

Sixth Form Information Evening

Don't forget that it is our Sixth Form Information Evening at Thursday 27 September. All Year 11 students and their families are invited to join us – the event will start with a presentation in the Theatre at 6pm.

Current Sixth Formers are quick to praise the support they receive and the courses they are taking.

Year 13 student Olly said: *"Small classes promote one to one learning therefore encouraging better learning and understanding of the language. I have a passion for Spanish and this is greatly encouraged by our teacher."*

Elsa in Year 12, who has started her A-level studies, is finding her courses educationally stimulating: *"The content is really interesting."*

Whilst Jacob, another Year 13 student, also enjoyed not just working in small groups, but also accessing specialist resources: *"I enjoy the small class sizes. the range of resources we get to help us and the interesting range of topics."*

Mrs Holland, Head of Sixth Form, is looking forward to seeing many potential Sixth Formers there. If you have any questions, please email her via school@longcroft.eriding.net with the subject "FAO Mrs Holland re Info Evening".

More information about the Sixth Form, including a prospectus, can be found At www.longcroftsixthform.co.uk.

Mobile Phones

Please can you remind students that if they are ill during the school day, they should first see Mrs Robinson, our medical officer, and not contact you via mobile phones before doing so.

We are experiencing an increase in cases where students are contacting parents by call or text to say they are ill and arranging to be collected before they have been seen by Mrs Robinson. If a student is ill and needs to go home, Mrs Robinson or one of the admin team will contact you to arrange collection. Thank you for your help with this.

Extra-Curricular Sports

Yesterday a message was sent to parents with a link to a list of extra-curricular sport activities. In case you missed it, the list is repeated below:

	MORNING 07:45 - 08:30	LUNCHTIME 12:25 - 13:00	TWILIGHT 15:10 - 16:15
MONDAY		Table Tennis	
TUESDAY	Badminton	Table Tennis	Football (all Year Groups) Netball (Years 9, 10 & 11) Fitness Suite (Years 9, 10 & 11)
WEDNESDAY	Cross Country	Table Tennis	Rugby (Years 7, 8 & 9) Netball (Years 7 & 8) Hockey (all Year Groups)
THURSDAY		Table Tennis	Badminton (from October half term) Girls Football (all Year Groups)
FRIDAY			

Thank you to the P.E. Department for organising these opportunities that all students can enjoy.

Mobile Phones

Next week, representatives from World Challenge will be visiting school to speak to students in assemblies.

World Challenge is organising a trip to Malaysia in 2020 and if enough Longcroft families are interested, this could be an amazing experience for those students involved.



This is open to students who are currently in Years 9 and 10, plus Year 11 students who will be staying on to join our Sixth Form.

For more information [click here](#).

Friends of Longcroft School (FOLS)

The Friends of Longcroft (FOLS) is a group made up of parents, staff and other adults who are interested in the wellbeing and progress of the school. They raise funds to enhance the learning experiences of all Longcroft students.

Kate Clarke, FOLS Chair, is inviting all parents to the EGM and AGM in the Upper School Board Room (door next along from the main school office) at 7pm on Wednesday 10th October.

Please do come along and join the group, as new members of the team are always warmly welcomed. For more information, contact Kate on fols@longcroft.eriding.net.

Diary Dates

Thursday 27th September – Year 11 Options Evening (presentation 6pm)

Wednesday 3rd October – Year 6 Intake Evening (presentation 6pm, repeated 7pm)

Tuesday 18th October – Year 7 Tutor Evening
