

The Harveian



Term 1. 2023-2024

Dear Parents/Carers

A warm welcome to the first edition of The Harveian for this academic year. It is packed full of reports on the activity taking place at the school and I hope you enjoy reading about new clubs on offer like our Brick Club, events such as our European Day of Languages and the usual wide array of sporting activity that our boys have been engaging with. I'm happy to say that life at school is as vibrant as ever, and I'm sure all are now looking forward to a well-earned half term break.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Norman'.

Mr. S. Norman
Headteacher



The Harvey Grammar School
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A huge vote of thanks to the students and staff who contributed to this edition. Contributions from all students, past or present, are always welcome as are contributions from parents and carers.

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Dates for the Diary

Term dates (2023-2024):

Term 1: Monday 4th September 2023 → Thursday 19th October 2023

Term 2: Monday 30th October 2023 → Friday 15th December 2023

Term 3: Wednesday 3rd January 2024 → Friday 9th February 2024

Term 4: Monday 19th February 2024 → Thursday 28th March 2024

Term 5: Monday 15th April 2024 → Friday 24th May 2024

Term 6: Monday 3rd June 2024 → Friday 19th July 2024

Training Days

Friday 1st September 2023

Friday 20th October 2023

Monday 22nd July 2024

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Wednesday 24th July 2024

Events

Tuesday 14th November - Autumn Showcase

Reading at The Harvey



Accelerated Reader

Term 1

AR Raffle winners:

Hadley D DJ2

Ellis S DJ5

Jacob H RS2

Owen H RJ1

Alex L VJ5

Jay W VJ4

Emanuel W EJ5

Rishank L EJ5

Keep Reading!

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Staff Changes



At the start of this term we welcomed Miss Sarchet to English, Mr. Minchington to Music and Mrs. Jenkins-French to DT.

After Half Term we will be welcoming Mrs. Howe as our Examinations Officer.

All about Lizzie

Lizzie has begun the new term in full swing. After a long summer break of roaming the school with only the site team and contractors to entertain her, she is pleased to be back in the hustle and bustle of the normal school environment.

Lizzie has thoroughly enjoyed meeting the new Yr7's, and I have been so pleased to see the interaction and confidence the boys have shown around her. During this term I introduced Lizzie to the new pupils in house assemblies and to offer the chance to work with her during our lunchtime sessions. A stand out performance by Ollie Hall (RJ1) in a full Resolution assembly showcased what the pupils could achieve when working with her in these sessions.

During the school day Lizzie has begun to integrate within different classrooms. This has been a huge success, and shown how mature and responsible our pupils can be in their lessons. I have received some wonderful feedback from individual teachers highlighting the positive affects her presence has on the class atmosphere.

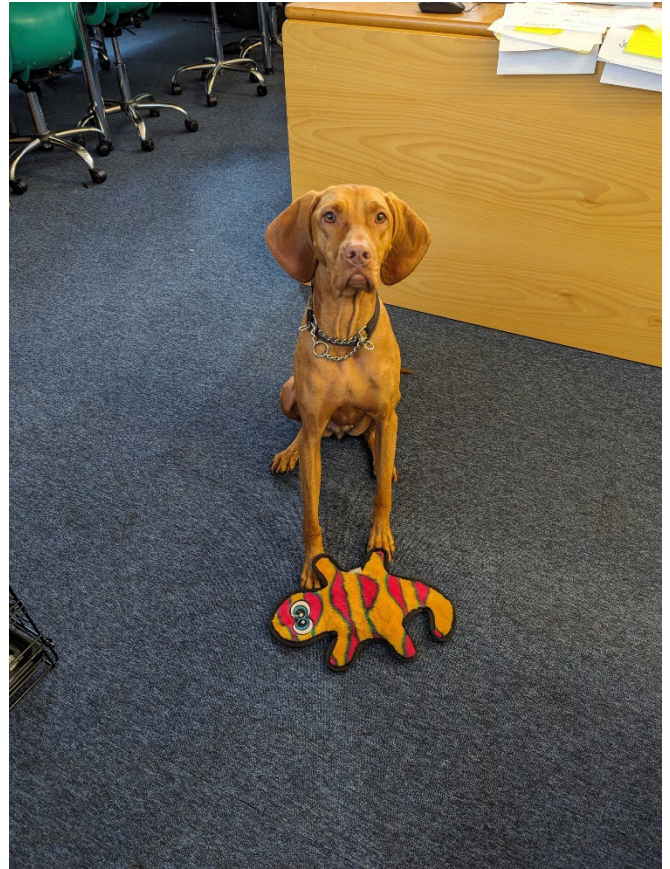
Lizzie also celebrated her 2nd Birthday during the term, which meant even more treats and attention....something she certainly thrives on.

I hope you enjoy the half term break, and I look forward to meeting some new faces next term when we begin the sessions.

Mr Walton

The lunchtime sessions are available for Yr7 – 9. If you would like to be involved, please contact Mr Walton (TWalton@harveygs.kent.sch.uk) along with a signed letter or email of consent from your Parent/Guardian to ensure you are allocated a place on the timetable for Term 2. If you are in Yr8 or 9 and would like to continue the sessions, please let Mr Walton know to guarantee a place in the new timetable.

Lizzie waiting patiently for the
Year 11 business students to
finish their work.



Rotary Young Chef Competition 23-24



For all those aged between 12 and 16 on 31st August 2023, the Rotary Young Chef Competition may be just what you're looking for? This National Competition begins with Local Heats before progressing to District, Cluster and National Finals.

Your Challenge (should you choose to accept it) will be to prepare, in two hours, a healthy main-course meal for two people, costing up to £10.00.

Bon Appétit and Good Luck to all!

The local competition guide/rules can be collected from the Main School Office. This gives details of the Local Heat at Folkestone College on Thursday 16th November. Competitors must submit their entry form by 1st November 23. A link to the Entry Form is given below:

Entry Form

<https://rotarygbi.org/members/wp-content/uploads/2023/08/2023-24-Young-Chef-Entry-Form-v.1-INT.pdf>

Year 9 MFL Cinema Visit

With the rising costs of visits abroad, we are always looking at alternative ways to support language learning and develop our programme of enrichment opportunities.

At the end of last year, we took our Year 9 MFL students to the Silver Screen Cinema in Folkestone.

The Spanish students saw a screening of *Superlópez*, a light-hearted comedy and the French students saw *Belle et Sébastien: Nouvelle Génération* at the Silver Screen Cinema in Folkestone.



Superlópez tells the story of Juan López, an ordinary and anonymous office worker, who decides to expose his superpowers to turn into the first Spanish superhero: Superlópez!



Belle et Sébastien is about city boy Sébastien who reluctantly spends the summer in the mountains with his grandmother and aunt. While helping with the sheep, he meets a giant dog with a heart of gold.

Thank you to all the staff at the Silver Screen Cinema – a most enjoyable experience!





Sixth Form

'It's Your Future' talks - Winter Term 2023/2024



Wednesday 1st November main hall 12.10

Emotional Wellbeing

The Emotional wellbeing team will be coming in to talk to Year 12 about services they can access in school as pupils, and externally as they move towards adulthood.

(Compulsory for all Year 12s)



Wednesday 8th November main hall - 12.10

Remembrance Day Service

This is an assembly for the lower school but is compulsory for sixth form prefects – remember your smartest school uniform and prefect ties.



Tuesday 14th November M23 12.00 -13.00

Oxbridge University Interview Workshop

A representative from Queens' College Cambridge is coming to run a workshop with students who have been called to interview for either Oxford or Cambridge.

Please note the slightly earlier start time.



Wednesday 15th November 12.10 – main hall 12.10

National Crime Agency

The NCA are coming in again this year to explain their role and careers they are able to offer in the local area.

(Compulsory for all Year 12's)

(Compulsory for Year 13's who are considering careers in the police or armed forces)



Tuesday 22nd November – main hall 12.10

Preparation for Year 13 Mocks

This is an important, compulsory assembly for all Year 13 students.



Wednesday 29th November main hall 12.10

Gap Years

Different members of school staff will share their experiences of gap years, some planned, others a matter of circumstance. It is an interesting assembly with some fantastic pieces of advice.

(Compulsory for all Year 13's – even if you aren't planning a gap year you must attend, sometimes things don't go to plan!)



Wednesday 13th December main hall 12.10

Progress and Planning

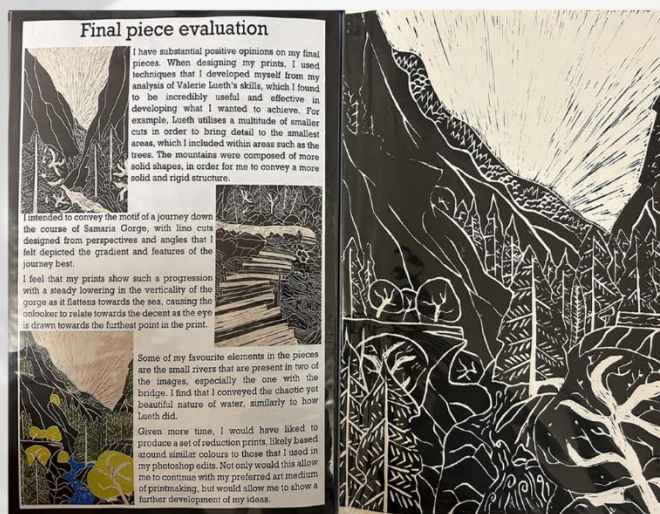
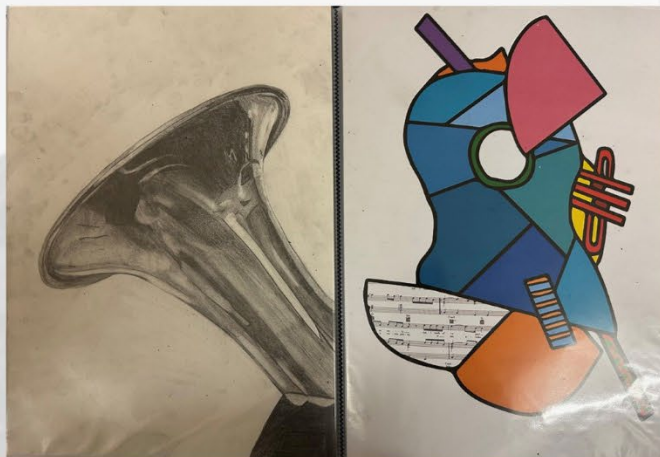
Year 12 assembly with the sixth form team on progress and planning ahead.

(Compulsory for all Year 12)

Gloria Gordon Sketchbook Award 2023

The Gloria Gordon Award for Young Artists' Sketchbooks is sponsored by Graham Gordon in memory of his wife Gloria. "Artists' sketchbooks are often not seen, yet contain some of their most creative personal work."

This year Fred G & Cailan W were awarded Highly Commended and Commended respectively for their GCSE sketchbooks. A very good achievement for their hard work.



Psychology Department

'Brain Day' with Dr Guy Sutton



On Wednesday 04th October, the Psychology Department welcomed back Dr Guy Sutton, the eminent neuroscientist, for his exciting 'Brain Day'. Dr Sutton has lectured in neuroscience and genetics to a range of students, including medics, biologists and psychologists and has conducted research projects

and data analysis for various organisations, including the Department of Health and the Medical Research Council. ***Mrs Shearer***

“The first lecture focused on each subsection of the brain including neurotransmitters, which he began to explain at a degree level. He then moved onto myths about the brain and examined the effects of drug use such as cannabis and ketamine on decaying the brain; before finishing the morning with a practical lecture. He dissected a sheep brain and physically pointed out each section that was explained to students who were allowed to pass around the hardened brain.



The afternoon's final two lectures took a heavy focus on the application of psychology. The first focused on how the legal system can explain crime using psychology for example, using MRI scans to detect if the criminal is lying. This section also focused on how brain diseases, such as tumours, can cause dramatic changes in behaviour. Finally, Dr Sutton used all his past experience, alongside the current research being published, to predict how psychology will influence technology in the future. Some of his points included the idea of implanting criminals with chips, which can counter aggressive hormones being released and being able to type with our brains.” ***Written by Tom H, Year 12***

Brick Club

Term 1 saw the launch of The Harvey Grammar School Brick Club!

Brick Club is a social development programme for autistic students or any other students with social



and communication needs. It offers students positive, meaningful social experiences in an understanding, playful and accepting environment. Brick Club supports its members to collaborate, communicate, problem-solve and share fun experiences all through collaborative LEGO® play. Mrs Shearer has been trained in the Play Included's Brick-by-Brick programme, which is officially endorsed by the LEGO Foundation. It's the latest thinking in social skills therapy using LEGO play.

Students meet every Friday lunchtime to work in teams building different Lego sets. Each week they start with a warm up challenge and then they take it in turns to take on the role of either 'Builder', 'Engineer' or 'Supplier' in their teams. There is also some time for 'free building' too!

Lizzie, our school dog, also likes to join us every week. Although, we do have to keep an eye out that she doesn't eat any Lego!



All of the students have successfully achieved their 'Brick Club Builder' award certificates and will work towards their 'Brick Club Creator' certificates next term!

Follow us on Twitter/X to keep up to date with what Brick Club is doing each week [@HGSBrickClub](https://twitter.com/HGSBrickClub)

Mrs Shearer

Psychology Department

World Mental Health Day

October 10th



On the 10th October the Psychology department coordinated a day of fundraising for YoungMinds UK, who are UK's leading charity fighting for children and young people's mental health. Young people in the UK have higher mental health need than ever with 1 in 6 young people in England (aged 5 to 16) experiencing a mental health problem in 2020, up from 1 in 9 in 2017.

To raise money, Sixth form students wore yellow socks and ties and a whole school cake sale was

held at lunchtime. Many staff and students came together to donate a huge array of cakes and cookies, which went down a treat!

All cakes were sold out and we raised an impressive **£170.02** for the charity.

Well done everyone!

Thank you to all the staff and students who helped run the day and to those who bought/donated cakes!



Star Wars light saber battles
Are you the dark force or the light force?



BOONIES

Year 13 Business – Boonies Assault Course

On Tuesday 26th September, the Year 13 Business students went to Boonies Assault Course, in Betteshanger, as part of their Unit 9 – Team Building in Business unit.

They were given tough challenges which forced them to work as a team and help one another overcome each obstacle. During this assault course they were being assessed on their ability to work as a team and show leadership throughout the course. They had a great time and thoroughly enjoyed themselves!

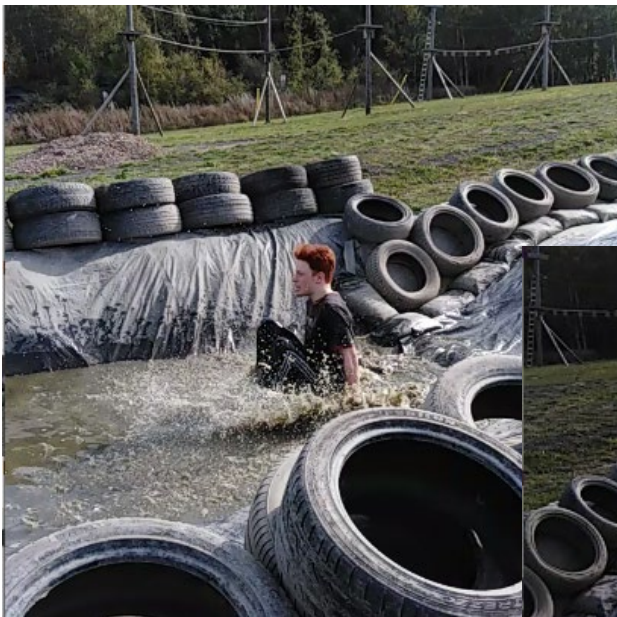


They were challenged by the course owner, Jay, to complete every obstacle as a team, but that didn't end too well...

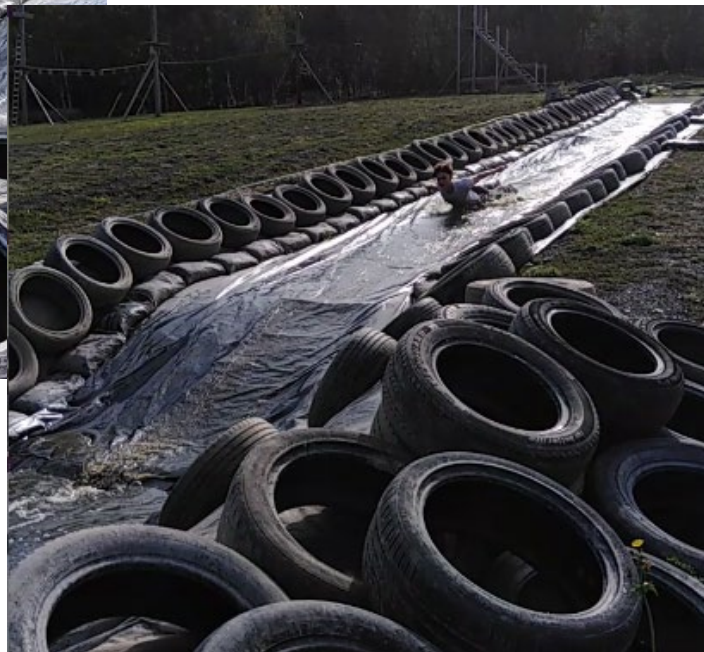




At the end of the course,
they were faced with a
muddy slip and slide!



Written by Tomas S, Year 13.



Sweeny Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street' at The Tower Theatre in Folkestone



Ben P (Year 10) & Fraser C (Year 13) were in a fantastic production of Stephen Sondheim's 'Sweeny Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street' at The Tower Theatre in Folkestone. After about 2 months of hard work rehearsing, they enjoyed a fantastic run of shows in mid-October. They have both loved being a part of the show and really enjoyed it. Fraser said "It has taught me a lot to work with so many talented people at such a community-driven theatre. I will miss the role a lot". Ben said "I definitely recommend taking up drama as it is good fun, and the rush of performing is untoppable". Well done boys!

Photo by Dave Shackle.

FOLKESTONE AND HYTHE YOUNG PERSONS COMMUNITY SAFETY ROADSHOW 2023

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MFL News

This has been a very busy term in the MFL Department.

We started with mock speaking assessments for Years 11 and 13.

Well done to all the students for their hard work preparing for these examinations. We know they are not the easiest!

European Day of Languages

On Tuesday 26th September we celebrated European Day of Languages in school as is now an annual event. Thank you to all the staff who got involved with their classes.

MFL Stars of the Week

Every week each MFL teacher selects two students to be their 'Stars of the Week' based on effort and achievement in their language lessons. Mrs Wyllie then sends a positive referral home.

Congratulations to all our winners so far!



European Day of Languages 2023

On Tuesday 26th September we celebrated European Day of Languages in school.

Year 7 helped us to spread the word making flags, postcards and posters about the importance of languages and celebrating diversity.

Here are some of the replies we received:



The importance of learning / education

Whāia te mātauranga hei oranga mō koutou

Seek after learning for the sake of your wellbeing

This whakatauki refers to the importance of learning for it is key to your wellbeing. If you follow the path of learning, the world will be your oyster.

Kia Ora,

Please see pics attached of Thomas's poster, proudly held by our son and Thomas's friend, Rhys, in front of our school signs.

Happy European Day of Languages!

I've also attached a whakatauki (Māori proverb) about learning.

Nga mihi.

--

Richard Bennett

Associate Principal

HOLA Physical Education and Health

Waiau Area School

Tuatapere

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What a great piece of work Micah, well done! So many interesting facts. Some of my favourites:

- The Greeks invented the handshake and Harry Potter is based on Greek mythology
- Their statues used to be painted
- Greece used to be underwater! I wonder if they also invented snorkels..

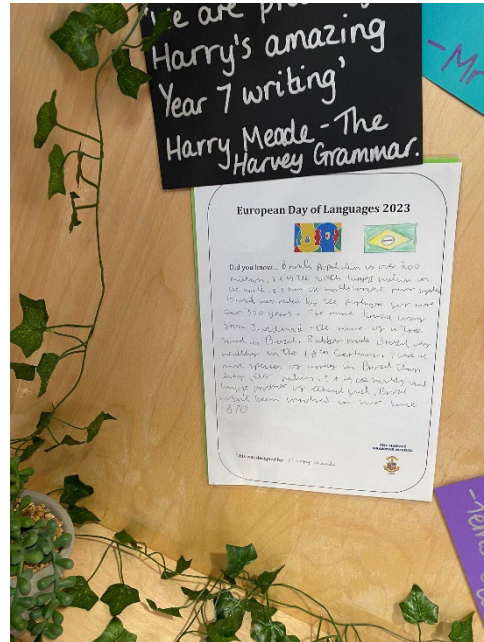
all the best from Australia,

Louis, Josephine, Harry and Alfie

Christ Church Primary School



Martello Primary School



St Mary's Primary School



Green Careers Week and The Geography Department

6th-11th November 2023



What is a green career?



- Green Careers Week is an exciting event that raises aspiration, supports diversity, challenges stereotypes, and promotes real opportunities for young people to have a career that will genuinely make a difference. Discover careers, jobs, roles, and career pathways that are green careers and develop green skills.
- A green career can be any job, role or occupation that contributes to preserving or restoring the environment and our planet. It can be any industry, not just those seen as 'green.' Green skills are abilities, attributes, values, attitudes, knowledge, and technical skills needed to adapt services, processes and procedures to support climate change.
- Green careers are a fast-growing global employment sector that touches every company, employer, employee, and education establishment. Requiring everyone to work together to build a talent pipeline from school through to employment for the thousands and thousands of jobs and roles needed for the future. Green careers reach into every aspect of our lives and offer young people an exciting array of opportunities. There are green career and green skills suitable for everyone.

Why are green careers important?

- The UK government aims to reach net zero in all sectors of the economy by 2050. Net zero means the amount of greenhouse gas we take out of the environment is the same as the amount we produce.
- Many jobs can make a positive impact in different ways. Any career that helps the UK work towards net zero could be considered a green career.
- You can also learn new skills in different industries whilst helping to protect the future of the planet.

How do you know what careers might suit your skills?

- A skills assessment can be helpful at any stage of your career, like when you:
 - start your career
 - return to work
 - progress your career
 - Transferable skills are a set of skills that you're good at. You can build them up over time, through work, volunteering, education and life. You can apply these skills to a range of jobs.
- You may want to take an assessment to help you:
 - find out what interests and motivates you
 - identify your skills
 - find out what you can do with the skills you have

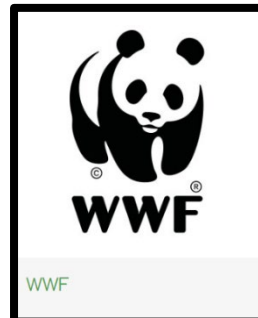
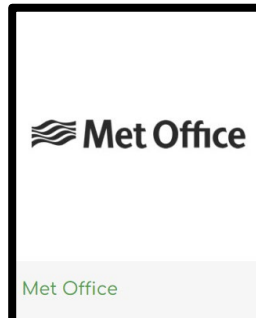
Skills assessment (for everyone)	Skills health check (best for sixth formers)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In this assessment, answer questions about the things you like to do or are good at. Understanding yourself can help you work out what careers you may enjoy working in. This assessment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> contains fewer than 50 multiple-choice questions takes 5 to 10 minutes to complete When you finish, you will see some suggestions of roles you may enjoy based on your answers. You may want to explore careers based on these recommendations. You can compare different careers to see what interests you. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The skills health check is a more in-depth collection of assessments. These assessments will generate a report, which can help you identify your personal and work-based skills. This information could be helpful if you're applying for a job or preparing for an interview. Before you start the skills health check, you may want to know that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> there are 10 assessments each assessment takes 15 to 30 minutes you can take the assessments in any order you like You must do at least one assessment to get your report. Your report will become more detailed every time you complete another assessment.
 https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/discover-your-skills-and-careers/	 https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/skills-health-check/home

Please look out for events and lesson activities in the Geography department to promote green careers week



Click the QR code to explore examples of green careers.

Article text from - <https://greencareersweek.com/organisations/>



PSHE & RSE Matters

The aims of relationships and sex education (RSE) at school are to:

- Provide a framework in which sensitive discussions can take place
- Prepare pupils for puberty, and give them an understanding of sexual development and the importance of health and hygiene
- Help pupils develop feelings of self-respect, confidence and empathy
- Create a positive culture around issues of sexuality and relationships
- Teach pupils the correct vocabulary to describe themselves and their bodies
- Encourage pupils to develop positive values around sex and develop the skills and understanding to keep themselves and others safe.



Sex and relationships is built into the PSHE curriculum. The curriculum was built to include all elements of the national curriculum but also through discussion with pupils and parents. As with all things, the school is flexible in how it works with pupils and will adapt plans to meet the needs of each individual class and pupil.

TERM 2 Themes:

Year 7 : Online Safety - *How to stay safe online, E-safety, Cyberbullying*

Year 8 : Discrimination - *Discrimination in all its forms, including: racism, religious discrimination, disability discrimination, sexism, homophobia, biphobia and transphobia.*

Year 9 : Family Relationships - *Families and parenting; healthy family relationships; conflict resolution; and relationship changes.*

Year 10 : UniFrog Careers - *Getting ahead – Applications; CVs; and Work Experience.*

Year 11 : Responsible relationships - *Pregnancy; parental responsibilities; and committed relationships.*



YEAR 11 in focus



BBC iPlayer - Roman Kemp: Our Silent Emergency

Our Silent Emergency is a deeply personal and candid film following Roman as he explores the mental health and suicide crisis affecting young men in the UK

Over two lessons, some of our Yr 11 students watched sections of the above documentary. The film was paused at several moments throughout to discuss the relevance and impact it was having on their own thoughts. Below are a few quotes from pupils having been asked to send their thoughts on how they would advise others (or spur on themselves) to speak out about mental health:

"From the documentary, I learnt that if you are upset or feeling bad, it is important to talk to someone about it, and it can be anyone who you would trust to tell. It is your responsibility to make sure your friends and family are ok and if they aren't then you should support them or find someone to support them. It is also important for someone to be truthful if they are asked how they are as it could eventually be a big help. Support is available no matter who and where you are."

"I learnt as friends we have a responsibility to check if they are fine and if they need any help at all even if it isn't as extreme as suicide. I also learn if you feel sad you should also talk to your family or maybe get emotional support such as getting a pet. I also learnt to just talk to your friends and to get close to them because you might need to talk to them about something serious one day."

"The documentary taught me that whenever you have negative thoughts (maybe not as extreme as suicide), you should always have the right and be able to talk to someone and open up. Friends and family help a lot during these negative times since you are able to talk to them. You can always talk to your pets even if they don't understand since you have the feeling that it's out to the world and there is no burden. Just talk to people or remember good times."

"From what we have watched believe it is good to talk about your feeling because then you can understand why you want to do it and your family can understand what you're going through."

"From what we have watched I would personally say that if I myself or someone I know were feeling down whether it was or wasn't to the extremity of the documentary I would encourage them to either talk to someone they really trust whether it be a friend or family member even if it is hard or if they don't feel comfortable talking about it with someone they know write it down on paper and pen or just say it out loud to themselves, sometimes to truly feel better in a situation you need to just get your head in a clear space and fully understand the situation and how you are feeling in the moment and having those thoughts in front of you and said out clearly can truly help you to feel better about yourself and the situation you are in which can lead to clearer and better decision making."

FOLKESTONE AND HYTHE YOUNG PERSONS COMMUNITY SAFETY ROADSHOW 2023

9D2 SRE and Mrs Collingwood wrote this article collectively when discussing the roadshow and the groups favourite parts.

This was programme of the morning's events –



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PERSONS COMMUNITY SAFETY
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HARVEY GRAMMAR

TIME	AGENDA	
08.55AM	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS	Sam Griffin Abi Orfila Ben Barnett
09.15AM	WE ARE WITH YOU – SUBSTANCE USE	We are with you. Bryony Homewood
09.35AM	PREVENT Session Title: Pyramid of Hate	Prevent schools team Jill Allen
10.00AM	VRU COMMITMENT PLEDGE	Caley Walden - VRU
10.20AM	BREAK	
10.40AM	PERFORMANCE FIND A VOICE.	Abi Orfila Sam Griffin
10.55AM	YOUNG PERSON SAFE VIDEO / SURVEY	Youth Hub
11.10AM	ONLINE SAFETY – The LAW	Vulnerable Investigation Team – Kent Police
11.30AM	HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS – Include ASK ANGELA / SAFE SPACES	Homestart / FHDC CSU
11.45AM	TIME TO THINK END PERFORMANCE MARKET PLACE	Ben Barnett Sam Griffin Abi Orfila
12.10PM	CLOSE	



We were very lucky to listen and participate in the ***‘Community and Safety Roadshow’*** highlighting to us about drugs and alcohol, and their impact on mental health. The roadshow invited the whole of Year 9 to take part in a variety of different talks and workshops that connect to the SRHE programme at the Harvey. The idea is to build

resilience in us as young people, by providing us with tools and knowledge. There is so much pressure and influence that surround us every day. We think they were very brave to conduct such an open programme and ask us for our point of view. It was interesting to listen to the variety of problems, which occur in our everyday lives and it was good to know there are solutions and organisations are out there in our community.

9D2's areas of interest were ***“We are with you”*** – this was information about drugs and signposted clearly areas where help is available. It is designed to raise awareness of drink, drugs and vaping and to powerfully show how they can and should be avoided. ***‘On-line safety’*** was an important chapter in the roadshow. The main focus was on-line bullying and grooming and what to do next. ***‘Healthy Relationships’*** was also a keen favourite where the importance of wellbeing and coping strategies were reinforced. The main focus of the roadshow was to convey essential and positive messages concerning mental health, exploitation, as well as teaching young people how to become personally resilient in making positive choices.

All speakers were very enthusiastic and clear about problems and ways to improve safety. There was entertainment from a local singer. 9D2 enjoyed this part and got to sing along. Plus, at the end were given gifts or souvenirs of the event. ***“It was definitely a good way to spend a Thursday morning. It would be a good idea for the roadshow to return next year”.***

Year 8 English

This term year 8 have been studying Animal Farm, with a focus on persuasive non-fiction writing.

The following articles were written by members of 8DEM2, and are written from the perspective of either supporters of the Pigs of Animal Farm, or supporters of the Farmers who have lost their power.

The animal times

Tuesday 16th august 1946

Oppressors Finally Chased Out of Their Own Farm!

Yesterday the brave animals of Manor Farm (now renamed to Animal Farm) have revolted against their oppressors. They freed themselves from a rule where abuse, terror and suffering reign. They were led by the heroic pig, Napoleon who led them to victory when the perfect opportunity arose.

Long
Live
Animal
Farm!



What actually happened?

Last night Mr Jones came back from the red lion pub heavily drunk. He and his men had decided that it was not worth it to feed the animals for a while so, the animals were obviously hungry. It got to a point where the animals could not bear the hunger anymore so they decided it was finally time to revolt against their evil dictator. In a moment's notice the animals attacked their tormenters and scared them out of the farm.

What napoleon says.

Napoleon has said "I am proud of what we have done so far with Animal Farm but I know we can do better. We want to create a model farm to inspire other farm animals to revolt against their oppressors."

What happened next?

As the farm now belongs to the animals it has been renamed to Animal Farm to separate it from its evil past. The animals now hold a weekly meeting where they discuss what to do to better Animal Farm. The animals also get Sundays of work and increased rations.,

PIGS CREATE UPRISING FARMER JONES KICKED OUT

BY PRAXIS IGOR

WHY DID THEY REVOLT

Their cruel, oppressor has finally been kicked out. He malnourished them to starvation and overworked to death. But now their chains have been unlocked and the revolution has succeeded

WHO LED THE REVOLT

It is said that the revolution was influenced by their old leader, Old Major. The pigs were the masterminds of this revolt, and the main leaders were Napoleon and Snowball.



JONES' SITUATION NOW

Sources say that Jones is now homeless, drinking his life away. Serves him right! He moved to a remote part of the country due to his fear of Animal Farm!

HOW ARE THE ANIMALS NOW

The animals are having celebrations and rejoicing on their successful rebellion. They are thanking their comrades on the cooperation! CHEERS TO ANIMAL FARM!



Freedom of Pigs

The Rebellion

Yesterday, a new revolution had started at Animal Farm. The animals had been planning their revolution for months and at last they had set into action. All of them were tired and frustrated of the poor treatment Farmer Jones had given them. As soon as Jones left the farm, the animals went into formation and commenced an attack. They had won the battle! Or so they thought...

Napoleon's Victory

The animals all lived in freedom and had little labour as they worked under Snowball and Napoleon the smartest animals on the farm. However, none of it lasted long as prison-like conditions crept onto the other animals whilst the



pigs lived and feasted like kings. Napoleon manipulated everyone making them believe Snowball was a traitor, furthermore he raised vicious dogs which intimidated everyone.

opened the gate all he could see were creatures who he had not cared for but beats who came to seek revenge. They all looked at Jones with blood boiling eyes as Jones broke into a sweat.

Fight For Freedom

Whilst, Jones backed up and stepped closer to his assistants he told them to prepare to attack. They all pulled out their rifles and knives. However, they were far too late, the animals had been one step ahead. A flight of pigeons charged towards them launching their dung into their eyes and all the other animals came after, geese pecked at the men's calves, Benjamin and the flock of sheep headbutted the men, the cows and horses trampled the men and Boxer, the strongest of them all even ended up killing one of them. There was nothing he could do. Jones and his men got up, badly injured, and bolted towards the truck they then got in and drove off as quick as they could. This was the downfall of Farmer Jones and the uprising of the animals in Animal Farm.

A Loss For Jones

A Trip that tripped up Jones

Farmer Jones, a man who was once at the top of the food chain, the pinnacle of mankind and one who created a revolutionary system for the farm industry. Found himself in a sticky situation as he returned to his farm (from a shopping trip). Animals, animals and animals. They were everywhere. After he had

SHOCKING TIMES FOR RESIDENCE OF MANOR FARM...



"WHAT WILL WE DO?"

Yesterday our good friend farmer Jones was robbed of his beloved farm & home by his own animals. "a tragic day for me, my colleagues and my family" he said to our reporter. It is said he wants to rally up fellow farmers in the area to help him win his precious home back but it is unclassified whether this statement is true.

REBELLION ON 'ANIMAL FARM'

Jones recalled seeing his spiteful creatures charging out of their barn like angry bulls in a particularly frustrated manner as his own cows, sheep, & horses rush full speed right at him. Luckily nobody was hurt in the incident. Jones told us "physically we are fine, but emotionally and financially we are in pieces."

JONES' THEORY

Jones who may have experienced a minor head injury suspects that the pigs were the prime accused by him. Jones said "it was those pig scum I know it! They were the ones who did this to me! You can call me crazy or whatever you want but it was the pigs, In particular Napoleon & Snowball the two biggest pigs in my farm. It had to be!"

If you see this Jones we wish for you a speedy recovery and your farm back especially.

The Daily Farm News




Written by
journalist Kobi



FOOTBALL

As is always the case at this time of year, it's been a busy start to the term with football galore, whether that's Inter House, Intra-Squad or competitively against other schools. At the time of writing, we have had 54 games or fixtures across the age ranges, with A & B teams playing in local leagues as well as County Cups. Below you can see the current scoring charts along with all the competitive results. This is on display in the Sports Hall throughout the season, so be sure to check in on the charts & scorers as the year progresses. Although the evenings are starting to draw, our football season still goes strong in to Term 2, so be sure to keep updated with fixtures via the Sports Calendar on Talisman.

FOOTBALL RESULTS 2023/24				League	Name	Team	Goals	
				Cup				
				Friendly				
U12		Fixture		Scorers				
14/09/2023	A v. Norton Knatchbull	H	2 - 1 W	OG, Weilers		Francis	U14	8
14/09/2023	B v. Norton Knatchbull	H	3 - 3 D	Elphick		OG		5
21/09/2023	B v. Brockhill	A	3 - 2 W	Kearns (2), Colyer		Scarfe	U13	4
27/09/2023	A v. Marsh Academy	A	0 - 5 L			Baker	U16	4
02/10/2023	A v. Herne Bay High	H	1 - 4 L	Walledge		Jeffrey	U13	3
02/10/2023	B v. Wye	A	1 - 4 L	Simmons		Phillips	U13	3
12/10/2023	B v. Turner	H	1 - 1 D	Nutley-Carey		Humphries	U19	3
						Kearns	U12	2
						Barnes	U13	2
						Everitt	U13	2
						Laker	U13	2
						Murphy	U13	2
						Skinner	U13	2
U13		Fixture		Scorers				
13/09/2023	A v. Norton Knatchbull	H	7-1 W	Skinner (2), Everitt (2), Phillips, Laker, Stephens		Stephens	U13	2
14/09/2023	B v. Norton Knatchbull	A	1 - 1 D	Worthy		Worthy	U13	2
20/09/2023	A v. Brockhill	A	7 - 0 W	Scarfe (3), Phillips (2), Allier, Stephens		Kidd-Larsen	U14	2
28/09/2023	B v. Marsh Academy	A	1 - 1 D	Worthy		Nilson-Diaz	U14	2
03/10/2023	B v. Wye	H	6 - 0 W	Jeffrey (3), Keane, Barnes, Ayeni		Riley	U15	2
06/10/2023	A v. King Ethelberts	H	4 - 1 W	Murphy (2), Scarfe, Laker		Crumley	U16	2
09/10/2023	B v. St Edmunds	A	1 - 0 W	Barnes		Lodwick	U19	2
10/11/2023	B v. Turner	H	0 - 1 L			Stewart	U19	2
						Colyer	U12	1
						Simmons	U12	1
						Walledge	U12	1
						Weilers	U12	1
						Allier	U13	1
						Ayeni	U13	1
						Keane	U13	1
						Mizuh	U14	1
						Morgan	U14	1
						Thomas-Allan	U14	1
						Smith	U15	1
						Grove	U16	1
						Baker	U19	1
						Dalling	U19	1
						McCabe	U19	3
						S Gurung	U19	1
						Tamang	U19	1
						Vandeneisken	U19	1
						Williams	U19	1
						Jordan	U15	2
						Nutley-Carey	U12	1
U14		Fixture		Scorers				
13/09/2023	v. Norton Knatchbull	A	5 - 2 W	Francis (2), Thomas-Allan, Nilson-Diaz, Kidd-Larsen				
20/09/2023	A v. Brockhill	H	3 - 0 W	Francis, Nilson-Diaz, OG				
04/10/2023	A v. Wye	A	3 - 0 W	Francis (2), OG				
06/10/2023	A v. King Ethelberts	A	4 - 0 W	Francis (3), Kidd-Larsen				
09/10/2023	B v. Turner	H	2 - 3 L	Morgan, Mizuh				
U15		Fixture		Scorers				
12/09/2023	v. Norton Knatchbull	H	2 - 2 D	Riley (2)				
26/09/2023	B v. Marsh Academy	A	1 - 1 D	Smith				
12/10/2023	A v. Turner	H	2 - 1 W	Jordan (2)				
U16		Fixture		Scorers				
12/09/2023	v. Norton Knatchbull	A	1 - 2 L	Baker				
27/09/2023	B v. Marsh Academy	H	0 - 9 L					
05/10/2023	v. Canterbury Academy	H	5 - 2 W	Baker (3), Crumley (2)				
10/10/2023	B v. Turner	H	1 - 5 L	Grove				
1stXI		Fixture		Scorers				
13/09/2023	v. QES	H	1 - 1 D	S Gurung				
20/09/23	v. Simon Langton	A	0 - 2 L					
27/09/2023	v. Sir Joseph Williamsons	H	1 - 3 L	Humphries				
04/10/2023	v. Borden GS	A	1 - 2 L	McCabe				
11/10/2023	v. Chatham & Clarendon	H	3 - 1 W	McCabe (2), Williams				

U12

U13

So far, the U13s have been the busiest year group in the school in terms of games played. Building on their good campaign last season, the Yr8s have stepped up to 11aside with many new faces making their debuts for both the A & B teams.

The As are currently unbeaten, having played 3 won 3. The pick of the bunch being a 4-1 away win at King Ethelberts in the cup. Good victories at Brockhill in the league & in the opening game of the season against Norton Knatchbull in a friendly. Special mentions to Skylar A who has made the step up from B to A teams, as well as Finlai S who is currently top scorer with 8.

The Bs, who have had to rebuild pretty much a new squad with the addition of more players at this age group, have also opened up their campaign positively. Falling to defeat just the once against Turner, despite the Turner keeper being awarded Man of the Match for keeping his side in front. A good cup victory sees them progress in to the later rounds where we face Norton Knatchbull. Given the nature of the league, our B team will face, for the most part, A teams from the other schools, so the draw at Marsh Academy & the win at Wye is even more impressive. Michael K & Rudy G in midfield are working very hard, whilst Henry W has been a worthy addition up top. *(Report by Mr Walton).*

U14

The year 9s have a huge number of talented and enthusiastic players, all keen to get involved and be part of the match day teams. Results so far reflect the strength we have in depth with the A team winning all their games, conceding only 2 goals in the process. Captain Freddie F is a member of the Kent Schools squad, and currently heads the Harvey Grammar Golden Boot table, with 8 goals to his name. Defensively Tyler M and Thomas R-C have been outstanding, whilst midfielders Elliot K-D and the two Theos have been creative in attack and miserly in defence. Highlights have included a 5-2 win against local rivals Norton Knatchbull and a 4-0 win away at King Ethelbert's with several B team players involved. The B team have had 2 games so far. In their only league game, they unluckily threw away a 2 goal lead in a closely fought fixture with Turner Academy's A team. Eventually losing 3-2 (scorers Beau M & Ray M), they were missing several key players and squandered plenty of chances to extend their lead. Fortunes changed though in their recent cup match against Simon Langton. With a full complement of players, they dominated throughout, winning by a comfortable 3-0 margin. Goals from Harrison I, Beau M and Ethan H.

Year 9 is always the age group where physical development has a huge impact on the success of teams. It's a time where many talented individuals can get frustrated, often struggling against bigger and stronger, but technically weaker opponents, as they await their personal 'growth spurt'. To help with this and to keep everyone involved and enthused, we have held 3 different inter squad games providing an opportunity for over 40 boys to play in properly organised matches for the school. With several members of the A team acting as match officials and team managers, these games have been excellently attended and provided the players with additional opportunities to showcase their skills to the PE staff, in a fun but competitive environment.



U15 Football

The U15s have started the year well, with both the A and B teams remaining unbeaten so far. Performances have been good, with some room for improvement as both squads settle down. Both the A and the B teams face challenges in the last week of term with a county cup game v King Ethelbert and a league game v the North respectively. They will no doubt take some confidence from these opening fixtures in their hunt for some silverware this year. Coach Hark had the following to say:

“Overall I’m really pleased with the teams so far this season. They have played some brilliant football at times, and have certainly continued to develop as a squad. We have a lot of keen players looking forward to representing the school at this age group. It’s great to see this enthusiasm and it bodes well for the future. I am hopeful that the players can continue their good from into next term – if they can hit the performance levels I know they are capable of, they have a really good opportunity to win their respective leagues and progress into the later stages of the county cup.”

U15

The Yr10s have had a good start to their season, with the A team unbeaten with 2 wins & a draw, whilst the B team have picked up a creditable draw away at Marsh Academy in the league.

Mr Hark has already included various new faces in both squads, but with the quality at his disposal there will likely be plenty of rotation & debuts in the coming months. Below is a report for their last game of the term away to King Ethelberts in the cup.

Going into the game we were keen to make an impression in the first 5 minutes and set the intensity. Despite the struggles of the pitch, in the first half we played some decent football threading balls over the top to Lucas N and Noah R. After a good run down the wing and having been fouled in the box, William B stepped up to take the pen and scored, 1-0. Going into halftime, we were playing well with a strong defence. In the second half, we kept our high intensity and tried our best to play our passing game. The second goal came from a goal kick Austin T, over the opponent’s defence into the feet of Ryan S who finished it off. Despite a couple attempts at goal by King Ethelbert’s Austin dealt with them well. Coming to the later stage of the game, we were dominating all over the pitch and then a ball was put over the top by Louis J to Ryan S who yet again put it in the back of the net. Overall, a good performance and hopefully more to come. *(Report by Louis J)*

1stXI

The 1stXI has a young crop of players this season, with only a few Yr13s back involved from last season, meaning it will be a season of learning and developing ready for a better assault on the league next year.

Opening up with a draw against QES, they then played well but didn’t come out on the right side of the result against Simon Langton, Sir Joseph Williamsons & Borden Grammar. Their last game of the term saw a change in fortunes though, with a great display being matched with a welcome result against Chatham & Clarendon.

Sam G (yr11) has stepped up to senior football well in goal, with positive performances from a variety of Yr12s who have made their debuts this year – Sam G, Noah B, Leo S & Callum W.

Their cup season begins midway through Term 2, so fingers crossed their progress continues well for this portion of the season. *(Report by Mr Walton)*

2ndXI

It’s been a mixed start of the season in terms of results for the 2nd XI so far, picking up 7pts out of a possible 15 (2W 1D 2L). It’s been an ever-rotating squad with a total of 36 players making an appearance throughout the 5 games. However, despite the constant rotations the boys have developed strong chemistry within the squad, with Garrett L taking up the role as captain. We opened the season with a 1-1 draw away at Borden in which Herbie S confidently stepped up to take a penalty on his debut and tucked it away beautifully. We then achieved our first win against QES in another successful away trip, winning 4-3 in which

Clarkin picked up a brace alongside Lodwick and Dalling as the other scorers. A 5-0 win over Norton Knatchbull has been the highlight of the season so far with the squad proving their chemistry is constantly improving as it was an incredible team performance, keeping a clean sheet with Dan A in net and also finishing 5 well worked team goals, along with Owen H contributing massively in the second half with his brace, one of which was an elegant chip over the opposition keeper. We currently sit 3rd in the East Kent Division 2 and will be looking to challenge for top spot after the half term. *(Report by Tom H)*





It's only the beginning!

First and promising outing for the newly formed U15 HGS Team

October 2023



The very anticipated Harvey Grammar Volleyball season 2023-2024 kickstarted on October the 14th with the Junior Players making their debut. First ever outing and straight in at the deep end competing in the first National Junior Grand Prix hosted by Ashcombe!

After a good warm up led by senior players, Davis, Girwaan and Long we are up first against Ashcombe A. The nerves get the best of our starting four who put up a good fight but concede the first set to the hosts. Disappointed by this first set, the team regroups and slowly settles into a better rhythm. Aasir diving in defense saves precious points but our hitters are struggling to adjust to the court size in this away venue and serves and hits are 'out' too often. Kinley is the first to hit in, boosting the team's confidence which empowers Robyan and Swarnim to close the score gap with successful serves and spikes. Despite the strong finish in the second set and a closer point difference, it is not quite enough and Ashcombe take the second set winning the first match.

Follows a welcomed break as HGS are not playing the next matches, giving our players time to refuel with lunch and get their nerves out on the training court supported by Long and Davis. Girwaan meanwhile is showing the youngsters the ropes of refereeing as Swarnim scores one of the pool games. Match point. The teams change over and we are back on the court for our second game against the well-trained Dunnottar team. A few changes in the line up and it's time for Tanjok and Spark to make their GrandPrix debut! The whistle blows and away we go with a good starting serve by Spark. Against an ill-disciplined Dunnottar often penalized for kicking the ball, our U15s make a great start with consistent serving and good intent in attack. Tanjok jumps and spikes the ball just outside the court, near miss! He redeems himself a few minutes later with a fantastic spike crosscourt. Only a small net foul slows our progress, and we take the first set! The display of good volleyball continues in set two now that the nerves of our young players have disappeared. Swarnim is instrumental on the front row blocking and tipping catching out Dunnottar. The back court are solid in defense with Robyan and Spark committing to diving to save every point. We rotate and Swarnim comes to serve delighting the bench with a succession of aces. The set ends with several good hits by Robyan and Tanjok and we have won our first game of the season!





Onto Match 3, against Ashcombe B. Tanjok, Aasir and Kinley follow Captain Swarnim's lead scoring their own aces early on in the set. Aasir alternatives tipping and hitting set beautifully by Robyan. The bench chants whilst Kinley gives us a comfortable lead with his excellent and consistent serving. We win the first set and head all smiles around into the second set with a change of setter and hitter. Aasir is solid in defense diving to stop Ashcombe's efforts at taking the lead. The Harvey quickly climbs the scoreboard thanks to an excellently placed free ball by Spark which catches out the opponent's defense. Ashcombe attempts to find a hole in our backline but a pancake by Aasir followed immediately by one from

Tanjok concluded by a tip by Swarnim denies Ashcombe the point. Double pancake! This has got to be the point of the day! The set ends quickly with Ashcombe not even breaking double digits, a comfortable victory for HGS!

There is no time left to play anymore matches sadly so we head home with 2 victories / 1 defeat on the scoreboard. A great start for the U15 who head into the second Grand Prix with renewed confidence and the determination to keep our number of losses at 1 for the rest of the season!

Coach Hinner


Match Scores

Ashcombe A vs HGS
15-10 / 15-12

HGS vs Dunnottar
15-8 / 15-12

Ashcombe B vs HGS
10 - 15 / 6 - 15

Special Thanks

to Mr Maull for driving us, to
Girwaan, Davis and Long for their
coaching and encouragement
throughout the day and to Long
for the photos 

MVP

Swarnim
for the most serving aces
throughout the day!



BASKETBALL

Training on a Tuesday evening, Key stage 4 Basketball Teams have been preparing for their first venture into the Kent Basketball League. This has attracted a lot of interest from our students with 40 plus students turning up regular to the club with established players from years 9, 10 and 11 attending and some new talent scouted by the standing captains Kai TA (year 9), Swarnim T (year 10) and Dan M M (year 11).

Year 7 and 8 have followed suit working enthusiastically on a Thursday evening after school. Year 7 now has a player base of 16 now who attend regular and have shown real promise. Year 8 is a new squad with 8 new faces joining the regular starting 5 from last year.

The Kent Competition starts in term 2 with 4 league games followed by semis and final in term 3. Local leagues again taking place across Folkestone and Ashford in term 3 also. A full complement of teams have been entered across years 7 -11.



Our year 7 and 8 basketball teams have been entered once again to play basketball in the Jr. NBA League organized by Basketball England in partnership with the NBA. The League will feature 30 school teams that will represent one of the 30 NBA teams throughout the season. The format will mirror the NBA including a team draft, regular season games, a single-elimination playoff and final to determine the Jr. NBA League Champion. These fixtures will start hopefully in the middle of term 2.



Current fixtures for the Kent league are displayed on the schools fixtures page on the intranet. *(Report by Mr Dawson)*

RUGBY

In the County Cup the U14 and U15 teams have had tough quarter final matches this term. Some competent performances but unfortunately losing to The Marsh Academy 31-5 at U15 and 22-10 at U14 to local rivals KNGS.

The year 7 intake is looking very promising with Mr Guck training them weekly on a Thursday after school. A large contingent from Folkestone RFC and others from Canterbury / Dover RFC making up the developing squad. In term 3 we will look to arrange some 12 a side fixtures against some local grammars and well as entering 2 teams into the District League where the format, it has been decided, will be 7 a side. *(Report by Mr Dawson)*



U14 SQUAD AND NKGS TEAM AFTER A HARD FOUGHT MATCH



U15 SQUAD CELEBRATING THE GAME WITH A TUNNEL

SPORTS LEADERS

Congratulations to the students below who have been selected for the HGS Sports Leaders team 2023-24. Application letters were completed during September and selection made with parents being informed officially last week.

YR 8	YR 9	
DAN H	WILL P	QUINN R
JAKE D	AUGUST M	CHARLIE T
SAM A	FIN C	KAI T A
MACK S-H	BEAU M	OLIVER R
ARCHIE E	FREDDIE F	TYLER M
ALEX L	OLLIE S	CHESTER C
OSCAR D	CIARAN B	ISAAC T
ARTHUR I	ALBIE B	ABADY A
ARCHIE S	NATHAN H	BAILEY P
JOSEPH A	GEORGE P	OLLY C
SEB S	GEORGE R	
FINLAI S		
FINN L		
FINLEY L		

It is pleasing to see so many Year 9 applying again and succeeding after successful initiation into the Leadership scheme last year.

This year the boys will once again experience the role of Leadership by supporting at the many sporting primary and secondary events organised by The Sports Trust.

As well as following the schools Leadership programme we will also we will also be looking to provide some provide some NGB training. The Tennis Leaders Award will be delivered again for all as well as hopefully some Athletics Officiating Courses.

Congratulations and good luck to the new team. *(Report by Mr Dawson)*

INTER HOUSE



INTER-HOUSE FOOTBALL RESULTS SHEET SEPTEMBER 2023



	Year 7	Pts		Year 8	Pts
1 st	RESOLUTION	4	1 st	ENDEAVOUR	4
2 nd	DISCOVERY	3	2 nd	DISCOVERY	3
3 rd	ENDEAVOUR	2	3 rd	VICTORY	2
4 th	VICTORY	1	4 th	RESOLUTION	1

	Year 9	Pts		Year 10	Pts
1 st	RESOLUTION	4	1 st	DISCOVERY	4
2 nd	DISCOVERY	3	2 nd	VICTORY	3
3 rd	ENDEAVOUR	2	3 rd	RESOLUTION	2
4 th	VICTORY	1	4 th	ENDEAVOUR	1

	Year 11	Pts
1 st	RESOLUTION	4
2 nd	ENDEAVOUR	3
3 rd	VICTORY	2
4 th	DISCOVERY	1

	OVERALL	Pts
1 ST	RESOLUTION	15
2 ND	DISCOVERY	14
3 RD	ENDEAVOUR	12
4 TH	VICTORY	9



Harvey Grammar School Sportsman of the Term



Freddie F (Yr9)
Not only is he currently the top scorer in the school, but he has been selected to represent Kent.



OTHER ACHIEVMENTS

Well done to Vinoj S (7R) who was awarded the 'Mike Ashby Shield - Most Improved Player' and the U13's Best Bowler award at Ashford Town CC for last season.

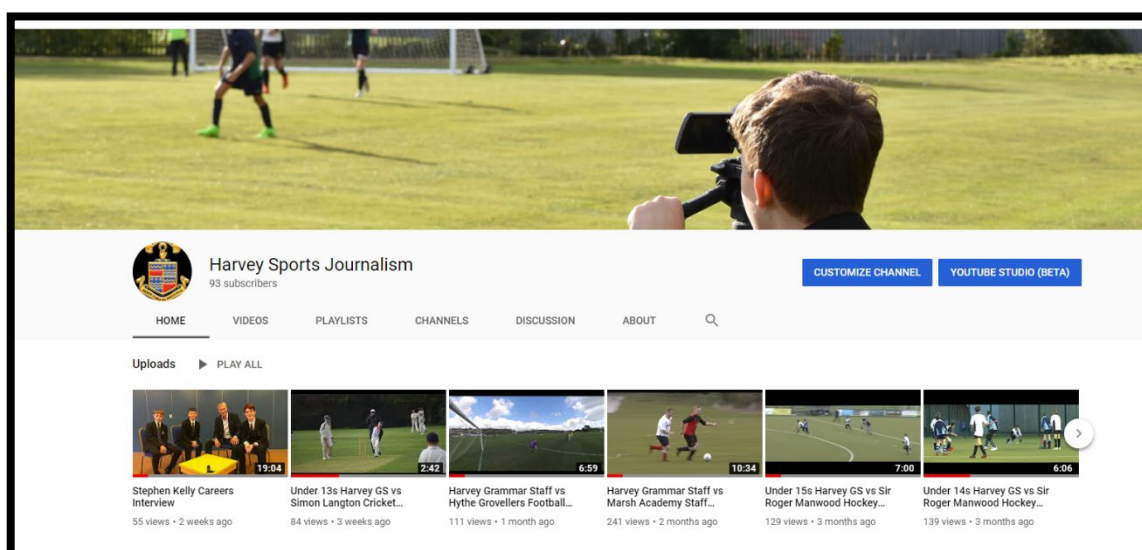




YOUTUBE CHANNEL

At the start of last year the Harvey Sports Journalism YouTube channel was created on which a majority of sporting fixtures including Football, Basketball, Hockey and Rugby are recorded, edited and uploaded to the public allowing people to really see what goes on in the Harvey Grammar Sports Department. You can also find the Harvey Sports “How To” series that were produced by staff members during Lockdown, as a means to learn new sporting skills.

If you would like to watch some of the sporting fixtures which are already on the channel please go to YouTube and search Harvey Sports Journalism or copy and paste the following link into your browser:



<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCLANYR9jnLDPet7OaPDa14w?>

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HGS SPORTS KIT

A reminder that below is the PE & Sport kit for your lessons at The Harvey. All available online from Ambition Sport.

If for whatever reason you cannot bring in any of these items for your lessons, a note from your parent to explain the situation along with an alternative is required.



HGS Sports Kit

Rugby shirt



Football shirt



Polo shirt



Shorts



White socks



Black Football socks



Sanctions for kit faults:

- No kit – Lunchtime detention
- 2 kit faults (missing an item) – Lunchtime detention
- Persistent kit faults – Afterschool detention
- **Please bring a note if you know you won't have the correct kit!**