



Rosebery School Sixth Form

Monday 5 July

Year 12 Assembly – Sports hall

Dear all

Although we try to let the newsletter 'speak' to a variety of groups, I'll let you into a little secret... last week I just wrote more than one! It felt a bit like cheating...

But now as the academic year draws to a natural conclusion, I have a moment where I can see a confluence of your journeys that allows a great opportunity for reflection. One group potentially about to carve their own river through the landscape of Rosebery Sixth Form. Another meandering across the wondrous landscape, well on their way, but with much more to come. The final group on one last meander before they reach the sea.

So, what should we change, what should we keep the same? Do we need to tinker, or is there a revolution required? As the times change, how does this place continue to develop young adults, so they end up like you in Year 13 at the end of their sixth form journey? (Because you are amazing!)

This is not some "Big Reveal", just an opportunity to model what we can all do during our lives, for ourselves. It is easy to get comfortable when no one is screaming of pitfalls ahead. But if we learn to own our mistakes and learn. Or reflect on success, and challenge ourselves to greater heights. I believe it allows us to value the life that we are leading, right now, and it gifts us a nimbleness for the future.

Life is all about change. To live is to change, or to notice change. We are bad at constants. We don't notice heat, but hotter or colder. We don't notice stillness, but motion. We notice birds in trees by sounds, which is a change in the pressure.

So, don't be afraid of change. Don't be worried about never being finished or ready. We are never finished, never ready. Embrace that and reflect on how you can gently control the direction or nature of that change. Rosebery Sixth Formers are brilliant, so I'll reflect on what direction I try to nudge us to support that continued outcome.



Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Phillips



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General Notices

Library Notice

The LRC is closed to sixth form students on 7 July, Periods 2 and 5. Please do use the tables in the library.

Year 11 Transition

Dear all,

We are looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible on Tuesday at 8:30.

Please check your emails for a pre-induction pack on Monday. Below are the links to let us know if you are planning on attending the day and the website with transition tasks and information. (These should now work for all of you if you are logged into google with your school email. Please let me know if it doesn't.)

<https://sites.google.com/rosebery.surrey.sch.uk/sixthformpreparation/home>

<https://forms.gle/ns9acrRuZTimUvHq5>

Year 12

Year 11 transition

Just to let you know that we have Year 11 in on Tuesday. You are still very welcome to use all the areas in the sixth form. But if I could remind you of the need to wear masks and keeping close contacts to a minimum, especially outside your normal, self-selecting, bubbles.

Work Experience

Many thanks to all of you who have been in contact with Mrs Keaveney regarding work experience week. If you haven't secured any work experience then you should be using the time to complete remote university visits, talks, or complete any other educational activities. You will be welcome to help with sports day on Tuesday 13 July. If you need resources on site then you are welcome to come in, but please ensure that you let us know and sign in on the day.

For those who have got a face-to-face work experience can you please ensure the relevant paperwork is handed in before the placement commences.



Careers and HE Resources from Mrs Keaveney

Swansea University's Virtual Summer School

Aimed at Year 12 students this is an excellent opportunity to gain real insight into what it is like to be a student at Swansea university.

This opportunity is taking place between Monday 12 July and Thursday 15 July 2021. For more information and to register visit:

<https://www.swansea.ac.uk/study/summer-school/>

Virtual Work Experience

Kuehne+Nagel is running a virtual work experience programme in August 2021.

Students will have the opportunity to spend around 10 hours over the course of a fortnight getting the lowdown about KNUK and Logistics, including live webinars with KN colleagues and learning about the exciting world of logistics.

The first programme will run from 2 August to 13 August. If it goes well, they aim to run more in the future. Applications are now open now and will close on 28th July 2021. To find out more and apply visit:

<https://jobs.kuehne-nagel.com/uk/en/virtual-work-experience>

Apprentice Property Manager

Strutt & Parker are looking for talented and ambitious individuals who demonstrate the attributes that are fundamental to becoming a successful Property Manager via the apprenticeship route. The role involves providing support to the Land Management Department by supporting the fee earners in their daily dealings with clients, tenants and contractors

The successful candidate will have an opportunity to complete a Level 4 Senior Housing & Property Management apprenticeship which should last for approximately 18 to 24 months. The job specification is attached to this newsletter and they look forward to hearing from any prospective candidates.

NatWest CareerSense

CareerSense is NatWest's employability education programme aimed at improving employability prospects for young people in the UK aged 13 to 24.

Here you'll find tips, tools and links to further resources to help you think about your next step in education or the world of work. So, whether you're needing help choosing your subjects, understanding your key skills better or getting your first job, CareerSense can support you all the way.

If you're 16 to 18 their 'Find Your Potential' questionnaire is all about helping you understand what skills you have, what you might enjoy and what jobs could be a great match for you. For more information please visit their website:

<https://www.mycareersense.com/>

Bright Network's Internship Experience UK 2021

The pandemic has made it that much harder for young people to find work which is why the Bright Network has launched an all-new national initiative for summer 2021, Internship Experience UK.

Applications are now open for your number one opportunity to complete an in-depth summer internship experience and gain crucial world-of-work skills in just three days.

As the UK's biggest internship experience, it's supported 75,000+ students and graduates with their careers - now it's your turn. Across eight sectors, you can take three-day virtual experiences giving you everything you need to progress your career this summer. Here's why you should join thousands of others on one or more of the streams:

- **Connect with employers** - take tailored sessions and complete live project work run by leading employers
- **Develop key employability skills** - employers expect a lot from graduates in the 'new normal'. Be ready to enter the working world.
- **Boost your CV with tangible experience** - gain a certificate on completion to add to your CV & LinkedIn, which is recognised across all sectors.

It is now open for applications and has new content for 2021, is completely virtual and can be completed from anywhere. For more information and to sign up visit:

<https://www.brightnetwork.co.uk/internship-experience-uk/>

The Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers 2020/2021

The Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers 2020/2021 guide is packed with advice to help students choose the right path, find virtual work experience, ace video interviews and much more. It also features the Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers 2020-2021, with insights into what it's like to be an apprentice at each company. Do have a look at the guide on the link below:

<https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/top-employers/guide>

Medic Portal

There is a free webinar series to support Year 12 students with their UCAT preparation and Year 13 students who may be worried about meeting their offers to start Medicine this year.

UCAT Mini Workshops

Over 5 sessions, the Medic Portal tutors will showcase how to expertly answer challenging questions from each section of the UCAT and students will then have the opportunity to ask them any questions about the test.

This is a unique opportunity for students to be taught for free how to approach the UCAT this year. For more information and to sign up please visit:

<https://www.themedicportal.com/e-learning/webinar-series/ucat-mini-workshops-how-to-answer-challenging-questions/>

