



Hulme Hall Grammar School

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15th February 2019

Senior School Newsletter

Dear Parents

My first half term as Headmaster of Hulme Hall seems to have passed by very quickly and I would like to thank all pupils, parents and staff for the tremendously warm welcome that I have received.

I have very much enjoyed meeting parents at the Year 11 Parents' Evening as well as Wednesday night's Year 10 Parents' Evening. The Year 9 Curriculum Evening and Careers Fair provided a further opportunity to meet many of you for the first time. I have been heartened by the many positive comments I have received about the school and the education we offer here.

As I write, we are half-way through our second year at the Davenport site and we continue to build close links with our community. Some of our Year 11 pupils visit local primary schools to assist with sports coaching as part of their "Sports Leaders" programme and the local Girl Guides group will be using the school building over half term.

We are also very excited to announce an extension to our support for, and commitment to, First Aid education, as the school will be sponsoring two defibrillators at sites around the area in Parrs Wood and Handforth Dean. More information about this innovative new scheme will be announced after the holiday.

I would like to wish all pupils and staff who are taking part in the ski trip to Andorra over half term "Bon Voyage". I am sure they will have a great time and I look forward to hearing about their adventures on the slopes. If you haven't already done so, please follow them on Twitter for daily updates @HHGSSkiTrip

I would like to wish you and your families an enjoyable and relaxing half term. One final request – if you know of any families who may be interested in independent education and what Hulme Hall has to offer, please alert them to our upcoming Open Mornings on Wednesday 13th March and Tuesday 26th March.

Dean Grierson, Headmaster





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Dates for your Diary

Sunday 17th February
Ski Trip to Andorra departs

Saturday 23rd February
Ski Trip returns

Monday 25th February
Return after Half Term
Year 9 Exams Begin

Thursday 28th February
Year 8 Parents' Evening
6pm

Monday 11th March
Year 7 Exams Begin

Wednesday 13th March
& Tuesday 26th March
Open Mornings
9.30am-11.30am

Whole School Open Mornings

Wednesday 13th March and

Tuesday 26th March 2019

9.30am—11.30am



Valentine Treats

Love was in the air yesterday as we celebrated Valentine's Day. Year 7 made some Valentine Truffles in Food & Nutrition and our post box was open for those wishing to send an anonymous card!



Duke of Edinburgh's Expedition

Our Years 9 and 10 D of E pupils once again had the weather on their side today as they embarked on a second practice expedition for their Bronze Award at Wythenshawe Park.

