

Wide Horizons High Aspirations

3rd October 2025

The Warlingham Week

Dear Parents & Carers

All Year Groups

6th Form Open Event

Once again, this week, I had the pleasure of welcoming hundreds of parents, carers and students to our Sixth Form Open Evening. The school was alive with the sound of beautiful piano music performed by one of our talented Year 11 students and it was wonderful to see so many enthusiastic young people, from Warlingham, our other local schools and further afield, exploring, asking questions and engaging with our fantastic Year 12 and 13 students and dedicated staff team.

A huge thank you to everyone who gave their time, shared their experiences and offered their expertise in support of the future education of our young people, as they look ahead to the next exciting step in their learning journey.

Sponsored Walk Update

Last week we shared details of our Sponsored Walk taking place on 17th October – you can find the full information here. This year, we're aiming to raise £15,000 to help part-fund a new Computing Suite and improved student toilets.

If every student raises just £15, we'll not only reach but exceed our target. The sponsorship form is quick and easy to access by clicking <u>here</u>, in addition to this students have also been given a paper copy of the sponsorship form to enable them to collect signatures and have a physical QR code to offer to those wishing to sponsor them.

Wisepay to Arbor

Earlier this week we shared information with parents and carers about the changes to our school meal payment system. We are pleased to advise you that funds from Wisepay have been successfully transferred to Arbor. Going forward, we kindly ask that all payments are made directly via Arbor and that no further payments are made to Wisepay.

Save the Date! Warlingham School & Sixth Form College PTA Quiz Night Thursday 13th November

Come along to Warlingham Quiz Night!

This is a wonderful chance to meet and chat to other members of our amazing school community (parents, staff, governors and friends) in a relaxed, informal atmosphere. More information and tickets will be available soon! So start planning your team, grab a friend, bring your partner or let us do the work and put you in a team (just email the PTA and we'll sort it chair@warlinghampta.co.uk). The choice is yours - it's an evening not to be missed!

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Community Partnership!

We are already a business partner with Caterham Rotary and they have launched a new community project in collaboration with The British Heart Foundation. Please see the attached flyer for more information about this initiative. If you are able to support this new project, or wish to get involved please contact events@caterhamrotary.org.uk.

Absence Notifications

We have noticed that an increasing number of parents/carers are advising tutors of student absences via email. Although tutors are ordinarily the first point of contact for the majority of questions/information, for absences these must be reported to the Attendance Team before 8.30am by calling 01883 624067 and selecting option 1 for the Absence Line on each day your child is absent, or by emailing attendance@warlinghamtlt.co.uk. Please give your child's name, tutor group and reason for the absence and anticipated day of return. Periods of absence of 5 days or more should be supported by medical evidence.

Medical or dental appointments should be made outside of school hours wherever possible. In the event that your child has an appointment during the school day please notify the school by telephone or email in advance to attendance@warlinghamtlt.co.uk. Before any student leaves the school premises for an appointment they must 'sign out' at Student Services and 'sign in' when they return (if applicable).

Years 10, 11, 12 & 13

Parent Information Evening: Managing Exam Stress - Wednesday 15th October 5.30pm - 6.30pm.

We invite you to join us for a parent information evening on managing exam stress delivered by the Mindworks Surrey school based needs team, in which we will explore what exam stress looks like and practical ways to support your child. Please see the attached poster for more information.

Year 12 & 13

Registration Activities W/C 6th October

Please find attached the registration activities for next week which outlines what students will be doing in tutor time. It has also been set on satchel for students to review in their own time.

Year 12 students should be getting into the right habits for success whilst Year 13 will be focusing on preparation for their upcoming assessments. The early October final deadline for applicants is Wednesday 15th October. Encourage your child to check our Padlet site for additional resources: Warlingham Sixth Form College (padlet.com) and opportunities for their next steps. For any questions, please contact Mr. R. Leay at r.leay@warlinghamtlt.co.uk

We wish you an enjoyable weekend.

Kind regards

Mr P Foster

Headteacher