

STOPSLEY WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY 27TH FEBRUARY 2026

HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE



Dear all,

I can't quite believe it's March already! Monday 2nd March will be a very important day for Year 6 students and their families as they receive the news of which secondary school they have been allocated. We are very excited to be hosting our Discovery Afternoon for all our Prospective Year 6 students on Thursday 26th March 4pm - 6pm. This year we have the additional exciting build up of the Safari trail. Watch this space for more information.

Next week Stopsley High School will be running a plethora of events across the week to celebrate and raise the profile of reading. I look forward to sharing the highlights from staff and students with you all next week.

We are displaying all the items of lost property that have accumulated so far. Please can we ask all parents and carers to label all items of uniform and clothing to ensure a safe return to the rightful owner. We do not have space to hold onto the items indefinitely so will be displaying the items after school in the canteen all of next week and thereafter will donate any remaining items to local charities.

Year 11 have clearly put their half term to good use preparing for the mock exams. Their focus and engagement show just how capable they really are. We wish them luck in the remaining written mock papers, French and Spanish speaking mocks and the successful completion and submission of all Non Examined Assessment (NEAs) next week and onwards.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone,

Ms Hand

THIS WEEK'S ISSUE:

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UPCOMING DATES & EVENTS:

HALF TERM - 16TH TO 20TH
FEBRUARY
MONDAY 23RD FEBRUARY
- WHOLE SCHOOL RETURNS
TERM ENDS - FRIDAY 27TH
MARCH

ATTENDANCE NOTICE:

CAN PARENTS/CARERS PLEASE
INFORM THE SCHOOL IF YOUR
CHILD IS UNWELL AS WE ARE
MONITORING ATTENDANCE.
REPORT THIS THE NORMAL WAY
BY CONTACTING THE
ATTENDANCE NUMBER: 01582
870912 OR THE EMAIL
ADDRESS:

ATTENDANCE@STOPSLEYHIGHSCHOOL.CO.UK

WORK WITH US:

CLICK HERE OR VISIT MY NEW
TERM TO FIND CURRENT
VACANCIES AVAILABLE AT
STOPSLEY HIGH SCHOOL.

REMINDER

PLEASE ENSURE THE SCHOOL IS
MADE AWARE OF ANY CHANGES
TO EXISTING MEDICAL
CONDITIONS OR NEW MEDICAL
CONDITIONS FOR YOUR CHILD.

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NYDC DANCE WORKSHOP

Our Year 9 students had an incredible dance workshop with the amazing team from NYDC! They explored new techniques, got creative, and had so much fun moving together. A huge thank you to NYDC for coming in and inspiring our students. We loved every moment!



PARKING REMINDER

Reminder: When picking up or dropping students, please do not park on the yellow lines directly outside of school. Please park in the bays provided.



Eliza D – 10F

A huge congratulations to Eliza for performing in a professional youth theatre production at The Grove Theatre with Rare Productions on 21/02/2026.

What an incredible achievement and a fantastic showcase of confidence and talent



Transition Tips

Building New Friendships

Starting secondary school is a fantastic opportunity to meet new people. Be open to talking to different students in your form and classes—you might find lifelong friends!



Moving to Secondary School

– A Note from Mr Rowles & Mr Blanchard



**SECURED YOUR SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACE?
STILL DECIDING?**

DISCOVERY EVENT

THURSDAY 26TH MARCH 2026 | 4PM-6PM

STEP INTO THE CLASSROOM

EXPLORE OUR FACILITIES

MEET OUR TOP CLASS STAFF & STUDENTS

FEEL THE COMMUNITY SPIRIT

**THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO
GET A REAL FEEL FOR
WHAT MAKES STOPSLEY
HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL.**

**SCAN THE QR CODE TO
BOOK YOUR PLACE!**



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