



DAILY BULLETIN – Wednesday 17th December 2025

Duty Head – J Presly

TO ALL STAFF: THIS IS NOT A CAT WEEK

TO ALL STAFF & PUPILS:

REGISTER TEACHERS - PLEASE INFORM YOUR GROUP

S1-6 Early Breaks

- Monday – S1
- Tuesday – S2
- Wednesday – S3, S5 and S6
- Thursday – S4

Podcast Recommendation This Week: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m000s2kt>

Sideways good BBC Podcast which deals with the philosophy of many things, from AI to war to psychology.

Cocoa & Kindness - Let a friend or teacher know that you appreciate them and buy them a festive hot chocolate. Whether for a friend or a random act of kindness, a festive drink can brighten a day!

Use the QR code to order a festive drink and it will be delivered the last Friday of term (we won't tell, if you want to order for yourself!).

We will also be in the atrium Mon - Weds, to take orders and in person orders can be paid for with cash too.



Boroughmuir's Christmas

- Wednesday 17th December Christmas Show 6 - 7 pm
- Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th Christmas lunch in the Atrium
- Thursday 18th December Bake sale to raise money for World Cancer Research
- Friday 19th December Christmas Jumper day

Last day events

It's nearly Christmas! We love to celebrate the end of the longest term together. Each year group has an event. Follow the instructions and enjoy!

Merry Christmas!

Teachers will come and stay with their classes for each event!

Year group	P1	P2	P3	P4
S1	Ceilidh Register in class then go to sports hall	Normal classes	Karaoke Register in class then go to assembly hall	Normal classes
S2	Normal classes	Christmas Quiz supported by S6 via Teams Join via Teams link in Staff hub	Normal classes	Normal classes
S3	Normal classes	Christmas Quiz supported by S6 via Teams Join via Teams link in staff hub	Normal classes	Normal classes
S4	Normal classes	Normal classes	Normal classes	S4 Thingummy Register in class then come to Atrium and sit on your class's table
S5	Normal classes	Normal classes	Pre-prom. Register in class then go to Sports Hall	Normal classes
S6	Normal classes	Normal classes	Quiz Go to Atrium	Normal classes

Mr Hayes

S1-6 Candy Cane Delivery: The fundraising committee will be taking orders for their candy cane delivery service this week! Come by at Monday lunchtime, Wednesday break or Thursday lunchtime in the upper atrium to place an order. It is £1 for one or 3 candy canes for £2. They will be accepting cash and card. You may write out a message to be delivered with your candy cane to anyone one you like and can do so anonymously or named. They will then go around classes delivering the candy canes next week.
So spread some Christmas cheer and send some candy canes! '

S6 fundraising committee

S1-6 Christmas Jumper Day: On Friday 19th December we will be having a Christmas jumper day to raise money for Save the Children. If you would like to participate the recommended donation is £1, which can be made through Parent Pay. Can't wait to see all the festive jumpers.

The Charities Committee.

S1-6 Christmas Lunches: Christmas Lunches for pupils served on Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th

Hot Plate: Turkey or haggis wellington and all the trimmings

Hot Snack: Buttermilk turkey burger / Quorn, cheddar and cranberry burger / Chipolata and bacon panini

Desert: Chocolate orange mousse / Fruits Forest trifle

Many Thanks Stewart & the team

S1-6 Eco Committee: Eco Committee is now in Room x218 on Wednesday lunchtimes - open to all students and staff in coming together to help our school become a more sustainable place

Mr Cogan

S1-6 Boroughmuir Gender Sexuality Alliance: Boroughmuir GSA is ready to start back up again on Wednesdays at lunch time in room 3.01
GSA is a safe space and a meeting place for members of the LGBTQIA+ community and their allies. We look forward to seeing you.

Mr Kastelein

S1-3 Languages Club: Come along to Languages Club in room 2.03 on Thursdays during lunchtime for some fun language learning games led by Boroughmuir's brilliant Language Ambassadors! You can bring your lunch with you.

Miss Gray

S3-6 Biology: 'For S3-6 - Join us in Room 3.13 every Wednesday lunchtime for supported study sessions covering all Biology qualifications. Bring along a topic or question you'd like help with'

Mr Beattie

S3-6 Senior Philosophy Lunch: Wednesday Lunchtimes in the dual teaching space! Bring your lunch along for casual conversation and passionate debate about all things Philosophy. For anyone who is interested in exploring ideas in a more relaxed environment, we're going to be meeting weekly to dive into whatever topics catch our interest!
Usual Philosophy club for all years is still going to be meeting weekly Monday after school in 2.06, but the lunches are a more casual environment to explore a wider range of questions.

Mr Fincham

S5-6 Prelims: The prelim timetable is now available – on year group Teams and sent home to families.

Remember:

- These are practice exams. You want to do your best and then find out where your mistakes were so you can do better in the summer.
- You will be a bit nervous. This is normal and everyone feels that way. Generally, the best way to deal with this is to try it out, ask for help and fix things.
- There are lots of instructions below for two reasons. Firstly, to make it feel exactly like real exams so you can learn to manage them. Secondly, because there are lots of people working to help you.
- Ask if you need help: your teachers, Mr Hayes, or Ms Hall for additional arrangements. The school office, the exam invigilators, and support for learning staff are all here to make things easier for you.

All the information you need to know about qualifications is here. It is important you read this so you know what you must do [Your coursework - SQA https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/84153.8931.html](https://www.sqa.org.uk/sqa/84153.8931.html)

- Remember also that things may change a little – rooms, timings and so on. This is normal and that's why it's important that you come early to assessments and keep checking. Well done for all your hard work so far!

Mr Hayes and Ms Paterson

S1 Do you like to play football? Do you want to enter a 5's mini tournament at lunchtime? If the answer is yes, then we are looking for you! Come along to the MUGA by 1pm on Thursday 18thDecember. We can put you in teams if you don't have a group of 5 players. Any questions you can speak to Mr Crawford in G:05.

S5 Leadership Football Group

S5 Assembly: Assembly cancelled on Friday

Mr Hayes

