



Berwickshire High School

Daily Bulletin Friday 18th September 2026

NOTICES FOR STAFF, STUDENTS AND PARENTS

HOUSE CHALLENGE SCORES

	Douglas	Home	Scott
PE Activity Champions	60	85	50
Chess Chums	21	48	28
Running totals:	984	765	1026

SENIOR PREFECTS - FRIDAY

Evie Gregory	Max Pearson	Isla Gourlay	Mitchell Ovili
Benji Pereira	Lexi Carruthers	Julia Jedras	Amelia Bloszko

Fact of the week

When you're reading - even silently - the muscles of your mouth, tongue and larynx activate. This process is called 'subvocalisation'. We're sounding out the words in our heads to decode them, even when we're not speaking out loud.

Quotation of the week

"The more that you read, the more things you will know, the more that you learn, the more places you'll go" Dr. Seuss

Word of the week

Immutable: not capable of or susceptible to change.

Study Tip of the week

Use the 'reminders' function on your iPad or set a series of alarms to remind you to both start *and* stop revising.

THE UN CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD - 'RIGHT OF THE WEEK'



ARTICLE 38 (war and armed conflicts)

Governments must not allow children under the age of 15 to take part in war or join the armed forces. Governments must do everything they can to protect and care for children affected by war and armed conflicts.

GENERAL NOTICES

UPCOMING ASSEMBLIES

Date	Period	Year Group	My World of Work
Monday 21st September	7	S2	Students should bring their charged iPads
Tuesday 22nd September	1	S1	

LOWER SCHOOL

S1/2

HOUSE BASKETBALL COMPETITION - S1 & 2S1

The House Basketball Competition will take place on **Monday 28 September**.

Students taking part will be **released from P4 at 12:20pm** to get changed. Please **collect your lunch when the bell goes at 12:25pm**. The first match will start at **12:35pm** in the Games Hall, so please make sure you are ready to play.

Please note:

- Bring your **PE kit**.
- Ideally, wear a **T-shirt in the colour of your House** so that you won't need to wear a bib:
 - **Douglas - Blue**
 - **Home - Green**
 - **Scott - Red**
 - **No food is allowed in the Games Hall.**
 - If you aren't currently in a team but would like to join one, please see **Mrs Morrison** before the end of **Friday 18 September**.

Good luck and enjoy the competition! 🏀

DOUGLAS	HOME	SCOTT
Team A Oscar Millar Henry Page Aaron Hall Jack Dixon Ollie Martin Logan Scott	Team A Blair Rodger Kai Knox Jed Butler George Paxton-Burton Kodi Blake Laird Ross-Williams	Team A Finn Hamilton Arya Garton Max Murphy Daniel Spalding Cole Morrison Noah Wilson
Team B Freddie McNally Edward Whitcombe Ivan Fenton Chris Gibson Lydia Ross Mia Madrak-Hughes	Team B Christina Forbes Layla Donaldson Sophie McMackin Abigail Barrowman Angus Kelly Callum Miller	Team B Cameron White Maisie Douglas Keith Douglas Sophie Brown Alex Irvine Zak Anderson-Napier
Team C Lewis Scott Leona Hughes Amora MacPherson Emily Owen Georgie Baxter Ella Wood		Team C Sophie Baxter Bea Adams William Watts Ava Johnston Jakob Burton Kitty Lamont
		Team D Mia Miller Max Home-Robertson Flo Beal Oliver Kozik Quinn McGrory Maiklas Proscaviaus

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HOME ECONOMICS - FOR W/C MONDAY 21st SEPTEMBER

YEAR GROUP	COOKING	TUB
S1	Scones	Yes
S2	Crumble Demonstration	No
S3	Sweet Potato and Chickpea Curry Chicken Tikka and Nann Bread	Yes Yes

S1/2

🍌 U14 GIRLS RUGBY - FESTIVAL OPPORTUNITY!

Are you an S1 or S2 girl (U14s) interested in playing rugby for BHS?

We are looking for pupils interested in attending the **East Emerging Schools Series Rugby Festival**:

📅 **Wednesday 7th October**

📍 **Meggetland Sports Complex, Edinburgh**

🕒 **10:30am-2:00pm**

If you would like to attend, **give your name to any member of the PE staff in the PE Department.**

Places are limited, so please let us know if you are interested.

Mr Chalmers

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FOCUS GROUPS - FRIDAY 18th SEPTEMBER

Please could the following students attend a focus group TODAY. Please register with your class teacher first and bring your charged iPad. Meet in Room M04.

S1 - FRIDAY 18th SEPTEMBER		
PERIOD 2 - M04		
Lacey Crombie	Freddie Davidson	Morag Delgado Pereira
Jack Dixon	Layla Donaldson	Libby Donaldson
Keith Douglas	Lily Douglas	Emmie Duff
Zac Falconer	Ben Feeney	Ivan Fenton
Lexi Ferguson	Christina Forbes	Chris Gibson

Please could the following students attend a focus group TODAY. Please register with your class teacher first and bring your charged iPad. Meet in Room M05.

S2 - FRIDAY 18th SEPTEMBER		
PERIOD 2 - M05		
Daisy Dewar	Oliver Dewhirst	Josh Dickson
Erin Dolan	Archie Donaldson	Maisie Douglas
Daisy Dunn	Nick Eglitis	Georgia Fairley
Maddison Fenton-Knight		

S1

MEETING TODAY

Please could the following students go to Room G (Techy) for Period 2 today. Students should please bring charged iPads with them.

Bea Adams	Abigail Barrowman	Sophie Baxter
Lottie Brown	Lacey Crombie	Sophie Grimsdale
Noah Hainsworth	George Kaye	Angus Kelly
Oliver Kozik	Lewis Macvie	Rowan McNeill
Lola Noade	Emily Owen	Henry Page
Darcey Roberts	Laird Ross-Williams	Lewis Scott
William Watts	Noah Wilson	

UPPER SCHOOL

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CAREERS APPOINTMENTS

The following students are to report to the Careers Adviser's office in the Library at the date/time shown for a careers appointment.

Monday 21st September		
Period	Name	Adviser
1	Robyn Clark	Ashley
2	Emma Dickson	
3	Lloyd Baron	
4	Hayden Ainslie	
5	William Bayles	

Tuesday 22nd September		
Period	Name	Adviser
1	Lexi Carruthers	Ashley
2	Tess Crilly	
3	Isla Gourlay	
4	Oryn Colebrook	
5	India Jackson	

S5/6

🎃👻 S5 & S6 HALLOWEEN BALL - 31st OCTOBER 👻🎃

31st OCTOBER - Get ready for our **Halloween Charity Ball**, strictly for **S5 & S6!** ✨💎 The event will be held at **Allanton Village Hall** from **6:30pm-11:00pm**, with all proceeds going towards charity. ❤️

🎫 Tickets: £12

- Cash payments: available from the **school office**
- Card payments: details can be found on our Instagram **@charitycommittee20267** (PLEASE FOLLOW THE RULES OF THIS)

👔 **Formal attire preferred** – suits, formal dresses! 🎃

⚠️ **IMPORTANT:** Strict rules will be posted on our Instagram and **must be followed throughout the event**. Failure to follow the rules may result in a **permanent ban from future charity balls**, and any purposeful damage caused may result in the **cost of repairs being charged to those responsible**.

📱 If you're interested in coming, please ****follow our Instagram**

@charitycommittee20267 ****so we can keep track of numbers and provide you with all the latest updates.**

****NOT OFFICIATED WITH THE SCHOOL IN ANY WAY SHAPE OR FORM**, this is created by students raising money for charity ❤️ **

❓ **Any questions?** DM us on Instagram! **@charitycommittee20267**

We can't wait to see you there! 🎃👻❤️

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ART & DESIGN FOLIOS

Any senior student who would like their Art & Design folio from last year returned from Qualifications Scotland should pay £3.91 on ParentPay. **THE DEADLINE FOR THIS IS THURSDAY 24th SEPTEMBER.**

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BHS S4-6 FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Entries are now open for the BHS S4-6 5-a-Side Football League! The league will run from the October Break until the Easter Break, with matches taking place on Wednesday and Thursday lunchtimes (you won't play every week).

Teams can have up to 6 players (5 players + 1 substitute) and can be made up of a mixture of S4-S6 pupils and houses.



Deadline for entries: Friday 4th October



Visit the **Teams** page (**Code: 857e2y2**) to access the entry form and submit your team.



Gather your teammates, get signed up, and compete to be crowned BHS champions!

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COACHING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Chirnside United FC are looking for **senior students** to help support younger age groups with coaching sessions.



Thursdays



5.45-7.00pm



Comrades Football Pitch, Chirnside

This is a great opportunity to gain coaching experience and support younger players in the local community.

Anyone interested in volunteering should **speak to Mrs Morrison in PE**.

S6

S6 MOCK INTERVIEWS

Please double check the date and time of your interview - some changes have been made.

You must

- wear full school uniform (first impressions count!)
- arrive at the library 5 minutes before your interview
- bring a paper copy of your CV

Good luck!

Date	10.50am	11.15am	11.40am	12.05pm
Tuesday 22nd	Lewis Kiltie Harris Kiltie Max Pearson Rayna Clark Isla Gourlay	Robson Scott Lloyd Baron Bethany MacKinnon-Lamb Lexi Carruthers Elise Field	Beau Borthwick Amy-Lee Porter Lacey Sword Mateus Ferramenta India Jackson	Hayden Ainslie Leo Kunhithodika Niamh Young Ben Scott-Ross Emma Dickson
	2.10pm Yefrosyniia Boiko Francesca Rowlands Callum Reid Charlotte Scott Amelia Bloszko	2.35pm John Georgeson Tilly-May Greenshields Jessica Shaw Noa Murray Benjamin Pereira	3.00pm Edward Stewart Lucy Parsons Grace Wiczorek Evie Gregory Andrew Brydon	3.25pm
Thursday 24th	10.50am Maddy Johnson Klaudia Hanska-Szulc Miley Turner	11.15am Gillian Macaulay Logan Hodge Niall Dempsey	11.40am Kiera Crouch Daisy Sim Ksawery Zurawski	12.05pm Travis Drennan Oryn Colebrook Robyn Clark
	2.10pm Isla Gillie Lucas Clark William Bayles Amelia Lake	2.35pm Tess Crilly Willow Abbot Jessica Cowe Maisie Scott	3.00pm Jamie Mein James Megson Sophie Renton Simonas Sakalauskas	3.25pm Mitchell Ovili

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MEETING TODAY

Please could the following students come to M05, Period 3. Please bring your iPad.

Isaac Barrowman
Blake Davidson
Kieran Marshall
Emily Walker

Max Bullard
Abi Hill
Isla Rodger

Jacob Carr
Ethan Johnson
Zakk Steady

Heads Down - Upcoming Student Assessments (September)				
Subject	Level	Teacher	Assessment	Date
Computing	S3	Mrs Marchand	Databases	Tuesday 22nd
Modern Studies	N5	Mrs Hoggan-Nisbet	Crime and Law End of Unit	Tuesday 22nd
Computing	S3	Mrs Darling	Databases	Tuesday 22nd
Science	S1 - 1P1	Mr Watson	Cells and DNA	Wednesday 23rd
Science	S1 - 1P7	Mr Watson, Mrs Addie	Chemical Reactions	Wednesday 23rd
Business	S3 - 3F	Mrs Hill	Understanding Business	Thursday 24th
Business	S3	Miss Brotherston	Understanding Business	Friday 25th
Business	N5	Miss Brotherston	UB Part 1	Monday 28th

FRIDAY BRUNCH DEALS		
<u>£1.44 / £2.40 (DEAL)</u> -CHEESE PIZZINI- -CHICKEN PIZZINI- -BACON ROLL- <u>£2.28 / £3.00 (DEAL)</u> -HOTDOG- -BEEFBURGER ROLL- <u>£2.28 / £3.00 (DEAL)</u> -CHEESE PANINI- -CHEESE & HAM PANINI-	<u>SANDWICHES/ROLLS (GLUTEN FREE CHOICES AVAILABLE)</u> <u>£2.28 / £3.00 (DEAL)</u> CIABATTA ~ BAGUETTE BAGEL ~ WRAP <u>COLD FILLINGS</u> TUNA MAYO EGG MAYO HAM SLICED CHICKEN CHEESE CORONATION CHICKEN CHICKEN MAYO CHEESE SAVOURY	<u>£0.90</u> -PORK SAUSAGE ROLLS (PASTRY)- -VEGGIE SAUSAGE ROLLS (PASTRY)- <u>£1.00</u> -GARLIC & HERB WEDGES- <u>MEAL DEALS</u> INCLUDE: A CAKE (not doughnuts), A PIECE OF FRUIT A SMALL DRINK