

Weekly News – 30th January 2026

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE: Congratulations to all our year 11 students who completed their practical food technology exam this week, with some exciting dishes being presented. It was also great to see a return to an in-person parents' evening for our Sixth Form and a good turnout. We have seen a small increase in the number students bringing iPads into school. We will carry out an audit of these before looking at how we stop them coming onto site. If you are considering purchasing one for your child to use on site, please opt for an alternative laptop, which does not give such ready access to social media platforms. Lastly, there has been some very heavy road traffic over the last few days at the end of the day. Could we politely remind parents/carers to encourage our students to walk, catch the bus, or cycle please. If picking up is essential, please can this be done well away from junctions, particularly those at the ends of Parish Piece which cause congestion and make crossing the road difficult. Thank you in anticipation and have a great weekend.

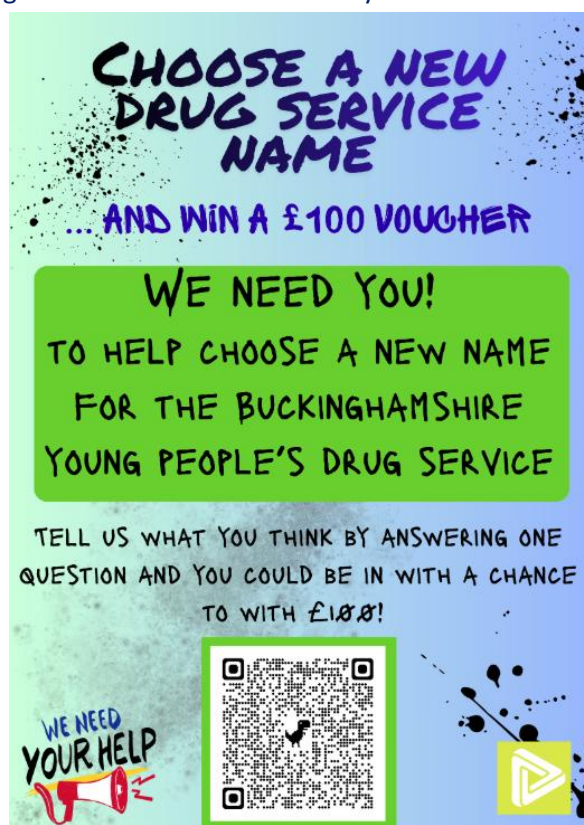
WEEKLY DIARY - Please click [here](#) for the diary for the week commencing 2nd February.

YEAR 9 PARENTS' EVENING will be held online on Thursday 26 February 2026. The system will go live for bookings at 6.30pm on Monday 9 February 2026. Parents will be able to initially book 5 appointments, with any extra available appointments being released on the 18th February.

PHONE LOCKERS A reminder that if a phone is found not to be in a locker, it will be confiscated until the ends of the half term. If it is confiscated in the last 2 weeks of a half term, it will not be returned until the end of the *following* half term (i.e. 27th March if a phone is confiscated after Monday 2nd February). For reference, our mobile phone policy can be found [here](#).

WORKSHOP INVITATION – A reminder that Chiltern Area Partnership are hosting a free online parent talk delivered by Papaya, a nationally respected organisation specialising in digital well-being, childhood development and parent support. This will be held on Wednesday 4th of February 7pm (online). Please click [here](#) for information, and click [here](#) to register.

BUCKS' YOUNG PEOPLE'S DRUG SERVICE: there is a new organisation running the Bucks Young People's Drug Service and they are asking students to help with the name. Please see flyer for more information and to be in with a chance of winning a £100 voucher.



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