

CHARLESTON ACADEMY

Daily Notice

Thursday 19 April 2018

STAFF

Canteen Duty This Week: Thursday - S Foster/R McFee

Walkabout Duty This Week: Thursday - A Fraser/R Macpherson.

G Stewart

ALL PUPILS

***Assemblies This Week:** Thursday - S4-S6 (normal registration and then at 8 50am report to the Hall);

Friday - S3.

G Stewart

Ex Pupils of St Joseph's Primary School: The Head Teacher, Mrs Cameron, is retiring at the end of this term. Any pupils who wish to sign a card for her please see Maureen in the school office.

Maureen

***Charleston Orienteering Squad:** Interested in trying orienteering - training and events will be on a Wednesday after school. To find out more please come along to a meeting today (Thursday) lunchtime, 1:30pm, PE Dept. or speak to Susan Blackwood, Active schools.

S Blackwood

***October Battlefield Trip:** Would all S5 pupils going on the trip please come to a meeting on Tuesday at 1.30pm in B12.

C Bain

***Scripture Union** will meet today (Thursday) at 1.15pm in A5. Please bring your lunch. All welcome.

R Boag

***S1/S2 Board Games Club:** The Board Games Club will be on today (Thursday) in the Library at 1.30pm.

F Scott

***Library:** The computers in the Library will not be available at lunchtime today.

F Scott

S1-S6 Table Tennis - meet in B14 today (Thursday) at lunchtime. Only 12 pupils allowed per session - so first come, first served.

R Gould

S4-S6 PUPILS

***Job Club - Unit 5 and Lunchtime:** Anyone leaving school or looking for summer work, work experience or training can come along to the Library today (Thursday) for a drop-in.

Gillian/Yvonne

S3/S4/S5: Any pupil who has applied for a school college course please check the list in the Guidance Office to confirm interview dates and times.

H MacRae

DYW Noticeboard in the foyer has details of various Modern Apprenticeships - all excellent opportunities.

V MacRae

***The Arnold Clark Apprenticeship** vacancies have been extended - we are still recruiting for Apprentice Light Vehicle Technicians, Apprentice Body Repairer, Apprentice Spray Painter and Parts Apprentices. If anyone would like to apply they can do so via the GTG website - www.gtg.co.uk Any questions please feel free to contact me jennifer.miller@arnoldclark.com or on 07880188454 / 0141 435 4490

***The Royal Navy** are holding Career Presentations for anyone who is interested in a career with the RAF. The presentation is on Friday 27th April at 15:30 at the Armed Forces Careers Centre, 3 Bridge Street, Inverness. If you want to attend, please call 01463 233668.

***University of St Andrews S4 Summer School - Sunday 10 June to Wednesday 13 June 2018:**

The University of St Andrews will be running a four day residential summer school for current S4 pupils on **Sunday 10 June to Wednesday 13 June 2018**. This residential programme is intended to give pupils an insight into university life while inspiring them to remain dedicated at school and aim for high achievement in their S5 year and beyond. The programme will include a number of academic taster sessions as well as workshops designed to equip pupils with the necessary skills to progress successfully into Higher Education. Pupils will only be required to bring spending money for lunches and their personal use. Pupils will be required to make their own way to and from St Andrews, but support is available if there are any difficulties with this. The cheapest form of transport to and from the summer school will be reimbursed to the pupil.

We welcome applications from **current S4** pupils who meet at least one of the following criteria:

- The first generation in their family to attend university.
- Attend schools with a low progression of pupils going to higher education
- Come from neighbourhoods with low overall progression rates to higher education or levels of socio economic deprivation
- Are (or have been) looked after, accommodated or in care
- Are young carers
- Have engaged with Reach Project Scotland, Aspire North or Focus West

A minimum of 20 places have been reserved for pupils from Argyll & Bute, the Western Isles, the Highlands, Orkney and Shetland - please apply promptly. **Applications will be accepted until Friday 20 April 2018. If interested please see Guidance.**

***Employment/Apprenticeship Opportunities:**

- **Columba Hotel Inverness** are looking for staff - check out the details below:
 - **Duty Manager** £18,000 per annum; working 5 days from 7 predominately late shifts. (*Universal Job match ID No: 43679777*)
 - **Assistant Front of House Manager** - £17,000 per annum; working 5 days from 7
 - **Weekend Maintenance Cover** - Every Saturday & Sunday; above national minimum wage; paid hourly
 - **Chef** - £17,000 per annum. (Chef De Partie level) Straight shifts available)
 - **Bar & Waiting Staff**- £7.93 per hour. Various hours available for Breakfast/Dinner/Straight shifts. (*Universal Job match ID No: 43849667*)
 - **Housekeeping Staff**- £7.93 per hour. Variable hours available. 9/9.30am start time - 1.30-3pm approx (*Universal Job match ID No: 44000375*)

Benefits:

Star of the Month Awards

Recommend a Friend Policy

Staff Meals included when on shift

On-line Training modules available to develop and learn gaining qualifications and certificates.

If you are interested please apply by speaking to HR - Telephone 01463 231391 or email hr@columbahotelinverness.co.uk

- **Brilliant Electrical and Mechanical Apprenticeships** available at Scottish Water - online info and application <http://idd.tbe.taleo.net/idd03/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=SCOTTISHWATER&cws=1&rid=2250>
- **Lifescan Scotland** are hosting an Open Event for their Apprenticeship Programme. We are recruiting apprentices for Engineering, Quality and Finance. Come along to our event for more information, see our site and speak with some of our apprentices.
Thursday 19th April 2018, Lifescan Scotland, Beechwood Park North, Inverness IV2 3ED
from 6-00-8.00pm.

G Stewart
Acting Head Teacher