



Penicuik High School

Thursday 28 October 2021

Information Bulletin
for Students

HALLOWEEN DRESS UP

There will be a Halloween dress up on **Friday 29 October** as the first House Competition! Please **bring in a pound** to be collected by your registration or first period teacher. Please go to the **old gym** at break where there will be junior, senior and staff categories for best costume - judged by the House Captains and Seniors (group submissions are allowed). There will be chocolate for the winners as well as 100 points for first place, 75 points for second and 50 points for third! The points will be displayed on the House bulletin board in the Guidance Base.

Mr Dewar

LOST/FOUND

A drinks bottle was found in the park after the fire drills on Tuesday. If you think it may be yours, please speak to a member of the office staff. Thank you.

Miss Gungui

SENIOR STUDY PERIODS

2/3/4 November (Tues-Thurs next week) the library will be closed to accommodate the Student Support review. All study will be in the green seats except for senior period 3 and 5 which will be in the common room. Mr N Smith will register you in the appropriate area, he will also be with you throughout the period.

Mr N Smith, School Librarian

S2 YOUNG SCOT CARDS

Register teachers will be issuing these cards to 2L4 and 2C1 today. As these cards come in batches you may not get yours this time. They will be issued as soon as they are received. 2C5 – there is a delay but you will get them as soon as they come in. Thank you.

Mrs Davidson

ALL STUDENTS

On Tuesday we had two malicious false alarms - one in the female toilets and another outside Maths. We have already caught one student and are closing in on what happened in the other case.

I am appalled that you have had to have your learning disrupted and been forced outside in bad weather and I hope you will support us and report any further cases of deliberately setting off fire alarms or misbehaviour in the toilets. This is your school and you are entitled to feel safe and not have the behaviour of others negatively impact you.

Such actions that occurred today are also a breach of the law and it is our policy to involve the Police where we identify the culprit(s).

Mr Biddick

YOUNG STEM LEADER WEEK

This week is Young Stem Leader Week 2021. Please follow our S6 Stem leaders instagram @phsstem for updates, try at home experiments and competitions! Hopefully soon you will see our faces a bit more when our clubs can get up and running.

S6 Stem Leaders



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TO THE OFFICE PLEASE

Can the following students please come to the office at breaktime to sign a form, thank you.

Mya Bamford Jamie Gracie Aimee McDonald Ava Robertson
Mrs Davidson

HOUSE EVENTS

There will be Liddell and Clerk Maxwell house competitions and events throughout the year under three categories: Arts, Athletics and Academics. The points are as follows:

- Attendance Points = 20 Points to all pupils with 100% attendance each term. Doesn't include authorised absences and off sick.
- Participation Points = 30 points for each club you attend. This is reviewed termly
- House Points = Up to 100 Points for House Competitions and Events
- Merit Points = 20 Points for student successes

The House of the Year will win a House cup and a prize! There will be opportunities to wear your House colours on these events (Yellow for Liddell and Blue for Clerk Maxwell). Watch out for the announcement of these events in the newsletter and bulletin board in the Guidance Base.

Mr Biddick

CAREERS APPOINTMENTS

With Caroline Steele in Careers Room (next to centre front door)

THURSDAY 28 OCTOBER

P1 Hayleigh Montgomery S5

P2 David Vodovakarua S5

P3 Lauren Allan S5

P4 Clare Shanks S4

P5 Aidan Blackie S5

P6 Jack Folkman S5

Please allow students out of class in time for their appointment. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Mrs Davidson