attend this talk and then go to lessons)
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June Steve Watts "Competitive applications for university"

## Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July – inset day – SCHOOL CLOSED

- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July (Taster Day) Stuti Pachisia culture, digital networks and protest movements
- **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July** Chara Triantafyllidou "Reading comprehension in bilingualism: what we know, why we care, and where we are heading"
- **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July** Jade Shorter the influence of statistics and fake news, particularly in relation to presentation of female vs male criminals.
- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July (Taster Day) Surange Chandratillake getting into international business

## **Careers and University Guidance Diary**

I have arranged for all students in year 12 to be given a 1 hour appointment with a qualified careers guide, who will work with you on thinking about your future and creating an action plan going forwards.

	P1 8:40 - 9:30	P2 9:30 - 10:20	P3 10:40 - 11:30	P4 11:30 - 12:20	P5 13:30 - 14:20	P6 14:20 - 15:10
Tuesday 7th June		Anisa	Cara	Darris	Paula	Abbie
Tuesday 14th June		Sophia	Danny	Alec	Flaminia	Carolina
Tuesday 28th June	Isla	Rin	Adam		Olga	Oliver
Wednesday 29th June		Minh	Laura	Harri	Catey	Joewett
Tuesday 5th July	Amy	Nikola		Julia Z	Barshana	Venus
Tuesday 12th July	Lucia	Silvia	Ross		Angela	Moira
Wednesday 13th July		Julia W	Grace	Mariana	Matthew	Marcus
Monday 18th July		Keira		Alex	Michal	Felix

## **Reporting Absence**

Please use the following email address to report any absence:

parkside-6th@ParksideCC.org.uk

## You cannot be marked as present if you are not in school!

- If your teacher is absent and sets cover work, you need to go to see Jo who will mark you in the register. You will then complete the work in Eden Centre ground floor classroom.
- If your timetable is such that you have a day with only one lesson on it, and you have a long commute, please let Rachel Biltcliffe know. In these circumstances, if that lesson would be cover, then we may be able to authorise working from home. This will need to

be done on a case by case basis.

• If you have only one lesson that day, you must email <a href="mailto:rachel.biltcliffe@parksidecc.org.uk">rachel.biltcliffe@parksidecc.org.uk</a> and I will decide, in discussion with Mr Morrison, on a case-by-case basis regarding authorising these absences.

#### You are expected to attend all lessons unless an acceptable reason is given:

 Medical appointments should be made for outside of lesson times unless this is impossible. You may be asked to show evidence (e.g. appointment text) that this appointment has been made.

If you are unable to attend a lesson, you or your parent/guardian need to email

- Sixth Email parkside-6th@ParksideCC.org.uk
- Rachel Biltcliffe <u>Rachel.Biltcliffe@ParksideCC.org.uk</u>
- And your teacher(s)

If you want to ask for a planned absence, you will need to contact Mr Morrison – <a href="mailto:Craig.Morrison@ParksideCC.org.uk">Craig.Morrison@ParksideCC.org.uk</a> to receive formal permission via a form. This would be for all planned activities such as university visits or holidays.

#### **CAS OPPORTUNITIES & NOTICES**

#### CAS

This weeks Open Evening provides a great opportunity for you to gain CAS service hours! You could also gain CAS creative hours if you helped to set up a display with a member of staff! When you do your writing up, describe the WHAT of the evening, (tours, talking to potential students etc) and then in a reflection you might want to say what you felt about the whole process. Sometimes in talking about the IB you can think about the advantages of doing this qualification as against doing A levels. You might also reflect on the things you really like about being part of a small and quite unique 6<sup>th</sup> form – what is it which makes it special? Remember to ask the member of staff to send you an email confirming the help you gave on the evening!

CAS week in the last week of this term – watch out for the opportunities to help with the lower school!

## Y12 & 13 - Social Mobility Week

**Social Mobility Week through Cambridge City Council.** The scheme is a week-long and designed for students from low-income backgrounds who are interested in pursuing work in the creative sector.

The scheme is entirely free (lunch and transport also provided) and from 18 - 22 July

Love video games? Interested in film? Want a job in the creative sector?

Students will spend each weekday with a high-profile Cambridge based employer learning what it's like to work in the creative industry, along with a day of resilience training with Cambridge United. Check our flyer for further details



#### **NHS Careers**

Insight into NHS Careers summer programme for students Y8 – 13

27th & 28th July 2022, 10am – 3pm

There are over 350 roles in the NHS and not all of them are patient facing career in a hospital setting. Have you thought you might like to be in engineering? Did you know you could do this and many other roles in the NHS?

To register - www.bit.ly/nhsSummerProgramme2022

#### **Virtual Work Experience**

Following the success of our 2020/21 VWEX Programme Morgan Sindall Construction are continuing to offer Virtual work experience nationally to students from Y10–13.

Student engagement was amazing, with students maximising the chat function with guest speakers being asked more quality questions than in previous in person events. The programme is inclusive of all abilities, and we are encouraging students from all demographics to take part.

This is an immersive week with tasks that require access to a laptop or tablet with working microphone.



## **Gap Year Opportunities**

For those looking for gap year opportunities we attach our database of recommended gap year organisations. **Click here for WHAT ARE THE CHOICES FOR SIXTH FORM LEAVERS?** 

"After a few years of searching, I have finally found what I have been looking for: an organisation that gives an impartial overarching overview of the various gap options available to students".

Head of Sixth Form, Kingston Grammar School.

"Worth its weight in gold."

## **Hereford Sixth Form College Careers Department**

Following the recent demise of STA Travel, Trailfinders provides an information, support and booking service.

Click here for <u>Trailfinders contact details</u> Click here for <u>Trailfinders travel safety guide</u> www.independentgapadvice.org

#### **Online Support for Young People**

<u>Chat Health</u> - In case of crisis, please contact 111 - option 1 for physical health, option 2 for mental health.

**CEOP www.ceop.co.uk** Report Abuse

## HTTPS://WWW.CEOP.POLICE.UK/SAFETY-CENTRE

Helps children stay safe online. Has someone acted inappropriately towards you online or a young person you know, it may be sexual chat, being asked to do something that makes you feel uncomfortable.

YoungMinds - children and young people's mental health charity

#### Childline HTTP://WWW.CHILDLINE.ORG.UK - 0800 1111

A free, private and confidential service where you can be you. Whatever your worry, whenever you need help, however you want to get in touch. We're here for you online, on the phone, anytime.

NHS Choices HTTP://WWW.NHS.UK/NHSENGLAND/ABOUTNHSSERVICES/MENTAL-HEALTH-SERVICES-EXPLAINED/PAGES/ACCESSING%20SERVICES.ASPX

<u>Samaritans</u> HTTP://WWW.SAMARITANS.ORG/ABOUT-US Talk to us any time you like, your own way, and off the record – about whatever's getting to you.

## **Online Counselling**

Kooth is a website that offers free online counselling for young people in Cambridgeshire.

We are all facing difficulties with the current government restrictions, so if you as a young person are struggling emotionally this could be a good place to get some support.

https://www.kooth.com



Free, safe and anonymous Monday - Friday 12pm - 10pm online support for young people Saturday - Sunday 6pm - 10pm

# **HelpAtParkside**

If you have any worries or concerns about a student at our school:

- Form tutor
- **Head of year**
- Any teacher you feel comfortable talking to.
- A member of the safeguarding team look out for the purple lanyards
- Students can self-refer here bit.ly/HelpAtParkside

## **Social Media**



For our Parkside Sixth news and events follow us on Facebook/twitter!



Facebook - Parkside Sixth Twitter - @ParksideSixth

For anything else, check our website <a href="https://www.parksidecc.org.uk/sixth">https://www.parksidecc.org.uk/sixth</a>