



Friday, 16th September 2016



# ROKEBY RECORDER

DARE TO BE THE BEST

## MEET THE SENIOR PREFECTS 2016/2017!



Our 2016/2017 senior prefect body consists of:

Rui Monteiro Djass 10K, Manuele Kidane 10K, Harnak Singh 10K, Majeidur Rahman 10B, Zion M Smith Shokoya 10R, Al Nowed Abdullah 10R, Fardin Hussain 10E, Harjot Singh 10K, Pele Dean Williams 11Y, Takram Titas 11E, Minhajul Ali 11Y, Mohiuddin Nasim 11E, William Keng Chen 11R, Fabio Ramos 11R, Abir Choudhury 11K, Saulius Markevicius 11R, Muhammad Adam Karim 11O, Mohammed Ihfaz Ahmed 11B, Dalib Omer 11Y, Moses Oridoye 11E, Devayne Clarke 11E and Simbarashe Goba 11Y.

We wish them good luck for this year, especially with all the responsibilities they will be carrying out on behalf of the school.

### Welcome to our new Rokeby staff!

This term, we have several new members of staff joining the school. Over the next few weeks, the Rokeby Recorder will be introducing them to you.

The first to feature is our new deputy head, Ms Hobbs. This is what she says about herself:

“Dwi yn wreiddiol o gymru! I love all sport. My biggest passion is travelling the world”.



*Our Values: Respect, Success, Passion for Learning, Personal Challenge, Harmony*

**THOUGHT OF THE WEEK: Minds are like parachutes:  
they only function when they are open.**

## 3G FOOTBALL ROTA

| Monday                        | Tuesday                       | Wednesday                     | Thursday                      | Friday                        |
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| Year 11<br>Pitch on the right | Year 11<br>Pitch on the right | Year 11<br>Pitch on the right | Year 11<br>Pitch on the right | Year 11<br>Pitch on the right |
| Year 10<br>Pitch on the left  | Year 9<br>Pitch on the left   | Year 10<br>Pitch on the left  | Year 9<br>Pitch on the left   | Year 10<br>Pitch on the left  |
| Year 8<br>Middle Pitch        | Year 7<br>Middle Pitch        | Year 9<br>Middle Pitch        | Year 7<br>Middle Pitch        | Year 8<br>Middle Pitch        |

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Sat 17th Sept and  
Sat 1st Oct  
10am-12pm

Yr 6 Open Morning

Weds, 21st Sept  
4pm-6pm

Yr 7 Meet the Tutors

Thurs, 6th Oct  
4pm-6pm

Y10 information evening

### PARENT CALENDAR

Welcome to all our new Year 7 parents and carers. Just a reminder that there are many opportunities for you to come in to school to meet teachers, school staff and other parents.

All are welcome to drop-in to our weekly coffee morning which takes place every Friday at 9.30am. Our Parent Council meets every half term (open to all) and throughout the school year we run numerous parent information sessions on a range of topics. In addition there are parent group meetings each term in various languages, including Bengali, Lithuanian, Polish, Portuguese, Somali, Spanish and Urdu.

Please look out for our Parent Calendar which will be circulated next week and will be available on our website. For more information and enquiries contact **Ms Henderson**.

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Rokeby offers an extensive range of extended learning activities including many different sports, music, computer science and dance, as well as subject support across most curriculum areas.

Staff are currently finalising their extra curricular timetables for this term and a list of all activities will be made available to all students next week. Copies will also be available in reception and on our website.



### ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

#### Did you know:

90% attendance = 1/2 day missed every week.

90% attendance over one school year = 4 whole weeks of missed lessons!

#### How is YOUR tutor group doing?

Congratulations this week go to:

**9K** with the best attendance at **99%** &

**7K** with the best punctuality at **100%**

## MATHS CORNER: Challenge-perfection

**6** is a very special number.

The factors of **6** are **1,2,3** and **6**.

If we add the factors, other than **6**, we get

$$1+2+3=6.$$

Can you find another **perfect** number?

The first **Year 7** boy to see Mr Fox with a correct answer and an explanation wins a prize.



### WORD OF THE WEEK

This week our word of the week is

**obtuse**

Can you find the meaning of this word and make a sentence? Once you have, come to the library and see Ms Hendrickson for a merit.