

# Sherburn High School

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Dear parents, carers and students,

## Spotlight on Safeguarding:

We are delighted to be hosting a **parent/carer workshop by the NSPCC** on the topic of keeping children safe online.

The event takes place on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February at 5:30 p.m. – see the flyer attached for details.

To help us plan the evening please complete this <u>Google Form</u> so that we have an accurate number of attendees.

## Spotlight on Progress:

**Year 9 Parents and Carers –** We look forward to welcoming you to Year 9 Progress Evening on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February.

**Year 11 Parents and Carers** – It's been really interesting interviewing our Year 11 students about Post 16. I've been especially impressed by their preparations for PPE 3 which begin on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February and end on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March.

**Post 16 Parents and Carers –** Good luck to our Year 13 students who have sent in their final UCAS applications and to all those who are in the process of applying for Apprenticeships (two students have already received Apprenticeship offers!)

#### The world beyond the school gates:

#### U13 Junior Cricket at Church Fenton CC

Church Fenton Juniors are looking for new players for their U13 team for the upcoming season.

Students in years 7 and 8 this year are eligible to play and are encouraged to come to indoor nets at Lordswood Cricket Centre, Tadcaster on Sundays 5-6pm beginning on the 23rd February.

For more information, please email cfccjuniors@gmail.com

#### **National Apprenticeship Week**

National Apprenticeship Week runs from 10th-16th February. Choices Magazine is a useful place to learn more about different apprenticeships, the application process and how to best support young people in deciding if this is the right route for them. Choices Magazine can be accessed <u>here:</u>

# Can you help provide Year 12 with Work Experience?

Our Year 12 students are busy organising their summer work experience placements but need your help. Can you or your place of work offer one of students their first experience of the work place? Please contact Lydia Jackson, Head of Post 16 if you can help! <u>lydia.jackson@shs.starmat.uk</u>

# And finally...

A huge congratulations to the cast and crew of "Matilda" – what a fantastic display of talent! And, of course an enormous thank you to Mrs Caldwell (and far too many staff to mention) who have supported the cast

and crew along the way, giving up many, many hours after school and at weekends to ensure that the production was such a success!

As always thank you for your ongoing support, Kind regards,

Miriam Oakley Headteacher