

# Penicuik High School Friday 03 May 2024

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

This week there was a serious fight between two students in school. It is disappointing that some students were seen to be inciting this violence and also filmed it. It would have been good if students reported such matters to staff before they start. **Violence is not tolerated in our school community** 

I would remind students if we receive information they have filmed or share the video of this fight or any others <u>it will be referred to the Police.</u>

Mr Biddick

#### Student Notices

The school athletics finals will take place during p4 and p5 on Wednesday 22nd May. The events will be 100m, 400m and 800m. If you would like to enter any event please sign up with a member of staff in the PE department.

A separate 1500m final will take place on Thursday 23rd May during p5. You can also sign up for the in PE.

PE Department

### PARENT/CARER and PUPIL MULTI-SPORT DISABILITY CLUSTER CLUB

Active Schools Midlothian are piloting a new multi-sports disability club within the region and our main objective is to increase the number of opportunities for pupils within Midlothian who have a disability.

We aim to work with local community clubs to offer pathways into disability sport after taking part in these sessions.

This pilot is running at Saltersgate School as a starting point, the club facility will then move on a termly basis into several leisure centres throughout Midlothian.

Due to the complexity of the young people's needs within the session it is a requirement for parents/carers to attend the sessions

For more information or to book please contact activeschools@midlothian.gov.uk

S1-S6 Neurodiverse/Autistic Pupils (8-10 participant's max)

22<sup>nd</sup> April – 27<sup>th</sup> May, exec 6<sup>th</sup> May & 20<sup>th</sup> May holidays

### **S1-S6 Pupils with a physical disability** (8-10 participant's max)

3<sup>rd</sup> June – 24<sup>th</sup> June

### 5-6pm Saltersgate School Gym Hall



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## STUDENTS – PLEASE NOTE:

• You must not enter the building until 8:35 am. Side doors and Green seat doors will now be locked between 8-8:30 am and you must not come into the building until such time as the automatic door locks are released.

In the case of bad weather we will arrange for you to come into the school Hall to be supervised and wait for school to start.

Students found in the building will be asked to leave and the matter referred to Guidance and parent will be contacted.

• Toilet are again a concern of the Student body. A few students are spoiling these spaces for the majority. Senior staff will be vigilant on behaviour and loitering in toilets. Serious disciplinary action will be taken against vandals and serial loiterers

PLEASE report anything wrong with the toilets to a staff member immediately PLEASE report student loitering / intimidating others/ vaping to staff – this will be anonymous

These are you toilets. This is your school. Stand up for your rights and don't let a small majority disrespect your school

### SCOTTISH SCHOOLS ATHLETICS

The Scottish Schools Championships are on Friday 7th June at 10:00am and Saturday 8th June at 10:00am & Saturday 1st June.

There are qualifying times for events so if you are interested in competing please see the PE department asap.