

Easter 2017



Website

Rutherglen High's brand new website launched on Wednesday. The site contains information, links and help for parents, carers and pupils. The address for the website is at the bottom of the page. We will be uploading information, news and documents to the website on a regular basis. There is information on the school calendar highlighting important dates, such as holidays!! We will keep the website updated so save us into your

Mrs Allan

Here we are, the end of another term already. We have been really busy with pupils working towards completing coursework for National Qualifications.

Pupils took part in workshops with Camglen Radio and participated in a live broadcast on the 30th of March. I am thrilled to announce

Happy Easter

that they won a bronze award. I am also delighted to announce that Nicole Henderson won 3rd prize in the Friends of The Royal Scottish Academy arts competition and Evan Clements won 1st prize in The Bridgeton Burns Art Competition.

Rutherglen High has been a busy place this term. The E-Café continues to be very successful on

Thursday mornings,

The pupils have taken part in many outings this term including Edinburgh, garden centres, country parks, Waterstones and The Royal Concert Hall. I hope that everyone has a good, safe holiday and I look forward to the challenges that next term will bring.

Jan Allan

Lost Property

We have a few items in our lost property box. This includes watches, bangles, bracelets, rings, necklaces, earrings, a school jumper, several pairs of glasses, football boots, trainers and jogging trousers!! Please contact the office if you think any of the items belong to your child.

Pathways Event

Rutherglen High's first careers and futures morning organised as part of Developing Scotland's Young Workforce was held on Wednesday 29th of March.

It was a

great opportunity for pupils and parents to talk to businesses, colleges and support agencies.



Parents gave us excellent feedback on the event and businesses were most impressed with the enthusiasm of the pupils.

Hopefully this will become an annual event.

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Winners

S5 pupil Nicole Henderson produced a fantastic work of art that won her one of the major prizes in The Art Award organised by



“Friends of The Royal Scottish Academy” in Edinburgh. Nicole travelled to Edinburgh to collect her prize. (left). Well done Nicole.

Staying on a winning theme, Evan Clements, Taylor McCutcheon and Nathan Spencer scooped 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in The Bridgeton Burns Club annual art competition,,,, well done to the boys. Evan’s winning painting is shown (right)

Taylor and Nathan’s painting will be shown on our all new website!!

Arsalan Hussain, Jamie McBride

and Taylor McCutcheon were also “Highly Commended” for their entries to the Road Safety Calendar Awards.



SLLC Active Schools Secondary Dance Competition 2017

Mrs Sclater and Mrs Cresswell led a team of dancers from Rutherglen High to the SLLC Active Schools Secondary Dance Competition in

Hamilton Townhouse. The dancers worked hard on all their makeup and their great dance moves. Their performance drew the

biggest applause of the night. Well done to everyone involved. Kaitlin and Monica modelled the hair and makeup.



Visitors to Rutherglen High

Performers from The Arkeen Theatre Group came along to Rutherglen High to perform an educational play for the pupils and staff about the dangers of alcohol and tobacco. The pupils were enthralled by their performance and several were able to come up on stage and take part in some scenarios. The play focussed on the health, social and domestic effects that substance abuse has on people. Robbie Anderson, Mark Watson and Jay Dignall are pictured (right) with the performers. A Paisley group called RCA Trust came into Rutherglen High to talk to senior pupils about the dangers of gambling. The RCA Trust spoke about how gambling affects relationships, can cause financial difficulties, homelessness, depression and can often lead to gamblers having a criminal record. The talk was well



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Out and About with Rutherglen High

S1 paid a visit to Waterstones book shop in Glasgow. They were there to use the vouchers for books that they received on World Book Day.



Mr McLean took the Reach Forward groups to Edinburgh for a great day out. The groups were able to see Edinburgh Castle and had a nice stroll in Princes Street Gardens.

Mrs Steel took S1 on a trip to Glasgow Royal Concert Hall for the Celtic Connections event.

The pupils were able to see and hear some of the finest musicians in Scotland performing traditional

Please remember
Rutherglen High
is a 'Nut Free
Zone'

Scottish



Faith

Pupils from S5 are taking part in The Caritas Award. This award encourages and promotes the ongoing faith journey of young people. Introduced in 2011 this award asks young people to use their faith learning as a starting point for further faith reflection. The Caritas group are pictured (right) with Mrs Watts and Deacon Bill.



Pupils from all year groups joined pupils from other local schools and paid a visit to St Columbkilles on Rutherglen Main Street on Ash Wednesday to mark the beginning of the Lenten Period. The pupils were a credit to Rutherglen High

Easter Service

Our Easter Service was held on Thursday 30th Of March. The service was led by John Sanderson from The Rutherglen United Reformed Church. John was assisted by Ross and Daisy. They spoke about 'Hopelessness and Hope'. Rutherglen High Caritas students helped out by doing the readings. T.J. Kerr (right) played the keyboard and treated everyone to a fine rendition of Bob Marley's 'Three Little Birds'



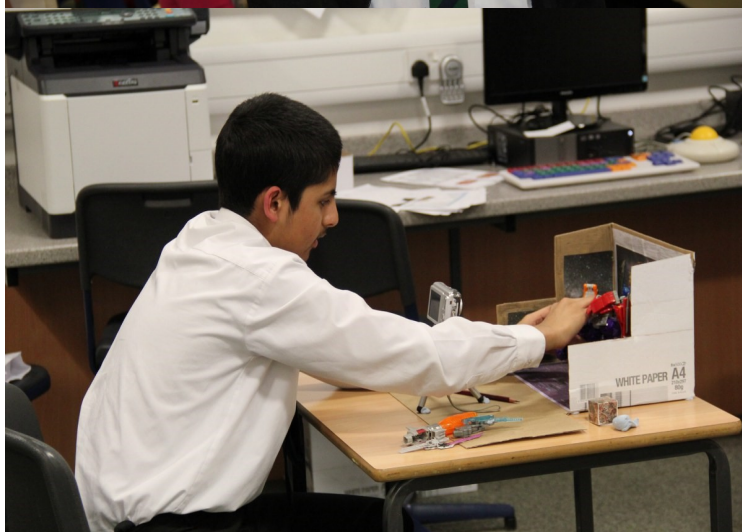
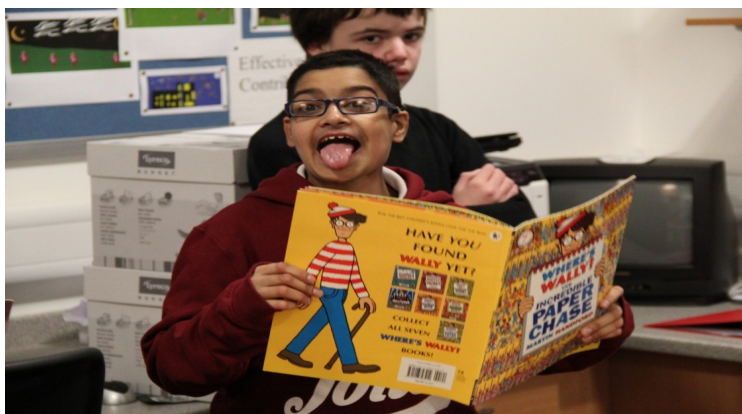
House of the Month

Our 'House of the Month' for March is:.....SELKIRK

Well done to all our pupils and staff.

Return Date

Please remember school re-opens on **TUESDAY 18th April**



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