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Friday April 28th 2023

Dear Parents, Guardians and Carers,

I trust the end of another week finds you all keeping well.

Well done once again to all those many learners in all year groups who have had another excellent week of positive learning, making good progress in many subject areas during this second week of the Summer Term. Unfortunately, a very small number of learners have let themselves down and have not been able to show kindness or respect to others at different times this week, this has been very disappointing.

This weekend is the first of the three May Bank holiday Mondays. As it is a Bank Holiday on Monday May 1st, we look forward to seeing all learners in school on Tuesday May 2nd from 8.30am

GCSE and A Level Examinations

Congratulations to all of those learners in Years 10, 11 and 13 who have sat public examinations or modules towards their public examinations this week; Welsh orals, Art practical, Spanish orals, Science A Level practicals; the written public examinations grow ever closer.

Year 11 Farewell and Achievement Ceremony

Thank you to all Year 11 parents/carers who responded to our consultation regarding the Year 11 Achievement event. We will be writing to Year 11 parents/carers soon with details of the event on Friday 7th July.

English Department Trip to the Boulevard Theatre - Romeo and Juliet from last week's newsletter - UPDATE

Last week, I shared how brilliantly our Year 9 learners had behaved and represented their year group and our school at a performance of Romeo and Juliet. I also informed you that I would be making a formal complaint to Vision Arts in regard to a Facebook post that misrepresented our learners and prejudged teenagers. I have made the complaint and a further response will follow from the school's Governing Body. I will also be attending the Year 9 assembly to talk to Year 9 learners about this.

School Fete on Friday 23rd June from 2pm

The Friends of Ysgol Harri Tudur / Henry Tudor School will hold the first school fete since the coronavirus pandemic on Friday 23rd June from 2pm, in and around the school and the school grounds. The Friends are hoping to raise £10,000. All mentor groups will be helping the school to raise funds, and all parents are invited to join us for stalls, food, displays and performances if you are able to. We have 30 retail stalls available at a flat rate fee of £30 to parents who may have 'locally made' arts and crafts/jewelry/artwork/plants/etc. For further information, please contact our School Business Manager [HERE](#)

If you have some time to volunteer to help our Friends raise funds for our school and our learners over the course of the academic year, please let us know [HERE](#)



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Progress Evenings and Parents Evenings - REMINDER

Thank you to all of you who made appointments for Progress Evening and Parents Evenings; booking opened on Monday evening, there is still some limited availability for appointments with some staff for all three parents events, the Progress Evening, Year 7 Parents Evening and Year 9 Parents Evening. If you have any queries about Progress Evening or Parents Evening please ask [HERE](#).

Recent sporting success

Ava Midgely (Year 10) has been named as part of the Cricket Wales U15 Girls Squad this summer, a fantastic international sporting achievement for her. Ava also took a wicket in her debut for Cresselly CC on the evening of Tuesday 25th April. Many congratulations to Ava!

In rugby, Lewis Dennison played at the Principality Stadium on Wednesday for Pembrokeshire Schools U15's. Many congratulations to Lewis!

HSBC Financial Awards - UPDATE

Last week I informed you that we had been shortlisted for a HSBC Financial Award at the Education Awards 2023 in Cardiff. I am absolutely delighted to inform you that we won that award (there's a picture of Mrs Edwards receiving the award in recognition of the work that she has done to drive financial education at our school, on Twitter and the website) and our school has now been put forward to the National Awards in London in December.

And Finally

Please contact the school if you have any general queries. The school phone lines are open from 0800 to 1600 on 01646 682461 or by email on contact@yht.wales. Our school website has detailed information about our school.

For more specific queries related to your child, you may contact your child's Key stage Leader.

Years 7 and 8 and primary transition - Mrs S. Martin, smartin@yht.wales

Year 9 - Mrs E Sutton - esutton@yht.wales

Year 10 and 11 - Ms K Thomas - kthomas@yht.wales

Updates are also posted on our Twitter account: [@YsgolHarriTudur](https://twitter.com/YsgolHarriTudur)

Until next week, with all best wishes for the bank holiday weekend.

Mrs. F. Kite, Headteacher