

THE WEEKLY UPDATE

WHO WE ARE

We are a school rooted in its community where aspirational learning and opportunities transform the lives of our pupils.

Our Mission is to transform lives and strengthen our communities to make the world a better place



Dear CEC families

This week has flown by! I hope you all had a lovely bank holiday/half term break last week and you have continued to enjoy the sun this week.

On Wednesday, we had our local governing board meeting, and it was great to be joined by our pupil parliament representatives from across the whole Campus. We are incredibly proud of the work our pupil parliament has carried out this year and the governors were very impressed with their feedback.

Our Year 11's continue to engage with their GCSE's exams and we cannot believe that they only have just over 1 week left at the Campus. We will be sad to say goodbye to them during their leaver's assembly on Tuesday 20th June. However, we look forward to celebrating with them at the Year 11 Prom on the 7th July.

There is lots happening this half term including;

- Battle of Bands next week (Thurs 15th June)
- Sports day (Wed 12th July)
- Crastonbury (Mon 10th, Tues 11th and Thurs 13th July)
- PTA Summer Fayre (Fri 14th July)
- Year 6 Transition (Thurs 13th and Fri 14th July)
- Activities Week & Year 10 work experience (Mon 17th – Fri 21st July)

So please do keep an eye out for any specific communications linked to these events and use these weekly newsletters to stay up to date.

Please stay safe in this continued hot weather and have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards

Mr Stephen Farmer
Head of Campus



DATES FOR THE DIARY

GCSE Exams

Monday 15th May - 28th June

Battle of Bands

Thursday 15th June

HPV Catch up Vaccinations

Thursday 15th June

Year 10 Mock Exams

Monday 26th June - Friday 7th July

Year 11 Prom

Friday 7th July

Sports Day

Wednesday 12th July

Crastonbury

Mon 10th, Tues 11th & Thurs 13th July

PTA Summer Fayre

Friday 14th July

Year 6 Transition

Thursday 13th & Fri 14th July

Activities Week

Mon 17th – Fri 21st July

Year 10 Work Experience

Mon 17th – Fri 21st July

Last Day of Term

12pm finish Friday 21st July

ACTIVITIES WEEK

Forms for Activities Week for Pupils doing Options A,B or C have been sent to parents/carers via email.

We would be grateful if you could please

complete the forms by Monday 12th June at 9am.

The next instalment for Activities Week is due on 30th June. Click here for [School Money](#) link.

If you have an overdue payment please log into school money to make the payment as soon as possible please note that we may not be able to keep your child's place on the trips if overdue payments are not made promptly. If you have any questions please email jemima.scott-hake@cranbrook.education.

BEACH SAFETY

We are extremely proud of some of our Year 10 pupils that were involved in a terrifying beach rescue in Exmouth during half term. Poppy Freeman, Louie Wells, Katie Wilmott and Jamie Lee-Benson were part of a huge rescue operation which, very fortunately, had a positive outcome and a teenage boy's life was saved. A massive well done and thanks to them for being such brilliant citizens.

As the weather draws us to the beautiful beaches that surround us, we want to make sure that all our pupils are following advice on beach and water safety. This is from the Exmouth Coastguards to remind people of the dangers:

'Multi agency effort along with numerous members of the public assisted in the rescue with a happy outcome.

Big thank you to [RNLI Exmouth](#) for using the ToolTrac to fill the hole in afterwards.

DON'T DIG DEEP HOLES AND BURY PEOPLE!

It may be "funny" but this incident was a very close call. This young lad could have drowned or died from his injuries.'

In an Emergency on the coast, always dial 999 and ask for COASTGUARD

BATTLE OF THE BANDS

We have been extremely lucky to have the opportunity to host Heats for the RandK Systems Battle of the Bands. [The Ottery St Mary Food & Families Festival](#), [RandK Systems](#) and the King of Clubs are teaming up with a wide range of schools, festivals and music industry players, a regional “Battle of the Bands” for musicians aged 11 to 25 is taking place, with heats to be held at four locations, including Cranbrook Education Campus. The competition is meant to be a chance for pupils to begin their musical journey and be engaged in some fun music making. All pupils who enter the Heats also have the opportunity to be entered into the Final.

The heats will take place Thursday 15th June 15:30 - 17:00. Contact Mrs A Hawkins for more information.

Log in or sign up to view. See posts, photos and more on Facebook.

MUSIC EVENTS SUMMER 2023

- Battle of The Bands Thursday 15th June
- Y9 Showcase Monday 10th July
- Crastonbury Tuesday 11th July Break and Lunch
- Crastonbury Thursday 13th July Break and Lunch
- PTA Summer Fayre Friday 14th July after school

CAREERS EDUCATION DONE DIFFERENTLY

[MYPATH](#) aims to offer engaging careers resources for use in all educations and careers settings. The MYPATH videos rely on LMI from a range of sources and any information stated is accurate at the time of the video being posted to the best of our knowledge.

<https://www.youtube.com/@mypathcareersuk/featured>

DID YOU KNOW?

The majority of the events that are happening over the next term can be found on our [Cranbrook Education Campus website](#). This includes campus trips, exams and even which week timetables are following in secondary! From the main page, you can scroll to the bottom for a timeline of upcoming events or click on News & Events in the top right hand corner for a calendar view.

C-CARD

Next Friday 16th June we will be visited by Emily from Devon Sexual Health Service, who will be available in the atrium to talk to pupils about sexual health and the C-card scheme from 13:30 until 16:00. Emily will be bringing leaflets, posters, an ‘Ask Me Anything’ box (an anonymous way of asking questions relating to sexual health, relationships etc) and will also have a condom demonstrator.

Emily will also be meeting with Mrs Goguel to sign off her C-card assessment training which will mean that Mrs Goguel can offer support around sexual health and access to contraception to pupils in the future. [Click here to find more information on the Devon C-card scheme](#)

PUPIL PARLIAMENT

This week our pupil parliament representatives from across the whole Campus met with our board of Governors, who were very impressed with their level of engagement.



THE BIG STEP

This summer, The Big Step is returning to the campus to support our new Year 7 cohort. They are looking for students from Year 9, 10 or 11 who would like a work experience opportunity.

Students who:

- Like working with other people
- Want to get involved in helping deliver activities and workshops
- Are positive role models (with excellent behaviour)
- Possible interest in a future in teaching or coaching
- Can offer help and advice to your new year 7's (during and after the programme)

What's in it for these students:

- Amazon Gift Voucher
- Professional Reference
- Hours towards DofE and Leadership awards (if applicable)
- Gain new skills and confidence

To register an interest, please completing this short [Sign up Form](#) The deadline for applicants is Friday 7th July. Successful applicants will be contacted to receive parental consent in the coming weeks.



AWARDS AND REWARDS

Another huge congratulations to our pupils who obtained their House Point Awards in the past week.



BRONZE

Thakis Panteli
+1 other student



SILVER

Shaya Bowden
+1 other student



GOLD

Roxy Bleasdale-Soper
Sophie Bain
Sophia Harvey
Ellie Fallon
Connor Valentine
Tye Stewart
Cruz Bradford
Khloe Shaw
Ralph Martin
Ryan Needs
Jessica Lang



PLATINUM

Sonny Paul
Samira Nimrooz
Ellis Connor-Fortune
Ethan Dixon
Mathias Leung
Emily Holt
Connor Martin
Nick Pearson
+2 other students



HOUSE POINTS



109559 Total



111951 Total



110088 Total



95211 Total



ATTENDANCE



91.24%



93.33%



93.43%



92.38%

Overall

Attendance

