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### PARENT BULLETIN

Our Vision...
Excellent teaching.

18th Oct 2021

## Our Vision...

Strong Catholic ethos.

### Our Vision...

Ensuring every child is known.

### Our Vision...

High expectations of everyone.

# Dear Lord,

Fill our lives with joy.
Fill our lives with love.
Fill our lives with peace.

We give thanks to you for the gift of life.

Give us the courage to live it to the full.

Amen.

Our Vision...

Excellent leadership at all levels.

### Our Vision...

Exemplary behaviour and personal standards.

### Our Vision...

At the heart of the community.

### Our Vision...

Keeping children safe in education.



### Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope our Year 8s had an enjoyable experience in Conwy – it has been a long time since we've been able to progress with any trips but hopefully there will be more to come in the not too distant future.

Also, just a reminder that details of our extra-curricular activities for each year group can be found on our website by clicking the 'Personal Development' tab.

Have a lovely weekend and take care.

### MrsVíle

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Facebook - <a href="https://www.facebook.com/EllesmerePortCatholicHighSchool/">https://www.facebook.com/EllesmerePortCatholicHighSchool/</a>



Lord,
Give me a servant's
heart, Not serving for
my own glory.
But only so that
You might
be seen
in me.



# A SERVANT'S HEART

I STRIVE TO HAVE A SERVANT'S HEART THAT WILL HEED MY FATHER'S CALL TO DO THE THINGS HE ASKS OF ME BE IT BIG OR BE IT SMALL. IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT IT IS IF HE ASKS I WILL RESPOND WITH CHEERFULNESS I'LL DO THE TASK GNING OF MYSELF ABOVE AND BEYOND. YOU SEE. MY FATHER KNOWS WHAT'S BEST FOR ME HE WOULD NEVER LEAD ME WRONG SO I CAN PUT MY TOTAL TRUST IN HIM FOR TO HIM MY LIFE BELONGS. I FIND JOY WHEN SERVING AND DOING HIS WILL

IT GIVES ME PEACE AND COMFORTS ME

NO MATTER WHAT THINGS MAY LOOK LIKE, FEEL OR APPEAR

WITH HIM I HAVE NOTHING TO FEAR.

SO I'LL PUT HIM FIRST IN ALL I DO

SERVING HIM WITH MY WHOLE HEART

WHEN I THINK OF ALL HE'S DONE FOR ME

It'S EASY TO SERVE HIM WITH A SERVANT'S HEART.

@ 2006 Janes A. Mullal





### Year 7 settling in evening

Year 7 settling in evening Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October - appointments will be available to book from 9am on Thursday morning. Information on how to book will be sent via email and a link will go out on text.

### Mrs Hughes

FREE Webinar for parents, teachers and anyone interested in ASC & ADHD – 17<sup>th</sup> Nov,
 7pm

### Are you interested in any of the topics below?

- A parent's journey to understand ADHD and ASC together and how Suzy ensured that her son got the support that he needed.
- Managing your child's rejection sensitivity.
- What worked in the classroom for Suzy's son and what didn't.
- Reflections on Neurodiversity and BAME communities in the UK.

If you are, then join us and meet Suzy on the 17th November at 7pm - hope to see you there. Flyer and joining link below.

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# In conversation with ... Suzy Rowland

Author of "SEND in the Clowns"

A free webinar for parents, carers, teachers and anyone interested in neurodiversity in children and young people, including Q&A.

**Suzy Rowland** is an author, autism/ADHD specialist coach, trainer & speaker. She founded the #happyinschool project to share deeper knowledge and insight into the issues surrounding neurodiversity in education.

Colin Foley, Training director, ADHD Foundation and Suzy will be discussing her new book and exploring:

- How best to support neurodiverse children and young people both at home and school
- Understanding the dual diagnosis of ADHD and ASC and rejection sensitivity
- Neurodiversity and BAME communities



17th November 7 - 8:30pm

To access this free webinar, use the QR code or visit

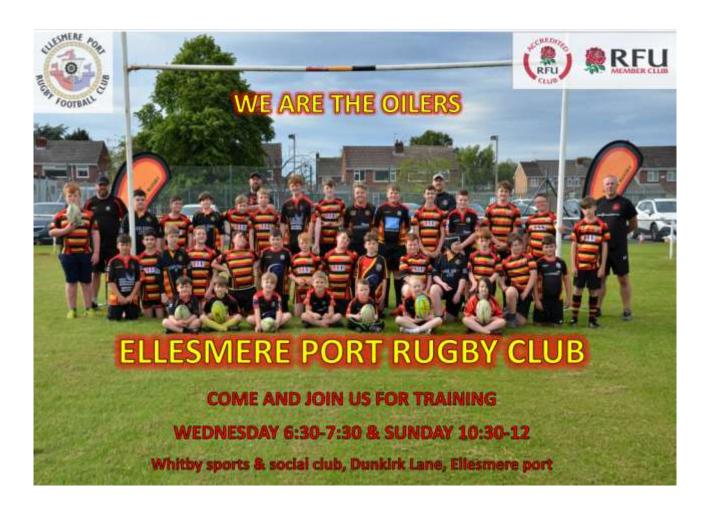
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Any questions, contact Colin.Foley@adhdfoundation.org.uk

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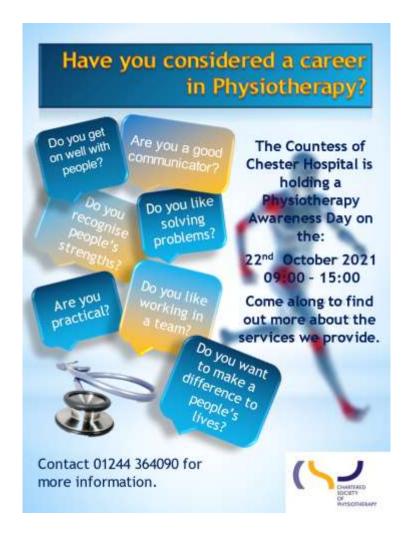


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### SIXTH FORM INFORMATION & GUIDANCE

# Physiotherapy awareness day at the Countess of Chester Hospital 22<sup>nd</sup> October: 9am-3pm



If you are interested in a career in Physiotherapy, the Countess of Chester Hospital are hosting an awareness day on 22nd October, 9am-3pm. There is a £10 charge to attend this event. Places are limited and on a 'first come first serve' basis. A booking form has been uploaded to the Year 12 and Year 13 Teams.

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### **UK University and Apprenticeship Search - Virtual Fair - Wednesday 20th October**



'UK University and Apprenticeship Search' are holding a Virtual Fair on Wednesday 20th October, from 12pm until 6pm. To register or for more information, please go to <a href="https://ukunisearch.vfairs.com/">https://ukunisearch.vfairs.com/</a>

### UCAS Hub Live – Wednesdays at 2pm

**UCAS Hub Live** sessions are happening every **Wednesday from 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 2pm**. They feature UCAS experts, Careers Advisers, Universities and Employers. Each session lasts approximately 40 minutes and there is plenty of time for Q&As. For more information, go to <a href="https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/what-and-where-study/ucas-hub-live">https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/what-and-where-study/ucas-hub-live</a>. To take part in the live sessions, all you need to do is sign into your own UCAS Hub on the day. If you don't have a UCAS Hub, please go to <a href="https://www.ucas.com/what-are-my-options/create-your-ucas-hub-today">https://www.ucas.com/what-are-my-options/create-your-ucas-hub-today</a> to create one. The next session is called **'Deciding your career path'**.

# Receive a lower conditional offer to study at Newcastle University via the PARTNERS Programme

The **Partners Programme** is run by **Newcastle University** and is one of the most well established supported entry routes to Higher Education of its kind. Over 6,500 students have studied at Newcastle University via the Partners Programme. It offers a range of support and opportunities to help you make a successful application to Newcastle University. Through the Partners Programme, you could:

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- receive a lower conditional offer to Newcastle University
- attend the PARTNERS Academic Summer School
- develop skills necessary to be a successful student
- meet other students and increase your confidence
- receive support through the application process, on results day and after entering the university.

If applicants are successful in receiving a PARTNERS offer for their chosen course, they must complete the **PARTNERS Academic Summer School (PASS)**. The dates of the event are dependent upon several variable factors, including the ongoing public health situation, exam timetables and academic semesters. However, the event is likely to take place during **27 June – 8 July 2022.** 

As soon as Newcastle University are in a position to confirm the exact dates of PASS 2022, they will notify applicants via email. This information will also be confirmed on their website at the earliest opportunity.

For more information. please go to: <a href="https://www.ncl.ac.uk/partners/">https://www.ncl.ac.uk/partners/</a>

### Medical Work Experience Week - 24th to 30th October - London

Organised by 'Medical Projects', this work experience week will give you the opportunity to gain insight into the profession of Medicine, ready for personal statement writing and interviews. It will take place in London and include:

- NHS Doctor & medical student teaching.
- A & E hands-on simulations using Medical Manikins.
- Simulations to develop skills for medical school e.g. teamwork / communication skills / decision making / working under pressure.
- Practical clinical skills i.e. cannulation / taking blood.
- Application advice for Personal statements, entrance examinations, medical school insight.
- Mock MMI Interviews with personal feedback.
- Accommodation with breakfast and dinner in London

They have spaces on their October work experience week, taking place from 24th-30th October. Please note that you have to pay to attend.

For more information, please go to <a href="https://educationprojects.co.uk/medical-projects/uk-medical-work-experience-course/">https://educationprojects.co.uk/medical-projects/uk-medical-work-experience-course/</a>

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### Ward Round Live - Virtual Hospital Work Experience - 16th October and 7th November

'Medical Projects' are again hosting 'Ward Round Live' where you can experience virtual hospital work. This is for students 15 years and over, who may be aspiring Medics and Healthcare workers. It is a great way for students to get interactive work experience if they are considering study or a career in the Medical and Healthcare sectors. These events are taking place on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October and Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November, 10am-4pm. Please note that there is a charge for this course. For more information or to register, please go to <a href="https://educationprojects.co.uk/medical-projects/ward-round-live/">https://educationprojects.co.uk/medical-projects/ward-round-live/</a>