

NLC News

The Newsletter of

Netherhall High School

Some Highlights from this term!

Summer 2026



Hello and welcome to our Summer newsletter!

We hope you enjoy reading the insights of our life here at NLC high school. On behalf of the high school staff, we would like to thank you for your support and hope you have a wonderful Summer!

Message from the Head of School

As we come to the end of another successful year, I would like to thank our students, staff, and families for their continued support. This term has been full of highlights, including a fantastic Sports Day, an incredible Year 11 Prom, and outstanding summer performances that showcased the talents of our students. Our Year 10 students represented the school brilliantly during their work experience placements, while a recent visitor from RISE was impressed by the strong climate for learning, and the excellent behaviour and engagement of our students.

I would also like to congratulate our Year 11 students for the mature and focused way they approached their GCSE examinations, which ran smoothly throughout the examination period, they enjoyed a fabulous well earned prom. Finally, it was a pleasure to welcome our new Year 7 students during Transition Day and see them begin their journey with such enthusiasm.

I wish all our students, staff, and families a happy and restful summer holiday. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in September, refreshed and ready for another exciting academic year. Have a wonderful summer break.

Yours sincerely,
Heather Johnson

AUTUMN TERM DATES

Inset Day - Tuesday 1st September

First Day of Term -

- Wednesday 2nd September - Year 7 & 11
- Thursday 3rd September - Year 8, 9 & 10

CMSS Year 12 & 13 introduction Morning &

Re-Introduction Afternoon - Friday 4th September

CMSS First Day of Term - Monday 7th September

Inset Day - Thursday 1st October

Inset day - Friday 2nd October

Half Term - Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October

Inset Day - Thursday 26th November

Inset Day - Friday 27th November

Last Day of Term - Friday 18th December -

School closes to pupils at 12pm

AUTUMN TERM EVENTS

September

Year 6 Open Evening - Thursday 17th

School Photo Day for Year 7, 9 & 11 -
Wednesday 23rd

Alton Towers Reward Trip - Thursday 24th

October

Year 11 Parents Event - Wednesday 14th

CMSS Open Evening - Thursday 22nd

November

Year 10 BTEC Music Trip - Wednesday 4th

CMSS Year 13 Parents Evening - Thursday 19th

December

Year 9 Parents Event - Thursday 3rd

Parent Christmas Concert - Tuesday 8th



The Kirkwood Starlight Walk - Miss Timberley



The Kirkwood Starlight Walk was a wonderful and emotional night of community coming together to celebrate and honour their loved ones and to raise much needed funds for our wonderful hospice. A big well done to the several NLC pupils and Alumni spotted, including Charlotte M, Callum C, Jake W and Thomas W. Thank you to everyone who donated, you have helped to raise an amazing £460.

Congratulations and Good Luck to Isaac D ahead of his trip to USA for the Pokemon Championships at the end of August.

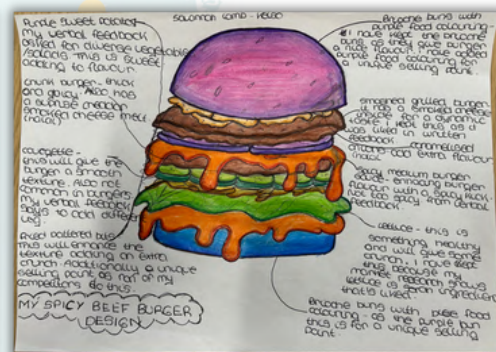
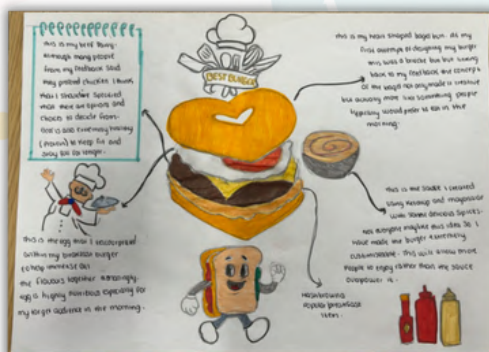
Isaac is currently ranked 17 in the whole world which is incredible. Stephen Keenan, from Gemini Games, where Isaac plays in the league every week, said he was thrilled to have a potential world champion as a customer. "He's done such a good job, and to represent the store and Huddersfield in such a competitive game is amazing".



Enterprise - Mrs Park

A huge well done to all Year 10 Enterprise students for successfully completing their first piece of coursework this year to an incredibly high standard. Students had to design a new burger idea from scratch using market research data collected and feedback from others.

Their sketches created were detailed and well thought out including detailed annotation to showcase their creative flair and thinking processes. It seems we have some budding entrepreneurs in the making.



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Savannah L-K

Trips & Workshops



Women's T20 World Cup - Miss Booth

On the 17th June, a group of our Year 7-9 girls enjoyed an unforgettable trip to Headingley Cricket Ground to watch a Women's T20 World Cup match between Australia and Bangladesh.

The students were treated to an exciting day of international cricket as Australia put in a dominant performance to secure a convincing victory. For many of our students, this was their very first experience of watching professional cricket live, making the day even more special. It was a fantastic opportunity to see some of the world's best players in action, experience the incredible atmosphere, and be inspired by elite women's sport.

The trip was a huge success, with the students representing the school brilliantly and thoroughly enjoying every moment of the day. A massive thank you goes to Mrs Shufflebottom and Mrs Smith for organising and supporting the trip. Their hard work helped create a memorable experience that we know our students will remember for years to come.



Little Deer Wood - Miss Diskin

Well, I think it's fair to say that a good day was had by all. A small group of students enjoyed a full day of activities - some were pushed outside their comfort zone, but did amazing! They all engaged throughout and smiled endlessly. Attitude and behaviour were on point!!



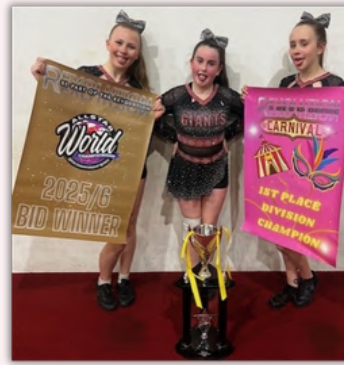
Redcar - Miss Chapman

Our Year 10 Geography students recently visited Redcar to complete the physical fieldwork required for their GCSE course. During the visit, they measured sediment height on either side of groynes, carried out an orange test to investigate longshore drift, and completed detailed field sketches to support their enquiry.

Despite the challenging conditions during the heatwave, students showed excellent resilience throughout the day. They were respectful, engaged and represented the school superbly at all times. Since returning, they have analysed and presented their findings in lessons, and this first-hand fieldwork experience will form an important part of their GCSE Geography examinations in Year 11. Well done Year 10 Geographers!



SPORTS NEWS



Congratulations to Charlotte M, Charlie O & Caitlyn S for winning a bid with their Cheerleading Team Giants Elite to compete at All Star World in Florida. Have fun and good luck!

SPORTS DAY

"Thank you to everyone involved in making sports day 2026 a roaring success. The mood and spirit amongst the students during and after it, was fantastic. None of this would be possible without every member of staff who made sure it ran smoothly.

A special thank you to Mr Day & Miss Teale for all their hard work in planning and leading the day. Both of your tireless work ethic and resilience produced another great NLC event. Proud, as always, to be Team NLC" - **Mr Shufflebottom**

Congratulations to the Tutor Group winners in each year group:

7A - 113 Points

8E/8R - 89 points (Win awarded to **8E** due to 1 more 1st place finish)

9S - 103 points

10R - 106 points



Congratulations to the NLC Girls under 13's Football team (year 7&8). They have been crowned the group A champions for their league. We went unbeaten all season. Keep up the hard work!

Goodbye & GOOD LUCK YEAR 11

King
Leland H

What a fantastic evening celebrating our Year 11 students at Prom! You all looked absolutely amazing and it was wonderful to see everyone enjoying themselves and making lasting memories together.



Queen
Awa S

NLC would like to wish each and every one of you the very best for the future. Thank you for your hard work, commitment and dedication throughout your time with us. We are incredibly proud of all you have achieved and look forward to seeing where your next chapter takes you. Good luck and congratulations, Class of 2026!



One of the highlights of the evening was the student-led teacher awards. Taking the initiative, students created a range of humorous and heartfelt awards for staff, showcasing their creativity and adding plenty of laughter to the celebrations.



Year 11's continue to impress with their creative leavers shirts.



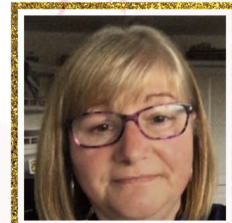
"Master of Sarcasm"



"Chief Rearrange"



"Biggest Book Worm"



"Unintentionally Funny"



"Most Gangsta"



"All About Me"



"Best Singer"



"Best Hairline"



"Easy to Distract"



"Emotional Support"



"Best Stare"



"Most overused saying...Not College Behaviour"

NLC Yr 11 Prefects 2026/27

≡ *Leadership Team* ≡

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HEAD PREFECT



Rayaana Mohamed

DEPUTY HEAD PREFECT



Tegan McCafferty



Hollie Boothroyd



Heidi Holme



Alfie Bryan



Jessica Styles



Savannah L-K



Taysha Fowler



Haniya Aziz



Duaa Ali



Bethanie Davies



Arber Thoma



Lia Rahim



Laizel Hards



Awrad Bakheit



Lena Pruchnicka



Zunaira Javed



Jasmine Chester

*Your voice.
Your school.
Your future.*

NETHERFEST

Netherfest by Evie B

I went to Netherfest. Netherfest is a time for the music community to get together. We had an array of bands and GLEE perform on our outdoor stage. My band and I performed two songs, Silver Springs and Fat Bottomed Girls (although they did forget to turn my guitar on the second time but I still killed it!). It was a blast. People clapped, cheered, danced and sang along! Netherfest is an opportunity to spend time with fellow musicians and truly appreciate the effort people put into their passion.



There were also plenty of things to buy: bracelets, ice creams, sweets and face painting. I personally opted for the face painting and it looked incredible. Finally, we finished the day by packing up and then went to enjoy a couple of slices of pizza. I can't wait to see what the next Netherfest has in store!



Netherfest by Willem Q

Netherfest is a celebratory concert that we have hosted outside to celebrate world music week. There are many different bands and groups that perform from after school clubs and class bands. Netherfest is great fun and allows people to get together and celebrate different music. I took part in playing with wind band and my year 9 class band. If you can take part in a club or choose music as an option to take part in these great events!

Netherfest by Bella-Rose C

Netherfest is a great time that the music students share together and bond over their shared passion. It's a time that helps us learn to work together and feel connected to the true arts of music production & performance and an insight to how the industry truly is. Me and my class (9D) spent time learning how to set up and create the festival, along with the instruments being set up them were also tables with many offers like face paint, cupcakes, icecreams, sweets and bracelets.



My band performed Amy Winehouse's version of Valerie and the school choir / GLEE performed many songs like Bohemian Rhapsody, a mash up of Heaven is a Place on Earth/Tainted Love and Sweet Dreams, Uptown Girl and Mr Blue Sky. During Netherfest I have felt supported by my peers and welcomed by others, I've made many friends who I wouldn't have spoken to if I didn't have these opportunities.

SUMMER SINGS

At the end of June, the Y12 & 13 triple music students (and Evie Knell, Y11) went on a trip to take part in 'Summer Sings', an event set up by staff at Woodley School so students from special needs schools across Kirklees could come and sing and sign together. Our students were invited to perform a number of songs live for these schools to sing along to and had to meticulously prepare the songs in advance. They did an absolutely fantastic job from helping pack down and load things into the van early in the morning, then setting up quickly and efficiently when they got there and then being ready and respectful when needing to perform, whatever was happening around them!



Many of the special needs students who attended, rarely get the opportunity to hear live music and benefitted massively from the band performing and were able to express themselves in ways they may not normally get a chance to. As a result, many students were sad to leave as they were having such a good time listening, singing & signing along with our wonderful musicians.

As well as this, the triple music students have also said how much they got out of the trip, seeing how much music means to those that can't always experience it (one girl brought her own Ukulele to perform with her and then cried when she had to leave!). They've benefitted those disadvantaged students in more ways than they can fathom. Well done Guys! - Mr Kirk

SUMMER CONCERT

Summer Concert by Tyler D & Ava-Hope G

Wow what an amazing showcase of talent! We had so much fun at the Summer Concert this year it was full of truly talented performers. We couldn't have done this event without the Music and Drama Departments so thank you for putting together this event for everyone to enjoy.

We had a range of musical clubs that played such as Wind Band, Rock Bands, Steel Bands, Drama Club and GLEE@NLC. The bands had the audience singing, dancing and clapping along and the Drama club had the audience laughing hysterically. We believe that this concert was enjoyable for all with everyone leaving happily with smiles on their face at the end of the summer concert 2026. We also enjoyed Ms Turnbull's jokes from the new joke book Year 13 got her. We were so proud with everyone who came and got involved, we hope to see you again next year!



Summer Concert by Bella-Rose C

The Summer Concert at NLC is a fun event and I enjoyed spending time with my peers and building relationships with them.

I took part in many things to help make the show develop into what it is today, like photography of the performers and selling sweets and raffle tickets at half time. I performed as part of GLEE@NLC and Steel Band, as well as performing with my class band and taking part in a Drama performance.

The shows are always well thought out and planned to give us enough time to rehearse and feel confident in ourselves. My fellow students and staff help me feel confident and ready to take part in things like this whilst having fun.



Message from Mr Shufflebottom

A huge congratulations to the Music and Drama team for the fabulous Summer Concert. What I love about these events the most is how you see the older students leading the younger ones through the event. Miss Turnbull and the team have created a culture amongst the students of driving the event forward themselves, of course supported brilliantly by staff. It's a coaching model that really works.



Life Skills with **MR DOC**

Mr Doc continues to make delicious eats with some of our fantastic student chef's in school.

"I loved being "hands on" and being trusted to make a pizza out of all different ingredients, instead of just making a pre made one I also really enjoyed being able to help my friends" -

Finlay Tate



"I really enjoyed being responsible for buying my shopping ingredients. I also really liked using the knife skills I have learned in prepping my ingredients"

- Charlotte H



"I really enjoyed researching the pizza task, buying the ingredients and then learning how to cook a pizza"

- Alistair B

"I liked the camaraderie and teamwork. Mr Docherty played Italian music whilst we cooked that inspired me"

- Owen D



"I really enjoyed the teamwork aspect of working with Will. He's someone I don't get to spend much time with and I really enjoyed getting to know him." -

Jorja G



ARP ENRICHMENT FRIDAYS

This term, students in the ARP have been taking part in a series of exciting Enrichment Days every Friday. These special activities have given pupils the opportunity to learn new skills, work together, and enjoy hands-on experiences.

One of our highlights was a visit from the local police, who spoke to the students about their role in the community and the importance of staying safe. The children enjoyed asking questions and learning more about police work. A particular highlight of the day was the chance to sit inside a police riot van, which was an exciting experience that everyone thoroughly enjoyed.



We were also delighted to welcome some very special visitors when we hatched our own chicks with help from The Incredible Eggs Company. Pupils observed the eggs throughout the incubation period and were thrilled to watch the chicks hatch. It was a wonderful opportunity to learn about life cycles and animal care.



Another exciting enrichment activity involved working with a construction company to take part in a LEGO building challenge. Students used their creativity, teamwork and problem-solving skills to design and build a variety of structures.



Our budding scientists had great fun making and launching water rockets. Students learned about forces and propulsion before testing their designs and watching them soar into the sky.

Finally, we put our engineering skills to the test by designing and making parachutes. To see how effective they were, we attached eggs and carried out a series of drop tests. The challenge was to create a parachute that would help the egg land safely without breaking. There was lots of excitement and some fantastic designs on display!

These Enrichment Fridays have been a huge success, providing valuable learning experiences while encouraging curiosity, teamwork and creativity. We are very proud of all the students for their enthusiasm, resilience and participation, and we look forward to many more exciting enrichment opportunities in the future.

We are always looking for new and exciting enrichment opportunities for our students. If you know anyone works for a company, have a skill or hobby you would like to share, or are a member of staff with a hidden talent or area of expertise, we would love to hear from you. Your support could help inspire our pupils and provide them with even more memorable learning experiences. Please get in touch if you would like to be involved in a future ARP Enrichment Friday.

- Mrs Durrance



NCHD5 COMMUNITY HUB WITH CLAIRE HARTLEY

COMMUNITY ON THE CAMPUS

INFANTS SUMMER FAYRE

"A massive thank you to everyone who helped out with the Summer Fayre. It was a huge success raising £600.15." - **Claire H**



BREAKFAST CLUB

This academic year we have fed 5,505 children at the Infants, 7,225 at the Juniors and 11,041 at the High school - totalling 23,771!!!!

Thank you so much to those staff across the campus who volunteer their time in any way to help make this happen - we couldn't do it without you. - **Claire H**

COMMUNITY OFF CAMPUS

During the school summer holidays there are activity sessions available for FSM eligible children and young people. Each session will include 4 hours of enrichment activities and a healthy nutritious meal. Some sessions have low cost paid for places available for non eligible children. Please click the link at the bottom of the page to see a list of organisations and how to contact them for more details and to check availability. If your child has additional support needs, please contact the organisation for a discussion regarding the suitability of the session. For more information please contact haf@kirklees.gov.uk

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LINTHWAITE FOOTBALL CLUB

U14 GIRLS

PLAYER RECRUITMENT

SEASON 2026/27

IS YOUR CHILD CURRENTLY IN YEAR 7 OR 8?

We're looking for new players to join our Linthwaite U14 Girls squad for next season!

WHAT WE OFFER:

- FA-qualified coaching
- Friendly and competitive environment
- Regular matches & training
- Great team spirit

MATCHES: SATURDAY MORNINGS
TRAINING: WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

WHO CAN JOIN?
 Girls currently in Year 7 or Year 8 (U14s) in Sept 2026

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT OTHER TEAMS CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE
<https://www.linthwaitefootballclub.co.uk/>

INTERESTED? GET IN TOUCH TODAY!

ANDY THORNTON
07702 577 288

JOIN LINTHWAITE FC AND BE PART OF THE TEAM!

AP Unit Summer Round Up 2026

As this school year draws to a close, we want to share some of the huge progress, moments of growth and everyday resilience we've seen in our unit during 2025-2026.

This year has been about providing opportunity for building self confidence and esteem, developing both academic and practical skills and creating a supportive, welcoming environment where every student is happy and can thrive.

Various wellbeing activities, skills for learning, vocational and practical skills, and community connections have all provided each student with valuable opportunities to grow and developing in many areas.

Year 11 students have completed work placements with glowing reviews while for Year 10 students their placements continue helping develop a work-ready mindset- connecting learning to real-life tasks.



I THINK YOU
MIGHT END UP
GETTING EVERY-
THING YOU
EVER WANTED.

Our students have not only changed physically (they're all SO tall) this year but have all grown positively in their approach to school life including improving their attendance, sitting exams, engaging with real life work placements and applying for and securing places at college!

The students have worked hard as a team and independently to ensure they have become the best version of themselves and now recognise what they are capable of.

We wish our Year 11's every success as they leave us and head on to their next adventures.

We look forward to welcoming back our Year 10's as Year 11's in September and continuing their growth and progress as the year progresses.

Our team will remain dedicated to provide the safe, encouraging environment for our 'AP Teamies' on their return.

We wish all of our 'past' and present students and their families a wonderful summer and look forward to welcoming everyone back, fit, well and ready to work hard and achieve!

from Team AP

Gem, Lindsey and Jonathan



In memory of Sandra Harriott

Pink Day!

Friday 22nd May

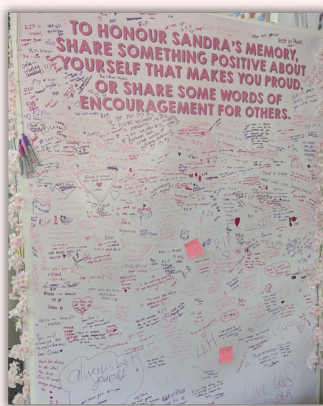


A heartfelt thank you to everyone who supported this year's Pink Day. Together, we raised an amazing **£600** through our bake sale in memory of Ms Harriott.

Your generosity and kindness made the day a truly special tribute, reflecting the warmth and sense of community she inspired in us all. We are so grateful to everyone who baked, donated and supported the day. Much love from Miss Kavanagh

Pink Week

A big shout out to Miss Finch for organising Pink Week and the incredible board in reception that students left words of kindness and encouragement on memory of Sandra.



Pink Walk

In addition to Pink Day itself, staff, friends and family of Sandra took part in a remembrance walk on Friday 15th May. The walk began at school at 6pm and headed to Castle Hill cemetery for a moment with Sandra.

Money raised went towards new plants for Sandra's Safe Space in the Memory Garden, which Miss Osbourne, Mrs Ola and students in the House have been working incredibly hard on.



Happy Retirement

MISS DISKIN



"Sam has been a constant person of care, compassion and amazing support for countless children, families and colleagues in our community. Her commitment to safeguarding has never just been about policies and procedures it has always been about the people. She has approached every challenge with kindness, professionalism and an open heart, making a huge difference to the lives of so many.

Sam's dedication, wisdom and strength have helped shape the caring and supportive environment that our school is so proud of today. Her legacy will continue to be felt for many years to come. We all know that Sam and Sandra had an amazing friendship as well as being brilliant colleague's and I think it is fair to say Sandra would have been incredibly proud of everything Sam has achieved and bigging her up to enjoy every moment of life! Their friendship, shared values and commitment to supporting others made such a lasting impact on our school, and it feels especially fitting to remember Sandra as we celebrate Sam's remarkable career.

On a personal note, I feel incredibly grateful to have had the opportunity to work alongside the superwoman that Sam truly is!! Her knowledge, guidance and support have helped me navigate some of the most challenging situations I have dealt with in work, and for that I will be forever grateful. She has been an incredible mentor, and I only wish I had longer to learn from her. I will treasure having had the pleasure of organising special days in memory of our friend and colleague Sandra, alongside Sam. Sandra meant so much to us both, and being able to honour her together created memories that I will always hold close to my heart and I know you will too.



Sam thank you so much for going above and beyond every time, not just for us staff but most importantly the students of NLC. I wish you a long, happy and well deserved retirement filled with new adventures, memories and plenty of time to enjoy everything you love with your Buzz. Although I will miss seeing Sam every day, I know this isn't goodbye.

I look forward to keeping in touch and hearing all about the exciting adventures that retirement will bring. Love you lots" - **Miss Kavanagh**



"Wishing you all the very best in your retirement. It has been a pleasure working with you over the years. We've shared many fun times and lots of laughter, which will always be great memories. Thank you for everything, and I hope this next chapter brings you happiness, good health, and plenty of opportunities to do the things you enjoy. Enjoy every moment of your well-deserved retirement!" - **Mrs Taylor**



29.5 Years of Service



"After working alongside Sam for 14 years, it is difficult to imagine our school without her. She has been an exceptional safeguarding lead and one of the most caring, supportive and resilient people I know. She has made an immeasurable difference to countless young people and families, often supporting them through the most challenging circumstances while always remaining positive and placing students at the heart of every decision. She has been a vital part of our school community, a wonderful colleague and, most importantly to me, a very dear friend. I will miss her enormously, but I wish her every happiness in her retirement." - **Mr Sellars**



"Happy retirement, hope you enjoy it!" - **Tyler B**

"Bye, I'll miss ya" - **Eiliyah G**

"Sam, you've inspired so many people, you've been a voice for so many students when they felt they didn't have a voice themselves. You are an amazing lady and someone I feel very fortunate to have in my life. I have learned so much from you, forever grateful." - **Mrs Codner**

"I will miss seeing your face through my window everyday, you have been a listening ear to not only students but staff too. You have played a vital role in this school's time" - **Miss Hirstle**

"As a colleague and dear friend, I will miss you enormously! Always there for anyone and everyone, unbelievably knowledgeable about your job and professionally respected by all. Love Oz" - **Miss Osborne**

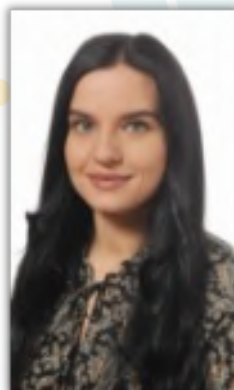


Meet your new Designated Safeguarding Lead: Miss Basic

As sad as we are to see Miss Diskin leave, we are delighted that a familiar face will be stepping into her role and continuing her important work. Miss Basic has been a valued member of the NLC team since 2021 and is also a former student herself. With her deep understanding of the school and

its community, she is ideally placed to support our students, who are undoubtedly in very safe hands.

"Sam has been an incredible role model and mentor to me, I look forward to stepping into this role and building on the outstanding work she has done helping many families thrive, I am committed to continuing her legacy with the same dedication and care." - **Miss Basic**



Everyday Hero Awards

Miss Diskin was nominated by the local authority for the well-deserved Everyday Hero Award, alongside Mrs Ola, Mrs Dare, Ms Dickinson, Ms Hudson and Ms Greenwood.

The award recognises their unwavering dedication to advocating for children in care and their tireless efforts to ensure these young people receive the support they need to thrive, both in school and beyond.



THE CREATIVE COLLEGE IN HUDDERSFIELD

It is with mixed emotions that we say goodbye to our colleague Buzz - who has worked in the CMSS for 12 years. Buzz has been a loyal hard-working member of the team, who has always had the college ethos in his heart. Students will forever remember his posing questions "where's your lanyard?", "did you sign in?" and "have you got your work placement sorted yet?". Staff will always remember his one-liner dad jokes. Jokes aside - You have been and will always be a loyal friend and someone I can always rely on. We wish Buzz all the best for his retirement - **Mr Armitage**

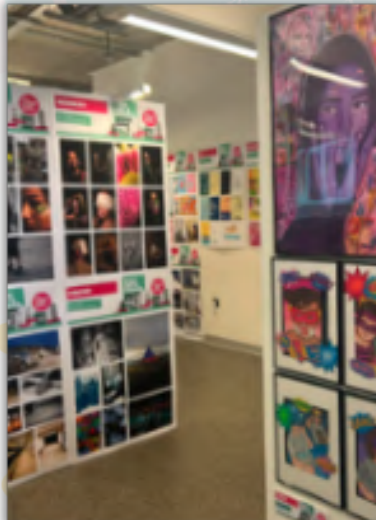
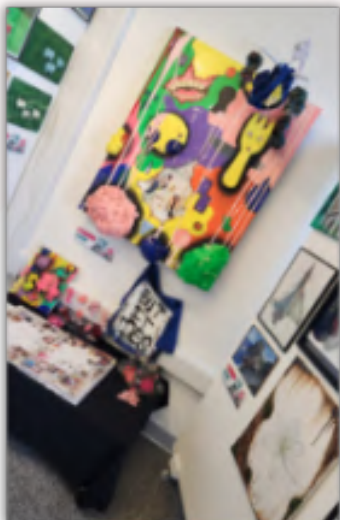


Year 13 Leavers Assembly

It was so nice to celebrate our students graduating from CMSS and a proud moment for all staff. We had a special visit from our Alumni student Claritza Montes, who we named our AtL award in honour of. Three students, Anya D, Tobi A and Hayden B achieved all golds over all data rounds, they were awarded with the CM Award by Claritza. - **Mr Armitage**

Year 13 Art Exhibition/Production arts Catwalk

Our annual exhibition and production Arts catwalk was a great success, a massive thank you to the Art team Miss Bond, Mr Bottomley, Miss Sykes, Buzz and Miss Kavanagh for helping set up the exhibition, we had some amazing comments from parents. Thank you to Miss Parish and Miss Jones for the catwalk show there were some highly professional designs on show. - **Mr Armitage**



PASTORAL REWARDS



An exciting opportunity to exchange well earned Achievement Points twice every half term for fantastic prizes!

50 ACHIEVEMENT POINTS

Stationery & Accessories

100 ACHIEVEMENT POINTS

Snacks

300 ACHIEVEMENT POINTS

Backpack / Football

400+ ACHIEVEMENT POINTS

Voucher



Reminder of Equipment & Uniform requirements

We want every pupil to start the day in a positive way with correct uniform and equipment. It is vital that your child has the correct equipment every day for school so that they are **Ready to Learn** from minute one of the lesson. The basic equipment of a bag, black pen, red pen & ruler has been extended to having a refillable water bottle. We no longer provide plastic cups, but do still provide water fountains where your child can fill up their reusable water bottle at break and lunch time to last them through the day.

We can support your family in getting the right equipment & uniform for your child. Simply contact Claire Hartley on hartleycl@nlconline.org.uk

We also offer an equipment store, where pupils can swap achievement points for basic equipment at the Pastoral Office, between 8am and 8:40am everyday.



WHO TO CONTACT

To help ensure your query is received promptly by the right staff member, please follow this guidance and allow time for a response.

FORM TUTOR

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As the person who sees your child the most, their Form Tutor should always be your first point of contact for non-urgent pastoral issues. You can email Form Tutors via info@nlconline.org.uk with FAO: Name of staff member e.g. "FAO Mr Smith" in the subject title.

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Please contact your Head of Year if a serious situation arises. You can email Heads of Year via info@nlconline.org.uk with FAO: Name of staff member e.g. "FAO Mr Smith" in the subject title, you can find a list of staff on our website: <https://www.nlconline.org.uk/netherhall-learning-campus-high-school/our-school/our-staff/>

SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

MORE SERIOUS ISSUES LINKED TO A SPECIFIC ROLE

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Should you have an issue that hasn't been resolved by any other means, our Senior Leadership Team can assist, you can email the Senior Leadership Team via info@nlconline.org.uk with "FAO SLT" in the subject title.

HEAD OF SCHOOL

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HOMEWORK & GENERAL LESSON QUERIES

info@nlconline.org.uk

If you have questions about homework or a particular subject, please contact info@nlconline.org.uk with "FAO name of staff member" in the subject title, you can find a list of staff on our website: <https://www.nlconline.org.uk/netherhall-learning-campus-high-school/our-school/our-staff/>

HEADS OF DEPARTMENT

CURRICULUM QUERIES & MORE SERIOUS ISSUES

info@nlconline.org.uk

Heads of department can help you if you have any questions about curriculum or a more serious concern regarding your child's learning in a particular subject, please contact info@nlconline.org.uk with "FAO Head of Department and the Subject" in the subject title.

ATTENDANCE

APPOINTMENTS, ABSENCES & LATE TO SCHOOL

attendance@nlconline.org.uk or 01484 382140 option 1

If your child is too unwell to attend school or is unexpectedly late, we must be informed each day before 8:20am. Similarly, if your child has an unavoidable appointment during the school day, we must be informed in advance and receive evidence of the appointment.

MEDICAL & DIETARY NEEDS

pastoral@nlconline.org.uk

If you have any medical or dietary needs that need to be known by school, please email this information to the above address.

FINANCE

ALL PARENT PAY & SCHOOL TRIPS

finance@nlconline.org.uk or 01484 382140 option 4

If you have any questions regarding parent pay, trip payments, school meals and purchasing any other items please contact us using the details above.

SENCO

SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL & DISABILITY NEEDS

senco@nlconline.org.uk

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's special education or disability needs, please don't hesitate to get in touch with our SENCO team.

RECEPTION

info@nlconline.org.uk or 01484 382140 option 0

The quickest way to have your queries answered is to find the appropriate contact, if you have any other questions that aren't covered here, please contact our reception team, who will be happy to help direct your query Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 4:30pm and Friday 8:00am - 3:45pm.

EXAMS

examsteam@nlconline.org.uk or 01484 382140 option 4

If you have any questions regarding exams or certificates please contact us using the details above.

SAFEGUARDING TEAM

CONCERNS ABOUT ABUSE OR NEGLECT

Safeguard@nlconline.org.uk or 01484 382140 option 3

If you are concerned that a child or young person might be experiencing abuse or neglect, please don't hesitate to contact our Designated Safeguarding Team.

If you think a child or young person in Kirklees is experiencing abuse or neglect, please contact the Kirklees Safeguarding Team: Children's Social Care, Duty and Advice Team on 01484 414960 or the Emergency Duty Service 01484 456848 (out of hours)
www.kirkleessafeguardingchildren.co.uk