



Athletics Season - Message from PE



In the next few weeks, we will see some of our Year 7, 8 and 9 pupils compete in local competitions in athletics. Year 8 head to Pingles after school on the 21st of June for their Nuneaton Schools Athletics meet. Meanwhile Year 7 have another week to wait to showcase their talents with their meet being on the 28th. Sandwiched in the middle of the two meets is the big one, the MAT School Games. This will take place on Friday the 24th of June.

Good luck to all involved let's get some silverware!
PE department

Geography Fieldwork Dates

Year 10 fieldwork enquiries start week beginning Monday 4th July. 50 pupils will be going to Dovedale on the Monday, 50 to Dovedale on the Tuesday. On Wednesday and Thursday each class will be going to Nuneaton once either periods 1 and 2 or periods 3 and 4.

Mrs Pipe



Form Time Activities

Wednesday HART Values

What would happen if there were no rules in the school?

What do you think would happen if the law didn't exist?



Pupil Absence
Can parents please continue to use Weduc app to report a their child's absence. This is the quickest and easiest way to report it to us.
Thank you.

Green Council

Our Green Council are collecting 600ml plastic bottles to create eco bricks with local primary schools. If you do have any, please can you send them in to School with your child and they can hand them in to Mrs Pipe in RG3.



Science quote of the week

"The more clearly we can focus our attention on the wonders and realities of the universe about us, the less taste we shall have for destruction."

Rachel Carson



Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev – Sikhism, Week Beg – 13/6/22, Actual date – 16/6/22

This festival is one of the major Sikh gurburbs (days to recognise a Guru's life) and it marks the day when the fifth Guru was put to death on the orders of the Moghul Emperor, Jehangir. Traditionally, a cooling drink known as 'chabeel' is distributed on this day, recalling that the Guru was tortured in the extreme heat of June. Guru Arjan became the first Sikh martyr, having given his life upholding justice. The Guru lived out the divine message (Gurbani) of conquering death and suffering. He remained fearless in defending the truth and showed the importance of remaining steadfast.

Guru Arjan is equally notable for drawing together compositions by the first five Gurus, to which he added hymns. In this way he compiled the Adi Granth (the Sikh scriptures) and when complete, the handwritten version of these scriptures was bound and then lodged in the Harmandir Sahib The Golden Temple in Punjab), where the Adi Granth was opened and read every day.



Also this week... Corpus Christi – Christianity – 16/6/22

Some Christian traditions, particularly Catholicism and Anglicanism celebrate Corpus Christi. It is a commemoration of the institution of Holy Communion.

Year 10 Mock Interviews - Friday 10th June 2022

Year 10 Pupils at Hartshill Academy took part in mock interviews with a range of employers volunteering to come into school for the day.

Pupils completed applications prior to the event and on the day each Year 10 pupil had 20 minutes with an employer to discuss their future plans, skills and hobbies.

Both employers and pupils enjoyed the day (despite a few prior nerves).

Pupils feedback:

"It has helped me to gain confidence and be the best in myself for potential future jobs"

"It has helped me feel less nervous for real job interviews"

Employer feedback included:

"I liked meeting a great bunch of students that did Hartshill proud!"

"Really impressed with the answers given and the way the students conducted themselves"



Using Parental Controls

Parental controls are a great tool to help better protect your children online. Find out how you can use them more effectively.



What do parental controls do?

These controls are designed to help you manage your child's online activities.

Parental controls can set online time restrictions for your child and create content filters to manage the content they see. Parental controls can be used across your broadband, Wi-Fi, apps, games consoles and personal devices including mobile phones and tablets. There are various types, some of which are free but others which can be bought.

However, nothing is totally fool proof so they shouldn't replace the need for you to support and advise your child on online safety

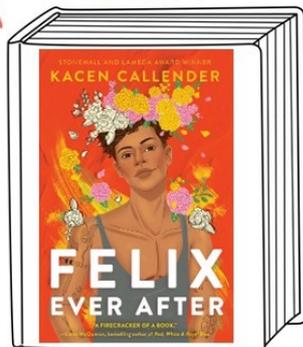
5 actions for setting parental controls

1. Set up home broadband parental controls and make use of controls on your home broadband.
2. Set controls on your search engine; encourage your child to always use child-friendly search engines and activate and lock the safe search settings on the browsers and platforms they use.
3. Use privacy settings on apps and devices; activate the safety measures offered by different sites. Social networking sites like Facebook have privacy settings that will help prevent your child from sharing too much personal information or from seeing unsuitable advertising.
4. Block pop-ups. If you're worried about your children accessing inappropriate content though accidentally clicking on adverts in pop-ups, follow the advice from [Tech Advisor](#) on how to stop these.
5. Have open conversations with your child about online safety and reassure them that they can talk to you or a trusted adult whenever they need to. By talking to your child about their interests you can help them find suitable sites to visit and apps to use. Review these sites as they get older .

Concerned?

If you're worried about your child and think something is not quite right, it's best to be on the safe side and find out more.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/articles/Parental-controls/>



Despite his last name, Felix Love has never been in love. There's nothing more he wants to experience and he can't help but worry if it's his sexual identity stopping him – Black, queer, and transgender. When an anonymous student begins sending transphobic messages and personal information, Felix plans the perfect revenge. What he didn't plan on was landing in a quasi-love triangle. Navigating his complicated feelings, Felix embarks on a journey of self-discovery and first love.

