



Youth Dance Showcase 2018

Members of the Year 7 and 8 dance club had the fantastic opportunity to perform at Aquinas College, Stockport on Tuesday 3rd July.

The dancers represented Wilmslow High School as part of a Youth Dance Showcase. The Year 7 and 8 dancers performed two contrasting dance pieces. A contemporary piece based on 'Peter Pan' and a lively jazz piece inspired by the movie 'The Greatest Showman'. Both of these pieces were choreographed during our Xtra Dance club sessions and allowed the students to share their work with other local schools.

The dancers also had the opportunity to perform some of their own choreographed dance pieces. Ellie Cockburn and Carmen Aitken performed a beautiful duet called 'Faded' and Izzy Higgins, Abigail Donohue and Kathryn Whittingham also showcased a lovely trio called 'Leave the Light On'.

All dancers had a wonderful experience of performing in a modern theatre and participating with other local schools. They were very professional and performed with energy and enthusiasm.

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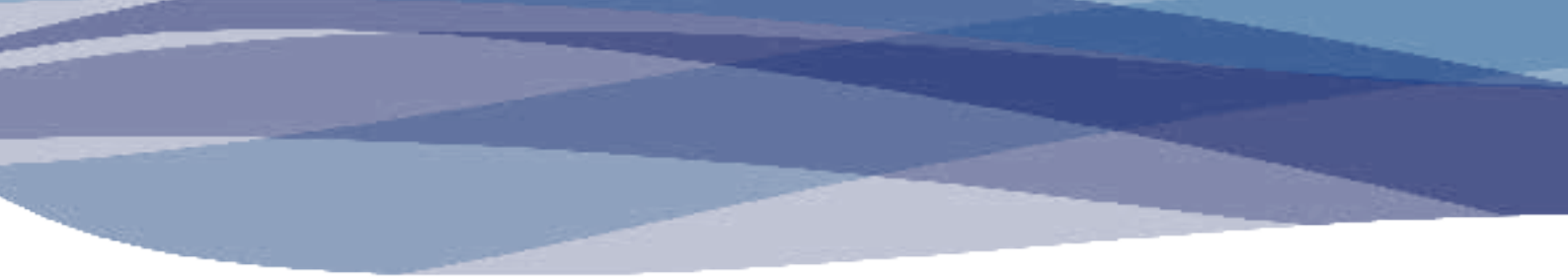
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Year 11 Prom 2018





Macclesfield College Taster Day, Monday 2nd July

On Monday, 40 Year 10 students were given the chance to experience a day learning at college, to support their post-16 choice making.

They took part in sessions led by college staff in construction, engineering, visual & performing

arts, business, ICT, hair & beauty and stage make-up. The participants were impressed by the modern looking building and facilities, as well as the relaxed atmosphere: it may have helped that most college students have now finished for their summer break, so many of the teaching staff were looking very relaxed too!

After the morning lessons, students had a talk on how apprenticeships work, and the role that FE colleges play in providing the learning for them. Also, they were treated to a campus tour, which was particularly pleasant in the fine summer weather.



We are very grateful to Macclesfield College for facilitating this session, as our students found it very informative and will undoubtedly use the experience to help them make their choices moving forwards.

Private Art Showing

On Thursday 26th June Mrs Hayward and Miss Lyon held a private view of the Year 10 Contemporary Landscape GCSE Project. The event saw staff, parents, carers and grandparents come together to celebrate the eclectic mix of texture, techniques and artists' interpretation. The young artists' shared their thoughts on their first year studying GCSE Art, Craft and Design, demonstrating through their fantastic sketchbooks the array of workshops, techniques and processes explored along the way.

Miss Lyon and I couldn't be more proud of our GCSE students and would like to congratulate them all on a wonderful year and look forward to sharing our expertise within the next.



Manchester Airport Technology Masterclass

An open invitation was extended to our Year 12 students to take part in an inspirational Technology Masterclass, held in the swanky Radisson Blu hotel in Manchester Airport on 29th June. They were treated to four inspirational sessions, all led by large companies, who use innovative technology as part of their operations.



The sessions were:

- 1) Carat Media, Advertising - the group was challenged to come up with their own pitch for the new Adidas mobile app, in just 10 minutes!
- 2) MAG-O, MAN Airport's digital team - this was a highly energetic introduction into how the new MAN Airport app is being developed. Lots of tech jargon and apparently a mandatory staple diet of pizza, lots of pizza.
- 3) Laing O'Rourke, Construction/Civil Engineering - virtual reality headsets abound, the students were treated to a virtual site tour of the MAN-TP (the current airport transformation project). There were different styles of headset to try out, some which allow you to drive a crane using a joy stick, others which are readily available for home use, using mobile phones to project the image, as

well as some state-of-the-art units which cost over £3k each.

4) Vodafone and Cisco, Collaboration and Communication - in this session the group started in one room and then split into half to conduct a video conference with a neighbouring room, which culminated in a game of virtual Pictionary. Who would have guessed that this would feature in a tech conference?!

There were a few keynote speeches from Adam Jupp, Head of External affairs at MAN Airport, John Lohan, Engineer from Jacobs and, finally, a flying visit (pun fully intended) from Baroness Sugg, CBE, Parliamentary Minister responsible for aviation.

A few facts we learned:

- MAN Airport make a much larger margin from airport sales than they do from flights
- It is predicted that 50% of internet searches will be conducted by voice by 2020 (Alexa and Siri will be busy)
- MAN Airport Group (MAG) employ over 500k people
- 53% of internet searches are abandoned if the page takes more than 3 seconds to load
- There are lots different skill sets required in the digital market that just being a 'coding nerd'... although this helps too.

There will be more Masterclasses hosted by MAG: Customer Services, 12th October; Hospitality and Catering, 16th November; STEM, 30th November. Contact Mr P Jones, pjones@wilmslowhigh.com if you are in sixth form and would be interested in attending one of these inspirational events.



Loaf Visit

Year 12 business students went to the new Loaf furniture shack in Wilmslow this week to learn about the strategy behind the success of this growing company.

They gained invaluable first-hand knowledge on a range of business issues including their unique approach to sales and customer service, the ethical focus on manufacturing and how each sofa is produced in the UK and the supply chain can be traced back to the person that made it.

Students were particularly interested in the family atmosphere created by the company and enjoyed trying the table football and ice-cream facilities in the shack. This knowledge can now be used in their A level evaluative responses in preparation for the exams this summer and next year.

Thank you to the informative and friendly staff at Loaf especially ex Wilmslow High student Amy Green.



Amazing Achievement!

Lily Humphreys raised over £600 pounds for Children in Need. She road 15 miles on a bike, whilst in a boot and on crutches.

All this whilst having to overcoming a neurological syndrome resulting in her ability to walk being severely reduced.

Thorngrove is very proud of Lily's achievements, she is a credit to both the house and the school as a whole.

NOTES

Year 7-8 reports

Due to the Educational Visits taking place on Friday 13th July, Year 7 and 8 reports will go out to parents on Monday 16th July.

Calling all Entrepreneurs!!

The year 12 BTEC Enterprise class are writing an assignment on “the characteristics and mind set of an entrepreneur”. In addition to textbook research they are very keen to carry out some primary research with business people who have set up their own enterprises.

If you run your own business, the business and enterprise team would really appreciate it if you could complete a very short questionnaire on the link below, which if answered by enough people will give the students some quantitative data to use in their reports. It will take no more than 5 minutes.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/HMB7NGM>

There is an opportunity on the survey to leave contact details if you are happy for us to contact you for more in depth information, but there is no obligation! Thank you for your time.

Wilmslow High School

Secretary to Student Services – Attendance AA AE5187

Required 1st September, 2018

Salary Grade 4 (£14,939 - £16,039 actual)

**Term-time only. 37 hours per week, 39 weeks per year (Monday - Thursday
8.00am - 4.00pm, Friday 8.00am - 3.30pm)**

The post holder will maintain an accurate attendance record for the whole school and support the administration work in the school's Student Services office

Closing date 12 noon Wednesday, 18th July, 2018

Further details and an application form are available through www.wilmslowhigh.com which will link you to 'TES.com'

New rules for mobile phones in school

As a community we feel that school being a sanctuary from mobile phone usage will promote a happier and healthier school in the longer term. Therefore from September mobile phones should not be seen on the school site. They should be **switched off and kept out of sight once students enter the perimeter gates at the start of the day.**

Mobile phones and associated paraphernalia e.g. headphones, chargers etc. should not be seen whilst moving between lessons, at break time, lunchtime, during lessons or tutor time.

The school recognises the importance of emerging technologies present in modern mobile phones and that students may wish to bring them at parents' discretion for safety purposes. Parents are reminded that the first point of contact should be Student Services. Teachers may wish to utilise these functions to aid teaching and learning and students will have the opportunity to use these at the direct instruction of the class teacher.

Please see the table below for directed times that mobile phones can/cannot be acceptably used.

Students who infringe the rules will have their phone confiscated and sent to Student

Services immediately. Phones will be kept in named envelopes in the Student Services safe. On the first infringement, the mobile phone will be confiscated; the student will be able to collect their mobile phone at the end of the school day and behaviour points will be issued. Persistent offenders: parents will be contacted and asked to collect the phone at their earliest convenience.

Students arguing with any member of staff over a mobile phone infringement will be dealt with very seriously. Members of staff have been asked to implement the policy consistently and therefore there should be no cause for argument.

The full set of expectations will be published in the planner (please click for further information <https://tinyurl.com/y8atpupk>) and acknowledged through the parent and student signing the home school agreement.

We thank you in advance for your continued support in ensuring our school encourages a positive learning environment and you are able to make the necessary adjustments along with your son/daughter for September 2018.

	PRE SCHOOL From 8:00am to 8:40am	On entry to school	FORM TIME	BREAK TIME	LESSON	MOVEMENT	LUNCH TIME	STUDY PERIOD	END OF THE DAY 3:10pm to 4:30pm
7-11	High Options only	X	X	X	Only to support learning	X	In designated year group zones	Not applicable	Not in building But acceptable outside building
6 TH FORM	High Options and 6 th form learning area	X	X	X	Only to support learning	X	High Options and 6 th form learning area	High Options and 6 th form learning area	Not in building But acceptable outside building

- Key for above; x = not acceptable to be seen at any time with phone.

Uniform Notice for Years 7-9

Please note: blazers are not compulsory for next week (week commencing 9th July) and therefore do not need to be brought into school as students will not need to wear them in-between lessons and around the school site.

Please can you also remind students that they are expected to have shirts tucked in and in particular girls skirts need to be the correct length.

Students should not carry their mobile phone in their shirt pocket. Please ensure uniform cards are carried at all times (failure to not do so should be an immediate 15 minute whole school referral).



School Games Maker Meeting every Monday Room 60 at 1.00pm

If you enjoy volunteering the School Games Maker Club needs you! All ages welcome. You will learn how to organise and run events in a relaxed and fun environment. You receive incentive rewards for completing 10/15 and 30 hours across the year.

Strawberry Tea Invitation

Wilmslow High School are organising our annual 'Community event' and we would like to formally invite you as one of our local residents.

We are excited to announce that this year's event will be a 'Strawberry Tea' This will be held on the morning of 12th July 2018 between 10.30am and 12.30pm in the school hall.

During the course of the morning, you are welcome to join us for tea, coffee, freshly made scones, Victoria sponge cake and strawberries and cream. There will also be live music from the BackBeat A Capella singers as well as music and dance performances from our own students.

The event is being hosted by the Design & Technology department as part of Wilmslow High School's community event calendar. We would be delighted if you and/or a group of you could come along.

If you would like to join us, please telephone either Mrs Martin or Mrs Darroch on 01625 441060 for a confirmed place.



The official Wilmslow High School Uniform supplier

**POP-UP SHOPS WILL BE HELD IN HIGH OPTIONS,
PLEASE USE THE HIGH OPTIONS ENTRANCE.**

Your uniform can be purchased online at www.expressuniform.co.uk.
Orders can be delivered direct to your door or alternatively you can collect from the Printworks at the school.
Throughout the Summer holidays uniform can be purchased from our on-campus pop-up shop.



~~Tuesday 12th June 2018~~
3pm – 6pm
~~Thursday 14th June 2018~~
3pm – 6pm
~~Tuesday 3rd July 2018~~
3pm – 7.30pm
Thursday 2nd August 2018
11am – 3pm
Thursday 9th August 2018
11am – 3pm
Thursday 16th August 2018
11am – 3pm
Thursday 23rd August 2018
11am – 3pm
Tuesday 28th August 2018
11am – 3pm
Wednesday 29th August 2018
11am – 3pm
Thursday 30th August 2018
11am – 3pm
Friday 31st August 2018
11am – 3pm
Monday 3rd September 2018
11am – 3pm
Tuesday 4th September 2018
11am – 3pm

Orders can also be placed online at <http://www.expressuniform.co.uk/product-category/wilmslow-high-school>

SPORT

Cricket

The junior cricket boys were in action again at the weekend, playing against Cheadle Hulme School in another friendly fixture. Unfortunately, on this occasion we came away with three defeats but once again, some of the performances were very promising.

U12 lost by 23 runs	CHS 151 – 4 from 20 overs	WHS 128 – 5 from 20 overs
U13 lost by 5 runs	CHS 137 – 6 from 20 overs	WHS 132 – 6 from 20 overs
U15 lost by 138 runs	CHS 238 – 1 from 20 overs	WHS 100ao from 16 overs



Tennis

Last Thursday the Year 7 and 8 AEGON tennis teams played Wirral Grammar School in the finals, where they beat them 12-0. The team, consisting of Abi Yates, Beth Lomas, Georgi Offer and Ellie Wood all won in straight sets in their singles games, which meant we had already won and didn't need to play the doubles.

This was a huge relief for the girls as the weather was extremely warm! The girls are now Cheshire Champions in their age group beating Altrincham Grammar, Loreto, Queens School and Wirral Grammar.

A win for Matthew in the summer sun!

The soaring temperatures on Sunday 1st July were not enough to put off Matthew Millbanks (8HSR) in the Styal Par 3 competition. As a member of Styal Golf Club he walked away with second place in the monthly medal competition for juniors. Well done Matthew – we look forward to you winning more silverware!



Fixtures week commencing 9th July 2018

DATE	OPPONENTS	1st	U14	U13	U12	SPORT
09-Jul-18	Bishop Heber		A			CRICKET
10-Jul-18	Altrincham Grammar Girls School		H			TENNIS
10-Jul-18	National School Tennis Finals	A				TENNIS
11-Jul-18	Lymm HS		A a&b	H		ROUNDERS
11-Jul-18	Tytherington HS		A		A	ROUNDERS
11-Jul-18	Macclesfield Athletics Track	A				ATHLETICS

Results week commencing 30th June 2018

DATE	OPPONENTS	U15	U14	U13	U12	SPORT
30-Jun-18	Cheadle Hulme	Lost		Lost	Lost	CRICKET
04-Jul-18	Knutsford HS	Lost		Won	Lost	ROUNDERS
04-Jul-18	North West Regional Finals Comp.			2nd		CRICKET
06-Jul-18	Macclesfield CC			A		CRICKET
07-Jul-18	Sandbach School	Can	Can	Can	Can	CRICKET

CALENDAR

Week commencing Monday 9th July 2018

Day/date	Time	Venue	Activity
Monday 9th July		Various	Year 10 Work Experience Week Year 11 Silver Duke of Edinburgh assessment until Wednesday 11th
Tuesday 10th July	All Day	Liverpool	Year 9 Big Bang North West
Wednesday 11th July	6.30pm-8.30pm	Main Hall	KS3 Presentation Evening (will be moved to Thursday if England progress)
Thursday 12th July	10.30-12.30pm	Main Hall	Community tea event 'Strawberry Tea' Year 7 CSI/Chester Zoo Year 8 people's history museum / RS Temple visit Year 9 Make a Difference
Friday 13th July			Year 7 CSI / Chester Zoo Year 8 people's history museum / RS Temple visit Year 9 Alton Towers Year 12 Gold Duke of Edinburgh training departs and returns Monday 16th July

Week commencing Monday 16th July 2018

Day/date	Time	Venue	Activity
Monday 16th July	All day	Sports Hall	Year 12 Gold Duke of Edinburgh training returns Year 8 HPV Immunisations
Wednesday 18th July	Afternoon 5.30-10.30pm	Conwy Centre Front field Stockport Plaza	Year 12 biology field course departs Sports Day Year 10 English visit to see Romeo and Juliet
Friday 20th July	3.10pm	Conwy Centre	Year 9 Bronze Duke of Edinburgh practise expedition departs Year 12 biology field course returns Year 12 timetable end and Year 12 students finish to summer.
Saturday 21st July			Year 9 Bronze Duke of Edinburgh practise expedition returns
Sunday 22nd July			Year 11-13 Iceland visit departs and returns on Thursday 26th July.

USEFUL LINKS

- Extra-curricular activities: <http://www.wilmslowhigh.com/curriculum/xtra-curricular-programmes/>
- Previous issues of High Notes: <http://www.wilmslowhigh.com/?p=2239>
- Letters sent from school: <http://www.wilmslowhigh.com/?p=2043>
- Examination timetable: <http://tinyurl.com/jsh2qkn>
- Sports X-tra timetable: <https://tinyurl.com/yc7yaa69>