

# Newsletter

"The only person you are destined to become is the person you decide to be" - Ralph Waldo Emerson

**Principal's Update** 



Sara Jacobs Principal



#### Dear Parents and Carers,

One of our aims is for students to leave College with genuinely memorable lifelong experiences. There have been some brilliant activities and opportunities this week, one of which was the Year 11 rugby team's opportunity to participate in the Colts Tournament held at Rosslyn Park. At this event our students had the chance to compete at the highest level with schools nationally and internationally. They did exceptionally well and were an absolute credit to the College. In addition, over 50 students from years 9 -13 enjoyed a trip to the theatre on Wednesday to watch a superb performance of Blood Brothers.

This week our Year 10 students have had their first experience of sitting an exam under exam conditions. I am pleased to share with you that their behaviour has been exemplary, please congratulate them on the mature way they have approached this.

I mentioned last week the importance of students following our College smartphone policy. There are many good reasons for why the Government have supported schools in reinforcing this ban, not least of which is the fact they are an unwanted distraction and can have a detrimental impact on student wellbeing. Our policy clearly states that students are not permitted access to their mobile phones whilst on site unless given explicit permission by their teacher. This includes when exiting the site at the end of the day. Students have been reminded about our expectations and are clear that if they do not follow this reasonable request then their mobile phone will be confiscated. Please support the College by ensuring you are continuing to reinforce this message at home.

24 July—Summer Holiday Begins

Looking ahead to next week, please remember that Thursday 28th is the last day of term, school will end as normal, at 3.20pm. On Thursday students will be allowed to wear non-uniform, please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for school. The £1 voluntary contribution that we ask for goes directly to a local charity, Devon Air Ambulance and on a related note we are currently investigating options to facilitate payments for future non uniform days to be taken online.

Thank you for your continued support, have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Sara Jacobs, Principal

What's on Next Week	Key Dates for Summer Term
Thursday 28 March—Non Uniform day	Monday 15 April - Non Pupil Day
Friday 29 March to Sunday 14 April inclusive—Easter Holiday	Tuesday 16 April—Students Return
	Friday 19 April—Clyst Got Talent
	27 to 31 May —Summer Half Term

## News from Post 16 and College News

#### Post 16 News

In Post 16 this week, we have been very busy with interviews for our Year 11 students who have applied to join us in September.

These meetings have been going really positively and it has been lovely to start to get to know our next cohort of students.

If any Year 11 applicants have questions once they've gone away to think about these conversations, they are very welcome to either pop in to speak to Miss Haynes or Mrs Voysey, or drop us an email.

Interviews for those who have not had appointments yet will continue on Tuesday next week, with offer letters due to come out ahead of the Easter break.

Last night, Post 16 teachers enjoyed meeting Year 12 parents for their Parents' Evening appointments. Thank you to all parents and carers who took the time to discuss progress with their child's class teachers. These meetings are a really valuable touch point in your child's Post 16 journey. Feedback so far is that there were a lot of positive and constructive conversations taking place.

Following on from last week's circus & physical theatre experience (Okham's Razor's 'Tess'), yesterday students from both Y12 & Y13 took part in another very exciting theatrical trip to see the musical Blood Brothers at the Princess Theatre in Torquay.

Good luck goes to our Performing Arts students, who are busy preparing for a performance next week of 'The Play That Goes Wrong'... which we hope goes really well for them, despite the play's title!

### **Congratulations Charlie Ebdon and Max Metherell**



The Year 11 boys attended trials during the February half term and were selected to play for the Devon FA under 16's Boys Representative team.

They have represented the team in the Under 16's Southwest Counties Competition this season and still have two home matches to play; Thursday 28th March against Cornwall FA and Thursday 18th April against Somerset FA.

Well done boys and good luck!

## Youth Cultural Champions



As a Rights Respecting School it is important we celebrate the diverse community within our College. This week several of our students attended a Youth Cultural Champions conference in Exeter. One of our students has written the following regarding their experience:

"At the Young Cultural Champions meeting, I met a lot of people from all around the world and made new friends. We talked about our culture, aspects of it and what we liked about it. We also got to know the meaning of other people's name and where it comes from. We played fun games which educated us about ours and others home country. We also got to meet people from the same country as us. We got to know historical backgrounds of countries and cultures. More on, we talked about racism and how to make people aware about it, we also talked about how this affects us as a person, citizen and a student. We also talked about making a platform for us and future students and teenagers as the young cultural champions so we can connect and discuss."





# College News

# Transport for post 16 students

# what you need to know



Information correct February 2024



# If Devon offer me assistance what form will this take?

This will vary on a case by case basis and will be dependent on your family's circumstances. If support is agreed by Devon County Council the Transport Co-ordination Service will decide what the minimum level of support is required. This may be:

Independent Travel Training.

• A Vacant Seat on a contract vehicle.

 A petrol allowance to assist your parents/ carers to take you to school or college in the family vehicle.

 A financial contribution to assist your parents/ carer with the cost of making private transport arrangements to enable you to get to school or college.

#### Will any help offered be free of charge?

No. Any help offered by Devon County Council will be subject to the payment of the parental contribution.

# Will any help offered be for the duration of my post 16 studies?

No. Any help offered by Devon County Council will be for that academic year only, or the duration agreed by the local authority if for a shorter time. You will need to re-apply each academic year.

If you need advice as to which school or college is the nearest to your home, or advice on help with your travel to education, contact **0345 155 1019** or visit **devon.cc/schooltransport** 



#### Am I eligible for assistance from DCC?

Devon County Council does not provide a universal post-16 assisted travel scheme. It expects that students, parents or carers will consider how students are going to get to and from their Post 16 school/college prior to applying and accepting a place.

# My parents/carers are not able to get me to and from my school/college

You and your parents or carers need to explore all avenues available to get you to and from the school or college. This could be walking to college, cycling, car share, public transport, Vacant Seat scheme, private taxi etc.

#### Public Transport

Where there is public transport serving a school/college, it is expected that you, your parent or your carer should make travel arrangements directly with the bus or rail company.

Contact Traveline on **0871 200 22 33** or visit **www.travelinesw.com** for information on the public services in your area.

# There is no suitable public transport to my school or college

The expectation is that you, your parents or carers will make the necessary arrangements for you to get to and from school or college. If there is a contract vehicle already running to the school/college you may apply for a Vacant Seat. You need to make an application at an early stage, before 1 July, via the webpage below, using the online application link:

devon.cc/vacant-seats



# I have no way of getting to my school or college

Where you cannot make your own arrangements to get to a school or college and there is no public transport or Vacant Seat available then you can talk to the Transport Co-ordination Service about what other support may be available. In some cases this will mean that an Assessment of Need will be carried out.

During the Assessment of Need process, the Transport Co-ordination Service will ask a series of questions to find out why you, your parents or carers are not able to make the necessary travel arrangements. They will identify the minimal help required to remove transport as a barrier to you continuing in education.

You, your parents or carers will need to provide additional evidence to support the Assessment of Need. The normal parental contribution for the academic year will be applied to any support provided by Devon County Council.

For further information about whether you are eligible to be considered for an assessment please call 0345 155 1019 or visit:

devon.cc/post-16transport

#### What is a Vacant Seat?

A Vacant Seat is where there is no public transport available but there is a contract vehicle operating to your school or college with a spare seat. If you are offered a Vacant Seat following your application it will be guaranteed for that academic year. A contribution to the cost of transport is required.

# My family are on a low income and cannot afford the cost of transport

If your family are on a low income the school/ college should be approached for help. Most establishments receive 16-19 bursary funds to provide targeted help to individuals in need. They may choose to make financial awards to young people in ways that best fit their needs and circumstances.

Bursary awards should be targeted towards young people facing financial barriers to education, such as the costs of transport, meals, books and equipment. You will need to contact the establishment direct to discuss possible bursary funding.

#### There is public transport/contract vehicle but I am not able to travel on it because of my needs

If you are not able to travel by public transport or on a contract vehicle because of your additional needs Devon County Council may be able to provide support for Independent Travel Training.

Please contact a member of the Transport Co-ordination Service to discuss this further on 0345 155 1019.

#### I am over 19 but continuing in education will I be able to ask for help?

If you are aged 19 or over on the 1st September and your Education, Health and Care Plan supports you continuing on in education, you will need to re-apply for transport through a Post 19 Assessment of Needs. If you are not entitled to Post 19 education funded transport, you can apply for support through Adult Care by contacting **MyDevon** on **0345 155 1007**.

#### **Useful Information**

**Traveline** can help with bus or train information. Their website is **www.travelinesw.com** or you can download their travel app.Alternatively, you can also **call 0871 200 22 33.** 

National Rail Enquiries 03457 48 49 50 or www.nationalrail.co.uk can help with rail information.

A new National rail card for 16-17 year olds has been introduced saving up to 50% on fares. Please visit **www.16-17saver.co.uk** 

#### **Public Bus Service Providers**

AB Coaches (KEVICs)	01803 864161
Axe Valley Mini Travel	01297 625959
Buses of Somerset	01823 211180
Country Bus	01626 833664
Dartline	01392 872900
Filers Travel	01271 863819
First Dorset	01305 783645
Hatch Green Coaches	01823 480338
Plymouth City Bus	01752 662271
Stagecoach Southwest	01392 427711
Tally Ho Coaches	01548 853081
Wood Brothers	01364 642666
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## Student Services Key Updates and Reminders and Library News





We are pleased to inform you that you will shortly be able to book an appointment with subject teachers to discuss your child's academic progress. Meetings with teachers are held virtually and accessible through cvcc.schoolicloud.co.uk. If you would like an appointment please book this using our online system, if you require any support please contact Pam Grant, Student Services Co-Ordinator, studentservices@clystvale.org or 01392 463910. Please note you will notified that you are able to make an appointment via email, please do not attempt to book before this time as you will not be able to do so. There is an option for more than one parent to virtually join the same meeting, this has been very successful. Some Year 7 teachers have more than one class and slots can be limited, so please be mindful of not booking the same teacher for more than one subject. Meeting slots are for 5 minutes.

#### **Mobile Phones**

Please can you remind your child/ children that mobile phones are not allowed to be used on the College grounds. Before students come through the gates their phones must be turned off and stored in their bags. When leaving the College at the end of the day, they cannot use their phones until they are again through the gates. Children seen using their phones on site will have their phones confiscated. If this is at the end of the day, they will be confiscated the following school day for the mobile phone policy to be actioned.

First confiscation- the student will be able to pick the mobile phone up from Student Services.

Second confiscation- the parent/ guardian will be required to come to reception to collect the phone from Student Services.

Third confiscation- the parent/ guardian while be invited to attend a meeting with the relevant Head of Year and discuss the length of the mobile phone ban.

Thank you for your continuing support.

#### **Year 8 Fundraising**



Project Creme Egg again will run from 18th-28th of March.

Penalty shootout against the teachers on Monday 25th of March. (50p a go)

Throw a sponge at the teachers on Tuesday 26th of March. (£1 a go)

Cake sale on Thursday 28th of March.

#### **Clyst Vale Library News**



The book fair has been really popular, so Miss Southard has decided to extend the event by two more days! The book fair is being held in the library and is now available to the students on Monday and Tuesday next week.

The competition to 'redesign the front cover of your favourite book' has now closed. The winner will be announced on Monday 25 March. This was a very popular competition with many entrants. A huge, good luck and thank you to those who submitted an entry.



## Student of the Week

NP2N 7GRTU Sam Russell 7GHE	Lily Tomkins-Pope 8GMN Rose Mizielinska 8GLT	Holly Middleton 9GCMC Charry Carpenter 9GDJ
7RER	Zak Howland 8RDF	Ruby Somerville 9RBAT
7RGG	Evie Isaacs 8RTMA	Caitlin Baird 9RNS
NP2N 7YCBO	Ethan Tagg 8YGGA	Lottie Williams 9YMBR
Ruben Tuley 7YCFL	Nathan Nkompilo 8YBH	Rudy Startup 9YSWA
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Callum Voysey 10GABR Ella Coward 10GDH Charlotte Sillett 10RZB Jasper Forty 10YSS Joseph Lunn 10YADA	Kadi Fofana 11GAW Louise Maby 11GGT Josh Jones & Daisy Mitchell 11RMAH 11RCMO Charlie Williams 11YDST Amy Clark 11YLH	Michael Rothery 13HP
Year 10	Year 11	P16 Commendation



Each week our tutors are encouraged to recognise and reward one member of their tutor group for something outstanding. This could be an academic achievement, a demonstration of resilience or an act of kindness.



If you see a familiar name above then be sure to ask them what amazing thing they've done.

# **Key Contact Information**

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Claire Haynes	Head of Post 16	haynesc@clystvale.org
Lisa Jones	Early Help	jonesl1@clystvale.org

## **Sports Updates & Fixtures**

#### Year 11 Boys Rugby @ The Howden Rosslyn Park National Schools 7s

On Wednesday this week, the Year 11 boys rugby squad left Clyst Vale at 5am to make the long and winding journey to London to take part in the U16s Colts tournament at the Howden Rosslyn Park National Schools 7s. The journey went very well until a significant delay at the Wisley interchange whilst coming off (or attempting to) the M25 and onto the A3. Preparations were made on the bus, with the lads changing into their kit and boots ready for their first game at 10.20am, due to this unexpected delay. We made it for kick off, however had to rush our warm up and preparation which was less than ideal.

Despite the inconvenience of traffic and best laid plans, the boys put in an outstanding performance in their opening Pool C game versus New Hall School of Chelmsford, the first of two public schools we would face in the challenging group. The final result of 34-12 did not do Clyst Vale justice in terms of the character and resolve shown after conceding some early scores versus a very well organised and drilled team. Rhys also provided much needed pace in the second half for us. Both Jack and Oliver kept us in touch with scores, with Dan H converting.

The second game versus Tonbridge School (6 Nations player of the tournament and England player, Ben Earl's former school) was a really challenging one, with Clyst Vale really struggling to get hold of any type of possession and the pool favourites punishing us on several occasions for not looking after the ball well enough. We did, however, tackle really well and rotated the squad to give everyone an opportunity to start a game and to be involved. JJ carried and caught lots of ball in this game, with Archie doing a good job at 9 and Finlay and Sonny getting stuck in on several occasions. Max did a good job at hooker when we needed him to, with Josh providing great footwork and handling in the midfield. The boys seemed dejected after the defeat which was a slight reality check but still regrouped and wanted to finish the day and their 5 years of rugby at Clyst Vale with a big performance against Belgian side, Waterloo Schools, on RE2, the second pitch at the venue, which was live streamed with commentary and plenty of crowds watching from the grandstands.

So, here it was, the culmination of rugby at Clyst Vale and all of the effort and sacrifice over the past 5 years. In a game against a very well organised French speaking side, we had the worst possible start, conceding from the kick off with the ball bouncing into the winger's hands and him racing behind the posts for a converted score. Clyst Vale rallied, and Oliver bounced two players on the far touchline to dot down with Dan H converting for 7-7. Waterloo Schools hit straight back with an unconverted score, despite great shape from Clyst Vale in defence and with us being on the wrong side of some borderline calls by the official. 7-12 was the score at the break.

The scoreline got even more challenging for Clyst Vale after the break with Waterloo Schools' fast and physical winger notching his hat trick score under the posts (unconverted) after we had conceded yet another penalty, this time for a high tackle. Lenny, skipper, Dan B and Jake made outstanding impacts upon the game with their link and contact play and were vital for the next few minutes of the game. It was now, certainly, now or never for Clyst Vale, who rallied back and showed resolve and determination which has characterised their time at school. We scored three tries to win the game and provide the biggest come back pitch RE2 has seen all week in this year's tournament, running out 31-22 winners. Dan scored the first by the posts, smashing his way over from 15 metres and scored again after a classic Jack powerful and accelerative arced run on the right touchline. He also converted both. Then it was the fairytale finish, with Charlie finishing a great team move, which started with Oliver beating several defenders on the left side of the pitch before weaving and finding Charlie who dived, celebrated and then showed outstanding sportsmanship to shake hands with a crestfallen defender on the final whistle.

Celebrations on the touchline were equally matched with humility for the opposition with handshakes and then a celebratory photograph with the new kit which has been provided by the tournament hosts for us.

The final standings for Clyst Vale were finishing third in the pool and finishing with a much deserved win which offered up a record much superior to that of many schools which travel to the prestigious event.

A big thank you must go to Exeter Chiefs Junior Academy Manager, Marc Dibble, who accompanied Mr Pearce to the event and provided much needed rugby 7s knowledge to the squad. Thank you, also, to Ms Cresswell who organised the logistics for the event which ran very smoothly indeed.

Please keep your eye out for the match video re-run which will be provided shortly on the website and around the College!

## Sports Updates, Fixtures and Extra-curricular Clubs

The whole of the squad were once again truly outstanding over the two days, both on and off the pitch and were magnificent representatives of the College. This has been the case for the whole five years of their time with us. Thank you, lads.

Congratulations to the squad: Dan B (c), JJ S (c), Jack B, Charlie W, Oliver H, Lenny B, Archie J, Max M, Dan H, Josh J, Finlay W, Sonny B, Jake F, Rhys S and Jasper F.

Mr Pearce







# Extra-curricular Clubs and Activities

# **Hospitality and Catering**

Catch up & revision sessions– Every Thursday lunchtime in IT1 starting after Easter.

Set tasks and activities, as well as opportunities to ask questions and work 1:1 and independently.

- · Help with lessons you've missed
- Revision on theory work
- Successfully evaluating your dishes
- Help with improving your own understanding of topics through own independent research
- Help with understanding the coursework criteria and how to make a success of it.



Email : <u>collinse@clystvale.org</u> if you are interested. Limited numbers. First come, first serve. Available to year 7 from February after half term ( 29th Feb) to the summer.

Every Thursday after school 3:30 –4:30/5pm in DT3



#### **Reporting an Absence**

Parents are expected to inform us of their child's absence before 9.00 a.m. on each day of absence providing the reason for absence. If the absence continues beyond the first day, please contact the College on each subsequent day of absence, too. To comply with safeguarding obligations, we cannot simply assume a student's sickness absence is ongoing; we need to be certain that the reason for absence is due to continuing illness. If you do not notify the College, then we will make contact with you to identify the reason for absence. This is important as it helps to reduce unauthorised absences and truancy. In addition, the College may ask you to provide medical proof if your child is absent from College due to illness.

#### Lateness

The school day (first registration session) starts at 8.50 am, all students are expected to be in their classroom at this time.

#### **Medical Appointments**

We encourage students to maximise their levels of attendance; research indicates a direct link between attendance and examination performance. The timing of many medical appointments means that often students can attend school first and return afterwards. By doing so, students minimise missed learning whilst keeping their attendance levels as high as possible. We ask that parents/carers send their child into school for morning registration, even when a medical appointment takes place in the middle of the morning. Similarly, appointments scheduled for the afternoon should, where possible, be arranged after Period 4 - during lunchtime. Students are encouraged to return to school after a lunchtime appointment if they can.

Please give the school as much notice as possible, at least two weeks' notice is useful.

If the appointment requires the pupil to leave during the day, they must be signed out by an adult listed on the student's record at the main reception.

Please follow this process if your child is going to be absent from school:



For Years 7 - 11 Absences Sharon Leaman/Cath Prunty (Attendance Officers) Direct line: 01392 463911 Email: studentabsence@clystvale.org

#### For Year 12 - 13 Absences

Sue Voysey (Assistant to Head of Post 16) Direct line: 01392 462697 Email: voyseys@clystvale.org and copy in Head of Sixth Form: haynesc@clystvale.org

## Vacancies

### **Graduate Trainee Teacher Apprentice**

Salary: up to £28,000 dependent on subject specialism and experience

Job Type: Fixed Term

Location: Devon

#### Description

This is an exciting opportunity to enter the profession and gain significant teaching experience while studying to become a fully qualified teaching professional. The Graduate Trainee Teacher role, in conjunction with the Graduate Teacher Programme and Buckinghamshire University, offers talented and motivated graduates the chance to study towards the full range of professional teaching qualifications while gaining significant on the job and classroom experience and earning a competitive salary which reflects your prior academic success. On completion of the apprenticeship, you will hold a PGTA (level 6) or PGCE (level 7) academic teaching qualification, QTS (Qualified Teacher Status) allowing you to practice in the UK and abroad and a teaching apprenticeship as well as having a minimum of 600 hours of teaching experience. Unlike traditional taught routes into teaching, you will be a fully fledged member of the school community from day one, acting as both lead teacher and tutor to students and being involved in all areas of school life.

To support your development to become a highly skilled teaching practitioner, we will provide a dedicated subject specialist mentor to coach you in all aspects of your teaching practice, time off timetable each week to engage in your post-graduate academic study and regular professional studies and development sessions with a member of our senior leadership team. We will further support your development by ensuring you gain an extended placement in a different school and have access to expertise and opportunities across the wider educational community, allowing you to gain a deep understanding of education across the age and stage range and in different school settings.

We are seeking applications from graduates with a 2.2 or above in Sciences, Computing, Mathematics, Spanish, French, design Technology or a related discipline. It is not vital that your first degree is in the subject that you intend to teach, but additional training may be needed to enhance your subject knowledge if it is not. Experience working in an educational setting with children and young people will be a benefit, but most important to us is your outlook and drive to continually improve. Teaching is a highly rewarding career choice, but it is one which requires you to hold yourself to the highest of standards, to be self motivated and work independently and to continually reflect on your practice and how you can succeed.

**To find out more and to apply for this position** please follow this link to our website: <u>https://www.clystvale.org/</u><u>vacancies/</u> and click the blue 'Apply Now' button. The closing date for all applications is Friday 10th May 2024. Interviews will take place w/c 19th May 2024

## Job of the Week

These are provided through the MYPATH careers webpage.

**IT TECHNICIAN** 

IT Technicians maintain and monitor computer systems within an organisation.

With an increase in the use of technology, IT Technicians are crucial in keeping a business running.

IT Technicians may assist with both hardware and software problems, set up new user accounts and work to prevent system issues.

Starting salaries in IT support range from £17000 to £23000.

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# Community Noticeboard Continued...



## Autism and Us programme for parents and carers, Devon County Council, summer term

Support for parents/carers of Devon's primary and secondary children who are either on the autism waiting list or who have received a diagnosis of autism.

Our free Autism and Us programme and themed workshops are for parents/carers of Devon primary and secondary school children, pre or post-diagnosis. We offer access for families of children and young people who are currently on the autism assessment pathway, as well as families of children and young people who have received an autism diagnosis.

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Attending the Autism and Us parent programme gives you an opportunity to develop your understanding of autism and look at practical solutions to managing and supporting your child's presenting needs.

There are two types of support on offer:

- A four week programme of sessions, each around two hours long
- Additional themed workshops around specific topics

To book your place on the programme or workshops, or to express your interest in forthcoming programmes, please send an email to <u>educationlearnersupport@devon.gov.uk</u>. We will confirm your booking and provide you with a direct link to the event.

Thursday 28 March 19:00 - 21:00 £24



Supporting a child with ADHD challenging the stereotypes and giving practical advice

facefamilyadvice.co.uk.

# info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk

#### self-esteem underpins all that we do



Raising Self-Esteem Jane Keyworth gives a two-hour online talk Tuesday 26th March 7-9pm

Book Online £24 facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Are you aware of teenage brain development and how it impacts on behaviour?



# Understanding the Teenage Brain

"Every parent and teacher should hear this...." Mr Mead, Headteacher at Lytchett Minster School, Dorset

> Two-hour online talk **25th March 7-9pm** Book Now £24 facefamilyadvice.co.uk

## **Community Noticeboard Continued...**

### **EHCP Lifeworks Community Easter Holiday Programme**



Are you looking for an action-packed Easter holiday programme that promises fun, adventure, and unforgettable experiences? Look no further than Lifeworks HAF Easter Holiday Programme! We are thrilled to announce our exciting lineup of activities tailored for young people, featuring a mix of crafts, sports, and thrilling adventures.

Here's what's in store for the week of April 8th to April 11th:

\*\*Monday, April 8th: Crafts, Tennis & Bowls (10am - 3pm)\*\*

Unleash your creativity with engaging craft activities, followed by a friendly game of tennis and some strikes at the bowling alley. It's a day filled with fun and camaraderie!

\*\*Tuesday, April 9th: Snow Tubing, Tobogganing (10am - 3pm)\*\*

Experience the thrill of the slopes with snow tubing and tobogganing! Whether you're a seasoned snow enthusiast or trying it for the first time, this day promises exhilarating adventures and laughter.

\*\*Wednesday, April 10th: Castle Drogo (10am - 3pm)\*\*

Step back in time and explore the historic Castle Drogo. With its stunning architecture and picturesque surroundings, it's a day of discovery and wonder that's not to be missed.

\*\*Thursday, April 11th: Mount Batten Water Sports Centre (11am - 4pm)\*\*

Dive into a day of aquatic excitement at Mount Batten Water Sports Centre! Bell Boats, Beach combing, Archery so there's something for everyone to enjoy.

\*\*How to Participate:\*\*

\*\*Free Places:\*\* Young people with a valid HAF code are eligible for free participation in the programme. Simply contact us with your code to reserve your spot.

\*\*Paid Places:\*\* For those without a HAF code, paid spots are available. Contact us to book your place today!

To reserve your place or inquire about our programme, please reach out to us via email at lifeworkscommunity@lifeworks-uk.org or give us a call at 01803 865075. Spaces are limited, so don't miss out on this opportunity for holiday fun and adventure. Join us for a week of excitement and camaraderie at Lifeworks HAF Easter Holiday Programme!

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BROADCLYST		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
ABSEIL						1 Telephone and WhatsApp support available daily 10 - 6	
aising money for local hurches & Clyst Caring		4 First Steps Virtual Support Hub Online Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00	5 Parental Minds Support Hub Online Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00	6 Parental Minds Support Hub Online Hub Teams / 10.30 - 11.30	7 Online Hub Teams/ 13.30-14.30 Expressing Emotions Zoom / 16.00 - 18.00	8 Telephone and WhatsApp support available daily 10 - 6	
		First Steps Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00	12 Parental Minds Support Hub <b>Exeter</b> John Lewis/ 10.00 - 12.00	<sup>13</sup> Sidmouth Hub Port Royal/ 10.30-12.30 Avoiding Burnout Zoom / 10.30 - 12.30 / 16.00 - 18.00	14 Online Hub Teams/ 13.30-14.30 Monthly Hub, Honiton Kings Court/ 19.00-21.00	15 Telephone and WhatsApp support available daily 10 - 6	
		18 First Steps Virtual Support Hub Online Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00	19 Parental Minds Support Hub Online Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00	20 Online Hub Teams / 10.30 - 11.30 Self Harm Part 1 Zoom / 10.30-12.30	21 Online Hub Teams/ 13.30-14.30 Supporting a Loved One with an ED Zoom / 19.00 - 20.00	22 Telephone and WhatsApp support available daily 10 - 6	
11 & 12 MAY 10AM - 4PM	MORE DETAILS:	25 First Steps Virtual Support Hub Teams / 10.00-11.00 Self Harm Zoom / 19.00 - 21.00	26 Parental Minds Support Hub Exeter John Lewis/ 10.00 - 12.00	27 Sidmouth Hub Port Royal/ 10.30-12.30 Self Harm Part 2 Zoom / 10.30-12.30	28 Parental Minds Support Hub Online Hub Teams/ 13.30 - 14.30	29 Telephone and WhatsApp support available daily 10 - 6	
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# Supporting Learning at Home

#### Activities

One of the best and easy ways to help children learn is by playing games. Playing the right sort can inspire your child to learn and gain confidence in lots of subjects but also develop critical soft skills too, such as patience and communication. For a list of links to fun, educational and creative activities and to learn more, please follow this link https://www.parentkind.org.uk/ for-parents/parents-resources/ activities

(Above copied from the Parentkind website)

Android), for study on the go!



# **Clyst Vale Library**

Clyst Vale Library is open to the public 3.30 to 5.30pm Monday and Wednesday and 4.00 to 6.00pm Thursday.



Please do not address emails, or replies to Edulink messages, to Edulink@clystvale.org. It is an unmonitored mailbox and will not go to anyone. Parents/carers need to reply to Edulink messages via the app, online, or via email, as this will then be directed to the staff member who sent the message to you. Or, please contact the teacher or admin@clystvale.org.

There is also a contact form and details below.

http://www.clystvale.org/ contact-us/

# Stationery for Sale

Mock/GCSE pencil cases are available from the Library at a cost of £4.50 per pencil case. The clear pencil cases include one pencil, a blue pen, a red pen, one highlighter, a ruler, a compass, a protractor, a rubber and a sharpener.



# Second Hand School Uniform

Thank you for supporting the community and local charity shops. The sale of preloved uniform is proving successful. If you have any items that are no longer needed but still in very good condition , please donate them to one of the local charity shops. Both shops have set aside rails designated for college uniform.

Clyst Caring Friends is located in Broadclyst village and our local Barnardo's shop is in Cranbrook.

Their opening hours are:

Clyst Caring Friends, Broadclyst (01392 467555)

Mondays—closed

Tuesday to Friday—09.30 to 15.30

Saturday-09.30 to 12.00

Sunday—closed

Barnardo's, Cranbrook EX5 7DR (01404 514934)

Monday to Saturday—09.00 to 17.00

Sunday—10.00 to 16.00





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