



Monday 10 May

Dear all,

The power of a cross in a box. Or could it be the start of a continual life of disappointment if you live in a stronghold of an opposing party to you?

I hope that the Year 12 look on jealously to those in Year 13 who were able to vote this week. Regardless of who wins and who you have voted for, the ability to vote comes with age. The right to vote however is glorious, hard won victory. When something like voting becomes an expectation, we can lose sight of its importance.

We expect to have a tap that we can turn on and we get water we can drink.
We expect to have a plug to switch on to provide us with electricity.
We expect a safe classroom where we will be taught.

And we risk complacency. But it is whilst complacent that these things lose value and we risk losing them. Pipes must be maintained; electricity must be paid for, and the right to vote and the expectation that we will all use that right should be valued.

Young people often do not have much in terms of tangible wealth. If you have anything it is locked up in 'stuff and things' not, houses and money. So, it is very easy to feel that your voice is being ignored or you are not valuable to those who are seeking votes. If the politics of your youth is ignoring you then do not forget this feeling and carry it into your voting lives.

Here at school your voice is the most valuable source of change and progress we have and so do not let us "get old". You keep us young and ever changing with the times. On Rosebery Day, when we look at a 94-year history of your school, you need to remember that it only stays as good as it can be, by maintaining the constant willingness to move forwards.

So, my advice is to always use the hard won right to vote. Always try to understand who, what and why you are putting your cross next to the name you do. Never be complacent at the power you hold to change the world.

Mr Phillips



General Notices

Leavers Hoodies

You're now able to order your hoodie at a cost of £16.95 through the online shop, with delivery to school by 24 June in time for your last day! The shop closes on **20 May** so don't delay!

The link below takes you to the login page, username and password below:

<https://www.schoolleaverscompany.co.uk/leavers-hoodies-login>

USERNAME: SL53572

PASSWORD: 53572rose

Print will be white on all apart from on white hoodies, where print will be navy.

Key Calendar Date Changes

Year 12 Matriculation exams, 10 to 18 June.

Year 12 Higher Education Day – Monday 21 June - all Year 12 off timetable to prepare for setting up UCAS or apprenticeship application alongside HE opportunities and personal statement writing.

Year 12 Student Futures Festival, Tuesday 22 June to Wednesday 23 June - all Year 12 off timetable.

Year 12 HE, WEX, personal exploration and application day – Thursday 24 June – Year 12 offsite.

Year 12 WEX, 12 to 16 July 12 – Year 12 offsite.



Careers and HE Resources from Mrs Keaveney

Epsom College Gap Year Opportunities

Epsom College are looking to recruit two Gap Students starting in September 2021. This is an excellent opportunity for students wishing to work with children or pursue a career in education.

The job advert and description are attached to this newsletter, the deadline for application is 6 June 2021. Please note that any interested students must apply through the website.

<https://www.epsomcollege.org.uk/about-epsom/careers/>

The University of Sheffield Taster Sessions

The University of Sheffield are offering free taster session opportunities for Year 12 students to provide them with a good insight into their chosen subject or area of interest at university. Please fill out the booking forms using the links below.

Taster Sessions - Engineering

Date	Time	Subject
Tuesday 11 May	3:45 - 5:00pm	<u>Mechanical Engineering</u>
Wednesday 19 May	4:00 - 6:00pm	<u>Computer Science (MiRo)</u>
Wednesday 26 May	2:45 - 4:00pm	<u>Automatic Control and Systems Engineering (ACSE)</u>

Taster Sessions - Science

Date	Time	Subject
Wednesday 2 June	12:30 - 3:20pm	<u>Physics</u>
Wednesday 2 June	9:15 - 11:00am	<u>Chemistry</u>
Thursday 3 June	1:15 - 3:00pm	<u>Maths</u>

Taster Sessions - Social Sciences

Date	Time	Subject
Wednesday 26 May	3:15 - 4:30pm	<u>Journalism</u>

AI in Engineering Workshop

Artificial intelligence is the future. Over the past few decades, AI has progressed at ground-breaking speed, creating new opportunities in several industries. From saving lives through surgery to advancing tech through robotic automation, it is now present in most of the innovative tech projects around the globe.

Skills Gap is a career accelerator that runs insightful workshops and courses for young people aged 15 to 19. They are running an AI in Engineering Workshop specifically designed for motivated students interested in a career in engineering. The workshop is 3.5 hours and will take place online, led by an industry expert. The session digs deep into how AI works, how it applies to the engineering industry and the different paths you can take as an engineer. During the workshop, you'll have the opportunity to get hands-on in a practical exercise training a machine learning algorithm and put questions to experts to gain exclusive industry insights.

If you're motivated to enter the engineering industry with a competitive edge, this workshop is the perfect opportunity to arm yourself with valuable skills and knowledge. It does however come with a cost. For more information and to apply visit:

www.skillsgap.tech

Epsom Derby

Temporary hospitality waiters and bar staff are required for the Epsom Bar Derby taking place on 4 and 5 June 2021. Applicants must turn 18 before 5 June. Please apply through this link below and a member of the recruitment team will be in touch to discuss the role and the wage.

<https://jobapp.r-funl.com/s3/Constellation-App-Form?jobId=80084&referrerTag=>

IGD's Work Experience Programme

IGD are offering work experience programmes with a July week planned for 26 to 30 July. The next week is 24 to 28 May 2021 and registrations are now open.

Find out more about the programme on this link [IGD's Work Experience programme](#). School leavers will be able to sign themselves up directly via the website.

The Lawyer Portal

The Lawyer Portal will be running their renowned TLP Aspire Conference on Zoom on 22 May 2021 and their TLP Apprenticeship Conference on 29 May 2021. Hundreds of students attend every year to gain an insight into the different legal careers, the different paths to them, and how they can stand out when they're making their applications.

For more information visit:

<https://www.thelawyerportal.com/events/tlp-aspire-now-online/>
<https://www.thelawyerportal.com/events/apprenticeship-conference-now-online/>

Springpod Updates

Here is an update containing the latest virtual work experience programmes, insight days and apprenticeship opportunities for students, with closing dates approaching.

<https://www.springpod.co.uk/virtual-work-experience-programmes>

The Day of the Dentist

The Wisdom Tooth presents The Day of the Dentist – a fantastic one day workshop aimed at secondary school students and sixth formers thinking about pursuing a career in dentistry.

Content covered in this course:

- Demystifying the dental undergraduate application process
- How to take a dental history
- How to perform a dental examination
- Basics of dental anatomy

You will perform:

- Dental Scaling
- Impression taking
- A dental filling of a 'chipped' front tooth
- Stitching

London : Sunday 31 MAY 2021

Cost : £135.00

For more information and to book visit www.thewisdomtooth.co.uk/dod

Rawlinson & Hunter Job Vacancies

Rawlinson & Hunter LLP have two positions available for Year 13 students after their exams have finished. Students will start with them on a five-year contract. There is one role in their Audit Services team and the other is in their Business Services team.

The roles take the students through their AAT and ACA qualifications resulting in them becoming qualified Auditors/Accountants. These roles will be based at their office in Leatherhead. They will provide fully funded study support to the AAT/ACA students.

Requirements:

- Minimum GCSE grade B in Maths and B in English at A Level
- Have a genuine interest in developing a career in audit
- Be well organised and able to juggle different priorities
- Be computer literate
- Be able to work effectively in a team
- Have the confidence to engage with partners, clients and staff
- Have the desire to produce work of the highest quality
- Demonstrate an excellent customer service ethic

For more information on the company visit www.rawlinson-hunter.com

If you feel you are right for this role, please email your cv to careers@rawlinson-hunter.com

Please see flyer attached to this newsletter.

Year 12 University of Surrey Summer Schools

The deadline for the University of Surrey summer schools has been extended until 16 May 2021. For more information and to apply visit:

<https://www.surrey.ac.uk/schools-colleges/sixth-form-colleges/residential-summer-schools>

Student Futures

This section of the newsletter highlights optional activities that you may wish to get involved in. Make sure to record any activities you do complete, as they will count towards your Student Futures diploma.

Last week's information:

Applications are open for the London School of Economics' Year 12 Politics Conference and Management Masterclass. These online events will give you a taster of university-level teaching and an insight into what it's like to study at LSE. Visit the following links for more information on the two events and instructions for how to book.

Politics Conference:

<https://www.lse.ac.uk/study-at-lse/Undergraduate/widening-participation/Sixth-form-college/politics-conference-year-12>

Management Masterclass:

<https://www.lse.ac.uk/study-at-lse/Undergraduate/widening-participation/Sixth-form-college/management-masterclass>

