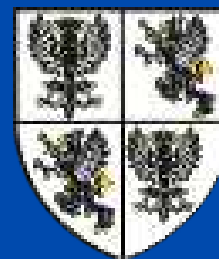


STANLEY Newsletter



Friday 1st May 2026

Success for all

How quickly this academic year is passing! Year 11 GCSE examinations commence next week; please see the exam timetable at the end of this newsletter for your information. We will be inviting Year 11 students onsite from 8am daily to meet at the canteen for breakfast and gain any last minute guidance or advice from subject staff.

This is to allow them time to mentally prepare in a calm and supportive environment.

Please encourage your child to arrive with plenty of time to prepare themselves. Even if they do not wish to go to the canteen at 8am, we will expect them onsite no later than 8.30am. We thank you for your assistance in ensuring they arrive promptly.

Year 11 students have been given the May half term revision timetable this week; please see this below.

Year 9 students set off on their Bronze DofE Practice Expedition today and we wish them well - fingers crossed the good weather continues.

Year 10 parent/carers have received an email this week explaining the process as they move into the Mock Exam window. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

Year 8 parent/carers are now able to book their appointments for the Progress Evening on 14th May. Please contact the office if you are unable to book your appointments. The Year 8 team will be contacting you to check you are able to access the link if you have not already.

We have emailed home the April Spotlight on Safeguarding Newsletter for your information. Should you have any safeguarding concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Regan or Mrs Watson.

If you are not receiving communications via email from the school, please do not hesitate to contact the office. And please inform the office of any changes to your contact information to ensure our records are up to date.

Dates for your Diary

4th May

Bank Holiday

8th May

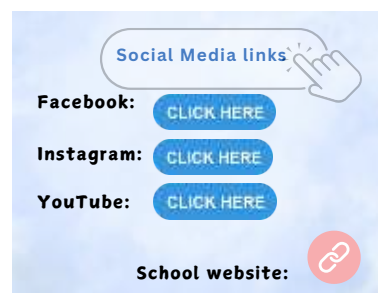
GCSE Exams commence

14th May

Year 8 Parent/Carer Evening
3.30-6.30pm

15th May

Bronze DofE Practice Expedition



Assemblies

w/c 4/5

VE Memorial Day

PRAISE POINTS

Congratulations to the **558** students who received no behaviour points last week.

Keep up the good work.

Extra-curricular Timetable

PE department



All other activities





Year 7 Waddecar visit



Our Year 7 Activity Day at Waddecar Scout Camp was a huge success and a day to remember. Enjoying the beautiful sunshine, students took part in a range of exciting outdoor activities including team building challenges, archery, bouldering, and tomahawk throwing. These activities encouraged students to push themselves, support one another, and develop confidence in a fun and safe environment.

It was wonderful to see them working so well together, demonstrating excellent teamwork, resilience, and encouragement for their peers throughout the day. Many lasting memories were made, with plenty of smiles and laughter enjoyed by both students and staff alike.

Behaviour throughout the trip was fantastic, and the students were a real credit to the school. A big thank you to all staff involved in making the day run so smoothly; it was truly a perfect day for outdoor learning and fun.





London Marathon 2026

What an incredible weekend for our 6 Stanley students who were able to experience the London Marathon last weekend. To help continue to spread awareness of the kNOwKnifeCrime campaign, our Stanley runners took part in the TCS mini marathon event – a 2.6km race around the incredible landmarks of London. This was a lovely atmosphere for our students to experience, as the crowds continued to cheer and show support throughout the race.

Sunday was another busy day as all students had the opportunity of visiting the London Eye and watching the London marathon event at Mile 25! This was extremely inspiring for our students as they cheered on all the outstanding runners, including staff from the Southport Learning Trust!

We are incredibly proud of all the students who were involved in the weekend and would like to say a massive congratulations to everyone involved for making this trip such a success!



Please visit their website to learn more about what they do.

[Stanley High School | Charity Champions Lancashire | Lancashire Cash for Kids -](#)



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Boxing news

Congratulations to Kevin (Krauze) in Year 10 who went over to the Isle of Man last Saturday to take part in a boxing competition.

He won his bout, with the referee saying that Kevin was an amazing boxer and that he had loads of potential.

Well done to Kevin - we look forward to watching your boxing progress.



Congratulations to Harrison who was awarded the Child of Courage Award at this year's Pride of Sefton on Friday evening. This award gives recognition of his courageous battle against Stage 4 Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma and the inspiration for Harrison's recent 24-hour sponsored swim which raised £27,700 for the Oncology Ward at Alder Hey Children's Hospital held in January.

This award is shared with everyone who has supported Harrison on his journey and everyone from Swimscool, Marshside Health Club, our Stanley students, our dedicated PE department led by Mr Walsh and Southport Swimming Club who all helped raise such a fantastic amount of money. Harrison, we are so proud of you!





One of our Year 10 students, Ebony, has been awarded the Junior Miss Merseyside.

In July, Ebony is taking part in the competition for the UK National Junior award.

As part of this process, Ebony has raised hundreds of pounds for the Christie Hospital in Manchester and for the Alzheimer's Society. Ebony has set up a platform called "Sing to my memory" and she regularly visits dementia care homes and sings for the residents and donates any funds to charity.

In May, Ebony is taking part in a 31mile charity walk to raise funds for Alzheimer's.

If you would like to contribute, please see the link below:



Safeguarding Team



Safeguarding means **keeping you safe** and acting to look after you if you are ever at risk. Safeguarding is the **most important job** we do in a school.

If you are concerned about your **own safety or well being**, or the **safety and well being of someone else in school**, it is really important that you talk to any member of staff. That member of staff will explain your concerns confidentially to a member of the safeguarding team. You can also speak directly to the safeguarding team.



Parent/Carer Consultation Evenings

3.30pm - 6.30pm

Year 8 on 14th May

Year 7 on 11th June



Please be reminded that if your child has a medical appointment, we require some form of proof to be able to authorise them. We also ask that if the appointment cannot be made after school, then the child attends school before and after their appointment. Students need to be present for 9am to get their morning mark and 1pm for their afternoon mark.

We also ask that you call school with the reason should your child be absent from school. No contact could become a safeguarding concern.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Term Dates

Please follow the link below to view the term dates for the next academic year.

Please note that following Government and Sefton guidance, no holidays will be authorised during term time.

<https://stanleyhigh.co.uk/term-dates>



If your child is part of a team, or takes part in any external activities you would like to share with us, please contact the school and let us know.

We want to be able to celebrate their successes with you and it is always a joy to hear of the wonderful things our students achieve outside of the school environment.