

Parent Update – Friday 24 May 2019

May Dates for the Diary

Thursday 30 May

S6 Information Evening

Curriculum Structure Presentation

Thanks to the 70+ parents who attended our information evening last night and gave us such positive and helpful feedback. The full presentation can be viewed on our website [here](#).

We are now in a position to confirm that we will be moving from June 2020 to the curriculum structure as described in the slides. We will be sharing a summary of the feedback shortly, along with a summary of how we will use this feedback to ensure the smooth implementation of our new curriculum structure.

Current S1: S2 Enhancements

All of our S1s have been given information about their enhancement choices for next session. Choices should be made using the google form and must be completed **before Monday morning**. Forms received after the deadline will be accepted, but pupils will have less chance of getting their top choices. Pupils have been advised to give their choices to their register teacher if they are unable to access the online form.

East Lothian Youth Games

Congratulations to our S1 and S2 pupils after winning the Youth Games event at Meadowmill on Tuesday 21 May. They competed in basketball, hockey, rugby, football, badminton and golf on the day, with swimming and cross country points added from previous events. All our pupils performed extremely well, with winning scores in S1 girls' hockey; S1 and S2 badminton; S1 and S2 girls' basketball; S1 and S2 boys' basketball; S1 boys' rugby and S1 and S2 girls' football. Overall it was an amazing day and our pupils were outstanding ambassadors for North Berwick High School. Well done and thank you to all the volunteers involved for making it such a success.



Wellbeing Challenge

Our pupils have been invited to undertake a wellbeing challenge in support of one of our parents, Nat Spring, as he is completing a 40 day cycle around Scotland. A challenge could be as simple as turning your phone off for an hour a day, or doing 10 minutes of yoga per day but could also be as challenging as entering a half marathon. You can find more information about all the aspects of wellbeing by following [this link](#). All pupils have been sent this link through their edubuzz email account and if you would like to register your own challenge, simply follow the 'register' section at the bottom the website.

School of Rugby

Although the playing season has finished, there are strength and conditioning sessions on offer from our development officer, Mark Coull. Sessions run on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 4-5pm and 5-6pm. Please email Mark northberwickdo@gmail.com with name, year group and preferred time slot to book a space.

Community Ceilidh

As you know, we are holding a community ceilidh on Friday 28 June. We would like to celebrate pupils' successes throughout this event so we invite you to let us know of any outstanding achievements throughout the year that we may not be aware of. Please email amacdonald@northberwickhigh.elcschool.org.uk



S6 Information Evening for Parents of Pupils Currently in S5

We will be holding an S6 information evening for parents of pupils currently in S5 and moving into S6 in June, on **Thursday 30 May from 6:30 – 7:30 pm**. This will be an opportunity to hear about the structure of the S6 timetable; other opportunities available to S6 pupils; the preparation that we do with our pupils for life beyond school and our expectations of our new S6 pupils. We look forward to seeing you there.

Should you have any queries about anything covered in this email, or any general enquiries, please contact the School at: communications@northberwickhigh.elcschool.org.uk