



Student Bulletin

10 October 2019

Street Crime Alert!



We are sorry to report two separate incidents that occurred outside College on Tuesday 8 October. Two students were approached by 6-7 males nearby the College (by the bus stop outside, and also in Grove Road). One male student was threatened and had his mobile phone and money taken. The other male student was asked to remove their trainers and hand over their phone, and was punched twice. In both cases, police were contacted by College staff. Both victims described the males as a similar age, and appearing to be of different ethnicities (descriptions given: black, mixed race, Asian, Caucasian). When you are walking outside College, please be vigilant and keep mobile phones out of sight. If people unknown to you approach you and attempt to engage you in conversation, walk on and quickly make your way into College reception or into any of the nearby shops. Please tell a member of staff if something happens to you, or you see something worrying, and we can contact the police. You can also call the police yourself (101 for non-emergencies, and 999 if an incident is occurring).

John Rubinstein

File Check Week

Next week is File Check Week, which means your teachers will be checking your file/workbook.



What they will look for:

- Are your notes organised in order with dividers?
 - Are your notes detailed and easy to revise from or scrappy and lacking detail?
 - Are all your lesson notes in there or are they still all in your writing pad?
 - Are your handouts from lessons hole punched and in your file?
- Are you taking the notes/doing the tasks you should be for homework?

You need to bring your file of work or workbook from this term in next week, and you are likely to get an Academic stage zero from your teacher if your file isn't as it should be. If it is something to be proud of your teacher may give you a 'Cause for Congratulations' which will be emailed home. Good organisation and detailed, ordered notes you can revise from are keys to success at A level.

Olivia Stanton

Drug And Alcohol Service

Drop in to Room 14 from 12.30-1.30 pm **today** for information, advice and support from Barnet's Young People's Drug and Alcohol Service.



Do you use drugs or alcohol for fun?

Do you use drugs or alcohol to help you forget?

Do you find it hard to cope without them?

If you, or a young person you know, would answer yes to the above then contact us - we can help!



Tel: 0300 303 3169

Email: barnetyoungpeople@wdp.org.uk

Website: www.wdpyoungpeople.org.uk

Sophie Durant

ACS Launch Event

YES. The time has come for the ACS Launch Event.



On Wednesday 16 October, come down to the conference room to get a taste of what ACS has to offer this academic year. With musical performances, interactive panels and food, there is an ensured chilled vibe where you can relax and get to know people. Even if you didn't sign up initially, if you're interested in being a part of the society, don't hesitate to come down and see what we're about.

We hope to see you there!



Sakhina (student)

Interested In Doing

Interested in doing your Silver or Gold DofE at Woodhouse? See Ellen Linster (Silver) or Kevin Lawrence (Gold) for more information.



Don't forget to sign up on Woodle so we can get your account activated and you can get started on completing your sections.

DofE is a Woodhouse Plus option but we don't usually have meetings on Wednesdays so you will still be free to pick something else for Woodhouse Plus in addition to DofE.

Kevin Lawrence

Caterlink App

Don't forget to download the Caterlink app to get discounts on both food and drink. You can also use your loyalty cards at the same time.

Did You Know...

Did you know it is estimated that an average of 35.8 million plastic bottles are used EVERY DAY in the UK, but only 19.8 million are recycled each day. This means there are on average 16 million plastic bottles a day not making their way into the recycling bin.



Please can you help the College not to be part of this problem by putting your empty bottles in the recycling bins- even better would be not using single use plastic bottles in the first place.

NCS Programme (L6)

The next NCS programme still has some vacancies. This programme is only open to L6 students at a cost of £25. If you are interested then please get in touch with Ife Awogbemi on 07867 622 895 or sign up at www.ncsyes.co.uk/autumn.

The dates are
Saturday 19 October -Tuesday 22 October
Thursday 24- Saturday 26 October
2,3 November
9, 16 November



Carol Kirkland

STEM Potential Programme

Incredible programme at Imperial College including

- masterclasses in science, engineering and maths subjects
- Lectures
- university experience taster days

Applications for L6 students will close on 13 October 2019
Eligibility criteria apply.



See <https://www.imperial.ac.uk/be-inspired/student-recruitment-and-outreach/schools-and-colleges/students/on-campus-activities/programmes/stem-potential-programme/>

Accelerate into Maths and Science (L6)

Accelerate into Maths and Science (AIMS) is an after school programme run in collaboration with academics from the Faculties of Natural Sciences and Engineering. It aims to give students an insight into how maths is applied across different science disciplines studied at university-level.

Following a launch event at the beginning of January, L6 students attend ten after school tutoring sessions during the spring term. When students are in Y13 they will be invited back for a further eight tutoring sessions during the autumn term. Sessions are run by Imperial academics and current undergraduate students.

Where? Imperial College London, South Kensington Campus

When? 5pm to 7pm on Wednesdays

This programme is FREE for applicants. Find out more about the programme and eligibility criteria, [please visit our web page](#).

John Rubinstein

QS World University Tour

The **QS World University Tour** undergraduate fair will be taking place in London 13 October 2019. The fair will be held at Park Plaza Victoria (nearest tube station is Victoria) and runs from 1.30pm until 5pm.

There will be many top universities from the UK, US & Europe exhibiting at the fair looking to talk with students interested in higher education. We will also run region specific seminars focusing on Studying in the UK, US & Canada, covering topics such as applying to a top institution, studying abroad and funding/scholarships advice.

The fair is free to attend but students must register their details at:
www.topuniversities.com/schools

Parents and guardians are more than welcome to visit with their children, there is no need for them to register their details.

Download our [Secondary Schools and Sixth Forms Information Pack](#) for all the event details, what you can expect on the day



WhatUni?

WhatUni? Is currently recruiting for our **Whatuni Student Advisory Board** and we're looking for passionate, engaged and opinionated students aged 16-18 to join it.

Made up of sixth formers and uni students, they meet in London three times a year to discuss the latest issues affecting them. From tuition fees to Brexit, problems finding decent accommodation and health and support issues, everything matters to us. Being on the board, students will :

- Represent their year group and region
- Talk and debate about the issues that matter to them
- Gain vital work experience for their personal statement/ CV
- Write and create content for Whatuni
- Help judge a Whatuni Student Choice Award

Travel and food expenses will be covered

For more information on how to apply: <https://www.whatuni.com/advice/news/get-selected-onto-the-whatuni-student-advisory-board/66286/>.



Optimus Student Survey

This survey is to discover current gaps in training for young people, and also help to raise the the importance of skills, training and careers advice with politicians and the media.

All information will be kept confidential, and students who take the survey will be entered into a prize draw to receive an iPad.

Take the survey here.



Joanna Greatwich

Calling Female Netball Players

I want to spread the word that: "Woodhouse Isoc recruiting 8 top girls netball players!". It's a great opportunity for all girls to be involved as it'll develop their team working skills. All the money raised goes to the generous cause; to help people around the globe. This will also be against all other Isoc institutions which means competition! Email woodhouseisoc@outlook.com if interested.



Madeeha (student)