

CCGS Round-Up

Combined Cadet Force

CCF cadets showed the school in a great light this week, when flying training at RAF Wittering, alongside cadets from the Sevenoaks school. They flew aerobatics, and were in control themselves. As they have now completed both simulator training and this initial flight, they will be awarded their blue wings for their uniform. Likewise, on Sunday, other CCF cadets will be gliding at RAF Kenley, again taking controls, and potentially earning their gliding wings.

Geography

Volunteers at St George's Church Hall are collecting empty plastic bottles of any size for a large display in Ramsgate for Remembrance Day. If you have any spare bottles, please could you bring them to Mrs Stoner in the Chatham Geography Office.

MFL Speaking Assessments

All Y10 pupils will have a Speaking Assessment during their French/Spanish lessons in the week beginning 26th June. They have been given 15 questions by their teacher and need to prepare answers to these. They will be assessed during a 3 minute conversation based on those questions. Good preparation for this will be useful for their Y11 GCSE Speaking exams.

Yr8 Science Trip

There are still a few places left for the Herstmonceux trip on 12th July. Alongside the Observatory tour and science show, the additional activities really support the KS3 Physics part of the curriculum and the hands-on approach also encourages budding engineers. If you are interested in your child going on the trip, please email mcullen@ccgrammarschool.co.uk and make payment on the Gateway.
Michelle Cullen, Head of Science

Houselights

This May saw the HOUSELIGHTS sell-out production of WOYZECK take place in our Sixth Form Drama studio. This was our third HOUSELIGHTS production and the first to be entirely produced and directed by our HOUSELIGHTS members. It was also the last performance for some of our founder members. They were joined with some of the new generation and two of our international students (which means we even had audience members travelling by train from Switzerland to see the show!). The production was a sight to behold with beautiful costumes designed and sourced by Ruby Redwood and supported by our expanding backstage team. With 10,000 leaves scattered across the studio floor it was not only a show to remember but possibly one of the biggest clean up operations at the end of each night.