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CAREERS FAIR

CAREERS FAIR *INSPIRES* FUTURE STUDENTS



This highly successful event ran at Prestatyn High School in partnership with Careers Wales and Glyndwr University.

With over a dozen stands including:- Student Finance, VFX/Animation, Criminology, Youth & Community, Education, Forensics, Media, Psychology, Vet Nursing and Computing. Pupils were given a unique insight and the opportunity to find out more about the subjects and related job sector. Tutors from various subject areas were on hand to provide answers to the many questions pupils had, to alleviate fears and to make them aware of the wide range of courses available.

As well as providing information on courses, a wide range of topics such as the application process, tuition fees, student loans, budgeting and career opportunities were also presented by Student Finance and Career Wales.

I was surprised at the range of courses available, everything from Criminology to Veterinary Nursing.

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Year 11 PHS Pupil

EXTENDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES



A high energy performance from Higher

Higher Tour Visits PHS

The Higher Tour mission teams spent a morning in the school talking and playing live music during special assemblies. Drawing on their 27-year history of representing the Christian faith, the group clearly and authentically delivered their message in an educational context.



Praise Points Winners

Special Award Winners

These pupils have been recognised for their outstanding engagement to learning. They had all received the highest praise points in their year group for the week commencing 20th January. Pupils met with Mr Foley and Mr Howcroft-Jones to be presented with their certificates of achievement.

Praise and Recognition

The Praise and Recognition Structure has been introduced this academic year with great success across the school. Pupils are recognised with a Bronze, Silver, or Gold reward based on their total praise points, attendance, and engagement score (aiming high). The gold pupils of Key Stage 3 received a praise breakfast for their outstanding efforts in all 3 areas of consideration and have been set the challenge to maintain their Gold status for the remainder of the year.



Mr Howcroft-Jones - Presents Gold recognition



LIMB-art: Madison Hayward and Mark Williams

LIMB-art shares inspirational story

On Thursday January 16th Mark Williams from LIMB-Art visited Prestatyn High School Year 9. Mark described his journey from that of a Paralympic swimmer to running a successful business. LIMB-Art is a British design and manufacturing company based in the heart of beautiful North Wales dedicated to producing cool prosthetic leg covers.

Our covers restore balance to the silhouette, without trying to blend in or hide, and can be instrumental in raising confidence and self-esteem.



Mark Williams LIMB-Art

As spring arrives and the longer evenings begin, I would like to thank all parents who support the school.

This time of year is one of opportunity and optimism and I look forward to working with all parents in improving the community of Prestatyn. It is vitally important that the messages about respect and responsibility that we give to the young people in school are reiterated at home. We are on a mission to improve the aspirations, results and also the community of Prestatyn. It is only with the full support of parents that we will be able to achieve our goals. Please ensure that all of the young people of Prestatyn act in a responsible and respectful way in the community. This includes as they make their way to and from school, in the evenings and around the local shops and houses.

I also ask all parents to repeat the message we give every day to pupils about the appropriate and responsible use of social media. Whilst technology can provide amazing benefits for all, phones and social media can also be the cause of many of the issues we have to deal with on a daily basis.

If we work together we will be able to make a real difference to our local area.

Many Thanks

Neil Foley B.Sc. MA.
Headteacher




Can we help?

If you would like to apply for **Free School Meals** or need further information please contact the school.
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Dr James Davies MP @JamesDavies

Jan 21, 2020

Fantastic to welcome the Public Services class at @PrestatynHigh to Parliament today: <https://jamesdavies.org.uk/news/prestatyn-sixth-formers-question-new-mp-ahead-parliament-visit>




PHS AWARDS
CELEBRATING ACHIEVEMENT

PHS Awards - 24th March 2020 Highlighting the achievements of our amazing pupils. <http://prestatynhigh.co.uk/?p=5120>