

Growth Mindset - FORCE

Congratulations to the first students of this academic year to earn their FORCE badges. These students were awarded their certificates and badges by Mrs Mitcherson on Friday 4th October.

At Ridgeway we are committed to enabling our students to develop a Growth Mindset and thereby achieve more than they may have thought possible. They do this by demonstrating that they have the FORCE: Focus, Optimism, Resilience, Creativity and Energy. Every student has a FORCE card and, upon its completion, they are awarded a FORCE badge, a certificate and a FORCE card that allows them, and a friend, to jump the lunch queue in Attimore for a week.

We are really delighted to see so many Year 7 students embracing the Growth Mindset and joining their peers from other years in developing the FORCE skills. The students listed below are the latest to have earned this achievement and we are very proud of them all. May the FORCE be with you!

Forename	Reg	House	Number of FC
Alfie	7Edinburgh	Hawking	1
Amy	7Edinburgh	Anderson	1
Eve	7Durham	Lytton	1
Freddie	7Durham	Hawking	1
George	7Durham	Lytton	1
Hollie	7Oxford	Lytton	1
Jojo	7Durham	Lytton	1
Jonathan	7Edinburgh	Hawking	1
Nathan	7Durham	Mandela	1
Rhianna	9Durham	Anderson	14
Rose	7Durham	Hawking	1

Mrs C Maddocks
Assistant Head Achievement

School Vacancies

The following vacancy has been advertised on our website and on the Teach in Herts/TES websites:

Assistant Headteacher/Director of Mathematics

Closing date: 10:00am Friday 18 October 2019

Mrs H Smith
PA to Headteacher

Positive Youthful Minds
Weds 30 October • 9.30am-3.30pm
Bishop's Hatfield Girls' School
Woods Avenue • Hatfield • AL10 8NL

A FREE Mental Health and Wellbeing Conference with workshops and information stalls. Aimed at secondary school teaching and mental health professionals, parents, carers and young people living in Welwyn Hatfield.

For more information, email: communitypartnerships@welhat.gov.uk
To book tickets, visit: <https://positive-youthful-minds.eventbrite.co.uk>

In partnership with

AGE 11-18 | Pay & Play
Term Time Friday 4-7pm

Followed by **kicks** 7-9pm **FREE**

Open to Boys and Girls 11-17 Run by STEVENAGE FOOTBALL CLUB FOUNDATION

Please check social media pages as times and availability will vary on a weekly basis.

£1 Per Hour RA Students
£2 Per Hour Students
£3 Per Hour Non-Students

6th Form, College & Uni students must bring student ID*

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www.ridgeway.herts.sch.uk/sportscentre **01707 351352**

Non students must attend with a student. *Failure to provide ID will result in non student rate

School Parent/Carer Governor Opportunity

Ridgeway's Local Governing Body has vacancies for two parent governors and we would like to hear from any parent/carers who think they may be interested in becoming a governor of the school.

Being a governor is a vital and hugely rewarding role which gives the opportunity to make a huge difference to young people and give something back to your local community. Schools need a Governing Body with a range of different backgrounds, experience and skills to make it effective and it is important that we include parents amongst our governors.

We will be advertising our parent governor vacancies this week and really hope that you will consider applying for these.

Any parent/carers who are interested and would like to find out more information about the commitment involved is asked to contact the Chair of Governors via the email address below.

You can find out about our current governors via the school website and there is lots of general information about becoming a governor on the National Governors association website at www.nga.org.uk/.

Anne Garland
Chair of Governors
Anne.Garland@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk

After School Detentions

If a student has been issued a detention you will receive an email home approx 2-3pm that afternoon. The detention will normally be on the following day. If there is no detention on the following day, you will be advised accordingly in that same email.

If your child is not able to attend the detention please reply to the email that same evening stating the reason why. The detention will then be re-arranged to the following detention session and you will receive a new email informing you of the next day's detention. We would like to avoid parents ringing in at the time of the detention to tell us of appointments, etc.

Details of the behaviour logged will be available to view via the My Child At School website. To see the detail comment logged by the teacher, click on the 'More' tab within Behaviour, then select that day's date.

Mrs D Hornsey
Behaviour Support Officer

Quiz Night 18th October



Friday 18th October
@ 7pm

Tickets **£4** or
£9 with Chip
Supper

To reserve a table for your team and to purchase tickets please email:

Dawn.Hornsey@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk

Refreshments, and a raffle also on offer.

Choice of: burger, veggie burger, sausage, quarter chicken or cod. **Please get food orders in by Wednesday 9th October.**

Proceeds go towards our production of We Will Rock You in December.

Ridgeway Academy on Social Media

FOLLOW Ridgeway Academy on social media. Don't forget you can follow Ridgeway Academy on Twitter @Ridgeway_AC to get all the latest news, photos and information about school!



Cycling to School Safety

Children that cycle to school are to wear helmets and show excellent conduct when travelling to and from school for their own safety and as they represent Ridgeway Academy.



Mr S Booth
Assistant Headteacher

My Child At School (MCAS)

To view behaviour events logged for your child, both positive and negative, it is essential that you set up your account on My Child At School. If you haven't already, please look for the email sent last term with your account set up details. If you cannot find that email please request it to be sent again.

MCAS also shows Attendance, Progress Reports, Timetable, and will in the future be used to book appointments on Parents Evenings and for electronic communication with the school. It is therefore a very useful tool to have, and we would like all parents to access it as soon as possible.

Mr S Booth
Assistant Headteacher

Duke of Edinburgh Training

We will be holding a Duke of Edinburgh Award Information Evening for Year 10 at **6:30pm on Tuesday 15th October** in Osborn Hall. Please email to confirm attendance:

richard.sutton@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk



Mr R Sutton
Duke of Edinburgh Coordinator

Design & Technology on Instagram

The D&T department have now got an Instagram account. Students, parents and colleagues alike can now follow us on [@ridgewaytechnologydept](https://www.instagram.com/ridgewaytechnologydept)



Ms L Krantz
Design Technology Subject Leader

Vehicles on Site

Can you all please be aware that the speed limit on site is 5MPH.

Can parents dropping off or collecting students do so from outside the gate, unless you have an arrangement or appointment with the school.

Please keep the zigzag lines at the front of the school clear and park considerably around the roadways. This is to help prevent accidents and keep everybody safe during a very busy time of the day.

Mr P Ephgrave
Site Manager



Camps International Fundraising

We are holding a Costa Rica Parent/Carer Camps International Fundraising Support Evening on **Monday 14th October from 6:30pm** in Osborn Hall. Please email to confirm attendance:

richard.sutton@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk



Mr R Sutton
KS3 and KS5 Coordinator of Geography

Quote of the Week

NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE
THE WORD ITSELF SAYS
I'M POSSIBLE

Audrey Hepburn



Audrey Hepburn was a British actress and humanitarian. Recognised as a film and fashion icon, she was ranked by the American Film Institute as the third-greatest female screen legend in Golden Age Hollywood.

Half Termly Theme

GROWTH MINDSET

What Kind of Mindset Do You Have?



Drama Trip

Year 11 and 12 students attended a Drama trip last week, it was a big deal for some getting the train into London and we didn't get back until quite late. As always, our students did Ridgeway proud with their attitude, behaviour and enthusiasm.

I fully recommend going to see 'In Anchor We Hope' a new play by Anna Jordan, commissioned by the Royal Court, on at the Bunker Theatre until October 21st.

The play is set in 2016, in a pub in Pimlico about to be closed down, before certain political decisions were made, a multi-generational cast of five perform as Landlord, bar staff and punters sharing their stories of their friendship and crazy nights drinking.



Our students were so enthralled by the writing, production and performances that we have decided to use it as our Component 3 practical exam. Lots of monologues and duologue opportunities. Think *Two, meets Road* (Jim Cartwright)... but updated and relevant for our youngsters. Very funny, entertaining and accessible. Plus the set is a working pub...great tip to get there early and enjoy. You can buy the playscript for £5 at the box office.



A massive thank you to Anna Jordan and the team at The Bunker Theatre for giving us and our students this opportunity to see quality new theatre.

Link for tickets and info:
<https://www.bunkertheatre.com/whats-on/we-anchor-in-hope>.

Mrs S Standage
Drama Subject Leader

We Will Rock You Rehearsal Schedule (Version 4) October

Week beginning:	TIME	MONDAY DRAMA STUDIO	TUESDAY START MUSIC ROOM	WEDNESDAY DRAMA STUDIO MUSIC ROOM	THURSDAY MUSIC ROOM	FRIDAY	OTHER
07.10.19 WEEK 2	LUNCHTIME	DRAMA STUDIO OPEN FOR RECAP REHEARSALS	DRAMA Run Scene 8	LEAD DANCERS (Freya, Jess and Maisie?) - NOONE BUT YOU (Contemporary)	DRAMA STUDIO OPEN FOR RECAP REHEARSALS	DRAMA STUDIO OPEN FOR RECAP REHEARSALS	
	AFTER SCHOOL (3-4.30pm)	Scene 9 – Descent into the Underground Scene 10 – The Heartbreak Hotel Big Macca, Galileo, Scaramouche, Britney, Meat, Bohemian chorus, Page 38 - 43	<i>Headlong</i> Bohemian Chorus and leads YR 11 - ENGLISH INTERVENTION Come up to music after until 4.30pm	<i>Radio Gaga, One Vision</i> Gaga Kids and Leads <i>No One But You (Song)</i> Meatloaf YR 11 OPTION A INTERVENTION	*HEADLONG* *NOONE BUT YOU* ONE VISION YR 11 MATHS INTERVENTION		SATURDAY REHEARSAL 9-12

We Will Rock You Cast

FIRST	FORM	SOLO ROLE	Understudy	CHORUS	Lead DANCER
Olivia	12	Meat Loaf			
Kayne	12	Khashoggi			
Ethan	11	Galileo			
Charlie	11	Teacher			
Tilly	11	Killer Queen		Bohemian Lead	
Anaiah	11			Bohemian	
Ellie	11			Bohemian Lead	
Hannah	11			Bohemian	
Ben	11	Pop			
Callum	11	Brit			
Jess	11			Gaga Kid	Yes
Emma	11			Bohemian Lead	
Freya	11				Yes
Ryan	10				
Abigail	10	Scaramouche			
Jessica	10		Meat	Bohemian Lead	
Liam	10	Big Macca			
Matthew	10	Gaga Cop		Bohemian	
Ryden	10	Yuppie		Bohemian	
Rio	10	Yuppie		Bohemian Lead	
Michaela	10			Gaga Kid	Yes
Tamarin	10			Gaga Kid	
Holly	10			Gaga Kid	
Megan	10			Gaga Kid	
Deborah	10			Bohemian	
Kat	10			Bohemian	
Matthew	9	Yuppie	Khashhagi		
Cian	9	Yuppie	Brit		
Bobby	9	Yuppie			
Natalia	9	Gaga Cop		Bohemian	
Charlie	9	Yuppie		Bohemian	
Molly	9	Yuppie		Bohemian Lead	
Ella	9			Gaga Kid	
Georgia	9			Gaga Kid	
Abbie	9			Bohemian	
Erin	9			Gaga Lead	
Lelia	9			Bohemian	
Molly	9			Bohemian	
Karolina	9			Bohemian	
Thomas	8C	Gaga Cop		Gaga Kid	
Nelly	8			Gaga Lead	
Leo	8	Yuppie	Galileo		
Gemma	8			Bohemian	
Hailie	8			Bohemian	
Aland	8			Bohemian	
Tate	8			Bohemian	
Amy	8			Bohemian	
Lucas	8			Bohemian	
Erin	8			Bohemian	
Molly	8D			Gaga Lead	
Ryder	7E			Gaga Kid	
Isla	7K			Gaga Kid	
Ava	7E			Gaga Kid	
Rebecka	7W			Gaga Kid	
Honey	7K			Gaga Kid	
Phoebe	7K			Gaga Kid	
Nathan	7E			Gaga Kid	
Tian	7C			Gaga Kid	
Ella	7O			Gaga Kid	
Evie	7W			Gaga Kid	
Albie	7E			Gaga Kid	
Maya	7E			Gaga Kid	
Olivia	7E			Gaga Kid	
Isabella	7W			Gaga Kid	
Abi	7E			Gaga Kid	
Katie	7E			Gaga Kid	
Oliver	7K			Gaga Kid	

Drama News

Theatre Trips

We are in the process of booking up a range of theatre trips. Information so far:

SHOW: Everyone's Talking About Jamie

Apollo Theatre, London

Wednesday 16th October 2019 leaving @ 5.30pm

Cost: £36 on Wisepay or see Julie in Finance

SHOW: Some Like it Hip Hop

Sadlers Wells (Peacock Theatre), London

Thursday 7th November 2019

For Year 10 and 11 GCSE Dance students.

Cost: £17

SHOW: Dr Faustus (Splendid Productions)

Quarry Theatre, Bedford

Tuesday 26th February 2020

For Year 10 Drama students.

Cost: TBC

SHOW: Blood Brothers

TBC

For Year 10 Drama students.

Mrs S Standage

Drama Subject Leader

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Halloween Lunchtime Crafts

Come and join us to make different spooky crafts to take home
Every lunchtime in Osborn
Starts Monday 14th October for 2 weeks

Monday Marshmallow monster pops

Tuesday Ping pong ball ghosties

Wednesday Oreo cookie spiders

Thursday Eyeball Lights **£1**

Friday Spooktacular Cupcakes



Halloween Fair

4-6pm in Osborn Hall

Friday 25th October

Best costume competition

Haunted House Experience

Guess the weight of the Halloween cake

Spooktacular games

Lucky dip, Witches hat hoopla, Pumpkin piñata,
Halloween balloon run & Apple bobbing

Coffin photo-booth

Spooky cakes & treats stall

Face-painting

Halloween nail art

Refreshments

Bring all of your family!

Parent Network support & information groups are a safe space for parents to get together and receive emotional support, information and share knowledge. Each session will include a topic of discussion as well as support and information by trained facilitators who are also parents of children with SEND

Sessions are free and funded by the Big Lottery.



How WE can help you

- Gain knowledge and support through tried and tested tips and strategies, developed through evidence based research
- Learn through shared experiences
- Meet others parenting families similar to your own
- Receive emotional support
- Speakers on specialist subjects
- Signposting to local services



How YOU can help others

- We train parent carers to become volunteer hosts and facilitators to open up new networks
- Turn your life's experience into helpful skills for others
- Accredited CPD training
- Building local community support



Come along to any Parent Network session to find out more about the training we offer

It's FREE simply come along

To find out your nearest Parent Network support & information group in Hertfordshire and Bedfordshire, as well as dates, visit our website www.familiesinfocus.co.uk

For more information

Contact Lesley or Francine on the following details:
tel: 01442 219720 | **email:** info@familiesinfocus.co.uk
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PE Update/Leadership Update

Year 5 Fun Run

On Wednesday 25th September, 200 primary school students joined us on the field for the annual Year 5 Fun Run competition. This is a key event in the competition calendar and does lead to a Level 2 event, where those across the district compete against each other at Stanborough Lakes.

Despite the constant rain, the children did excellently well during both the participation and competitive races. It was amazing to see so many young people active and having fun! 24 students will now represent Ridgeway Academy at the next round of the competition.

We hope you all had a fantastic afternoon, well done to you all!



A huge thank you must go to Charlotte and Matt who paced the 3 races which took place, ensuring students knew the course and how fast to go! Also, to the newly formed Year 12 Sports Leaders who acted as marshals, motivators and also organised the finishing places and certificates. We could not have done it without you!

Year 5 Playground Leaders

Since the start of the Autumn Term, Ridgeway Academy's Primary School Sports Partnership has been training Year 5 students within our local primary schools. Students had the opportunity to learn the skills and characteristics of a good leader, how to plan a sporting session and how to adapt a session using the 'STEP' principle.

As part of the training, students then planned and lead their own games to the rest of their class, using what they had learnt. It was brilliant to see the students grow in confidence, as well as knowledge, to become competent leaders and produce some excellent games.

Schools will then use the leaders during break and lunchtimes to support younger students within the school.

Year 8 Basketball Club Change

Please be aware of the following changes to the Year 8 Basketball Club:

Friday afterschool in the Sports Hall with Mr Chappell and Mr Carolan has now been extended by 30 mins and will now run from 3-4.30pm.

A reminder that in order to be selected for a team, you must attend training sessions regularly, or let the relevant member of the PE Department know why you cannot attend a particular session.

Social Media

Please follow the PE Department/Leadership Academy on social media for news about what we are doing around the school and within the community including fixtures information, lesson information and other interesting links and resources!

Facebook – www.facebook.com/RidgewayPEDept
Instagram – www.instagram.com/RidgewayPEDept/
Twitter – www.twitter.com/ridgewayleaders & www.twitter.com/ridgewaypedept

Mr R Carolan
School Sports Co-Ordinator

October Half Term
Mon 28th Oct - Fri 1st Nov
9am - 4pm

£60 Unlimited Weekly Card**

Age 5-14 Pay & Play
£3 Per Person Per Hour
£2.50 Per Sibling Per Hour

**Extended Hours*
8-9am and 4-5pm**

*This must be booked with 1 weeks notice.

All sessions supervised by the RA Sports Centre Team

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Do you want to join a Sporting Team?

Do you want to join a sporting team but unaware of when the training days are for that specific sport? Please see the detailed guide below to see how the different sports are included into our extra-curricular programme.

	Football	Girls Football	FUTSAL - Girls	Netball	Basketball	Badminton
Year 7	Monday Afterschool 3-4pm	Wednesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Monday Lunchtime	Monday Afterschool 3-430pm	Wednesday Lunchtime	Tuesday Lunchtime
Year 8	Thursday Afterschool 3-4pm	Wednesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Monday Lunchtime	Monday&Thursday Afterschool 3-430pm	Wednesday Lunchtime/Friday Afterschool 3-430pm	Tuesday Lunchtime
Year 9	Monday Afterschool 3-4pm	Wednesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Monday Lunchtime	Tuesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Friday Lunchtime/Wednesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Tuesday Lunchtime
Year 10	Tuesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Wednesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Monday Lunchtime	Tuesday Afterschool 3-4pm	Friday Lunchtime/Monday Afterschool 3-4pm	Tuesday Lunchtime
Year 11	TBA			TBA	Monday Afterschool 3-4pm	



PE DEPARTMENT AUTUMN TERM CLUBS LIST 2019

	<u>Lunch Clubs</u>	<u>Requirements/Location/Lunch</u>	<u>After School Clubs</u>	<u>Time/Requirements Location</u>
Monday	All Girls FUTSAL (MP)	MUST HAVE Trainers/SPORTS HALL	Year 9 Football (RTC)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with Football Boots/ALL WEATHER PITCH
	Year 7 REWARD Football Kick About on AWP (MTI)	MUST HAVE Trainers/ALL WEATER PITCH/INVITE ONLY	Year 7&8 Netball (CD)	3-430pm/FULL PE KIT/SPORTS HALL or OUTDOOR COURTS
Tuesday	Year 7 Football (MP)		Year 7 Football (MP)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with Football Boots/ALL WEATHER PITCH
	Year 10/11 Basketball (KA/JC)		Year 10/11 Basketball (KA/JC)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with trainers/SPORTS HALL/TEAM PLAYERS ONLY
Wednesday	KS3 + Year 10 Badminton (RTC)	MUST HAVE Trainers/SPORTS HALL/Competition Selection	Year 10 Football (KA)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with Football Boots/ALL WEATHER PITCH
	Primary Competitions	Sports Hall closed for Primary Competitions unless otherwise stated.	Year 9 + 10 Netball (CD/SV)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT/SPORTS HALL or OUTDOOR COURTS
Thursday	Year 7 + 8 Basketball (MP)	MUST HAVE Trainers/SPORTS HALL/TEAM PLAYERS ONLY	All Years Girls Football (RTC)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with Football Boots/ALL WEATHER PITCH
	Year 10 REWARD Football Kick About on AWP (GM)	MUST HAVE Trainers/ALL WEATER PITCH/INVITE ONLY	Year 9 Basketball (MP)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with trainers/SPORTS HALL/TEAM PLAYERS ONLY
Friday	Year 8 REWARD Football Kick About on AWP (WS)	MUST HAVE Trainers/ALL WEATHER PITCH/INVITE ONLY	Year 8 Netball (CD)	3-415pm/FULL PE KIT/SPORTS HALL or OUTDOOR COURTS
	Netball Masterclass (CD)	MUST HAVE Trainers/SPORTS HALL/INVITE ONLY (7&8)	Year 8 Football (MP)	3-4pm/FULL PE KIT with Football Boots/ALL WEATHER PITCH
Friday	Year 9 + 10 Basketball (KA)	MUST HAVE Trainers/SPORTS HALL/TEAM PLAYERS ONLY	Year 8 Basketball (JC/RTC)	3-430pm/FULL PE KIT with trainers/SPORTS HALL/TEAM PLAYERS ONLY
	Year 11 REWARD Football Kick About on AWP (GM)	MUST HAVE Trainers/ALL WEATER PITCH/INVITE ONLY		

Only students participating in a club must be in the facility, with trainers. There **MUST NOT** be any spectators at clubs or people in the Sports Hall corridors during Lunchtime. Students must get and eat their lunch first and then enter the club, unless otherwise stated. Once a club is full, no more students can participate. **Please note that all clubs are subject to change, especially due to extra-curricular fixtures, please always check the noticeboards.**

Sports Centre Update

Summer Review and October Half Term

As we started the new academic year on Tuesday 3rd September at Ridgeway Academy, we can reflect on what has been a record breaking summer for Ridgeway Academy Sports Centre.

We were open for the entire 6 weeks and had provision of activities for children aged 5-18 on each day with some incredible stats: Total Children - 543, Total Hours of Play - 2408.

The stats above are solely for our own programmes however we also had lots of other activities going on across our school site including:

Multi-Active
Choice Tutors
PQA Welwyn Garden City
Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council
NCS - National Citizen Service project with Herts
Disability Sports Foundation

Thank you to everyone who attended over the summer, we now look forward to welcoming our regular hirers back and the countdown for October Half Term is well and truly on!

#alwaysmovingforward

DiPPs Charity Football Tournament

On Sunday 15th September we hosted the 4th annual DiPPs charity football tournament.

DiPPs is a charity which raises awareness of the necessity for readily accessible defibrillators in public places.



This has been an amazing fundraiser in the past for the charity that does great work in the local community. We are delighted to announce that the day made well over £1000, enough for a new

defibrillator! Well done to 'Men Talk' who beat Sandridge in the final.

Back to Netball

Back to Netball continues to run here at Ridgeway every Monday (excluding Bank Holidays) from 7-8PM. The session is run by qualified Netball coaches and is perfect for those that have not played for a while or want to play for the first time!



The cost of the session is just £5 for an hour full of Netball drills and fun games. If you would like to play, simply turn up on the evening and play! If you would like any further information please contact Lucy on: Lucy.Prestedge@englandnetball.co.uk

Children's Birthday Parties

Looking for a brand new state of the art venue that offers affordable and value for money children's birthday parties?

Why not celebrate a birthday with us here at Ridgeway Academy this year? Our staff are qualified to lead fun and exciting activities in a variety of sports including; Football, Dodgeball and a Multi-Sport option!

Our packages start from just £100 – if you would like to find out some more information or to book please do not hesitate to contact:

Ross.Goodship@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk
or call us on: 01707 351 352

KICKS

Every Friday in term time, we run an 11-18 year old Pay and Play session for those wanting to do Football on the all-weather pitch. Times may vary, so please keep up to date with the pay and play times as posted on social media.

Friday Night KICKS will also be here again at #RASC every Friday night on the all-weather pitch from 7-9pm.

This will be completely FREE and open to boys and girls aged 11-17, You can come and have a game of football and have FUN. These sessions are led by Stevenage Football Club Foundation and Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council. For more information, please contact the above organisations or see the poster.

Mr R Goodship
Sports Centre Manager



Children's Parties

Step 1 - Choose your package

- £180 Gold - 32 children, 1.5hrs play, 30mins food & drink*
 - £140 Silver One - 32 children, 1hr play, 30mins food & drink*
 - Silver Two - 16 children, 1.5hr play, 30mins food & drink*
 - £100 Bronze - 16 children, 1 hr play, 30mins food & drink*
 - £200 Runaround Rascals under 5 - 20 children, 1.5hr play, 30mins food & drink*
- Bronze Silver 1 Runaround Rascals
 Silver 2 Gold

Step 2 - Choose your sport/activity

- Football Dance Dodgeball Multi Sport

(All RA Sports Centre staff are qualified, first aid trained and abide by NGB ratios for coaching sessions. Gold, Silver and Bronze parties are for children aged 5+, Runaround Rascals parties are for children aged under 5. Please contact for more information.)

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Children's Parties



RA Sports Centre

Step 3 - Tell us a bit more about your childs party

Details: Preferred date & time: _____

Childs Name & Age: _____

Number of boys/girls attending: B ___ G ___ Photo Consent: Y / N

Parent Info: Name _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Number: _____

Payment Method: Bank Transfer / Cheque / Cash

Step 4 - I am also interested in...

Party Invites

Table Arrangement & Squash

Anything Else?
(e.g. face painters)

Please contact ross.goodship@ridgeway.herts.sch.uk or call 01707 351352 to add this to your package

Please hand this into a member of staff at reception. A member of the RA Sports Centre team will be in contact regarding your party shortly!

*Food and drink not included. Payment must be made 2 weeks prior to the party.

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- Friday 1st November

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£3

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Autumn Term 2019

Thurs 10 th Oct	Year 10 Martin Van Der Spoel Talk
Fri 11 th Oct	Year 11 Consortium Careers Fair
Tues 15 th Oct	Year 10 and Year 11 Battlefield Medicine Workshop
Mon 28 th Oct - Fri 1 st Nov	Half Term
Fri 8 th Nov	Year 11 Christmas Carol in Osborn Hall
Thurs 14 th Nov	Year 11 Consortium Information Evening
Fri 15 th Nov	Year 9 Reports home
w/c 18 th and 25 th Nov	Year 11 Pre-public Exams Week
Thurs 21 st Nov	Year 9 Parents' Consultation Evening
Fri 22 nd Nov	Year 8 Reports home
Fri 29 th Nov	Occasional Day (school closed)
Thurs 5 th Dec	Year 10 Parents Consultation Evening
Mon 9 th Dec	Year 7 Harry Potter Studio Trip
Fri 20 th Dec	End of Term

Spring Term 2020

Mon 6 th Jan	Inset Day
Tues 7 th Jan	Start of Term
Thurs 13 th - Fri 14 th Feb	Inset Days
Mon 17 th - Fri 21 st Feb	Half Term
Fri 3 rd April	End of Term

Summer Term 2020

Mon 20 th Apr	Start of Term
Fri 8 th May	Bank Holiday
Mon 25 th - 29 th May	Bank Holiday Monday and Half Term
Fri 17 th July	End of Term
Mon 20 th - Tues 21 st July	Inset Days (school closed)