



The Mosslands School

Newsletter

22nd September 2022



School Diary

Monday 26th – Friday 30th September 2022

Week A

Date(s)	Event(s)
Monday 26 th September	Year 11 ETF Session
Tuesday 27 th September	Gambling Awareness Workshops 11F3, G1 & G3
	Dungeons and Dragons Club 3.20-4.30 - Library
Wednesday 28 th September	Year 7 STEM CREST Discovery Day
	The Martin Gallier Project - 6th Form
Thursday 29 th September	6 th Form Drama Trip – Manchester 7.30pm
	Homework Club 3.20-4.30pm Library & D22
Friday 30 th September	No Events Scheduled

News

Class Charts

Please keep an eye out for information regarding the launch of the Parent Portal for our school information management system, Class Charts. This is a vital information and communication tool between school and home. Log in information and details on how to use the system will be sent home in the next few weeks.

Uniform and Standards

Many thanks for your support in helping your children with the recent changes in standards of dress and expectations around the school. We have seen a huge improvement since the start of term. We will continue to enforce these standards throughout the year. A couple of points to stress from this are; coats and hoodies are not to be worn around school. They must be away in a bag. In respect of mobile phones, travel between lessons is counted as lesson time and phones need to remain away and switched off.

Please ensure that your child is in school and ready for registration and form starting at 8.45am. Form tutors will be notified of lates detentions and further measures may follow.

Mental Health Awareness

We will be welcoming representatives from The Martin Gallier Project into school on Wednesday to talk to our 6th Form students about mental health.

Year 11 Gambling Awareness Workshops

The three form groups that missed their workshop back in June will have their session on Tuesday in A06.

Year 7 STEM CREST Discovery Day

CREST Discovery Awards offer an introduction to real project work and give students the freedom to run their own investigations. Students develop teamwork and hands-on investigative skills, via challenging and thought-provoking real-world STEM projects and gain an award!

Tall Ships

This crew of merry men enjoyed our annual expedition on a 60-foot Challenger yacht last week cruising round the south coast from Portsmouth, mooring in Cowes, Poole harbour and Lymington. The boys learned fundamental sailing skills including hoisting sails, steering and chart reading in addition to cooking for the crew of sixteen, cleaning the boat and sleeping, sardine-like, in hammocks and singing heartily into the night. Many boys recognised the vocational opportunities offered by such an

experience, but all came away several inches taller and prouder than when we cast off.

Our skipper commented that they were the best group of boys he had taken on the voyage this year and our first mate said that the boys were a credit to the school and to their parents. Our watch leaders reported that our boys had worked tremendously well as a team. They set sail as acquaintances and returned as brothers. Miss Robbins would like to offer her thanks to the sailing team at Tall Ships and to Ms. Beddall as co-pilot!





Sparx Maths

Please see the attached letter regarding Sparx Maths.

Library

For book recommendations, reading events and the latest goings on in our new school library, follow @library_mosslands on Instagram

Medication In School

If you have any questions or concerns regarding medication in school, please contact the SEND Department.

Art Department

You can follow us on Instagram @art_mosslands to see some fabulous examples of the work produced by our students.

Fundraising for Mosslands

Don't forget to order your online shopping through "Easyfundraising.com" to help raise money for school.



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