



# Laurence Jackson School's Parental Bulletin

12th May 2023

## Messages from the Headteacher

We were delighted to open our new memorial garden this week in memory of staff and students we have lost 'in service' whilst at school. In particular, thank you to the site team and to Mrs Richards for their hard work in creating such a beautiful space, and to others who supported the garden and the event itself.



I would like to wish our Year 11 students the very best of luck as they begin their GCSE exams next week. It was lovely to have the cohort together this week for their celebration assembly.

Year 9 & 10 female students have been encouraged to look at the information within this bulletin about a fantastic careers opportunity to shadow an Inspirational female in the workplace.

There are still tickets for our School Production of Grease taking place in July—please see the flyer within this bulletin for details on how to purchase tickets. We would love to see you there! Please also see information on the last page about a competition to win an afternoon tea for two at the Cats Whiskers, with money raised supporting the production costs of Grease.

Rewards Trip/Activity Day 17th July—payment for the activity you have chosen for your child to take part in (should this be Level X or Flamingo Land, in-school activities have no cost attached) will open on Gateway throughout Monday 15th May. Payment is due by 5th June.

## Celebrating Student Success



As our main hall will be used throughout the exam period, Year 11 students enjoyed their end of Year 11 celebration assembly on Wednesday this week. Students also had the opportunity to sign shirts at break times and enjoy a free ice cream from the ice cream van. Year 11 students demonstrated excellent conduct throughout the day and we wish them all the very best for their upcoming exams.



You can find out about further achievements of our fantastic students—including success of alumni—on our Facebook page.

## Safeguarding Spotlight

⇒ YOUTH VAPING ⇒

### **The Need-to-Know on This Rising Trend**

Vaping seems to be everywhere these days. It seems you can't go to a petrol station or walk through a shopping centre without seeing colourful advertising or catching a sickly-sweet scent lingering in the air. While vapes (also known as electronic cigarettes or 'e-cigarettes') are meant to be used as a 'quit tool' for smokers rather than a new method for non-smokers, one trend has been slowly on the rise in the last few years – youth vaping. To read more about this click this [link](#)



# Inspiring Women School Shadowing 2023



**Would you like the chance to shadow one of Redcar and Cleveland's most inspiring women?**

- **An amazing female role model who has made a significant impact on their community**
- **Allowing you to find out more about a specific job role and explore different careers**

**How to apply for this year's Inspiring Women School Shadowing Experience:**

- **Application form available through your Careers Coordinator**
- **Guidance provided**
- **Closing date for applications 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023**
- **Shadowing for 1 day in the workplace between 4<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023**
- **Invite to Awards Ceremony for successful applicants**





**Laurence  
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presents

# **GREASE**

**is the word**

**Tickets £9**  
available ONLINE from



[https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/  
Vision-Academy-Learning-Trust](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/Vision-Academy-Learning-Trust)

**7pm Wednesday 12th July**  
**7pm Thursday 13th July**  
**7pm Friday 14th July**



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Laurence Jackson School's Expressive Arts Department presents

an opportunity to win

an Afternoon Tea for two

at

The Cat's Whiskers, Guisborough



For the chance to win and support us to raise production funds for 'Grease', you can purchase numbers via PayPal.

Everyone is welcome to take part.

Ticket cost: £2 per number

Please make your PayPal payment(s) to: [grease.raffle@laurencejackson.org](mailto:grease.raffle@laurencejackson.org)  
(remember to leave your full name in the reference)

Winner will be drawn at the end of rehearsals on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2023

