THE EDUCATION ALLIANCE

News from across the Trust

The trust website www.theeducationalliance.org.uk is now up and running and is updated on a regular basis with key information and trust policies.

As the trust continues to develop, we have reviewed the roles of the central trust team and the enhanced responsibilities they are now undertaking. Jennifer Jewitt has become Director of Finance and Business Development and will lead on financial aspects in all trust schools and Francesca Roper has now become Executive Assistant.

The first joint trust training event was held last term and the feedback has been very positive. Educationalist, the "Real David Cameron" was one of the highlights of the day. We are planning more joint initiatives and are planning on having days across all the schools following the alignment of calendars.

We continue to offer opportunities for career development and progression, both in base schools and across the trust and we hope that staff feel the benefit of trust working and the positive impact that this has made.

We are delighted to confirm that Cavendish Primary School, the closest primary school to Malet Lambert School, has begun a consultation with a view to joining The Education Alliance. They will complement Hunsley Primary School and we are all looking forward to welcoming them to the trust.

Sporting success from across the Trust

Malet Lambert School

This year, the Year 7 girls' rugby team have had an incredibly successful first year. The girls have achieved some excellent results, both locally and nationally. Following strong performances in competitions with other Hull Schools, the team qualified for the final of the Yorkshire Cup, finishing runners up and qualifying for the Champion Schools' National Cup competition. They are the first female Malet Lambert team to achieve this. The team will now play the National Cup final on Friday 26 August in London, before taking a pre-match pitch walk at the Challenge Cup final at Wembley.

The Year 9 boys' rugby team continued their successful run, winning the Hull League Cup and 9-a-side treble without losing a single game. Five of the boys have now been awarded scholarships for the City of Hull Academy. The football teams continue their strong performance, with the Year 7 boys' team winning the Hull Schools Cup and the Year 9 & 11 boys winning the Hull Schools League.

The Year 7 netball team have dominated the regional competitions with the A team coming second and the B team winning the Hull League.

Driffield School and Sixth Form

The East Riding Sports Partnership held a level 2 Dodgeball tournament at Beverley Longcroft. The Year 8 girls went through to the level 3 Humber Sports finals later in the year. The Under 12 girls' cricket team came joint 3rd in the indoor cricket final. The Year 11 netball squad recently progressed through to the end of season netball championships winning all three games. Well done to all involved.

South Hunsley School and Sixth Form College

The Under 15 girls' football team were crowned national champions of the PlayStation Schools' Cup after an impressive 5-1 win.

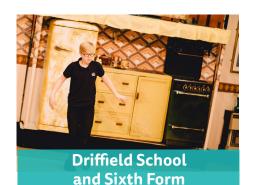
The Year 8 netball team represented the East Riding at the Humber School Games Netball competition. Having played each team twice, South Hunsley were unbeaten during the tournament and crowned the winners for the second year in row.



South Hunsley School - U15 PlayStation Schools' Cup National Champions

Sporting Success Hunsley Primary School

Reception and Year 1 pupils have had an excellent year of sporting activity, not least due to their programme of PE lessons delivered by the secondary specialist teachers, working alongside the primary staff: basketball, football, gymnastics, tennis to name but a few of the sports. The pupils even had a go on the climbing aall! Our Multi-Sports Club has proven very successful again this year, with our staff collaborating with the senior Sports Leaders to run weekly after-school classes which develop a range of skills. We have welcomed into school a number of professional coaches, including Fit4Fun, Tigers' Trust and the Yorkshire Cricket Club, to deliver exciting sessions. Year 1 also developed a taste for Boccia and New Age Kurling when they visited St Anne's for an afternoon of inclusive inter-school sports. We will be rounding off the sporting year beautifully with our whole school Sports Day – a true team event organised by the South Hunsley PE department, Sports BTEC students and the Hunsley Primary staff.



Driffield students will have noticed the changes in the dining areas around school as we prepare to launch new catering arrangements from September. We have established a working party to look at the changes and governors, parents and students will be involved. We will be introducing new menus and giving a greater number of hot food options. In order to be able to do this, we will be closing East kitchen and using West and North where we have created more inside spaces for students to eat packed lunches and food purchased on site. We are also re-opening the sixth form servery to give sixth form students their own space as we try to enhance their experience when they choose to stay on into Year 12.

The new Local Governing Body are now in place and are active in and around school.

Billy Elliott

Last term, the cast of Billy Elliott sold out five performances and extra seating had to be provided to accommodate demand! Well done to all staff and students involved as a lot of hard work, dedication and rehearsal time went in to ensuring that performances were polished. The reviews from staff, students and parents have been fantastic.

Did you know?

Each week, across all trust schools we provide over 9100 hot lunches



The new house system will go live on 30 June with all staff and students finding out which house they have been allocated in the big reveal. House colours have slowly been added around the school and there is a real excitement from both staff and students. As always, Heads of School have to remain impartial and, as such, Patrick Sprakes will not be allocated a

house and each of the house colours are displayed in his office.

The Cube from South Hunsley is now operational and has been renamed "The Pod" It has proved to be popular and students have begun opting to stay onsite for their lunch, with them being able to order, paninis, baguettes etc.

We are delighted that Malet Lambert have been awarded the Inclusion Quality Mark, gaining Centre of Excellence status again. The feedback from the assessor was very positive and they have recommended that we are not reassessed until 2020.

















The 2017-18 academic year will be the third reception intake since the flagship Free School opened its doors and we are very pleased to confirm that the school is now fully-subscribed in reception. An open afternoon for the new intake will take place on Tuesday 11 July. The planning application for an additional classroom to accommodate the new intake has been successful and works will be undertaken over the summer break to avoid disruption to learning.

Work on the permanent site will commence over the summer with the new building being completed in time for the 2018-19 academic year.

We were recently visited by the advisor for the DfE who made some lovely comments about the school, staff and the children and feels that they are making outstanding progress.



Did you know?

Across the 3 secondary schools in the trust, there have been over 23,300 papers sat during this examination period.

South Hunsley School has once again been shortlisted for the Pupil Premium Awards and could be chosen as the national winner in the next round. Julie Wickenden, Helen Jewitt and Karen Dow, Chair of the Local Governing Body, will attend the awards ceremony at the House of Commons on 29 June to find out if we have won the award. We would like to thank everyone who has worked so hard to improve the outcomes of disadvantaged students and we look forward

to sharing some further good news with you later this month.

The Space has now been up and running for a number of weeks and has proved popular with both students and staff for both dining and sporting facilities. We remain on track with the next phase of our site development. Jenny Jewitt, Stephen Dale and Wayne Brown have worked extremely hard managing the day to day logistics to ensure that disruption to the school has been kept to a minimum.







We continue to recruit high quality trainees for the next academic year and so far we have recruited 19 trainees to commence training in 2017-18 across all subjects, including primary. This year, one of our trainees has been awarded a scholarship from the Royal Society of Chemistry to support his studies. The trainees will be placed in Trust schools and schools in the wider partnership locally.

We have most recently welcomed Cavendish Primary School to our ITT partnership and are looking forward to working with staff from the school who will lead on training in the primary arm of Yorkshire Wolds Teacher Training.

Key Dates

Friday 21 July 2017 Last day of term

Thursday 17 August 2017 A Level Results Day

Thursday 24 August 2017 GCSE Results Day

Monday 4 September 2017 Training Day

Tuesday 5 September 2017 First day of term (various arrangements in schools)