



Thornden School Newsletter 23rd September 2022

Bereavement Group

Bereaved young people often need some form of extra support. Friends may be considerate and empathetic, but they cannot truly understand what a young person is going through. It is important to provide hope, a safe place to explore feelings and support for students to progress along their bereavement journey. Last year we set up a group called 'The Breakfast Club' which is specifically for students who have experienced the loss of a parent/sibling or guardian. This will start again in October.

Mrs Vincent

Careers

For the latest careers information (including our Careers newsletters), please click on the following link which will take you to the Thornden School Careers website:

[Careers Newsletter \(google.com\)](#)

College Applications – Year 11 Students ONLY

Please click on the link below for information regarding deadlines for Year 11 college applications:

[Year 11 College Applications.asp \(thornden.hants.sch.uk\)](#)

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Our extra-curricular clubs schedules are now on the school website under the curriculum tab (extra-curricular) but can also be accessed via the links below:

Extra-Curricular Clubs – PE:

[PE Extra-Curricular Clubs Half Term 1 2022.asp \(thornden.hants.sch.uk\)](https://thornden.hants.sch.uk/PE-Extra-Curricular-Clubs-Half-Term-1-2022.asp)

Extra-Curricular Clubs (Non-PE):

[Non-PE Extra-Curricular Clubs Half Term 1 2022.asp \(thornden.hants.sch.uk\)](https://thornden.hants.sch.uk/Non-PE-Extra-Curricular-Clubs-Half-Term-1-2022.asp)

INSET/Professional Days

A reminder of the remaining INSET/professional days for this academic year:

Tuesday 3rd January 2023

Monday 6th February 2023 – just confirmed

Friday 23rd June 2023

These dates can be found on the school calendar on our website under the parents tab (calendar) or by clicking here [Thornden School - Calendar](#)

Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust Youth Board

This opportunity may be of interest to your child/children:

Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust are looking for new members to join their Youth Board. The Youth Board is made up of a group of committed students from across Hampshire & the New Forest who wish to contribute to decision-making in their local NHS Trust whilst building their confidence, teamworking and communication skills, as well as understanding how the Trust operates and potential career paths within Southern Health.

For more information, please see the linked poster below.

Applications for the Youth Board are open now until 9am on 10th October 2022.

Poster: <https://bit.ly/YouthBoardPoster22>

Application Form: <https://bit.ly/YouthBoard2022>

Thornden Sport

Recent Results 

Age Group	Gender	Team		Opposition	Fixture Type	Result	Player of the Match
U12	Girls	Football	vs	Perins	Friendly	Won 4-1	Layla
U12	Boys	Football	vs	Toynbee	League	Won 5-0	Spencer
U12	Boys	Football	vs	Romsey	League	Won 5-0	Spencer
U13	Boys	Football	vs	Kings'	National Cup	Lost 2-3	Alex W
U14	Boys	Football	vs	Wavell	Hants Cup	Lost 1-2	

Cricket Success

Well done to members of the Hursley Park cricket side, Henry W, Morgan D, Owen H, Christopher B and Harvey G. Hursley Park managed to beat St Cross in the Barfoot Plate Final. Well done to all involved.

Student Success

We are always keen to hear about success stories from our students outside of school, so please do get in touch if there is news we can share.

For any sporting successes, please email Mr Hall, Head of PE: b.hall@thornden.hants.sch.uk

Twitter

Follow @PEThornden on Twitter for a few more pictures and regular updates from the PE department.

Year 7 Resilience Group

It is our aim for every Year 7 student to take part in a self-esteem and resilience programme called Group. This 4-hour course is delivered by the pastoral team. It will start for the first tutor group on Wednesday 28th September. Students will be informed in school when and where they will attend Group.

General Contact

If you need to contact the school, please use either of the email addresses below. In an emergency, please contact the school during office hours on 023 8026 9722.

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