



Welcome to Goldwyn 6th Form College student newsletter!

Our newsletters will be produced each term and will contain important and interesting college news and views! If you have an article you would like to be considered for the newsletter let us know.

Important Announcement

Suggestion Box

We now have a student suggestion box, which has been provided by the school council. This is to be used for any suggestions that any student would like to put forward to the council.

Upcoming Events

Start of Term

Monday 3rd June

Open Day (no learners)

Wednesday 19th June

Parents Evening

26th June

End of Term

Friday 12th July

Transition Week - New Learners

Monday 15th July to

Thursday 18th July

Football Festival

Goldwyn 6th Form College will be holding a charity football festival on Friday 14th June at the Goldwyn Ashford site. The teams will be from the Goldwyn Ashford, Goldwyn Folkestone, Goldwyn Plus and Goldwyn College. We are hoping to raise money for the Pilgrims Hospice and Parkinson disease charity.



Student Council

The Student Council is now up and running. Being part of the Student Council provides a means for learners to air their views and ideas about the college. It also gives the students a chance to voice their opinions and be a part of decision making about both vocational and academic choices.

The Student Council's last meeting was very successful, Kate Wilson the Chair of school governors attended as well. The learners have proposed their ideas for some new courses at the college and enrichment activities to enhance their team building skills and help raise money for local charities. Their proposed ideas have been put forward to the senior team management.

Work Experience

Several of our learners have participated in work experience placements. This has been very successful.

The learners will be submitting their evaluations of their experience and we will publish the findings in the next newsletter.

Foundation students

The Foundation Learning Learners had the exciting opportunity to attend the Folkestone & Hythe District Youth Conference on Thursday 9th May 2019.

Topics that were covered included:

- E-safety and community cohesion
- Grooming and exploitation
- Sex and Relationships.
- The implications of knife and gun crime
- Protecting Young People from Radicalisation and Extremism

These topics were covered in a really interactive way and the day will also act as an experience of how conferences run.

As part of their 'Prevent' project, students learnt about the European Union, the UK's role within the EU, Brexit and the pro and cons of leaving the EU.

The students then took part in their own democratic referendum on the next steps for the UK. From these sessions, students are now empowered to become our next generation of voters for future elections.



FOLKESTONE & HYTHE DISTRICT
COMMUNITY SAFETY
PARTNERSHIP

Who's Job Is It Anyway

A group of employers took part in a "Who's Job Is It Anyway" careers event at our Folkestone site. Students were able to try and guess the employer's job roles by asking them a selection of questions. Afterwards each employer described their career pathways and supported our student's aspirations.



End of the College Year

We are fast approaching the last term of 2018/2019. The learners will be sitting their English and Maths Functional Skill online exams and it is the final hurdle for those on a vocational course to complete their work and gain their qualifications.

GOOD LUCK EVERYONE



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