



For important information please check updates from Mr Glenn Smith and Head of Pastoral newsletters, either via emails or website.



Serving as a Soldier

To support our Year 10s in their study of the War and Conflict poems, one of our parents, Wayne Scully, has kindly agreed to join us on Teams to talk about his experiences as a soldier. He joined the army from school at the age of sixteen and spent time in various conflict zones around the world. We are currently studying the poem 'War Photographer' by Carol Ann Duffy, a poem that explores the experience of having to capture the images of war in some of the conflicts in which Mr Scully served. We hope that hearing about these experiences first hand will give our students a greater insight into the challenges that people experience during war and conflict.



A Teams invite will be sent to all year 10s inviting them to join us for what promises to be a fascinating talk. Thank you in advance to Mr Scully for giving up his valuable time.

For those students who are in school on Tuesday, a recording of the event will be available on Teams for you to watch.



Teams Event: Wayne Scully talks about his experiences serving in the military, Including tours of **Belfast, The Falkland Islands** and **Afghanistan**.

Date and Time: Tuesday 23 June at 11.40am – 12.10pm

Ms Robertson, English Department



Poetry Competition 2020

Lily's poem titled "The Forgotten" has been chosen to be published in a book!!

It's being published August 31st, 2020.

The Forgotten

*As I lay there
In the ocean of life
A broken heart in thousands
A crumpled leaf in hundreds anew
I am whisked away by the winter blue
A dampened soul
Every leaf a choice
Every branch a decision
For how long they stretch
No one knows
No one but you
Do not value importance
But courage and the small
The smallest, the unknown
Who make the biggest decision of all
Understand life to know people
Understand people to know yourself
You are not just one of them
You are us.*

Lily McCance, Year 7

How do you fancy challenging friends, family or neighbours to some fun, virtual sporting activities this summer?



At National children's charity, the Youth Sport Trust, we are determined to ensure that young people stay active and connected through this difficult time. We've been helping families do this with our daily #StayHomeStayActive activities since March and now we're challenging the public to go one step further by joining us in our first ever National School Sport Week at Home, supercharged by Sky Sports. Taking place from 20-26 June, the week will give families, communities, schools and sports clubs the opportunity to take part in a series of virtual sporting challenges which help

young people capture the enjoyment, competition and camaraderie they may be missing out on and the Youth Sport Trust is delighted that Sky Sports will be helping to supercharge the campaign.

How do I find out more?

Registering couldn't be simpler. Just go to our website www.youthsporttrust.org/nssw and click on the link for parents. You will be asked a couple of questions as you register about who you might challenge and how many people you would like to get involved.

After signing up we will provide you with free and easy-to-use resources to help plan your week of National School Sport Week at Home Activity, set challenges for your families, friends and neighbours, and shout about it online.

So, what are you waiting for? Join the growing number of people who will be running, jumping and throwing their way to glory from 20-26 June.



#DevonVirtualGames

Please find the links below for the latest releases (Events 4 & 5):

Event Number 4 Boccia -Sock-ia (This inclusive event closes at 5pm on Sunday 5th July)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 4 - Boccia - Sock-ia Pdf](#)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 4 - Boccia - Sock-ia Video](#)

Event Number 5 Cultural Challenge - Create a 7th Spirit of the Games Value (closes at 5pm on Sunday 5th July)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 5 - Create a 7th Spirit of the Games Value Pdf](#)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 5 - Create a 7th Spirit of the Games Value Video](#)

Challenges 2 & 3 are still running if you wish to still enter:

Dance - Challenge 3 (closes at 5pm on Sunday 28th June)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 3 - Dance Pdf Document](#)

[#DevonVirtualGames Event Number 3 - Dance Video Intro](#)

A reminder please only use the 'Official Instrumental version of Blinding Lights' by 'The Weeknd' when planning and submitting entries for the Dance Challenge. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U4orj8vViiU>

Sportshall Pentathlon - Challenge 2 (closes at 5pm on Sunday 21st June)

[#DevonVirtualGames - Sportshall-Pentathlon.pdf](#)

[#DevonVirtualGames - Sportshall Pentathlon Video](#)

Individuals and Schools Can Win Fantastic Prizes!

In traditional Schools Games style, there are medals, certificates and award categories for each event. All entries will also be included into a draw for the chance to win some great prizes. The school with the highest percentage of pupils taking part will also win a prize. So, let's try to get HCC up there on the leaderboards.

Please see below for Devon Virtual Games terms and conditions below:

[#DevonVirtualGames-Overview - Terms and Conditions](#)

Mr A Taylor, Head of Sport & PE

- Year 11 - If you at a loss as to what to do – this might give you some inspiration
- Year 10 - In a couple of weeks' time we will discuss with you about your futures and where to start looking – this is a good place to start – Bicton offer a very wide range of course.

BICTON COLLEGE VIRTUAL OPEN DAY

- Meet expert lecturers
- Explore career pathways

Book online
www.bicton.ac.uk/events



THU 25 JUN
4PM - 7.30PM

#thecareercollege

Still time to enter DEADLINE is 23rd June

CreATE Showcase



Entries for the CreATE Summer Showcase are now being accepted.

If you would like to submit a creative piece in any of the categories below please email clear photographs of your creations to: [kblockley](mailto:kblockley@hiltoncollege.devon.sch.uk) or dcreed@hiltoncollege.devon.sch.uk. You can enter as many categories as you like. Please make sure your photographs are labelled clearly so we know who has sent them! You can interpret any of the challenges as you wish, just be CREATIVE! We look forward to seeing your entries and awarding winners of each category the prestigious Create 'Best in Show' accolade!

Greek Mask create a mask or submit the design idea

Costume Design create a theatrical costume or submit the design idea

Review review anything creative, a piece of art, a play, musical performance, product, meal etc.

Sketchbook/Journal submit the pages you're most proud of

Healthy Bake photograph a healthy bake you have created

Narrative create a short story with the theme 'Lockdown' (this can be visual, photographic, in the form of a play script, musical, animated...)

Show Stopper Bake impress us with your ultimate 'wow' bake

Tower Building create a well known tower or building using only household recycling. the most impressive wins 'Best in Show'!

Cultural Food photograph a cultural food dish you have created

Recycling Challenge using just household recycling, design something impressive; spend no more than £1 on additional materials

Performance submit a written or recorded instrumental piece, song, own composition or monologue

Open Category for if you've created something that doesn't fit a category

Staff & Family Creative Lockdown HCC staff and your family are also invited to enter any of the above categories. Please name entries and state their relationship to you

CreATE Project work completed at school during the academic year (this work has been pre-selected by judges)