

**PEEBLES HIGH SCHOOL
DAILY PUPIL BULLETIN
Thursday 21st February 2019**

ALL PUPILS	
<p>Thursday</p> <p>BRASS GROUP Rehearsal today at 1.30pm in the Pit.</p> <p>WOODWIND GROUP/FLUTE GROUP Rehearsal today at 1.30pm in Practice Room 3.</p> <p>PIPES & DRUMS Rehearsal today at 1.30pm in Practice Room 2.</p> <p>CHILD PROTECTION Child protection is the protection of children from violence, exploitation, abuse and neglect. Schools have an important role to play in protecting children and young people and every school has a Child Protection Coordinator. In PHS, Mrs Moretta is the Child Protection Coordinator and has responsibility for making sure that every child is safe. If you have any concerns about your safety or the safety of one of your friends, please speak to Mrs Moretta directly or speak to a member of staff who will pass on your concerns to Mrs Moretta.</p> <p>An item of jewellery has been found in Lab 7. If it is yours and you can describe it, you can be reunited with it.</p> <p>Purple Friday February is LGBT History Month and on the last Friday of the month we celebrate Purple Friday - a day to stand against homophobia, biphobia and transphobia and show our support for LGBTI equality. So on Friday 22nd of February all pupils and staff are invited to add purple to their uniform.</p> <p>PHS Pride members will be handing out badges to anyone they see supporting Purple Friday. Those badges can be used to redeem a compassion voucher from Miss Fyfe in M30 which will allow you to skip to the front of any lunch queue.</p> <p>Careers Event Tuesday 26th February – only 6 days to go! Wondering about teaching? Come along to our Careers Event and get the lowdown from experienced teachers!</p> <p>“Impact group on Wednesday 13:25 in Room M1. This Wednesday, video with discussion asking “What about the resurrection?” looking at facts and motives surrounding this controversial moment in history. All welcome. With Chaplain Youth Worker John Allan”</p> <p>Interhouse Get your cameras at the ready! The interhouse team are running a photography competition for S1 through to S6. The theme this year is spring. All entries must either be an A4 copy handed to one of the house captains/ Mrs Williams, or a digital copy sent to gw09swainruby@glow.sch.uk. The competition closes on Thursday the 18th of April- the end of Easter holiday.</p>	<p>Mrs Reed 15/2/19</p> <p>Mrs Moretta 15/2/19</p> <p>Mrs Wren 15/2/19</p> <p>Miss Fyfe 12/2/19</p> <p>Mrs Gess 12/2/19</p> <p>John Allan 11/2/19</p> <p>House Captain 11/2/19</p>

<p>Careers Fair Peebles High School will be hosting a Careers Fair on Tuesday 26th February from 6.30pm-8.30pm – Everyone is welcome to attend! Please look at the TV screen and posters around the school for more information.</p> <p>Engineering Experience Course with The Smallpeice Trust at Napier University 24-26 June. This great opportunity to work with some leading engineering companies and to experience the dynamic world of engineering. Only students who were born between 1/8/04 and 31/8/06 are eligible. There is no formal closing date, first come first served. Find out more at https://www.smallpeicetrust.org.uk/courses/engineering-experience-scotland/ see @STEMatPHS on Twitter or see Mrs Minto</p> <p>Homework Club and Swap Shop are back on!!! Every lunchtime in M8. Come to e-mail a teacher, print off work or just have a quiet space to catch up on work. You can bring lunch with you. You can also check out what is new in swap shop this week. Supernoodles are back - but they will not last long. Get them while you still can.</p>	<p>Mr Fagan 6/2/19</p> <p>Mrs Minto 24/1/19</p> <p>Mrs Kinahan 7/1/19</p>
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<p>S1 GIRLS – VACCINATION FORMS PLEASE REMEMBER TO HAND YOUR FORMS IN ASAP.</p> <p><u>S1 STEM CLUB.</u> Come to lab 11 on Thursday at 1:30 (or earlier with your lunch). LGBT History Month themed Catalyst activities. New members welcome.</p>	<p>Office 12/2/19</p> <p>Mrs Minto 15/2/19</p>
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<p>S2 GIRLS – VACCINATION FORMS PLEASE REMEMBER TO HAND YOUR FORMS IN ASAP.</p> <p>Discover Science Event Please return forms for this event by Monday 25th February. This is a FREE event for S2 pupils who are interested in exploring the fields of veterinary medicine and agricultural science. It is at Edinburgh University Vet School on Wednesday 6th March and will involve practical workshops. We will leave at 10:45 and return at 15:45. If interested please collect a letter and EV2 form from Mrs Minto in the Science Department.</p>	<p>Office 12/2/18</p> <p>Mrs Minto 15/2/19</p>
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<p><u>Iceland Trip 2020</u> The Geography department is running an Iceland trip in October 2020. If you would like more information about this trip, and to take a letter home please see Miss Marsden in M26 today at break.</p>	<p>Miss Marsden 15/2/19</p>
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