

# CAUSEWAY NEWSLETTER

Keeping you in touch with our latest news

The Last Ever  
Causeway Newsletter

ISSUE 8 | Term 6 2021

## WELCOME

Dear Parents, Carers and Students.

I'd like to start by saying Thank you to you all for your support and patience through another strange school year. Hopefully we can get back to a bit more normality next year as we launch as The Turing School.

The staff and students have been working hard deciding on our values and vision for next year and moving forward, We have also been looking at organising a launch event in term 1 so watch this space and we would love to have as many families from our community involved as possible.

We say goodbye to a few staff at the end of the year and we wish the very best to Miss Joseph, Mr Pratt, Miss Kenyon-Williams and Miss Chivers and would like to say thank you to them for their hard work and devotion to our students.

We cannot wait to see all of our students in their smart new Turing uniform so please do support us by ensuring that your child arrives at school in full uniform and correct shoes so we can start the year with high standards.

I hope you all manage to have a great Summer break. We look forward to seeing all students back in the new school year.

Sarah Doyle  
Head of School

## TURING, HERE WE COME

Preparations are now well underway for our transition from Causeway to The Turing School in September.

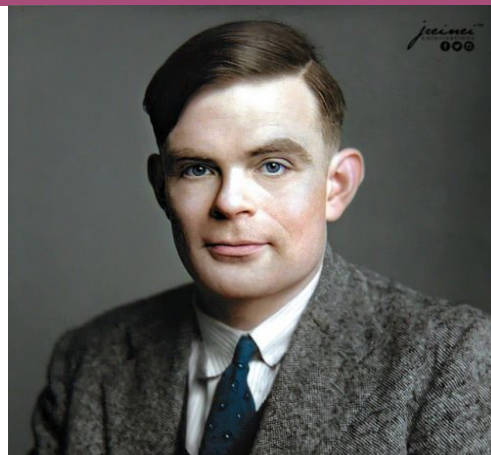
Many parents may be wondering why we are changing name and why we are going to be called The Turing School, so here's a brief background on Alan Turing.

The Turing School is being named after Alan Turing, a world renowned English Mathematician born in 1912. He is well known for being highly influential in the development of theoretical computer science, providing a formalisation of the concepts of algorithm and computation with the Turing machine, which can be considered a model of a modern day computer.

During the Second World War, Turing worked for the Government Code and Cypher School at Bletchley Park, Britain's codebreaking centre. For a time he led Hut 8, the section that was responsible for German naval cryptanalysis. Here, he devised a number of techniques for speeding up the breaking of German ciphers, including inventing the Enigma machine.



Turing played a crucial role in cracking intercepted coded messages that enabled the Allies to defeat the Nazis in many crucial engagements. It is estimated that this work shortened the war in Europe by more than two years and saved over 14 million lives.



Many of his achievements were never known about during his lifetime as a lot of his work was covered under the official secrets act, and during the 1950's he was persecuted by the British legal system because of his sexual orientation which ultimately led to his sad premature death in 1954.

It was only from the 1960's we learnt about a lot of the great work he did on behalf of his country and in 2009 the Government officially apologized for his treatment. Queen Elizabeth II granted Turing a posthumous pardon in 2013 which paved the way for The Alan Turing Law to be introduced in 2017.

He is now celebrated for his outstanding work and contributions to our country and this is why we are proud to have him at the forefront of our new school, our vision and within our core values which we look forward to sharing with you at the beginning of the new school year.

## Upcoming Dates

INSET DAY - School Closed to students - **1st Sept 2021**  
INSET DAY - School Closed to students - **2nd Sept 2021**  
Start of Term 1 (Years 7 ONLY) - **3rd Sept 2021**  
Start of Term 1 (All Years Back) - **6th Sept 2021**  
School Photo Day - **10th Sept 2021**  
Year 7 & 8 Flu Vaccinations - **18th Oct 2021**  
End of Term 1 - **22nd Oct 2021**

## NEWS

**Lockers** - Please see the end pages on how to renew or book a school locker for next school year. Any students that currently have a locker will need to empty it fully before the last day of term so these can be cleaned over the summer break.

**Free School Meals** - Have you checked to see if you are eligible for Free School Meals?

If you are claiming certain types of benefits you may be entitled to get free school meals for your child. Visit the East Sussex County Councils website to find out:

<https://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/educationandlearning/schools/school-life/meals/free/>

**School Production - Coming Soon** - Exciting news, we have just obtained the rights to our next big school production coming Easter 2022. From September Mr Robbins and the Drama team will be starting auditions and rehearsals ready for the big event.

Details will be available from September and will be open to all years in school to take part.

## STUDENT VOICE COUNCIL

Since Easter the students have been working on what they would like to change about the school. To begin with they met as year groups, and then voted for the pupils they would like to represent each year group. The pupils that were chosen for year 7 were: Mason Cox, Anna Kulczycka and Caleb Putland. In year 8 Molly Pierce, Ethan Taylor, Michael Whittle, Abigail Dobson-Abrook and Alex Gunter. In year 9 Ysabelle Laureles, Hannah Williams, Rhys Hendy and Charlie Fuller. In year 10 Samuel Fuller, Desiree Dell, Holly Graham and Connor Pickard.

The students have focussed on their key priorities for the opening of the Turing school. They have looked at the new Values, leadership schemes,

buddy systems and additional opportunities. In looking at these areas, the students are driving forward the changes and decisions which will help them have a share in the future of Turing School. They have also looked at different existing areas which they feel work, and have a vision for the future about how to bring those into the Turing School. The students have then presented their ideas to the entire staff body and the response was overwhelmingly positive.

The students were able to communicate their thoughts and feelings, and were given two rounds of applause. We are exceptionally proud of them and we look forward to their ideas as we develop them further in September.



## CAUSEWAY 2 CAUSEWAY CHARITY EVENT GRAND FINAL RESULT

Well we have now ended our event and what a great effort everyone has made towards this great event. We didn't quite make the 5582 miles but we managed to get 3000 miles done.

Thank you to all students and staff who contributed over the last few months, you have made a great effort in getting us so far.

Please also visit our JustGiving page to continue to give and help to sponsor us in aid of helping the Trussell Trust, a local charity supporting food banks such as the Eastbourne food bank.

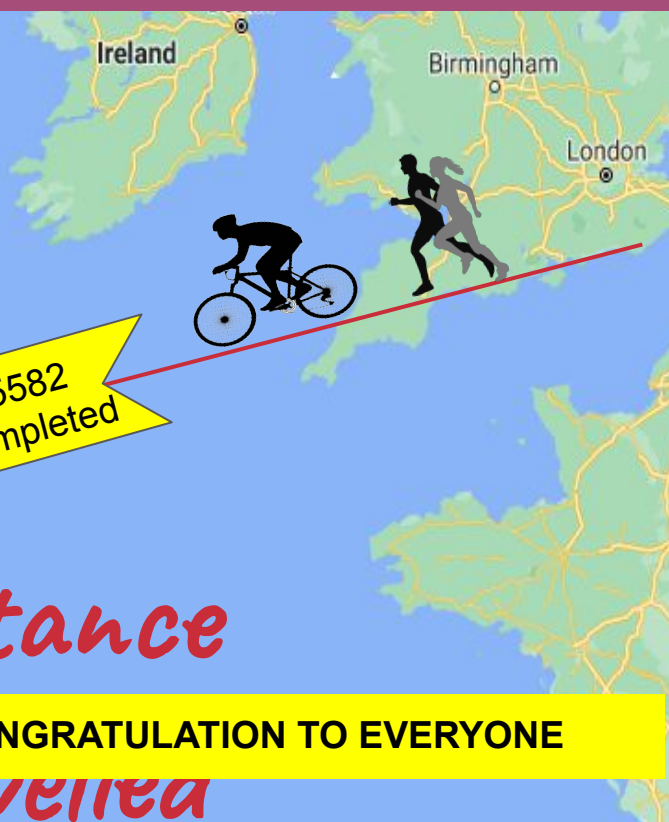


3000 of 5582 miles completed

*Distance*

**CONGRATULATION TO EVERYONE**

*Travelled*





## Work Experience 2022

### Information for Year 9 Students Moving up to Year 10 in September 2021

Our Year 10 cohort have the opportunity of participating in a block week Work Experience next year during the week of **21-25 March 2022**.

However, due to the pandemic, it is likely to be increasingly challenging to obtain placements for every student, or placements of student's interest. East Sussex County Council are therefore suggesting students research their own placements over the summer holiday period, ready for next year, such as the opportunity of working with a family member or family friend who run their own business in East Sussex. Businesses must be approved by ESCC for up-to-date Health & Safety and be COVID secure.

Please make some enquiries over the summer, as I will be working on this upon return to school after the summer break, thank you.

Thank you,

Mrs Newton  
stephanie.newton@swale.at

## College Apprenticeships Applications for Year 11

Year 10 students moving up to Year 11 will be applying for College or Apprenticeships upon return to school in September.

We therefore encourage our Year 11 students to start considering courses of interest that may appeal to you by looking at the various College's websites for additional information, or popping in to the Learning Hub to pick up a Prospectus.

Assistance will be available during school in the autumn with College Applications, but the summer break provides an ideal opportunity to start thinking about what you might like to apply to study next year.

Below are some college websites for students to use:

<https://www.escg.ac.uk>

(for 'A' Levels, 'T' Levels & BTECS across Eastbourne, Hastings & Lewes)

<https://www.bexhillcollege.ac.uk>

(for 'A' Levels and BTECS)

<https://www.plumpton.ac.uk>

(for agriculture, land based and animal welfare/equine etc.)

<https://www.dv8sussex.com>

(for Creative Arts, Game Design etc., Bexhill & Brighton)

To support the start of the College Application process, our new Year 11 students now have the opportunity to login to the software to start completing sections of the Application, such as the 'Personal Profile'. Students currently in Year 10 have been sent an email from: 'noreply@eProspectus' with a link taking them to careerseastsussex where the Application process can be started ahead of the new school year.

Additionally, those students considering attending Bexhill College from Sept. 2022, can access their Taster Resources between 12 July-31 August, via: <https://moodle.bexhillcollege.ac.uk> using the Username: causeway2021 and the password: bexhill2021

## Community Lessons

This year, Year 9 students have taken part in community lessons. In these lessons they have studied the global community, the local community and the school community. For the final lessons of the term they took part in skills that will help them in the future. Using student voice the students voted on the skills they would like to learn. The students have had introductory lessons to sign language, managing finance and first aid skills.

In the first aid lesson they learnt how to do CPR and will all receive a certificate. They also learnt how to tackle various first aid situations such as choking, asthma attacks and the recovery position.

The students have really enjoyed the community lesson and it has been a pleasure to teach them skills for the future and how to be valuable citizens in their communities.



## The Turing School Transformation

It's going to be a busy Summer in school as we continue our transformation into The Turing School. Most of the school will be getting a refresh in our new colour scheme, decorators will be working hard all through the Summer holidays.

Our website will also be getting a fresh up to date look with all of the relevant information you will need for the new school year.

Don't forget that we also have a new main office email address, so if you need any help or information please email us at [tts-office@swale.at](mailto:tts-office@swale.at)

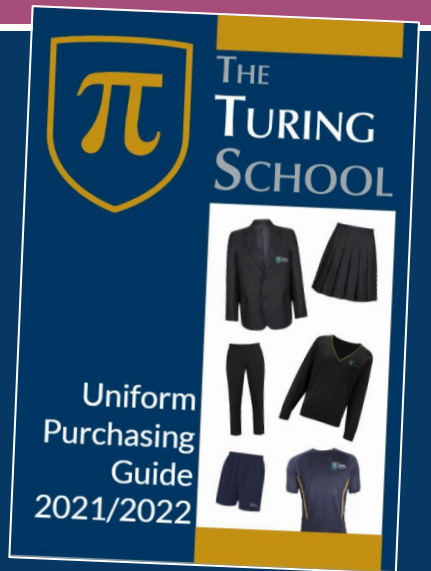


## THE TURING SCHOOL UNIFORM UPDATE

As parents know as part of our transition to the Turing School, Swales Academies Trust are very kindly providing all students in Years 7 to 10 with a new Turing uniform from September. Students will receive a new blazer, tie, PE top and PE shorts. This can be collected from school on 26th & 27th August between 10am - 2pm.

Extra uniform items such as PE leggings, training pants and tops will also be available as well as the optional school jumper.

These are all now available on our new uniform suppliers website at [www.sussexuniforms.co.uk/collections/the-turing-school](http://www.sussexuniforms.co.uk/collections/the-turing-school) Parents should have received by email a copy of our new uniform and uniform policy guide.



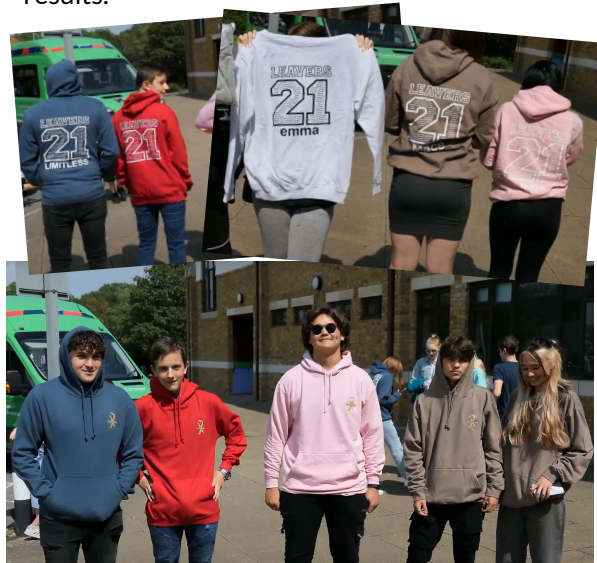
### Old Causeway Uniform

We ask that all old Causeway uniform be brought to school as we will be donating it all to a charity that will be recycling the material.

## Year 11 Hoodies

Our Year 11 leavers returned to school at the beginning of July to collect their leavers hoodies. It was nice to catch up with them even though it has only been a few weeks since they left.

We look forward to welcoming them back at the end of August to collect their final exam results.



## PARENTPAY PAYMENT SYSTEM

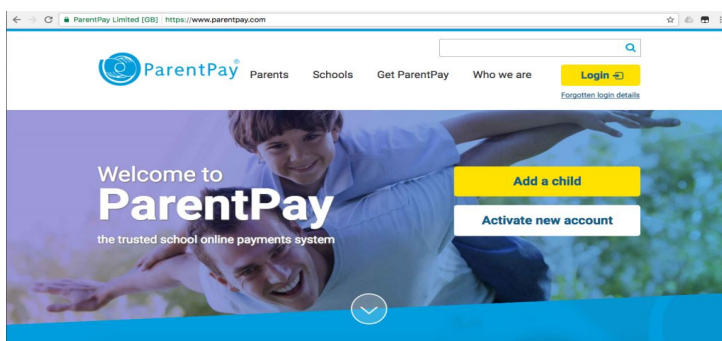
Many parents will know that in school we use the payment system called ParentPay for students to pay for their school lunches and break time snacks. Parents can simply open a ParentPay account online and add money to the account either by credit/debit card or if you do not have one of these by adding cash at any store that shows the PayPoint logo.

We have now extended this system so parents can now pay for their child's food technology payments online and we will also start to use it for future upcoming school trips.

We will become a cashless school from September with all payments being made virtually. This not only saves much time processing money but also is more secure for staff and students.

If you have not yet set up a ParentPay account, its quick and easy to do. To get started simply email us at school at [tts-office@swale.at](mailto:tts-office@swale.at) and we will send you your activation code in an email which will outline what you need to do.

We will also be adding our GCSE revision guides to this system from September when we will be able to offer over 20 guides covering most of our GCSE subjects.



## STUDENT HOMEWORK

Please note that as a school we have stopped using the Show My Homework website for issuing student homework. As of September we will be using 1 simple channel going forward to log homework. This will be found all under the Google Classroom app that students have already been using over the last year.

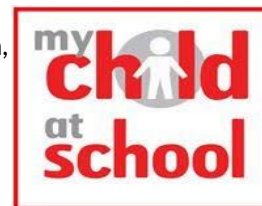
Students should have no trouble finding all their logged homework which will include due dates. Parents will not have a function to be able to login and see what has been set like we previously had with Show My Homework, but they will be able to see by getting your child to login first to view the set work.

## MY CHILD AT SCHOOL

During Term 5 we introduced to parents our new online communication platform called My Child at School. This replaced our old system Edulink and is just as quick and easy to use.

Parents are able to report absences, contact their child's teachers, monitor students attendance, check timetables and view the school calendar, view recent student reports as well as many more features which will be added soon.

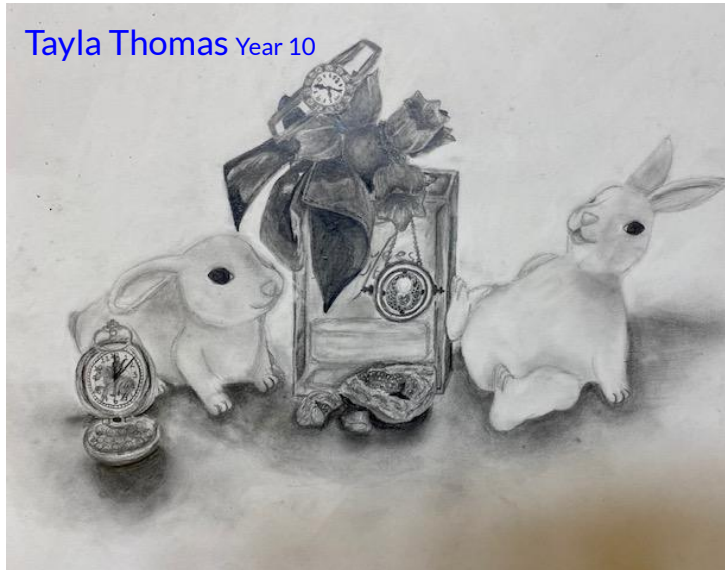
If you have not yet accessed this system, please email us at [tts-office@swale.at](mailto:tts-office@swale.at) and we will email you an invitation login code email to get you set up, we encourage all parents to sign up.



Can we please ask that all parents continue to make sure we hold the most up to date information on file for you especially contact telephone numbers and a valid email address.



Tayla Thomas Year 10



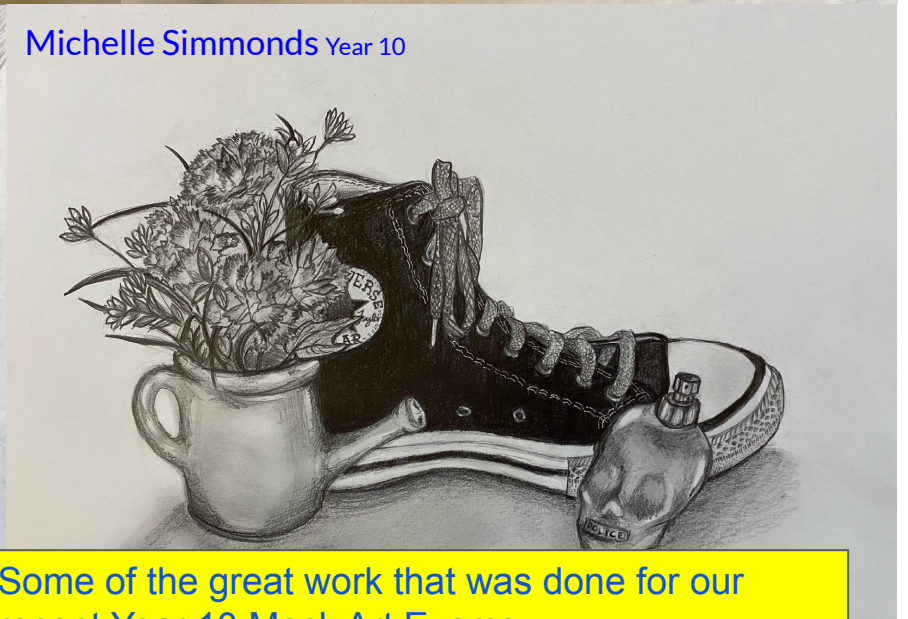
Jordan Maclean Year 10



Tia Ewen Year 10



Michelle Simmonds Year 10



FOOD  
TECH

Some of the great work that was done for our recent Year 10 Mock Art Exams.

Amazing

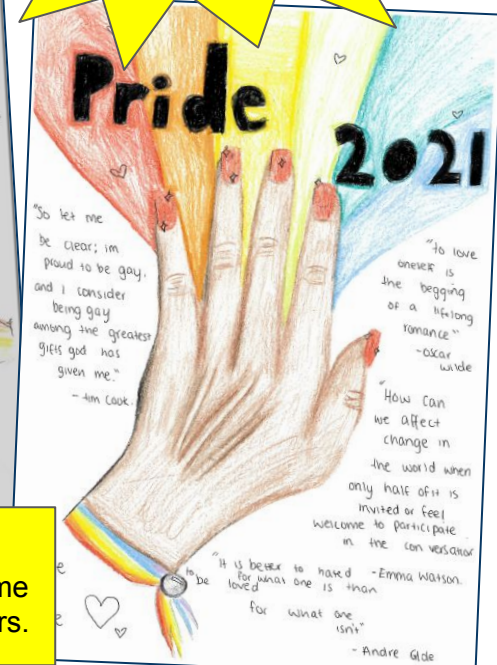
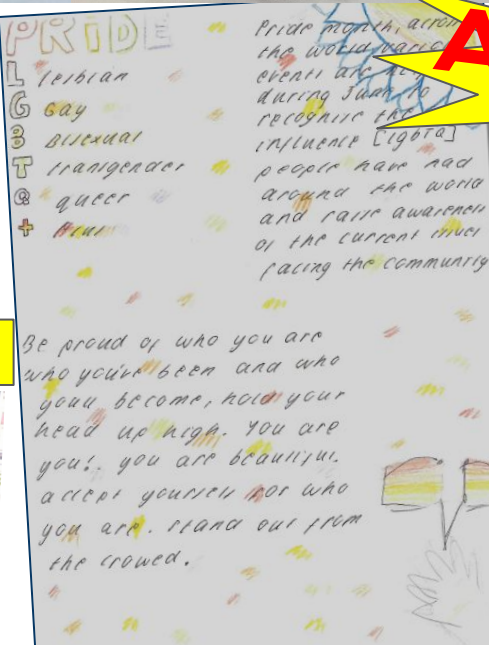
Paige Buckingham in Year 9 mastered making her own homemade baked beans on homemade soda bread.



Leo Causton-Rosum in Year 8 has been cooking up a storm in the kitchen by showing off his chopping skills.



Ruby Rutherford and Paige Buckingham in Year 9 have come up with some great Pride posters.





# FREE

## YMCA

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

### Summer Holiday Activity And Food Programme

**Monday Shinewater HUB 4.30pm-8.30pm**

**Tuesday - Langney Community Centre 4.30pm-8.30pm**

**Friday - Willingdon Trees Community Centre 4.30pm-8.30pm**

Come and join us at one of our Free summer holiday programmes in Eastbourne where you will get the opportunity to take part in fun keep fit sessions, look in to how you can cook, prepare and eat nutritional foods and take part in fun activities such as circus skills, graffiti workshops, scootering, football, tennis, table tennis, pool, arts, crafts and much more.



**Free for ages 11-16**

### LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

**HURRY PRE BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL AND CAN BE DONE AT:  
[HTTPS://FORM.JOTFORM.COM/201894087808365](https://form.jotform.com/201894087808365)**

Facebook + Instagram @YMCA.YOUTH.ENGAGEMENT or Phone:07943911479

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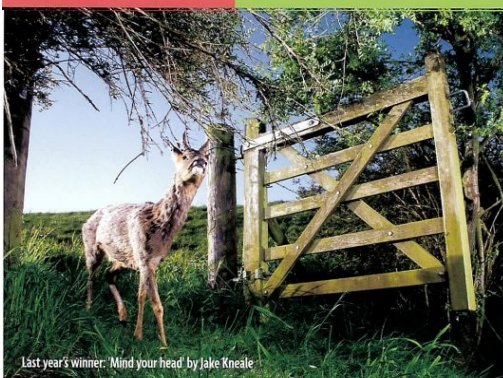
### CATEGORIES:

- Under 12
- 12-15
- 16-18
- Picture Perfect Pets
- Small World
- Mobile Phone and Devices
- Animal Welfare Watch
- Instagram
- Portfolio

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FOR MORE INFO:  
[rspca.org.uk/ypa](https://rspca.org.uk/ypa)



Last year's winner: 'Mind your head' by Jake Kneale

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**Wednesday and Thursdays**

Organised games or simply just  
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Suitable for aged 11 to 14 years

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Telephone: 01323 509859

Email: [sporteastbourne@waveleisure.co.uk](mailto:sporteastbourne@waveleisure.co.uk)  
to book your place!



For more information, please visit [www.sporteastbourne.co.uk](http://www.sporteastbourne.co.uk)



## U14 GIRLS PLAYERS WANTED!

ARE YOU LOOKING TO PLAY FOOTBALL FOR A FUN BUT COMPETITIVE FOOTBALL TEAM?

EASTBOURNE BOROUGH GIRLS ARE LOOKING TO COMPLEMENT THEIR EXISTING FRIENDLY AMAZING TEAM AS THEY MOVE FROM U13 TO U14, INTO 11V11 FOOTBALL NEXT SEASON.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE PART OF THIS GROWING COMMUNITY CLUB, WHY DON'T YOU COME FOR A TRIAL SESSION ON THURSDAYS FROM 5.30 TO 7.00PM IN OUR PRIORY LANE STADIUM.

OUR PLAYERS BENEFIT FROM DEVELOPMENT VIA OUR FA QUALIFIED COACHES, FIRST CLASS FOOTBALL FACILITIES, AND WE NOW HAVE A CLEAR PATHWAY INTO WOMEN'S ADULT FOOTBALL AT THE CLUB.

FOR AN INFORMAL CHAT, PLEASE CALL GARY ON 07714 697377



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- You will then be emailed a locker code and the number of your locker compartment.

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- Go to the locker number detailed on your confirmation email
- Enter the **4 digit code** detailed on your confirmation email and open the lock
- Should you forget your code it can be reissued by visiting **[www.locker.rentals](http://www.locker.rentals)** and clicking on the re-issue my locker code link.