



# Weekly Bulletin

w/c Monday 25th November 2019

## [November/December Lunchtime Menu / Week B](#)

### Notices:

- **Student safety:** We have been informed by one of the Tunbridge Wells schools that on Tuesday afternoon a man approached four of their male students while they were waiting for their bus. He stood very close to each of them in turn and whispered 'you' in their ear, making them feel very uncomfortable. The students told their parents who informed the school, who then contacted the police. Whilst this did not take place locally, we would suggest that you regularly speak to your child to remind them that they should try to avoid walking alone, never get into the vehicle of someone they do not know, walk away from strangers who approach them and, if they are approached, always tell a trusted adult as soon as possible.
- **Years 7 and 8 Parent Information Evening:** The next parent information evening (for both Year 7 and 8 parents) will be held on Thursday 28th November from 6:30pm in the Queen's Hall Theatre.
- **Year 9 Information Evening presentations available:** To view the presentations given at the recent Year 9 information evenings, please [click here](#). Further information on KS3 independent study is also available [online here](#).
- **Maroon polo t-shirts:** The CSPA are collecting the old Cranbrook School summer polo t-shirts to send to Zambia. If you have one that you would like to donate, please hand them into Barham Reception. Thank you.
- **The Neuro-Ninja Hero Toolkit – A Course for Students and Parents at Cranbrook School:** The CSPA invites you to attend the first seminar in this series, entitled Well Being Is A Skill. It will be held on Tuesday 10th December in the Queen's Hall Theatre, starting at 7:00pm. Further information is available on the [notices](#) section of the website or on the [CSPA website](#). The seminar costs £5 / free to students. To register your attendance, please [click here](#).
- **Sports Scholarship Programmes:** Rob Thomas, Director of Sporting Elite USA is visiting Mayfield School on Tuesday, 26th November to talk about sports scholarship programmes at US universities and the admission process. We would like to open this event to the wider community so if you have any students in Years 10 to 12 who are strong athletes in any field and who may be interested in this, they and their parents are warmly invited to attend the talk which will take place from 8:30am—9:00am. If any parent or student wishes to attend, please email [aglubb@mayfieldgirls.org](mailto:aglubb@mayfieldgirls.org).
- **Aspiring doctors:** Kent and Medway Medical School (KMMS) are looking for students in Year 9 and 10 who have an interest in medicine and healthcare careers. Students may already be passionate about a career in medicine or may demonstrate strong academic capabilities with an interest in science. This exciting opportunity will allow your child to be involved in medicine from an early stage and receive ongoing support in their applications to medical school. There is no cost to successful applicants. Application details are contained within the flyer, [available here](#).
- **Kent Schools Trampoline Championships 2020:** Any students interested in taking part in the Kent Schools Trampoline Championships 2020 should talk to Mrs Coleman. The deadline for entering the qualifying event is Friday 17th January 2020. For students wanting to take part, there will be three qualifying events are taking place across Kent: Hillview School for Girls, TN9 2HE on Monday 3rd February 2020; Dartford Grammar School for Girls, DA1 2NT, on Tuesday 4th February 2020; and Aire Trampoline Club, CT1 3RB, on Thursday 6th February 2020.
- **Kent Schools Cross Country Championships 2020:** If your son/daughter is an experienced cross country runner, they have the option to enter the Kent Schools Cross Country Championships on **Saturday 18th January 2020** at The Duke of York's Royal Military School in Dover with the first race starting at 10:45am. The deadline for applications is Monday 2nd December. There are also boys hockey and girls netball fixtures for Year 9-13 on this day, so this needs to be considered; however staff will be happy to release good runners for this event. All fixtures are already listed on SOCS. Entries are made by filling in an online form, linked [here](#), you will need the full name, age group and date of birth of the students you wish to enter. This year, to help towards the costs of organising the event, there will be an athlete entry fee of £2, payable on the day. Unfortunately, no transport will be provided so parents/carers will need to organise their own travel for students.
- **'Hypnosis without Hypnotism' Thursday 23rd January at 7:30pm:** Martin Taylor returns to Cranbrook School to present another evening of mind blowing hypnosis without using hypnotism. He will be providing a talk and demonstration for A Level Psychology students from both Cranbrook School and other schools in the area, before his evening performance. The evening performance is open to students, staff, parents and friends and tickets can be purchased by calling Camilla Hastings on 01580 711856. Tickets £8.
- **Cranbrook School presents 'Blood Brothers' Thursday 6th and Friday 7th February at 7:30pm:** Cranbrook School presents 'Blood Brothers' – the play by Willy Russell. The story 'Blood Brothers' tracks the lives and its twists and turns, of twins Mickey and Edward. The play contains songs and live music provided by Cranbrook School musicians. Tickets can be booked by visiting the website [www.queenshalltheatre.co.uk](http://www.queenshalltheatre.co.uk) or calling the Box Office on 01580 711856.

### New on the website:

- [Year 9 girls hockey team qualify for national finals](#)
- [Year 9 students receive scholarship awards](#)

### Dates for your diary:

- Thur 28th Nov Years 7 and 8 Information Evening, Dining Hall/Queen's Hall Theatre, 6:30pm-8:15pm
- Tues 10th Dec CSPA Seminar: The Neuro-Ninja Hero Toolkit - Wellbeing is a Skill, Queen's Hall Theatre, 7:00pm—8:00pm
- Tues 17th Dec Cranbrook School Evening Carol Service, St Dunstan's Church
- Wed 18th Dec End of term (12:30pm)

### Links to attachments (this will redirect you to the school's website)

- [Futures](#)

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