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HUNSLEY WAY

Welcome to the final edition of The Hunsley Way 2023-2024



CLASS OF 2024

This year we say a fond farewell to some of our Year 11 pupils and our Year 13 students as they move on to their next steps. Whilst many will be staying on with us to enrol in Sixth Form, we wish all the best of luck to the Year 11 pupils who are joining other schools, colleges, workplaces or apprenticeships. To our Year 13 cohort, thank you for all the hard work you have shown during your time at South Hunsley and we wish you all good luck for the future, wherever this may take you.

Welcome from the Headteacher Ribblesdale Visit Summer Showcase Year 6 Induction Day Year 11 & Year 13 Proms

Sports Day Curriculum Spotlight: English

MESSAGE FROM HEADTEACHER



Welcome to the final newsletter of the academic year!

I have enjoyed my first year at South Hunsley immensely and would like to take this opportunity to thank you for welcoming me into your community. It has been a privilege not only serving the school community but also meeting members of the wider community and further developing and establishing partnerships.



Throughout the year, there has been so many high points and the 'Year In Numbers' overleaf encapsulates the very essence of our school, What an incredible reminder of the myriad of opportunities available to our pupils beyond learning in the classroom. Fixtures, visits, performing arts experiences, co-curricular clubs, fund raising, pupils voice activities, competitions, workshops, interform activities. celebration events and more! Our pupils have participated, performed, competed, represented, enjoyed, and volunteered throughout the year making staff, peers,

parents/carers and most importantly themselves, proud. As a result of their commitment to seeing all pupils enjoy school and achieve their potential, staff have continued to go beyond what is expected and I am grateful to them all.

Highlights for me this term have to be:

the Summer Showcase at Middleton Hall, where more than 100 talented pupils performed to a packed audience. It was a spectacular showcase of incredible dance, drama, music, and poetry. The 'buzz' stayed with me and the performers for days. I simply cannot wait for the next one!

- the Sports Awards. I have always known sport is strong in the Hunsley community but to hear first-hand the elite level of sport that our pupils compete at is remarkable. Equally, I was delighted to see pupils recognised for their team spirit, volunteering, and effort.
- working with a group of parents/carers and pupils on our provision for pupils with SEND. We will be opening a new area in the autumn term, and we hope it makes a difference to many pupils

MESSAGE FROM HEADTEACHER

in school. I am grateful to all the parents and pupils who have given their time, and I am looking forward to future meetings.

■ the Partnership Summer Festival, which this time was a wonderful series of performances from across the decades. Pupils from our primary schools brought a lump to our throat when they all sang together in a sensational finale. The heads across the partnership introduced these events this year and we are very committed to maintaining them. Thank you to all the parents/carers for your enthusiastic support and to the staff who choreographed, rehearsed, supervised and conducted. It was magic!

I could go on, but you will be able to read about the many things our brilliant pupils have been involved in throughout the pages.

Thank you to all parents/carers who completed the Edurio survey. We now have the results, and we will get back to you after the summer break with some action points so you can see the impact of your time and feedback.

Finally, good luck and thank you to the staff who will be leaving South Hunsley at the end of term, particularly long serving colleagues Helen Savory and Mike Byron. We wish you all every success for the future.

I wish you all a very happy and relaxing summer break.

M Blackledge

Headteacher







COMMUNITY

YEAR 11 LEAVERS

Thursday 6 June

This term we were able to celebrate the end of secondary school with our Year 11 pupils. Teachers and pupils gathered on the field to sign shirts with their well wishes following a Celebration Assembly. The assembly gave teachers the opportunity to say farewell and thank you for their time during the secondary school years. We wish them all the best of luck and look forward to seeing them again on results day in August.



Saturday 8 - Tuesday 11 June

Year 9 History pupils were offered a place on the Battlefields visit in Belgium and France to see a number of key historical sites that played an integral part in the First World War. Pupils were taken to Essex Farm, Nellie Spindler's grave, Tyne Cot cemetery. Ypres Square and Menin Gate to name a few. Four pupils laid the wreath at the Menin Gate service on behalf of the school with a message from Ms Blackledge.



ONE PUNCH HULL

Tuesday 18 June

Thank you to local charity One Punch Hull for joining us during assembly to share the story of their son Scott who tragically lost his life after one punch. Their goal is to raise awareness on one punch attacks and the devastating impacts this can have.

COMMUNITY



PRIDE DAY

Friday 28 June

The school held a Pride Day celebration last month to honour LGBTQ+ people and highlight our commitment to diversity and equality. Miss Bower held assemblies throughout the final week of June to engage and educate pupils on the importance of Pride as well as discussing the issues that LGBTQ+ community face. Staff were encouraged to wear rainbow colours to represent the pride flag and rainbow cookies were available to buy in the canteen, which were decorated with rainbow bunting and posters portraying LGBTQ+ icons.

TEAL PARALLEL ELECTION

Thursday 4 July

Ahead of the UK's General Election, The Education Alliance held a mock parallel election. Pupils were asked to vote for a political party who they would like to be in power - choosing from Conservatives, Labour, Green Party, Liberal Democrats or Reform. A group of Sixth Form volunteers presented the key points from each party's manifestos during assemblies to enable the younger years to identify which party best represented them.

The Green Party won our mock election vote, if you would like to see the full results please click here







RIBBLESDALE 2024

Monday 1 – Friday 12 July

Each year we offer Year 8 pupils the opportunity to take part in a 3-day residential visit to Stainforth in Ribblesdale as part of their personal development. The pupils carried out a range of fun outdoor activities designed to challenge them such as caving, team building, mountain biking, walking and much more. The groups had a fantastic time, strengthening friendships and engaging in nature.

6 EVENTS











SUMMER SHOWCASE

Wednesday 19 June

This term saw the Summer Showcase take place at the University of Hull's Middleton Hall.

The event was created to display the many talents of our pupils across the creative arts – Drama, Music, Dance, Art and English. From poetry readings to choreographed dance routines, there was something for everyone to enjoy at the Summer Showcase.

Well done to all the pupils involved, it was wonderful to see all of your dedication and passion come to life.



REWARDS VISITS

Thursday 20 - Friday 21 June

We were delighted to offer Years 7 to 10 pupils a place on the Rewards Visits to acknowledge their hard work and good behaviour throughout the year. The first set of visits began with Years 7 and 8 spending the day at either Flamingo Land or Yorkshire Wildlife Park and on the following day pupils in Years 9 and 10 made their way to Alton Towers, Go Ape or Flamingo Land. Thank you to all the staff members who gave their time to accompany the pupils on these visits.

THE HUNSLEY WAY

EVENTS









YEAR 6 INDUCTION DAY/EVENING

Thursday 27 June

Each year we welcome the incoming pupils who will be joining us in September from primary school for an Induction Day to give them a taster of our subjects and a feel for the school. Pupils from a number of local primary schools took part in subjects such as Art, Science, History, PE and more. During the evening we welcomed their parents/carers for an informative talk about the transition from primary to secondary.

FESTIVAL OF SPORT AND ARTS

Friday 28 June

Following on from the Induction Day, we welcomed back Year 6 pupils for the Festival of Sport and Arts. Groups of young pupils participated in activities intended to showcase the vast range of creative and physical activities we offer at South Hunsley. Sessions with Music, Dance, Drama, Art and PE ran throughout the day, thank you to all involved in the running of the event.



PRIMARY SCHOOL SUMMER FESTIVAL

Tuesday 2 July

Pupils from schools within our South Hunsley Partnership joined us in Riding Hall to perform in the Primary Partnership Summer Festival.

The show involved renditions of popular songs to an audience of family and friends.











YEAR 11 PROM

Thursday 4 July

The annual Year 11 Prom was held on Thursday 4 July at Lazaats Hotel in Cottingham, where over 300 pupils and staff from South Hunsley gathered to celebrate the end of the secondary school years and mark the completion of their GCSE exams. Pupils arrived dressed to the nines ready for an evening of music, dancing and a three course sit down meal. Once the food had been served, guests were treated to a prize raffle draw where they were in with a chance to win kindly donated gifts such as vouchers, hampers, beauty gift bags and many more.

The night was a fantastic send off for our Year 11 pupils until we see them again on results day in August. Thank you to all who helped make it a memorable prom.

HIGHLIGHTS - SPORTING HEROES

SPORTS DAY

Thursday 18 July

South Hunsley held its highly anticipated Sports Day at the end of term as a final celebration to mark the end of the school year. Sports Day took place on the field on Lowfield Lane and played host to a wide range of activities such as relay races, cricket, shotput and tug of war, as well as many more.

The pupils played brilliantly as they competed against other Houses within their year groups, moving around the circuit throughout the day, so they all had the opportunity to show their skills for each sport.









ABBIE C

Congratulations to Year 8 pupil Abbie C who has been named as the British Ice Skating Solo Dance Championship winner for 2024. On Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 July, she entered into three dances – Fourteen Steps, Tango and Free Dance against competitors from across the country. Amazing result!

ZEBB M

Well done to Year 9 pupil Zebb who has been offered the opportunity to travel to Kaunas in Lithuania to compete for a European National Championship Qualifier with the GB U₁₅ National Baseball Team in July. The U15 team will be representing the British Baseball Federation and Great Britain whist competing against players of the highest standard. Best of luck!

HIGHLIGHTS - SPORTING HEROES

SPORTS AWARDS 2024

Monday 24 June

Our annual Sports Awards took place on Monday 24 June in Riding Hall, acknowledging the many sporting achievements and talents of our pupils. Mr Duerden, Mr Coulbeck and Miss Bennett presented over 95 medals to pupils who have shown hard work and dedication this year across a wide range of disciplines. South Hunsley alumnus Baldvin Magnusson, a 3-time Icelandic National Running Champion and Olympic hopeful, was invited to present the evening's winners with their awards on stage before receiving his own Alumni Award.

The celebration included awards from a number of categories:

- Endeavour Award for Commitment to Sport
- Excellence Award
- Volunteer Award
- Sports Leadership Award
- Academic Awards
- Team Special Recognition Award

- Team of the Year Award
- Sporting Inspiration Award
- South Hunsley Alumni Award
- Sports Personality of the Year Award

A special moment of the evening was the presentation of the Sporting Inspiration Awards, one of which was dedicated to the memory of South Hunsley pupils Mason Clarkson-Carter and Tom Dennett and the other was named as the Matt Simpson Sporting Inspiration Award – given to Year 13 student Jamie and teacher Mr Binks respectively.

At the end of the ceremony, the coveted Sports Personality of the Year Awards were awarded to Adam R (3rd), El O (2nd) and Olly F (1st). These remarkably talented individuals have consistently displayed exceptional skill, dedication, and leadership qualities throughout their sports journey at South Hunsley School.

We would like to give a special thank you to the PE Department for their commitment to excellence in sports, nurturing and empowering the next generation of sporting champions, and ensuring a bright future for our young athletes. Congratulations to all of the evening's winners.







HIGHLIGHTS - SPORTING HEROES













SIXTH FORM

YEAR 12 BIOLOGY VISIT

Monday 24 – Wednesday 26 June

A group of A-Level Biology students spent three days participating in a number of fun and informative hands-on experiments at Cranedale Centre near Malton. Activities included sampling seaweed, dissecting owl pellets, investigating the impact of abiotic factors on the biodiversity of freshwater systems and more.







WORK EXPERIENCE

For the past few months
Year 12 students have been
participating in work experience
across a number of local
businesses to learn more
about the corporate world
and develop vital work skills.
We heard from Toby at Hull
based training and recruitment
company HBTC with some
brilliant feedback following Year
12 student Lucy's time there.

"She got on really well and got stuck into every task we gave her. Lucy helped created a blog post on her experience here, plus a nice graphic she designed to put onto our socials. My colleague Mya also helped support her in the creation of a CV too. Finally, she helped source a candidate for an apprenticeship who now has an interview with a company thanks to her!"

INDUCTION LESSONS

Monday 8 – Wednesday 10 July

Ahead of enrolment on GCSE Results Day, Year 11 pupils were able to take part in Induction Lessons to get a taste for life in the Sixth Form. A range of classes took place across three days to enable them to experience a college environment and explore the Sixth Form facilities.





POST-18 EVENTS

As part of ongoing preparations for post-18 destinations, Year 12 students participated in a visit to the University of Hull for the UCAS Discovery Fair and again for our Higher Education Day. The UCAS Fair was an opportunity for students to explore traditional degrees, apprenticeships, careers and more. For Higher Education Day, students attended sessions covering topics such as student life, a personal statement workshop, study skills and how to choose suitable post-18 options.

SIXTH FORM













YEAR 13 PROM

Friday 5 July

The annual Year 13 Prom took place at the iconic Hull landmark The Deep earlier this month, giving Sixth Formers the chance to celebrate the end of their South Hunsley journey with friends and staff members. Dressed to the nines, the students took their seats for a sit down three course meal surrounded by fish and jellyfish tanks. After dinner, Director of Sixth Form Mr Jacobs presented the Prom Awards and then carried out the prize raffle for the lucky winning tickets. Thank you to all who helped organise the event, we wish you all the best of luck for results day in August.











Eco-Schools



GREEN FLAG AWARD

We have had a very busy half term completing our application for the Green Flag Award. We would like to thank everyone that has helped with this, we were happy to learn that we achieved a <u>Distinction</u>. Our final project was to build an insect hotel at the back of Kingston. For this we stacked up pallets and filled them with bamboo, broken tiles, fir cones, branches and leaves. We hope that this will end up being a brilliant habitat for all the different insects we have around our school, and will provide a space for the pollinators needed for our flowers. It also helps to improve the biodiversity in the area and support the ecosystem. Insect hotels are very easy to make and can easily be made by placing twigs and fir cones into a plant pot, then placing it in the garden.

FEEDBACK

This year, we want to end the year with some feedback from our current members, which we hope will inspire more pupils next year:

"I joined the ecocommittee because I enjoy caring for nature, making bug houses and spending time with my friends and teacher. It is definitely a great way to spend my Friday lunch time."

"I enjoy eco because it is great fun, and we are doing our part for the environment which is important."

"I joined because I care about making a difference to our local community. This year I have really enjoyed doing the bake sales and raising money for charities."

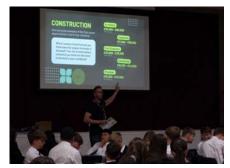
"This year I enjoyed being able to build the insect hotel."

"I joined the eco committee to be more productive and work towards a goal with my friends."

"Next year I look forward to being involved in the allotment and being able to grow flowers and vegetables."

If you would like to get involved, please contact Miss Acaster.

CAREERS



NET ZERO

Thursday 4 July

This term saw Year 9 pupils engage in a Navigating Net Zero session hosted by Engaging Education, whereby the groups had the opportunity to listen to and communicate directly with key employers in the sector before completing a series of team challenges. The aim of the sessions are to make the Net Zero industry more accessible to the wider community, starting with young people who will be leading the workplace of tomorrow.

HULL COLLEGE TALKS

Friday 12 July

Thank you to Hull College for joining us this half term to speak to pupils in Years 7 to 10 about T-Levels and other options after education. T-Levels are technical-based qualifications developed in collaboration with employers and businesses, with content that meets the needs of the industry and aims to prepare pupils for work.



BAE SYSTEMS VISIT

Friday 21 June

A group of Year 9 pupils spent the morning at BAE Systems to see their new bee hive and learn more about their sustainability work. The visit forms part of the Net Zero project which focuses on working towards zero emissions. BAE Systems installed the bee hive to make their own honey, which the group were to able to sample.

TEAM BUILDING

Monday 8 July

This term we welcomed Steve Hoey to South Hunsley to lead our Year 7 pupils for a series of team building activities. The groups participated in fun and interactive hands-on learning to find out what it is to be a leader and how leadership can take many forms. Starting with some games based on communication and teamwork, the sessions also involved a challenging task whereby pupils (and their teachers!) were asked to build the tallest tower from dry spaghetti and marshmallows.









SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS AND CURRICULUM



Three players were offered a Golden Ticket to the England Talent Pathway for National Rounders



Year 8A Football team win Humberside Cup, beating St Mary's College 5-3



SCIENCE COMPETITION WINNERS

Tuesday 18 June

Back in April, the Year 10 Separate Science pupils took part in the National Scientific Thinking Challenge run by Warwick University. The challenge is designed to get pupils to develop their scientific thinking skills in a STEM context, with questions ranging from hot air balloons to ocean cleanups, to malaria. We recently received the results, and 7 pupils received the gold certificate meaning that they had placed in the top 10% nationally, which was a great achievement. Well done!



CRANSWICK VISIT

Monday 24 June

This term saw our Year 10
Food and Nutrition pupils
visit popular Yorkshire
baker Cranswick Foods in
Malton to learn more about
the range of careers in the
food industry. The group
discussed roles within
departments such as new
product development, food
science and marketing,
before taking a factory tour
and developing their own
pastries in the test kitchen.

CURRICULUM

CURRICULUM SPOTLIGHT: ENGLISH

"A reader lives a thousand lives before he dies. The man who never reads lives only one." - George R.R. Martin.

The study of English is more than simply learning to read and write, it empowers us to communicate effectively and creatively, to think critically, but - perhaps most importantly - it also allows us to walk in the shoes of others, experiencing life's triumphs, trials and tribulations through the eyes of another so that we might better understand how to face such events when we too are faced with them. This term our Year 7 - Year 10 pupils have been exploring the human experience through the literary medium of poetry.

Poetry can be a word that strikes instant fear into the hearts of schoolchildren and adults alike! However. our pupils have taken on the challenge of not just reading and analysing a poet's work, but also of crafting and creating their own with enthusiasm, and it has been a delight to see. In Year 7, our classes have read and deciphered a range of poetry around the theme of relationships where we have been impressed by the way in which pupils have managed to decode the meaning of the challenging poetry

they have read by working together to question the poets choices and analyse the poet's purpose before crafting their own poetry around the same themes and applying the same poetic techniques such as motifs, anaphora and enjambment - displayed in Evelyn C's <u>analysis</u> and Cian P's recreative poem of 'Remember'.

With thanks to Miss Wallace and Miss Thompson, our pupils have also nurtured their love for creative writing, poetry and the arts in their lunchtime clubs.



With Miss Wallace, the Creative Writing Club have met on a weekly basis to share ideas and develop their creative writing skills in both prose and poetry. Their works have been submitted to various national and local competitions. Maya B in Year 10 won the TEAL Poet Laureate KS4 Competition!

With Miss Thompson, the Poetry by Heart club memorised and performed a choice of two poems which were filmed and sent to a panel of judges along with 110,000 children and young people. Dexter W made it to the grand finale of the national Poetry by Heart competition at the Globe Theatre where he had the privilege of standing on a historic stage to perform his two chosen poems. 'Invitation to Love' by Dunbar and 'Trees' by Larkin, to an audience that included renowned pots such as Daliit Nagra. Imtiaz Dharker, Simon Armitage (Poet Laureate), Joseph Coelho (UK Children's Laureate) whilst his teammates cheered him on and applauded his courage. At the conclusion of the finale the poet, Daljit Nagra, stated: 'We poets write poems to help us understand our incredible universe.... We dream dreams into words. Then we poets publish our poems. But what does the poem want once it's published? It wants to be read. It wants to be said aloud and above all, each poem is in love with being remembered'.

Remember By Cian P

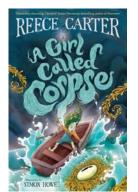
When ahead of you
lies a dream
but like paper it
becomes torn
when a spark of
courage is ignited
but bad thoughts are born
always remember
there's always sunshine
after a storm.



CURRICULUM

LONGER READS

The books below are all longer-length texts, which will give pupils the opportunity to lose themselves in a story and challenge their literary abilities.



A Girl Called Corpse REECE CARTER

With no memory of who she was before she was taken by the Witches, Corpse is bound to haunt the rock-that-didn't-exist forever – until she learns of a treasure, one that can reunite Corpse with her family and her name. She must set off for answers, on a journey across the stormy sea, battling magic, zombieskeletons and monsters. But the Witches want the treasure too...



The Goblin's Revenge ANDY PRENTICE

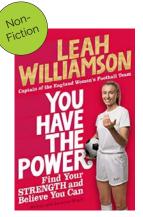
A fantasy adventure gamebook where YOU choose how the story unfolds. Prepare for monsters, ghostly magic and a thrilling race against time! The evil sorcerer, Darkmane, has the kingdom in his grip and the only hope of stopping him is a treacherous quest to try and find the last remaining rebels and help them end his reign. With picture puzzles to solve, an exciting dice-based combat system and an epic story full of emotion and humour, this unique gamebook will have you gripped from beginning to end!



Secrets of the Snakestone

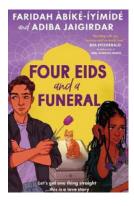
PIU DASGUPTA

Zélie is often accused of being a witch, but she doesn't believe in magic – until Jules climbs up from the reeking Parisian sewer and hands Zélie the golden locket he discovered there. The locket once held the magical Snakestone, and Zélie knows that if she can find the stone, she might also find her missing father...



You Have the Power LEAH WILLIAMSON

Leah led the Lionesses to victory in the 2022 European Championships – now, she wants to show young people that they can achieve anything they put their minds to – no matter what other people say. This positive guide for life will inspire young people to lead like a pro and motivate them to do what they love.



Four Eids and a Funeral

FARIDAH ÀBÍKÉ-ÍYÍMÍDÉ AND ADIBA JAIGIRDAR

Growing up, the Said and Tiwa were inseparable, but they have barely spoken since the incident many Eids ago and both of them would like to keep it that way. But when Said comes home for a funeral and the town's Islamic Centre burns down on the same day, they have to face each other again and sparks fly...



Peregrine Quinn and the Cosmic Realm ASH BOND

Peregrine Quinn has always loved hearing her godfather Daedalus Bloom's stories about his life as an immortal, but that's all they were – stories. That is, until the portals that connect the Terran Realm with the Cosmic Realm mysteriously shut down and Daedalus, the only one who can fix them, is kidnapped. Peregrine is swept into a nail-biting adventure. She soon realises that not only are the creatures from her godfather's stories real, but they're shooting at her with laser blasters...

Whatever you explore with your child this summer, we wish you a wonderful summer break and very much hope that you enjoy adventuring through a range of stories too.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT DUKE OF EDINBURGH UPDATE

Well done to our Duke of Edinburgh Bronze and Silver Award pupils who carried out their expeditions in Nidderdale this term. The Bronze group spent two days walking with an overnight camp and the Silver group walked for three days and camped for two nights at Bewerley Park.

Following on from another fantastic year of activities designed to positively impact the community, the DofE awarded South Hunsley School with a certificate to congratulate us on 481 hours of volunteering between 1 April 2023 and 31 March 2024. A huge well done to all who helped make this brilliant result possible.





BATTLE OF THE BANDS

Friday 12 July

A group of six talented pupils represented South Hunsley School at the East Riding Battle of the Bands finals at Bridlington Spa this month.

The band competed against 10 other schools in the East Riding for the chance to win some great prizes and become area champions. A big well done to the talented South Hunsley musicians that entered the Battle!



POETRY BY HEART

Monday 1 July



Well done to Year 8 pupil Dexter who competed in the Poetry by Heart finals at Shakespeare's Globe Theatre in London on Monday 1 July. In May of this year Dexter was named as a finalist for his poem titled Invitation to Love in the KS3 category out of a possible 3,000 entries from pupils across the UK. Dexter, Jacob, Matylda, Sylver and Alex were able to take a guided tour of the iconic venue and watch a performance of Much Ado About Nothing before Dexter took to the stage to recite his original poem. Well done for this wonderful achievement!

PRISON ME NO WAY!

Thursday 11 July

We welcomed back the team from Prison Me No Way! to speak with our Year 9 pupils about the causes, consequences, penalties and impacts of crime. Talks were held to discuss drug crime and the devastating effects of drug abuse. Pupils could also look inside the life-size replica of a jail cell to show the living conditions of prisons in the UK.





PUPIL CORNER

SUMMER SHOWCASE

Written by Georgina H, Year 10

In the blink of an eye, another year has flown by and therefore with school nearly finished for the summer, South Hunsley pupils once again took to the stage in our Summer Showcase of performing arts. However, this time the show was provided with a slight twist to the past few years: a change of venue to the great Middleton Hall at Hull University!

Our Winter Showcases have always been blessed with the University's ginormous stage and theatre, but for the first time ever, we have upgraded our second performance of the year to also have this luxury and great opportunity. The enthusiasm of this move could be seen radiating from the pupils as they rehearsed, got ready and performed, and it without a doubt gave the pupils an extra boost. Although, the venue was not the only factor that made up our great show, as the limitless effort and talent of the pupils and staff involved truly made a compelling and enjoyable experience for all those watching.

The showcase included a variety of performing arts pieces, such as lively dance pieces, emotional poetry, captivating singing and eye-opening drama performances. Although all these pieces brought something different to the stage, they all embodied spirit and confidence, and the amount of preparation and commitment could be clearly seen by every member of the audience.

Finally, as June was Pride month, dancers from Year 7 to 11 performed remix of songs by LGBTQ+ idols such as Lady Gaga. They really embodied the spirit of Pride and what it is all about, by incorporating colourful scarves, which created rainbow waves all across the stage! It is always important to celebrate diversity, especially in June, and everyone thought this was a perfect to do just that.



Overall, the show once again made everyone at Hunsley feel proud to be part of our school community, as it is something really spectacular to be able to witness and be involved in a performance with such talent from so many young people. We look forward to many more showcases with just as much brilliance and confidence as this one!



REWARDS VISIT

Alton Towers

At South Hunsley, at the end of the school year, pupils are rewarded for their hard work with trips to different places all across the country. This year many of us Year 10 pupils were lucky enough to be able to head off to Alton Towers, where we spent the day riding terrifying but fantastic rides! The theme park had a great atmosphere, and the rides and stalls were indescribable in the best way. Without a doubt, we all fully enjoyed every minute of the day from the early bus ride there to arriving back at school later on and it really was the perfect reward!

NOTICES





MR WILLIMAN

Former Headteacher Mr Williman is undertaking a 900 mile walk to visit every country cricket ground across England and Wales to raise money for the Ruth Strauss Foundation in memory of his wife.

Next year he will be doing 145 consecutive days of 10k daily runs or walks which is the approximate distance from Durham to Lords for the cause. If you would like to make a donation, please visit the Just Giving page here.

CAREERS TALKS

Are you in an interesting line of work or work within an unusual industry?

We are looking for parents/ carers who could carry out a Careers Talk for pupils to inform and inspire them for future pathways.

We will need speakers throughout the next academic year, so if you think you could be a good fit then please contact careers@southhunsley.org. uk and they will get in touch.

STAY SAFE THIS SUMMER

We have collated a few activities, teaching materials and guidance to help support and boost mental wellbeing over the summer and beyond. Click here to see the guidance for pupils and for staff.

HUMBERSIDE POLICE LIFESTYLE PROJECT



Friday 12 July

Lifestyle is one of Humberside Police's youth engagement projects where they ask young people aged 10-18 to register in teams and spend their summer holidays completing a project to benefit their community. Past projects have included renovating public spaces, raising awareness of medical campaigns, decorating children's hospital wards, donating care packages to those in need and many other imaginative ventures.



ACTIVE TRAVEL

Would you be interested in helping us achieve safer roads, more pupils cycling, reduced congestion and more active travel?

Simply register your interest on the form here



Dates Reminder

Monday 2 September
Staff training day,
school closed to all pupils

Tuesday 3 September School open to Year 7 and Year 12 pupils

Wednesday 4 September School open to all year groups

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