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8th June 2023

**Year 7 Science Fair – 22nd June 2023 5pm to 7pm**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We would like to invite you along to the Year 7 Science Fair Event on Thursday 22nd June 2023. The Fair will take place in the Science Department between 5pm and 7pm.

This event will showcase and celebrate the fantastic work that the Year 7 students have undertaken this year.

The Science Fair provides a valuable experience in a number of key skill areas for our students. It will benefit their learning not only for their subject knowledge but also in literacy and numeracy, while encouraging a sense of curiosity and confidence in working independently with project based learning. Students will work independently or in small groups on a choice of projects which their class teachers will introduce to them over the next few weeks.

We hope that you will visit our Science Fair to support the students and to enjoy the work that they have completed. As well as the fantastic projects to pursue there will be a parent/child interactive challenge as part of the event.

The projects will be judged by Mr Liley and the Headship team, School Governors and our Head of Department. We will have prizes for the first, second and third places. There will also be special mention prizes that the judges can choose and this can go to either a finalist or a science fair project that is being presented in the classrooms. All prizes have been donated by Howie's Coffee. Prizes will be awarded on the night and there will be a BBQ – weather permitting! The Science Department is raising funds by selling Hot Dogs for £1 each, meat and vegan options will be available. We will also be selling small plants grown by students in different years from seed. These will be £1 each and will go towards our target to buy a Visual impairment microscope which will enrich the Key Stage 3 curriculum.

Howie's Coffee who have donated the prizes will also be here on the night selling their famous hot drinks.

If you have any queries regarding the Science Fair please feel free to contact me at the school.

Yours sincerely,

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