



SLOUGH & ETON CE BUSINESS AND ENTERPRISE COLLEGE

FRIDAY REVIEW

Friday 10th October

Open Evening

Last night we held an Open Evening for prospective pupils wishing to join our school next September. Over thirty families attended. Year 7 pupils acted as guides for touring groups and many other pupils volunteered to work in curriculum areas. This is a clear indication that pupils are proud of their school and its new facilities. Many parents commented about how courteous the pupils were and how readily they wanted to talk about the school. I would like to thank all pupils and staff for their efforts.

Spread the word

When I meet with parents I often ask if they are receiving copies of the Friday Review. Some have said that they were not aware of it. Can you please spread the word to any other Slough and Eton parents that you may know that the Friday Review comes home each week and that they should ask their child for it.

Art Exhibition

Sixth Form students held an exhibition this week of their art work. The 'Perceptions' exhibitions focused on may forms of art media. Invited guests were extremely impressed a number of pieces were sold. Congratulations to Ifrah Ahmed, Zahira Younis and Shalin Abdul-Hamid and their teachers.

School Council

I met with the School Council this week and I was very impressed with how confident and articulate they were. I told them that they have a big part in helping to make the school even better.

Parent Governors

If you are interested in becoming a Parent Governor, please contact Mrs Johnson at the school.

Adverts

We are looking to appoint new staff to a number of positions in school to help provide a first class support structure to aid pupil learning. The current positions that we will be advertising in next weeks papers are for:

A Librarian
A Mini bus driver / site support
An Attendance Manager
A Reprographics/ administrative operative
A Hospitality supervisor
A Sports Hall receptionist / lettings officer.

If you know of anyone that may be interested please ask them to contact Mrs Johnson at the school for further details.

Hoodies/Haircuts

Thank you for your support on uniform. The vast majority of pupils are looking very smart. A reminder that minimum hair length must be no.2 and after half-term, hoodies

should not be worn to or from school.

Drugs

Drug abuse is the scourge of the world. We wish to keep Slough and Eton a drug free area. If pupils are found with drugs it is likely that they will be permanently excluded from school. To help ensure that drugs do not become a problem in this school we would like to introduce a non invasive testing programme for pupils using the latest technology. If you do not want your son or daughter to be part of this random testing programme please could you write to the Head of Year for your child and let them know.

Football

Despite a very good effort from our pupils Y9 Cup match Slough & Eton lost to Langley Academy 2 - 1 and Y8 League lost to Langley Academy 6 - 1. Better luck next time. Y9 drew 3-3 with Altwood coming back from 3-1 down to level with 5 minutes to go. Saad Qureshi and Salam Said both scoring.

Science

On Monday 13th October we will be having chicks arrive in the Science Department for 10 days. They will be kept in an incubator until they hatch. This is to aid teaching of reproduction for Y7. Pupils will be able to view these chicks during the week at 3.15pm.

Sixth Form

On Wednesday, 80 students went on the annual Sixth Form Windsor Walk. The weather was just as ordered and all students and staff enjoyed themselves and found that you don't need to do high energy activities to keep fit! For many of them they also found out that Windsor is within walking distance and were looking for part time jobs whilst there.

Y8 Girls immunisations

Just a reminder, that if your daughter has not yet returned the immunisation form to school, please do so by **Monday 13th October.**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 16th October Year 8 Girls' HPV immunisations.

27th – 31st October Half Term

November 3rd is an INSET Day. No school for pupils

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We would value your comments on any of the items in the Friday Review. Please e-mail to post @slougheton.slough.sch.uk or pass to reception.