



COLFOX BULLETIN 4

HEADTEACHER NEWS

It has been another busy week at Colfox! Well done everyone who took part in our informal concert, represented Colfox at sporting fixtures or took part in the Dorset Youth Voice workshop looking at what needs improving in Bridport for young people. We also had a very successful Y12 Welcome Evening and Y13 Parents Evening. I am pleased to announce that we are going to introduce opportunities to study GCSE Film Studies, following requests from our students. We had lots of brilliant careers talks last year, thanks to everyone who visited, we'd love to welcome people from all fields of work to Colfox again this year, please get in touch to find out more. Please encourage your child to complete the Children's Commissioner's [Big Future Survey](#). Year 11 Parents, you will find details below of our drop-in GCSE help sessions, please encourage your child to go, students who go along do better in their GCSEs. Don't forget to get your tickets to the [Colfox Recital on 8 Oct](#), under 18s get in free. Have a good weekend, **Adam Shelley, Headteacher**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Week Beginning 5/10/26 Week B

Mon 5th Student House Council meeting

Wed 7th Senior Maths Challenge

Thur 8th Colfox Recital [tickets here](#) under 18s free!

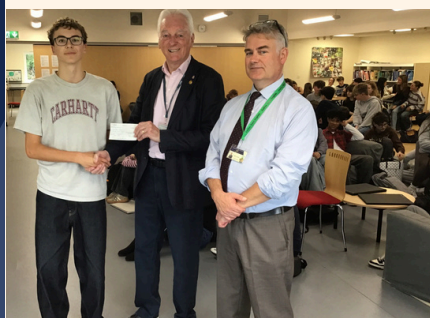
Clubs info: colfox.org/clubs

You can now follow us on Facebook

Colfox PE is also on Instagram

CAREERS

Well done Tali!



Congratulations to Tali in Y12, who plays volleyball for England! Bridport Rotary Club kindly awarded Tali funds in recognition of his sporting achievements. Adam Teasdale, Head of Sixth Form said: "Thank you Rotary, Tali is a very talented young man and this will help with the costs of playing international sport."

Colfox Careers Lunches Can you help?



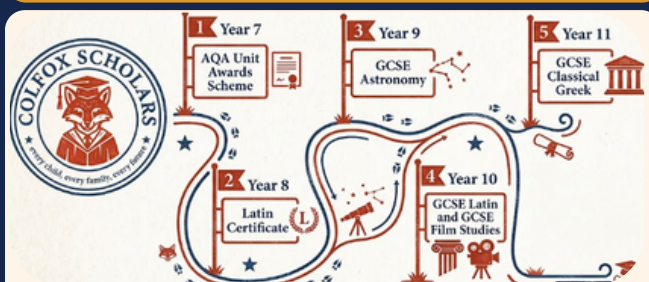
We've enjoyed some fantastic Careers Talks, we've loved hearing from Geologists, Builders, NATO, Carpet Fitters, Paramedics, Lawyers and many more people who've kindly given up their time to share insights into their work. If you'd like to find out about giving a Tue Lunch Careers Talk please email: office@sirjohncolfox.org

Informal Concert lots of great performances!

Well done to Edie, Daisy, Joshua, Eliza & Finn for their fantastic performances at our Informal Concert, they were all brilliant! Our regular informal concerts give our students greater opportunities to perform & friends, family & supporters are always welcome! Our next Informal Concert is 22 October.



LATIN, ASTRONOMY, GREEK & FILM YOU SAID, WE DID STUDENT SPECIAL



We believe in listening to our students' academic interests & introducing courses they want. Latin, Astronomy, Classical Greek have begun and we'll shortly be offering Film Studies GCSE too!

THIS WEEK'S FREE EXPERT SESSIONS

New full October support talks timetable below

Understanding The Teenage Brain

6 Oct 10am

Supporting Healthy Sleep

6 Oct 7pm

Lots of parents are going & finding the talks useful. We've paid for everyone to have free access (usual cost £24) [choose your session here](#) & use code SJC191226 (full Oct timetable below)

colfox.org/talks



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PRESENTS



ONE PIANO ONE VOICE

A portrait of two women, Rebecca Nash and Sara Colman, against a dark brown background. Rebecca Nash is on the left, with long reddish-brown hair tied in a bun, wearing a black top and a silver necklace. Sara Colman is on the right, with long curly brown hair and glasses, wearing a black patterned top.

REBECCA NASH & SARA COLMAN

THURSDAY 8 OCTOBER, 7 PM

COLFOX ACADEMY, BRIDPORT DT6 3DT

TIX: £12. UNDER 18S - FREE

TICKETS VIA QR CODE

Free Parking - Pay Bar - Proceeds for SchoolFunds



LUNCHTIME REVISION AND INTERVENTION

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Art (C204/205)	Art (C204/205)	Art (C204/205)	Art (C204/205)	Art (C204/205)
Drama (B201)	Physics (A209)	Biology (A205)	Business (A207)	Drama 7+ (B201)
Chemistry (A203)		Food (C101)	Food (C101)	DT - NEA Catch-up (C101)
		Physics (A208)		Physics (A202)
		Science Practicals (A201)		

AFTER SCHOOL REVISION AND INTERVENTION

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
GCSE Netball	Ancient History (B218)	Science - see details outside A203 for topics, staff and rooms.	Art (C204/205)	Music (B205)
GCSE Badminton	English (B208/B209)		Business (A207)	
	Maths - Foundation (A110)	DT - NEA Catch-up Year 10 and 11 (C101)	Computer Science - Week B only (ICT)	
	Maths - Further (A109)	Maths - Higher (A109)	DT - Exam Theory (C101)	
	RS - (A106)	Spanish & French (B217)	Geography (A104)	
		RS - Year 10 - (A105)	GCSE Handball (Sports Hall)	
			History (A105)	
			Maths - Foundation (A110/A112)	

All revision clubs are intended for Year 11 unless otherwise stated.

LUNCHTIME CLUBS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Chess Club - A110	Creative Writing Club - Library	Drama Club - B201	Drama Club - B201	Heartstopper Club (Y10+) - A105
Volleyball (Y7/8/9)	Dungeons and Dragons - A101	Crochet and Knitting - Library	Blue Planet - B209	Crystals and Houseplants - A203
Table Tennis (Y7/8/9)	Pokemon and board games - A106	Volleyball (Y10/11)	Maths Club - A107	10-min Science club - A201
Hand Chimes (Y7/8)	Pickleball (Y7/8/9)	Table tennis (Y11 Girls)	Pickleball (Y10/11)	Badminton (Y7/8/9)
	Table tennis (Y10 Boys)	Orchestra (all years)	Table tennis (Y10 Girls)	Table tennis (Y11 Boys)
	Quiet Crafting Club B208			

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
Homework Club - Library	Homework Club - Library	Homework Club - Library	Homework Club - Library
Homework Club - SEN	Homework Club - SEN	Homework Club - SEN	Homework Club - SEN
	Robotics Club (Y8-12) - A209	Netball (Y9-10)	School play rehearsals - B201/B202
	Running Club (Y7-13)	Hockey (Y7-10)	Running Club
	Netball (Y7-8)	Rugby (Y7-8)	Rugby (Y9-10)
	Year 10 Music Club	Y7 Maths Circles	Y9 Music Club
		Y8 Maths Circles	
		Colfox Music Club (age 7-18, open to young people from others schools and home learners)	

Our Clubs are free, fun and beginners can join at any time, there are no after school clubs on Friday.



Parent Support Sessions October

We all need help sometimes. Advice about supporting your child's wellbeing is available via special Zoom sessions. We've paid for free access for all our Colfox Parents & Carers. Simply choose your **session here** and at the payment stage click **'enter a promo code'** and use **SJC19226**.

Understanding The Teenage Brain	6 Oct 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	6 Oct 7pm
Supporting A Child With ADHD	13 Oct 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	13 Oct 7pm
Autism Improving Communication	14 Oct 10am
Improving Family Communication	14 Oct 7pm
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	20 Oct 10am
Facing Defiance	20 Oct 7pm
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	21 Oct 10am
Understanding Anger	21 Oct 7pm
Raising Self-Esteem (free for all)	23 Oct 7-8pm
Anxiety Explained	27 Oct 10am
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	27 Oct 7pm
What Is ACT?	28 Oct 10am
Introduction To OCD	28 Oct 7pm