

Headteacher's Letter

Dear all,

Another busy week here at Stopsley High School. A key theme for all year groups has been reflecting on the significance of Remembrance Day. Students in the Nurture Unit designed and created their own poppies which can be viewed on our [Twitter Feed](#). Mrs Stewart, Head of Year 7, and myself were accompanied by two Year 7 students, Sarah and Luke, to participate in the Remembrance service at the Stopsley Memorial. It was wonderful to see so many organisations represented at the service and the thought provoking speeches from the Senior Pastor at Stopsley Baptist Church, Steve Moody, and David Alexander, the Vicar from St Thomas' Church.



Thank you to all the parents, carers and Year 7 students who came to the Year 7 Settle and Workshop evening last night. The Year 7 Tutor team were able to enlighten parents and carers about how their children have settled into Stopsley High School life whilst other staff then provided the opportunity to participate in workshops to find out more about key aspects of Year 7 such as the Accelerated Reader programme, what it means to be a Top Class Student, how to keep your child "safe online" and many more.

We would like to wish our Year 11 students good luck in their mock examinations which are taking place over the next fortnight. They have been showing commitment to preparing for their exams by attending the wide range of after school booster sessions being provided by teachers and making use of the library and school for private study at break and lunch times.

Have a restful weekend everyone,

Ms Hand

Friday 12th Nov 2021



Hands



Face



Space

Term Dates September

Term Ends - Friday 17th
December

Spring Term 2022

Term Starts - Tuesday 4th
January - Staff Training

Wednesday 5th January -
Whole school returns



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Attendance Notice

Can parents/carers please inform the school if your child is unwell as we are monitoring attendance. Parents/carers please report this in the normal way by contacting school attendance number on 01582 870912 or the attendance email address attendance@stopsleyhighschool.co.uk

Young people and adults can contact the NSPCC helpline,
Report Abuse in Education on: 0800 136 663 or
email: help@nspcc.org.uk

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SPOTLIGHT ON SUCCESS



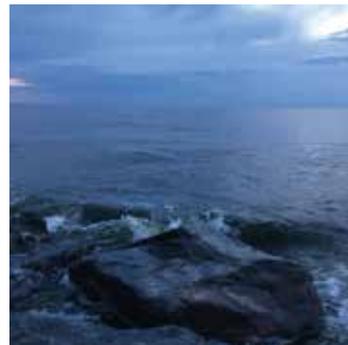
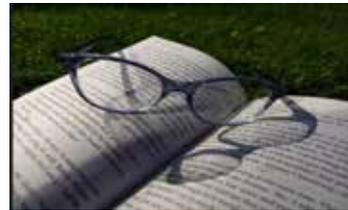
Football Match

On Monday the Year 11 football team, with the help of some Year 10, travelled to Vandyke Upper School for a second round clash in the Bedfordshire Schools County Cup. A battling display with some scintillating passing and movement allowed for an end to end, challenging game. Unfortunately the result did not go our way, but plenty of positives to build on ready for the league after Christmas. Special mention to Opeyemi who scored a great goal from the edge of the box.



Photography Competition

These are the beautiful entries for the photography competition.



SPOTLIGHT THE NURTURE CENTRE



The students at the Nurture Centre have been making their very own poppies, and wearing them on remembrance Day.





SPOTLIGHT ON COMMUNITY



Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Charity

Bedfordshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Light up a Life




Bedford Ceremony
30 Nov 21 in Captain Tom Moore's Garden

L&D Ceremony
2 Dec 21 in St Mary's Car Park

Buy a light as a gift or in memory of a loved one at Christmas

Lights - £5 each or 3 for £10

Email the Charity team at Fundraising@ldh.nhs.uk
Alternatively call 01582 718 289 or 07812 493445

Proudly supporting the L&D NICU Parent's Accommodation and Bedford's Special Care Baby Unit

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Light up a Life

My name _____ Telephone no _____
My address _____ Postcode _____

I would like a total of _____ Lights at £5 each or 3 for £10 and have enclosed a cheque for £_____ (Cheques should be made payable to L&D Charitable Fund)

Please complete (if you need more space please use the back of this form) and return to Fundraising Team, Luton and Dunstable Hospital, Luton, LU4 0DZ.
For queries, or to pay by debit/credit card, please call The Fundraising Team on 01582 718 289 or 07812 493445

I have ticked this box as my donation is to support the NICU Parents Accommodation at L&D Hospital
I have ticked this box as my donation to support the SCBU at Bedford Hospital

Each person who buys a Light for as a gift will receive a card with your personalised message and for each Light you buy in memory you will receive a card of dedication

Light(s) as a GIFT for	Light(s) in MEMORY of
<p>Example: Name: Ann Message: Happy Christmas! Love mum & dad Address: 123 Road, Luton, LU1 234</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Message _____</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Message _____</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Message _____</p>	<p>Example: Name: Mrs Ann Example</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Name _____</p> <p>Name _____</p>

In order to Gift Aid your donation you must tick the box below:
Date: _____ I want to Gift Aid my donation of £_____ to Luton and Dunstable Hospital Charitable Fund

I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

Gift Aid is reclaimed by the charity from the tax you pay for the current tax year.
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Thank you for your support

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Give a Gift Appeal






Why not put a smile on our patients faces this Christmas and gift them with a present to open on Christmas Day during their stay in our hospitals over the festive season?

To get involved or for more information on how you can support Bedford Hospital & Luton and Dunstable Hospital this Christmas, please contact us on:

Email: Fundraising@dh.nhs.uk
Telephone: 01582 718289

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Give a Gift Appeal

Company Name _____ Telephone no _____
My address _____ Postcode _____

Gift donation

Instructions

Toys - include items that children will immediately embrace such as dolls, toy trucks, yo-yo, games, slinky spring, matchbox cars, play-doh, small puzzles animal figures etc.

School Supplies - Pens, pencils, crayons or felt pens, stamps & ink pad sets, writing pads or notebooks & paper, colouring & picture books, etc.

Hygiene Items - Hair brush sets, toothbrush set, toiletry sets.

Other items - Hair/beauty accessories, sensory items, arts and crafts (make it yourself gifts), Christmas socks, headphones, speakers.

Please do not include - Used or damaged items; clothing unless stated above; war related items such as toy guns, play soldiers or knives; chocolate, sweets or other food items (Unless discussed prior); seeds; medicines; stuffed toys; anything of a political, racial or religious nature; sharp objects; glass containers or fragile items; books with mainly words.

Gift Age Groups
0-3 years, 4-7 years, 8-12 years, 12- 16 years, 16-18 years, Adults (18+)

Monetary Donation

I would like to donate a total of _____ for gifts to be purchased. I have enclosed a cheque for £_____ (Cheques should be made payable to L&D Charitable Fund)

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I have ticked this box as my donation is to support the Luton & Dunstable Hospital General Fund

I have ticked this box as my donation is to support Bedford Hospital General Fund

Please specify if you would like your donation to benefit a specific ward _____ (Optional)

Thank you for your support!

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