

Sixth Form Newsletter

News from the last half term

As a Sixth Form Team we are delighted to inform you that several of our Year 12 students have achieved some highly respected awards as members of a superb Young Enterprise Team. The students Company named 'Clean Cut' competed against several local schools to achieve one of two places in the final rounds of the Young Enterprise competition.

The students delivered a first class presentation to the North Worcestershire Young Enterprise Board revealing their high standard of team work, financial acumen, presentation skills, company administration and their ability to create a high quality Trade Stand. Several highly revered local businessmen and women judged the standard of 'Clean Cut's' products, presentation and professionalism as 'extremely high'. Having been rewarded for producing the Best Product at the Regional Trade Fair the team then demonstrated a broad range of professional business skills that enabled them to secure the award for being the 'Best Team' at

the event. In addition, they have now been crowned the North Worcestershire Company of the Year. 'Clean Cut' have gone on to sell some of their laser cut home accessories to Webbs Garden Centre at Wychbold, Droitwich, one of the biggest garden centres in the UK and they are already boasting a turnover of more than £2460.00.

We would like to thank, *Oliver Bushell (Managing Director), James Travell, Joshua Hodgson- Borne and Tania Kalaida* who were involved, as everyone demonstrated a high level of maturity, dedication, commitment and sheer hard work to secure 'Clean Cut's' winning position at the finals of the Young Enterprise Competition. We wish them all the very best for their future business endeavours and we feel confident that the students will be successful in delivering future winning performances.

Anyone wishing to find out more about 'Clean Cut' should contact them at www.cleancutuk.com



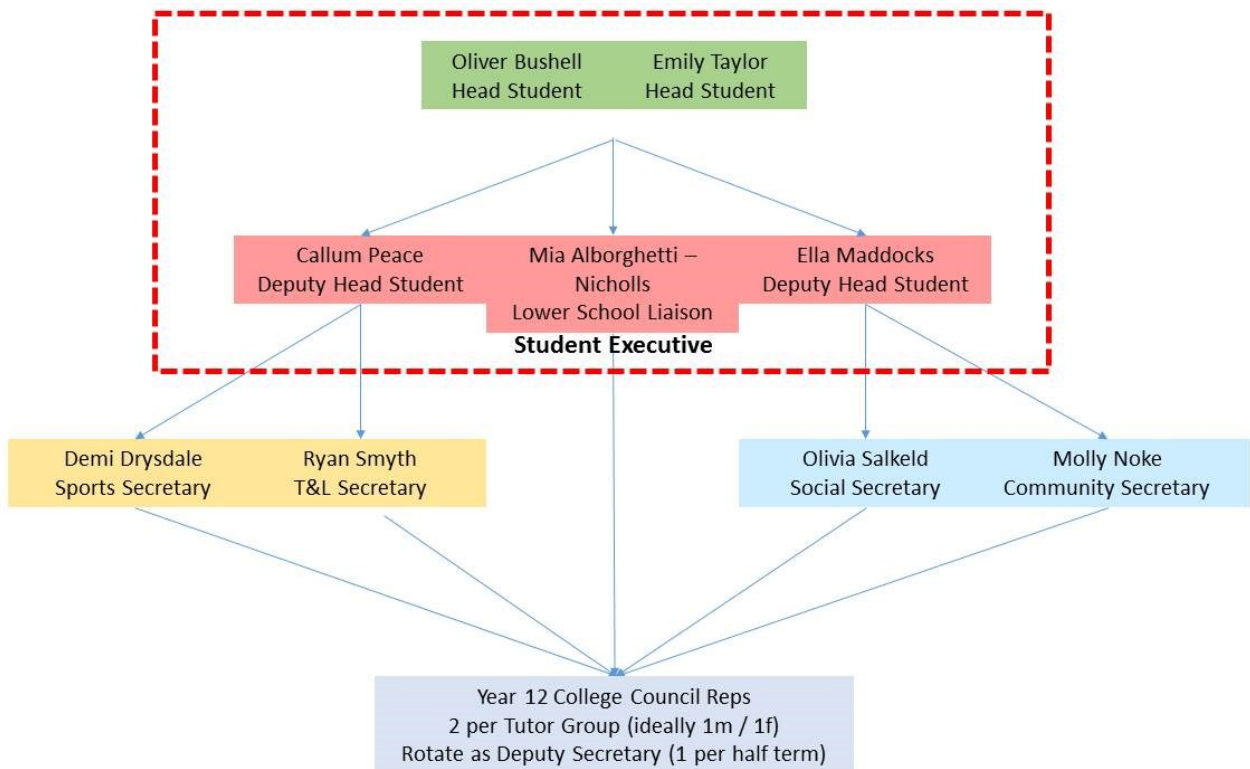
From Left to right: Joshua Hodgson-Borne, James Travell, Mrs Rees (Principal), Tania Kalaida, Oliver Bushall

Sixth Form Council College Elections

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have taken
place this
half term.**

College Council elections have taken place this half term and we are delighted to announce the following College Council structure for the 2015-2016 academic year.

Year 12 College Council Representatives will be announced in September.



How students can obtain their AS & A2 Examination Results

For Year 13 these can be obtained from the Sixth Form Centre on Thursday, August 13th at 8.30am and at 10.30am for Year 12.

Any student awaiting GCSE Resit Examination Results or Level 2 qualifications can collect these on Thursday August 20th at 10am.

Alternatively students can have their results sent to them by post if a stamp addressed envelope is given to their Head of Year before Friday July 17th 2015

Results cannot be issued by telephone but they can be issued to another person if written authorisation has been provided to the Head of Year by Friday July 17th 2015.

How Year 12 students can confirm their Year 13 Sixth Form place

When the current Year 12 students collect their AS Level Examination results on Thursday August 13th they should see one of the Sixth Form team to confirm their Year 13 place.

Year 13 Enrolment will be on Thursday, September 3rd 2015. Students should arrive at the Sixth Form Centre by 10am in Sixth Form dress where they will attend a Head of Year Assembly and where their new Timetables etc., will be

Attendance and Punctuality in September 2015

From September Year 13 students will be allowed 5 hours of Home Study per week which will be agreed and allocated on your son/daughter's timetable.

Please note that Home Study will be subject to your son/daughter ensuring that his/her attendance is 95% per Half Term. Any student whose attendance drops below 95% will lose their Home Study and if any student is persistently late he/she will register with the Head of Year at 8.50am every morning.

All students will need to ensure that they display a high level of commitment to their studies to ensure that Home Study continues to be granted.

Some Reminders about the Sixth Form Dress Code



Male students are expected to wear a formal business wear style suit that is block coloured consisting of a matching jacket, trousers and leather shoes.

White shirts are the preferred colour but other colours may be worn as long as the shirt is formal i.e., no casual, fashion or distinctly patterned shirts should be worn. Male students may also wear a single block coloured V-neck jumper or cardigan underneath their jacket.

Female students are expected to wear a block coloured suit consisting of either a matching jacket and trousers or a matching jacket and dress with formal, sensible shoes. Skirts or trouser suits may be worn but these should be accompanied by a smart blouse or top.

Single, block coloured blouses and tops are preferred but these should be formal i.e. no casual vest tops, distinctly patterned, fashion blouses or summer dresses. Female students may also wear a single block coloured V-neck jumper or cardigan underneath their jacket.

The following items are strictly forbidden: hoodies, canvas shoes, high heels, flip flops, short skirts, shorts, thin strapped tops, sun dresses, leggings, jeggings, jean style trainers or trainers.

PE/Sportswear

Students who study PE, BTEC Sport and Dance must attend school in normal Sixth Form dress and then change into their sports kit for their practical lessons. All students in Years 12 and 13 who will be studying PE, BTEC Sport and Dance will be provided with the necessary items of new PE kit.

Jewellery

Female students who have pierced ears are allowed to have one pair of plain small studs. Male students are not allowed any form of ear, facial or body piercings. Extreme hair styles and hair colours are not permitted. Female students may wear light make up and discrete nail polish. Male students should not wear any nail polish or make up.



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Any Questions?

If you have any queries about the items in this newsletter please contact Mr M. Hulme, Head of Year 13.

We hope that your son/daughter has an enjoyable and safe Summer holiday and we look forward to welcoming him/her back in September.