

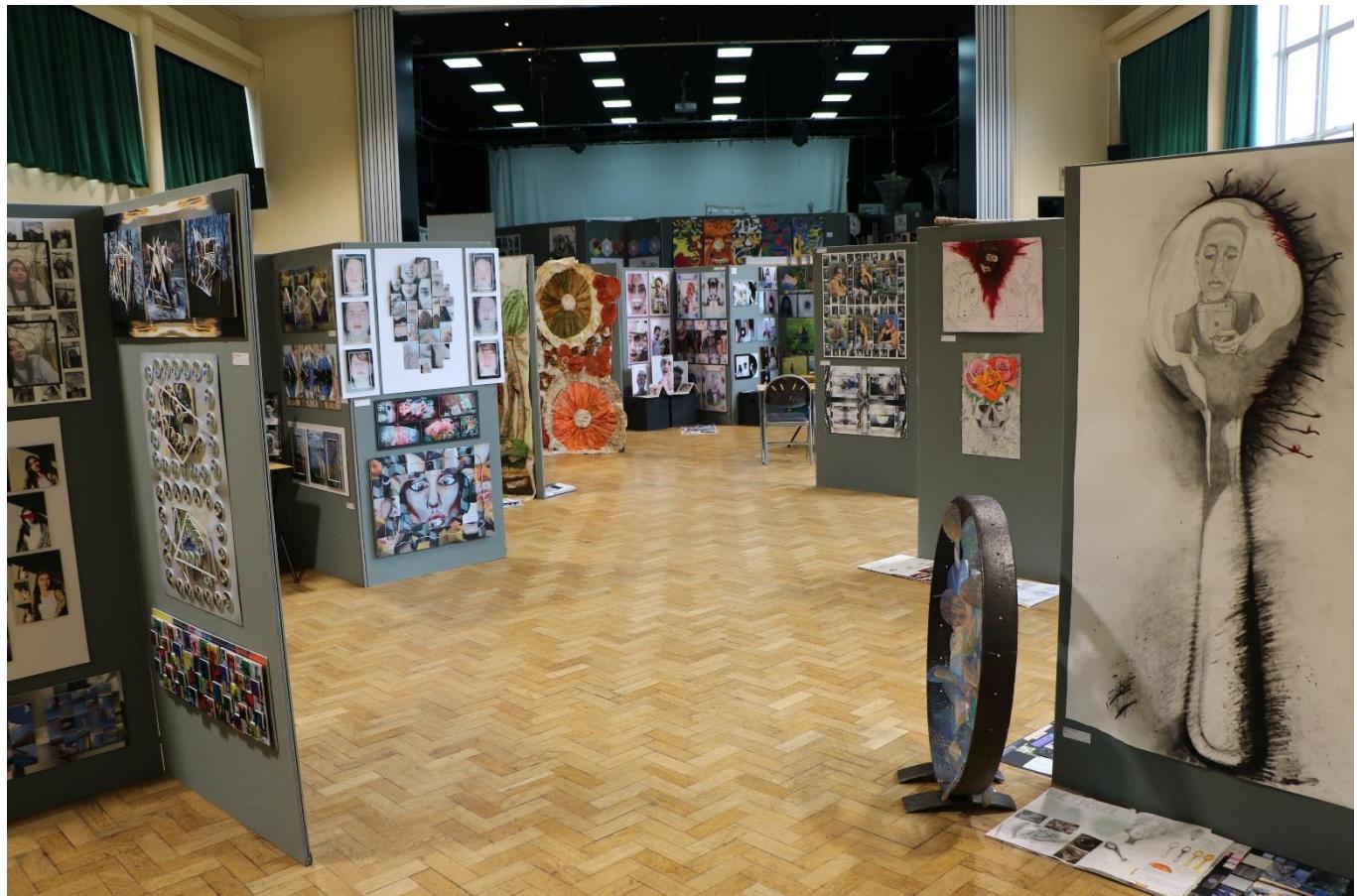


Heathfield Headlines

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HEATHFIELD ART STUDENTS EXCEL IN FINAL MODERATION



Heathfield students impressed yet again this year in the Annual Exhibition of Art, Textiles and Photography from all year groups. With a special focus on presenting examined portfolio pieces, Ms Ireland, Head of Visual Arts, said she was “*so incredibly proud*” of the standard of the pieces and the hard work and dedication shown by students in reaching such high standards in their final pieces.

The exhibition contained work from Key Stage 4 and Key Stage 5 as well as interesting and ambitious work from the students involved in Super Curricular work at Key Stage 3.

As a College, we take great pride in the number of students who pursue an Arts based qualification and take such pride and enjoyment in their creative passion and ability. We are very grateful to the whole Arts team of staff for the amount of work that goes into supporting students at this level. The finished pieces will have been the product of hours of deliberation, practise and drafts of work never seen.

We are delighted to showcase just a few of the pieces in these pages; some will be available to see on our Key Stage 3 Arts Evening on July 8th. Well done everyone!



Message from the Headteacher, Caroline Barlow

Although the academic year is far from over, in College our thoughts are already turning to next year and our priorities for our continued improvement. As a senior team we take a strategic planning day to review and plan and our staff, next week, will be doing the same on our INSET Day. Our ‘Important Goals’ are the benchmark for what we are trying to achieve irrespective of any external performance measures or grading:

- A community culture of high aspiration and high achievement, underpinned by commitment, collaboration and compassion.
- Innovative, challenging and personalised provision.
- Inspiring, creative and dynamic teaching and learning experiences.
- Experiences that build self-esteem, leadership and resilience.
- Students equipped to enjoy and thrive in their lives, in and beyond the College.
- A vibrant centre for learning, attracting and retaining the best staff based on career fulfilment, enjoyment and job satisfaction.

Part of our role is to be very self-critical, to unpick where we have not yet reached our goals and what barriers there are that we still need to overcome. However, an equally important aspect is also to stop and reflect on what is going well and the aspects of Heathfield Community College that make us very proud.

The parental, community and student feedback we receive has been incredibly rewarding to read and we are so very grateful for the support we have. We work hard to offer our young people a sense of optimism and a safe space where they can be free to be true to themselves, dream big and achieve highly. I am reassured by all the examples in this newsletter, the day to day experience of being in the College and the feedback is that we do this and I remain determined that we must continue to do so. Thank you for your support that enables us to do our best for our students



A thank you to the wonderful Head Prefect Team.

Last issue you would have read the ‘final’ goodbye message from our Head Prefect team: Hattie, Charlie, Tia and Atholl. They were a head team who worked tirelessly all year, ensuring that the voices of their student body were heard and represented at key points in the academic year.

As their tenure draws to a close, I wanted to take this opportunity, personally, and on behalf of the Executive Student Council, to thank them for their dedication, hard-work and professionalism. Their duties have been varied this year, including; chairing the student council meetings, attending year council meetings, organising and leading numerous face -face meetings with staff, organising whole college events like Red Nose Day, supporting House leaders with inter-house competitions and even attending SLT meetings after school to name a few! All of this, they have done with a smile on their faces, keen to do their best on behalf of the student body of which I am very proud and thankful for.

A HUGE thank you for all that you have done this year.

I know that they will all go on to do great things; best of luck to them all.

Miss Lynch (AHT) and the Executive Student Council

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INVESTORS IN CAREERS: FULL AWARD



Heathfield Community College has been assessed and accredited as **fully meeting all the accreditation criteria** incorporating the Gatsby Benchmarks for the national quality award for its careers education, information, advice and guidance provision.

Heathfield Community College is very proud to have, again, be awarded the full Investors in Careers kitemark from Careers South West in June 2019.

It is particularly significant now that the kitemark has become even more rigorously assessed alongside the full 8 Gatsby Benchmarks

<https://www.gatsby.org.uk/education/focus-areas/good-career-guidance> and is also now in line with all other careers' kitemarks nationally

<http://www.qualityincareers.org.uk/>. We were the first school in East Sussex to be re-assessed under such increased rigour in standards.

To achieve this recognition of the excellent support for our young people, the assessor interviewed: parents, our careers' governor, students in Years 8, 10 and 13 as well as the Head, Deputy Head, Careers Leader, Pupil Premium Champion, our Enterprise Adviser, Head of Sixth Form and Heads of Year 8 and 11.

We are delighted to have our current practice recognised and commended. Huge credit must be given to Ms Taylor for her relentless work in securing the very best provision and practice for Heathfield students.

We are committed to continue to reflect and improve, to ensure our students gain the very best support possible for their futures.

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NIKITA TUMBLES HER WAY INTO THE NATIONAL FINALS



Nikita Sendra-Bruton represented the South East in the Regional Semi Finals in Tumbling held in Birmingham.

She tumbled brilliantly on the day to come 4th out of 22 gymnasts and that means she goes straight through to the National Finals next month held in Coventry. Her scores were amazing!

Congratulations, Nikita, and we wish you the best of luck in the finals.

FRASER'S TABLE TENNIS SUCCESS

Although in the middle of his GCSEs, Fraser recently travelled to Wellingborough in Northants to take part in this year's English Table Tennis League Cup Final representing the Crawley and Horsham League.

This is a team event in which Fraser played with another player of the same age. They were playing for the Carter Cup which was the junior boys event.

The boys played fantastically well together gaining fourth place in this event - a great achievement, with many of the top boys in the country playing. Well done yet again to Fraser.



Engaged & Enthusiastic

DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD SCHEME: WANTED!

Do you have any unused walking boots sitting in your garage or shed?

If so we would be really grateful if you would donate them to our Duke of Edinburgh Award.

This is one of the biggest costs for our students and it may be that they only use them once before their feet grow.

Please make contact with Ms Harker: charker@heathfieldcc.co.uk if you are able to help.



CAN YOU HELP US TO RAISE FUNDS FOR KABUBBU?



In February 2020, 24 students and 4 members of staff from the College will visit the village of Kabubbu in Uganda to take part in a volunteer project with the Quicken Trust. For many, we expect it to be a life-changing experience.

The students are paying their own costs for this trip but we have also agreed a very ambitious fundraising target of £14,000 which is well under way.

We have lots of events that we are organising and will be running a raffle in order to raise more money.

If you, or anyone you know, are able to help by donating a raffle prize we would be most grateful. 100% of the money raised will go directly to the Quicken Trust charity.

Please contact Carolyn Abbott via email to arrange collection of any prizes cabbott@heathfieldcc.co.uk.

Alternatively if you, or anyone you know, would like to make a financial donation please do so by clicking on the following link:

<https://wonderful.org/fundraiser/heathfieldcommunitycollegekabubbu2020-003c8bfc>

Thank you in advance for your donations.

Miss Gillespie (Trip Leader), Miss Coggin, Mrs Millyard & Mrs Abbott

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THE MUD MONSTER RUN

On Sunday 9 June, Marley Kitchenham, Maddie Simpson, Berry Robertson and Berry's dad, Kieron, undertook The Mud Monster run in East Grinstead. They decided to go for the 10k, 64 obstacles run and completed it in under 4 hours. This was a huge achievement considering it was their first run - most people start on the 5k.

Well done to all of you!



SPANISH FILM & TAPAS



The movie was in Spanish (with English subtitles). Students got so wrapped up in the story-line that they broke out in spontaneous applause during one part!

Following the film, we enjoyed some tapas dishes looking whilst enjoying the sea views. For a moment we could have been in Spain!

Thank you to all the students who attended the trip and behaved like true ambassadors for the College.

Heathfield have offered to extend the invitation to both St. Richards and Claverham to host the next event. Watch this space...



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HEATHFIELD STUDENTS LEAD THE WAY IN CROWBOROUGH LEAGUE



The culmination of an outstanding season saw Maresfield Dynamos (football team) presented with their Crowborough League U14B winners medals in a ceremony at the Uckfield Civic Centre. This evening brings together all Crowborough League winners and runners up to receive their team trophy and individual medals in a memorable evening of celebration.

As the club's senior age group, the under 14s have been a true credit to themselves and all who they represent. They are excellent role models for the younger players, having trained hard and played hard, with smiles on their faces all season, showcasing that you can enjoy playing football while striving to win. Throughout the season, they have proven outstanding ambassadors for the club, showing respect for their opposition, match officials and each other as they chased their dreams.

Dynamos' league winning tally of 57 points, from a possible 60, is an astonishing achievement given the quality of opposition and highlights the exceptionally consistent performances the team maintained over the eight month season.

En-route to the title, Maresfield Dynamos' team ethic contributed the highest number of individual scorers of the 22 teams at under 14, with 14 different players hitting the net. At the other end of the pitch, 3 clean sheets were kept alongside a measly 20 goals conceded (another division leading performance).

Well done to HCC Year 9 students **William Evans, Kye Evison and Zack Goldsmith** ... and thank you, from your coaches, for a truly memorable season.



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LETTER FROM THE SCHOOLS MINISTER; RT HON NICK GIBB MP

Following a DfE letter received in February regarding Modern Foreign Language study and entry, the Headteacher, Ms Barlow, felt compelled to reply and address some points of order in the generic letter that had been sent out. We recently received a reply which not only acknowledged the errors in some assumptions made but also showed an appreciation of the success that Heathfield Community College has achieved in recent years.

It was particularly pleasing to read the following recognition as a product of the hard work of all our staff and our wider community:

"I note the many accomplishments of your College and staff. I am delighted to read that under your leadership the College has been rated as rapidly improving and an outstanding provider. It is a tribute to your leadership that both attainment and achievement are now consistently well above average. I would like to conclude by wishing you, your staff and the school continued success."

It is a pleasure to share this feedback with our community as recognition of the hard work of all our staff in securing the improvements that we have seen over the last 4 years.

We are lucky to have such a depth of subject specialists and passionate, dedicated teachers and staff who care about our students. It is good to have that externally recognised.



Rt Hon Nick Gibb MP
Minister of State for School Standards

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tel: 0370 000 2288 www.education.gov.uk/help/contactus

Ms Caroline Barlow
Head Teacher
Heathfield Community College and Sixth Form College
Cade Street
Heathfield
East Sussex
TN21 8RJ

/O June 2019

Dear Ms Barlow

Thank you for your letter of 1 April in response to mine of 5 February.

I note your comments about the data on language entry for Heathfield Community College, and acknowledge that a number of your pupils sat legacy specifications. I am also pleased to read that you are maintaining high levels of entries for language GCSEs.

By way of background to my letter, although we have seen a rise in MFL GCSE entries between 2010 and 2018, the proportion of pupils taking languages at GCSE has fallen since 2013. The Government believes it is more important than ever that young people study a language so that they leave school better equipped to succeed in our global economy. That is why the Department for Education is writing to schools that in the last five years, have had a higher language entry level than in 2017/18. Your school is one of these schools.

I am aware that sometimes these types of communications do not take account of the specific school context, and I note the many accomplishments of your College and staff. I am delighted to read that under your leadership, the College has been rated rapidly improving and an outstanding provider. It is also a tribute to your leadership that both attainment and achievement are now consistently well above average. I would like to conclude by wishing you, your staff and the school continued success.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink.

Rt Hon Nick Gibb MP
Minister of State for School Standards

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PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE TO OUR NEIGHBOURS

We have received the following message from one of our neighbours and would ask that you are considerate with your parking when dropping off or picking up your children from the College.



"I have just spoken to someone about the vexed issue of inconsiderate parking by some parents whilst waiting to pick up students.

I quite accept that students need to be collected; what I do not accept is that parents should park across my driveway.

I had to speak to two separate parents this afternoon to ask them to move their cars. They seemed most put out!!

I am not blaming the College for this at all and I fully appreciate that you have better things to do than act as traffic wardens. However, perhaps a reminder to parents about not blocking driveways would not go amiss? This is actually illegal.

There are usually spaces further up the road by the recreation ground. This would only involve students having to walk a few extra yards."

As a reminder, please see below the message that was included in Headlines earlier in the year.

CONSIDERATE PARKING AT THE COLLEGE

Please accept this notice with the understanding that we do know and appreciate that parking outside and around the College is difficult. In recent years we have tried to expand the parking inside the College grounds but any further additions would require significant investment and planning permissions.

We would like to remind you that you should not park, drop off or pick up in the taxi/disabled parking bay at the front of the College (unless you are a taxi or a parent with prior permission from the College). Sometimes parents of students without any special educational needs are doing this and it is very frustrating for the taxi drivers picking up our students and not being able to park in the allocated places. It is also very dangerous as some of our students are visually impaired.

In addition, we would like to remind you that if you are visiting the College in the afternoon you should not park in the lay-by at the front of the College as the buses start to arrive at 2pm. We have a large amount of buses picking up our students and need every space available in the lay-by for them to park safely. Unfortunately if you are parked in the lay-by or the College car park the buses will not be able to move to let you out.

We are aware that there are a large number of parents dropping off and collecting students from the College but we would ask that to ensure the safety of all that you do not stop or park on the yellow zig-zag lines outside of the College.

Thank you for your continued help and support.

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HEATHFIELD CHORAL SOCIETY: FREE MEMBERSHIP FOR Y11,12 &13

Heathfield Choral Society is offering free membership to students of the College in Year 11, 12 & 14 for its 2019/2020 season. Rehearsals are on a Monday evening in Heathfield Town Centre from 7.30 - 9.30pm and there are two concerts during the year, one in December and one in May. We are a mixed ability, mixed age, 80 strong group ranging from starters to the very experienced who come together with a love of music and enjoy singing a varied repertoire. We do not have auditions, as we believe everyone can enjoy, contribute to and benefit from our marvellous music.



We have recently appointed Sebastian Charlesworth as our new Musical Director (www.sebastiancharlesworth.com); he has a wealth of experience and skills we will learn from.

Please come along to our informal open evening on Monday 2 September, enjoy joining in and making a marvellous sound. Parents and carers are welcome too. Please email Chris Thompson at chairman@heathfieldchoral.org.uk who will give you more details.

We will be delighted to hear from you.

STUDENTS & PARENTS WANTED!



Volunteers to help at the Primary School Swimming Gala
On Thursday 4th July

6.30-8.30pm, in Eastbourne

(You can only volunteer if attending the event watching a younger sibling)
Please email Ms Cobbold at mcobbold@heathfieldcc.co.uk to express your interest and collect a letter for further details

Notices

ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICINES

If your son or daughter needs to take any medication during the College day you should inform Mrs Millis in the Student Support Office at jmillis@heathfieldcc.co.uk or telephone 01435 866066 Ext 1203. Students should not keep the medicine with them during the school day. You will also need to complete the parental consent form that can be found on the College website at

<http://www.heathfieldcc.co.uk/parents/letters&information/administrationofmedicine>.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Millis.

TOP UP EQUIPMENT AND HELP THE COLLEGE

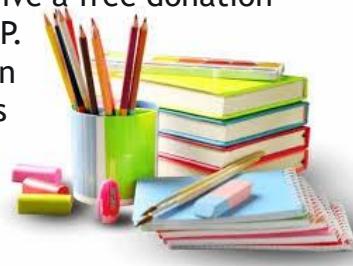
Thank you to everyone who has signed up to easyfundraising to support Heathfield Community College. We have now raised £1,143.48.

If you have not yet signed up, please help us raise even more free donations by signing up today using the link below! It is very easy to set up and we receive a free donation every time you shop online using the easyfundraising website or APP.

For each item that you purchase the College will receive a donation from the company - at no cost to yourself but a considerable bonus to the students.



[Easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk)
Website



VOLUNTARY DONATION

By way of update and thanks we wanted to let you know how the voluntary donations have been used this year to benefit students in a range of ways:

- To support motivational speakers to lift the spirits of Year 11 and Year 10 at different points of the year.
- To provide funds for the Executive School Council who have chosen to invest this in additional sports equipment, to support the Eco Reps with new recycling bins and bird boxes and also to assist with the purchase of a new Salad Bar for the canteen.
- To provide for the equipment needed for our student leadership strands such as the Radio Station and HTV.
- Additional board games as requested by students to run lunchtime activities inside.

We are delighted that we have secured the impressive speaker, author and advocate on mental health, **Natasha Devon MBE**, as our Honours Speaker this year, in addition she will be doing workshops with students during the day so that the maximum number of students can benefit from her powerful messages on mental health and wellbeing.

In addition, at the end of the year some funds will contribute to the redesign and modernisation of the Library and redecoration of parts of the school outside our normal cycle of upkeep.

ON-LINE SAFETY

DO YOU DOWNLOAD FROM THE INTERNET?

Do you download from the internet? Software? Music? Videos? Live streams of football matches? Are you doing it legally? Did you know that the highest fine/penalty so far imposed in the UK against people who illegally download files from the internet is £16,000? Do you know what your children are downloading or how much? Did you know that the parent / the internet bill payer, is the one likely to be held responsible for any illegal downloading on their internet connection which means that it is the bill payer that gets fined?

More information about what is legal and what isn't, as well as advice for parents in discussing this issue with their children can be found at

Childnet.com <http://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/hot-topics/music-downloading>

CYBERBULLING - DO YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO IF YOU OR A FRIEND ARE EXPERIENCING THIS?

Do you know what to do if you, a friend or a child is experiencing Cyberbullying? There is lots that you can do and there are lots of websites on the internet that can give you advice too. We recommend that ONE of the things that you do is to tell a teacher - your form tutor, your Head of Year, a trusted subject teacher. This is because it is better for us and for you that we know than if we don't. You will find some really good advice on the Childline website at the following

URL: <https://www.childline.org.uk/Explore/Bullying/Pages/online-bullying.aspx> . Also don't forget to use the "report it" button that appears on many websites - you can find it on our College E-safety page at this URL: https://mail.heathfieldcc.e-sussex.sch.uk/wp/?page_id=445362

Venue Hire

DO YOU STRUGGLE TO FIND VENUES FOR YOUR EVENTS OR MEETINGS?

We have a wide range of facilities at Heathfield Community College available to hire!

Please contact our Facilities Manager to discuss your requirements.

Call: 01435 866066 Ext 1255

Email: dstanger@heathfieldcc.co.uk

Website: www.heathfieldcc.co.uk



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PE KIT EXPECTATIONS

A reminder from the PE Department that if students do not have the correct PE kit, they may be given a missing equipment mark which may result in a detention. Please see the list below or refer to our uniform policy on the College website

http://www.heathfieldcc.co.uk/Parents/Policies/Uniform_Policy_September_2018.

	BOYS - all year groups	GIRLS - all year groups
Compulsory kit (ALL LOGOED ITEMS: Only available from Broadbridges)	<p>Heathfield logoed green and black unisex logoed short sleeve PE top or green and black long sleeve top</p> <p>Heathfield logoed black shorts and/or jogging bottoms</p> <p>Black logoed knee length socks .</p>	<p>Heathfield logoed green and black unisex logoed short sleeve PE top or green and black long sleeve top / fitted green and black short sleeve PE top.</p> <p>Heathfield logoed black shorts and/or jogging bottoms unless opting for the Heathfield logoed sports leggings or skort - please see optional items below.</p> <p>Black logoed knee length socks</p>
Compulsory kit	<p>A change of underwear.</p> <p>Shin pads.</p> <p>Training shoes.</p> <p>Football boots.</p>	<p>A change of underwear.</p> <p>Shin pads.</p> <p>Training shoes.</p>

Gum shields are compulsory in lessons and College matches for contact rugby. We strongly advise the use of gum shields for hockey. They are compulsory when playing in College matches.

ALL ITEMS OF PE KIT AND OTHER CLOTHING SHOULD BE CLEARLY LABELLED WITH THE STUDENT'S NAME

Optional items (ALL LOGOED ITEMS: Only available from Broadbridges)	<p>Towel.</p> <p>Additional black base layers can be worn under the compulsory kit.</p> <p>Heathfield logoed quarter zip jumper. <i>No other jumper will be accepted.</i></p> <p>Heathfield logoed quarter zip outer jacket. <i>No other jacket will be accepted.</i></p>	<p>Towel.</p> <p>Additional black base layers can be worn under the compulsory kit.</p> <p>Heathfield logoed sport leggings</p> <p>Heathfield logoed skort</p> <p>Heathfield logoed quarter zip jumper</p> <p><i>No other jumper will be accepted.</i></p> <p>Heathfield logoed quarter zip outer jacket.</p> <p><i>No other jacket will be accepted.</i></p>
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THURSDAY
27TH JUNE

DOORS OPEN 5.30

TIME 6PM START TILL
7.30PM IN THE MAIN HALL

FAMILY QUIZ NIGHT



FUN NIGHT
FOR ALL!

GREAT PRIZES!

FRIENDS,
FAMILY, STUDENTS -
EVERYONE WELCOME!

ONLY - £2 PER ADULT £1 PER CHILD (PAY ON THE NIGHT)

TEAMS OF UP TO 6 PEOPLE (MUST BE AT LEAST 3 STUDENTS PER TEAM)

**REFRESHMENTS ON SALE AND DON'T FORGET WE WILL
ALSO BE DRAWING THE GRAND RAFFLE!**

**ARE YOU AGED
BETWEEN 13 & 17?
THEN WHY NOT...**

Fire Cadets

COME JOIN THE FIRE CADETS TODAY!

**You will get the opportunity
to learn about the following:**

- Firefighting techniques
- Basic first aid and what to do in an emergency
- Fire safety in the home and the community
- Youth social action activities to make your community safer and better
- Fundraising for local, national and international charities
- Supporting your local Fire and Rescue Service at open days and events

We would really like to hear from you, visit our website to find out more ...

'Have a Go Session' if you are interested in joining Fire Cadets:
**Thursday 25th July 2019 11am-1pm - Heathfield Fire Station
High St, Heathfield TN21 8JD**
**Friday 26th July 2019 11am-1pm - Eastbourne Fire Station,
Whitley Road, Eastbourne, BN22 8LA.**

NFCC
National Fire Chiefs Council

Places are limited, book early! Closing date - end of June

To apply to attend email your name, age & your choice of session to: fire.cadets@esfrs.org

Further information will be emailed to you
Visit www.esfrs.org/cadets for more details



SADDLE UP

Dallington Ho-Down!

13th July 11-3pm

STRAP ON YOUR BOOTS FOR
AN AFTERNOON OF FUN &
GREAT MUSIC

Dallington CofE Primary
Music By Debi Sings Country

BBQ, DRINKS
Fun & Games

[fb@dallingtonsummercelebration](https://www.facebook.com/dallingtonsummercelebration)



Ticks

how to protect yourself

Information about tick bites

Playing outdoors is great fun and lots of exercise will help you grow strong and keep healthy. But remember to look out for ticks!

What are ticks?

Ticks are small, spider-like mini beasts that feed on the blood of animals, including people.

Ticks don't fly or jump, but live in long grass, bushes and shrubs. You can find them in the woods, places with long grass, and sometimes parks and gardens. Ticks wait on the tips of plants and when you brush past, they climb on.

Fascinating Fact

Ticks are arachnids, so are related to spiders.



Fascinating Fact

Ticks only feed once for a few days during a whole year.

A beastly bite

Remember to do a tick check!

How many ticks can you find?



- A tick will stay on your body for several days to feed on your blood.
- Tick bites may not hurt so you won't know if you've been bitten.
- Ticks are tiny and can look like a speck of dirt or a freckle.
- Ticks often like to hide behind your ears, on your neck and head, in your underarms, behind your knees or between your toes.
- After playing outside, ask your parent or a grown up you trust to check you for ticks.
- Remove ticks as soon as possible

Fascinating Fact

Ticks have four stages in their life cycle – the eggs, larvae, nymphs and adults.

You and your parents can find out more about ticks at:
www.gov.uk/guidance/tick-surveillance-scheme

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Why should I look out for ticks?

You don't need to be scared of ticks, but it is important to look out for them and remove any you find.

Some ticks can carry diseases, like **Lyme disease**, that can make you sick so it's important to know what ticks are and what to do if you get bitten.

Fascinating Fact

Tick saliva contains **special chemicals** so you don't feel it when they bite.



Oh no, I've found a tick!

If you find a tick, ask your parent or grown up to remove it as soon as possible.

Remove the tick safely

- Using a special tick tool or pointy tweezers.
- Grab the tick as close to the skin as possible and pull up and out.
- After the tick has been removed, wash the place where it bit you with soap and water.



Fascinating Fact

Ticks feed on lots of different animals, so you may find them on your pets too!

What do I do now?

- Sometimes, a tick can carry bacteria that make you sick.
- You may find a red rash where you were bitten several days or weeks later.
- Not everyone who gets sick will have a rash.
- You may have a temperature, headache and feel sore.
- If you begin to feel poorly, tell your parent so they can take you to see your doctor
- Remember to tell them you have been bitten by a tick. They will give you medicines to make you better.
- Remember**, not all tick bites will make you sick.

How to stop ticks biting you

- Wear long trousers and tops with long sleeves to stop ticks getting to your skin
- Wear light coloured clothes – the ticks are easier to spot and can be brushed off.
- Use an anti-insect spray to stop ticks from attaching.
- Remember to do a tick check after playing outside.

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The views expressed are those of the authors and not necessarily those of the NIHR, the NHS, the Department of Health or Public Health England

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SUPPORTERS OF HEATHFIELD CC

GRAND RAFFLE

TICKETS ARE £1

ON SALE AT COLLEGE EVENTS. LOOK OUT FOR THE SOHCC STALL

THE DRAW TAKES PLACE ON 27TH JUNE 2016

LOADS OF PRIZES INCLUDING:

- EGGS TO APPLES FARM SHOP**
£20 Farm shop voucher
- GO:VER GYM**
FREE 3 month membership
- ARTICHOKE GALLERY**
£25 VOUCHER
- Horam Home Kitchen**
Private dining experience
Tapas for up to 6 people
- melina joy OPTICIANS**
£50 voucher
- stellar**
3 free yoga classes
- Blackdoor**
Family | Beauty | Wellbeing
£15 voucher
- THE BELL**
"Apparently"
2 x tickets for any 2016 film night
with food at the Bell in Ticehurst
- French & Son**
Free MOT (worth £35)
- HEAVENLY SOULS**
£40 VOUCHER
- Bottle of Taittinger Champagne**

A HUGE thank you to *everyone* who donated a prize.
All money raised goes towards the refurbishment of the college dining hall.
The draw will take place after the SOHCC Family Quiz Night on 27th June - more details to follow.

Classified Advertising

To promote your business/event here, email headlines@heathfieldcc.co.uk for further information and prices.

Calendar Dates

Monday 23 June	Year 9 Mock Exams Begin Photography Trip to Brighton (Year 10)	
Wednesday 26 June	Spelling Bee Grand Finale	4.30pm
Thursday 27 June	SOHCC Family Quiz Night	5.30pm
Friday 28 June	INSET Day Year 11 Prom Year 13/14 Leavers Ball	
Monday 1 July	Year 10 Core Mock Exams Begin Broadbridges Uniform Sale	3.15pm – 4.15pm
Tuesday 2 July	Year 12 Oxford University Open Day Year 9 Devised Drama	3.30pm
Wednesday 3 July	Wealden Cup for Science	
Thursday 4 July	Sixth Form Taster Day for Year 11	
Friday 5 July	Open Morning Ouse Valley Athletics Year 12 New Designers Trip Year 12 Cambridge University Open Day Alumni Event	9.00am 12.20pm

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