Caludon Castle School Careers Bulletin

Monday 4 July 2022

If you have any questions about any of the information in this bulletin, please contact me by email.

Careers adviser

Carole Foster, our Careers Adviser, is now fully booked for this school year, but is making appointments to see the new Y11 and Y13 students in September. She is also happy to see students from the new Y10 who are in need of advice. Let your year leader or Ms Hutchinson know if you want to see her.

Job of the Week, YouTube video series



Hydrogeologist – to find out more click here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JRt-zGKuhCM
There are many other jobs on the same YouTube channel including:
Air cabin crew; border force officer; chef; dentist; epidemiologist; furniture designer; genetic counsellor; housing officer; interpreter; jewellery designer; kitchen fitter; life coach; mortgage advisor; nutritionist; and ophthalmologist; prison officer; secretary; toxicologist; UX designer; visual merchandiser; water quality scientist; yoga instructor; and zoologist.

CareerScope – Hospitality and Catering

CareerScope features everything you need to start or progress your career in hospitality, including useful information about the industry, practical careers advice, free skills training, financial and well-being support and access to more than 30,000 live jobs and apprenticeships.
http://careerscope.uk.net/

BOA Stage and Screen Production Academy Open Event and Masterclasses

BOA Stage and Screen Production Academy is delighted to invite you to an open event and our public masterclasses.

The event will take place on Saturday 16th July 10:30am-2:30pm at BOA Stage and Screen Production Academy (49 Stour Street, Birmingham B18 7AJ), our brand new campus.

EVENT DETAILS:

This is a great opportunity to visit our brand new state-of-the-art building and experience the types of projects that you could be working on in Year 12. You will also be able to speak with current students, teachers and members of senior leadership team. The Principal will be hosting a talk as well.

The activities for the day include:

- Special FX makeup
- Cue lighting
- Q LAB VisFx design
- Multi-camera studio production
- Acting for camera
- Production design

The event is open to all ages and all levels of expertise. And there is no need to book in advance. You and your family need simply turn up and join in. This is the perfect time to taste your dream career, before taking your first step into Year 12.

ACADEMY/COURSE OVERVIEW:

BOA Stage and Screen Production Academy offers free, full-time education for 16-19 year olds wishing to pursue a career in the stage and screen industries.

Students work towards a Level 3 BTEC Extended Diploma worth the equivalent of 3 A levels.

We offer two main pathways: Technical Production and Creative Production.

Technical Production has two specialisms to choose from.

- One route has a production arts specialism and includes lighting, rigging, sound mixing and stage design for events including theatre and live event production.
- The other route has a technical broadcast specialism and includes camera work, VFX, film and tv show making.

Creative production has two specialisms to choose from.

- One route is an acting and writing specialism and includes acting for screen, directing, screenwriting and playwrighting.
- The other route is a production arts specialism and includes set design and construction, hair and makeup, SFX, wigs, props, costume, wardrobe and stage management.

There are no specific entry requirements, except that applicants must demonstrate enthusiasm, an ability to collaborate effectively and a passion for working in the creative industries - **There are no GCSE entry requirements and the course is state-funded.**

Let's get ready for your Stage and Screen journey.

UniTaster Days – Summer University Resources

The university guidance video hub

You can watch impartial university videos introducing a fantastic range of subjects at university. They cover reasons to consider each subject area, what to expect on it, a careers guide and application tips. From Anthropology to Veterinary Science - and 100's of subjects in between (with new subjects added every week).

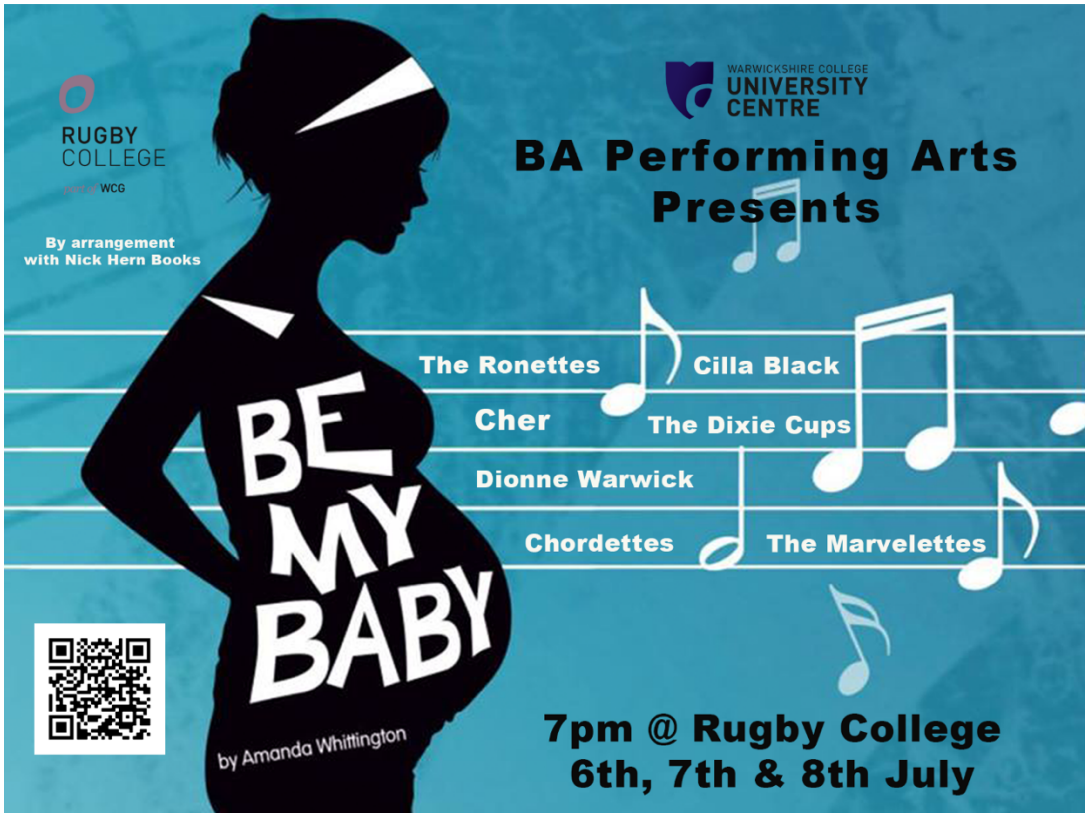
Visit the university webinar hub

Invitation – Rugby College Show

The Performing Arts BA Degree students invite you to join them at the first show they have been able to perform in front of an audience. We invite everyone to get tickets, all prospective students, families etc, everyone is welcome and we would love to have you.

Be My Baby
7pm @ Rugby College
Wed 6th July 2022 - Fri 8th July 2022
https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/warwickshire-college

19 year old Mary is seven months pregnant when her mother delivers her into the charge of St Saviours, a church run maternity home for young, unmarried women who have made 'one mistake.' As they bond over records and romance, Mary, Dolores, Queenie and Norma begin to understand what it means to give their children to the Welfare Service and Mary realises she must fight to take her baby home. Featuring pop music of the 1960s, Be My Baby is an incredibly moving story told with warmth and humour and is one of the most widely performed modern, British plays.
https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=1182158169291748



DoctorsLive – Interactive Virtual Medical Experience

Please note: there is a cost to this opportunity.

My name is Veronica and I am a doctor working for the NHS. I would like to tell you about an opportunity from **DoctorsLive**. We are a group of doctors passionate about inspiring the next generation of students into Medicine, Nursing, and Allied Health Professions. Our courses give you an insight into what it's really like to work in healthcare in a fun, engaging and informative way. We are excited to announce that our courses are back this summer. Below are the details:

SurgeryLive - Virtual Surgical Theatre Operating Experience **- Saturday 23rd July 2022**

Our **SurgeryLive** course is an **innovative and interactive virtual course** which aims to give you a real glimpse of what it's like to be a **surgeon** in an operating theatre, delivered by practising NHS surgeons. The day course includes:

1. A glimpse into the day to day life of a surgeon
2. Solving real life surgical cases including history taking and anonymised scans
3. Live virtual operations - showing step by step how common surgeries are carried out
4. Learning how to suture with a live follow-along demo (you will be sent your own suturing kit, the same ones used by medical students and doctors)
5. A chance for you to interact with practising NHS surgeons and doctors

We aim to make the course as interactive as possible to give you a real taste of what it is like to be a surgeon and to be in the operating room using the latest innovative virtual technology. You will also get a chance to learn how to suture with your own suturing kit.

For more information and to enrol please visit the link below:

https://doctorslive.co.uk/surgerylive/

MedicineLive - Virtual Medical Clinic Experience **- Saturday 30th July 2022**

MedicineLive is designed to give you an insight into the fascinating world of Medicine. Gain an insight into the day to day life of a medic in our virtual clinic. The course includes:

1. An insight into the training medical doctors undertake
2. A Day in the life of a medic
3. Live examination demo – you will receive your own stethoscope and learn how to examine different body systems
4. Live virtual clinic. Follow along as we go step by step on how doctors take histories, interpret blood results, ECGs and scans.

For more information and to enrol please visit the link below:

https://doctorslive.co.uk/medicinelive/

Both sessions are aimed at students aged 14+ who are interested in a career in Healthcare. Certificates will be provided for participation.

National Careers Service exam results and next steps webinars for parents and carers

With exams ending, many of you will be preparing to take your next step into further academic studies or the workplace – which we know can be confusing and feel a bit daunting.

Throughout the summer, the National Careers Service is running a series of webinars for parents and carers of young people who are expecting their exam results this August. They will be able to learn more about how to support their children with advice about choices and careers, including useful information sources, advice for results day and a Q&A with a panel of experts. The webinars schedule is now available.

Please share this information with other parents and students who could benefit from this support.

SpringPod – free virtual work experience – work with exciting companies

Our latest cohort of free Virtual Work Experience programmes are coming up soon.

I'm just getting in touch to provide you with this doc (also attached below the bulletin) that contains our upcoming programmes in partnership with top UK employers.

There's some great opportunities in there too that are exclusive to certain areas which is a great chance for young people in those areas to gain some rare experience and stand out from the crowd.

As always our programmes are completely free and can be completed at any time that suits you once the programme is underway; there's no pressure to follow a strict timetable!

These opportunities are the perfect way to grab some extra work experience over the summer without missing out on the (hopefully) nice weather.

View all work experience.

If you've got any questions at all do get in touch: oscar.crickmer@springpod.com

Young Professionals UK - Careers in STEM + Science Work Experience Day

We have 2 fantastic work experience events coming up with Spectris and their subsidiary business Malvern Panalytical in late July.

The first is a virtual opportunity and the second is an in-person science focused work experience day.

Are you interested in a career in engineering / STEM / science?

On **Tuesday 26th July** from **1:00pm - 4:00pm** we're going to be hosting a virtual 'Do you want to be an Engineer' event with FTSE-250 company Spectris.

Employing approximately 9,000 people located in more than 30 countries, Spectris harnesses the power of precision measurement to equip their customers to make the world cleaner, healthier and more productive. They provide global customers with specialist insight through their high-tech instruments and test equipment, augmented by the power of software.

The day will consist of a variety of interactive presentations, going into depth on the different careers in engineering with some fun quizzes and activities.

Would you like science-based work experience?

The following day on **Wednesday 27th July** from **10:00am - 3:00pm** there is the opportunity for an in-person work experience to explore a career in **science** with Malvern Panalytical; a subsidiary company of Spectris, at their headquarters in Malvern.

They have a really fun day planned as you'll be getting to experiment on chocolate amongst other workshops as well as get to meet with current Year in Industry students and apprentices.

Join us for this excellent work experience day and have something really great to add to your CV by clicking the following link to apply: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Spectris-WEX

Share the opportunity with your science friends!

Speakers for Schools virtual work experience opportunities

SPEAKERS for schools

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Looking for work experience this summer?

How can I apply with Speakers for Schools?

1. You can view all our local work experience opportunities below and on our website by clicking here or go to www.speakersforschools.org/experience-2/work-experience.
2. You can create your account in two simple steps. On the sign-up page (click here) you need to select your school's name and click proceed. Ensure you find the correct school or college and have consent from your parent or guardian.
3. When you have applied for an opportunity, your teacher will need to approve your application before it is sent to the employer.

How can work experience help?

Meeting employers through work experience helps you improve your understanding of different careers, and pathways into various professions.

It can develop your knowledge, skills and confidence and could lead to future employment opportunities.

What young people have said about our experiences:

> *They explained more about this career sector which is very interesting and they opened my mind about another jobs.*

> *Gave me more insight in the careers I am interested in. Furthermore, the other options related to my interest.*

NHS
Birmingham Community Healthcare
NHS Foundation Trust

18th July
Community healthcare

This 3-day placement will involve a range of sessions when you can meet staff working across different fields of nursing/community healthcare and in different roles.

WILLMOTT DIXON
SINCE 1852

19th July
Construction for everyone

Construction is a very exciting career with lots of opportunities to discover. There is a role in construction for every subject delivered in school. - come and discover what jobs are out there!

BANK OF ENGLAND

15-17th July
Careers in banking

Join the Bank of England for this 5-day virtual work experience that will give the opportunity to find out what it's like to work in a public sector institution which has been in existence for over 325 years.

Sopra Steria

18-20th July
Technology

Join this European leader in digital transformation to hear how to develop and deliver technology solutions to tackle some of the biggest challenges people face.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

11th July & 12th July
Careers in the RAF

Hear about the range of careers including Aviation Operations, Engineering, Cyber, Force Protection, Medical, Logistics, Photography, Hospitality & Catering

high tide

26-28th July
Sustainable development

Hear from some impressive engineering, business and sustainable firms where you will discover the breadth of opportunities available to youuin a range of different sectors from Law, Finance, Engineering, Media, Shipping, Automotive and many more.

United Utilities

11th July
Green energy transforming poo!

Fun activities will give you employability skills and insights into how bioresources and energy services transforms poo into power!

PA

5th August
Consultancy careers

Interested in a career in consulting and working across industries? During this session we will give you an overview of what it's like being a consultant and working with a diverse range of clients.

Where do I find the information I want?

There are so many useful-looking websites about careers, it can be difficult to know where to start. We have listed some of the most useful websites below.

Recruitment and other local opportunities:
Careers Hub Coventry & Warwickshire, on Facebook - https://www.facebook.com/CareersHubCW

I don't know what to do, I need some ideas:
Unifrog – www.unifrog.org
National Careers Service - https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/
Prospects - https://www.prospects.ac.uk/
ICould, including the Buzz Quiz - https://icould.com/

Apprenticeships:
Amazing Apprenticeships - https://amazingapprenticeships.com/
Apprenticeships - https://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/#
Find and apply for an apprenticeship - https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship
Find an apprenticeship - https://www.findapprenticeships.co.uk/

Local Colleges:
Coventry College - https://www.coventrycollege.ac.uk/
Warwickshire College Group - https://wcg.ac.uk/
North Warwickshire & South Leicestershire College - https://www.nwslc.ac.uk/
BOA - https://www.boa-academy.co.uk/

University:
UCAS - https://www.ucas.com/
Discover Uni - https://discoveruni.gov.uk/
What Uni ? - https://www.whatuni.com/
Unifrog - www.unifrog.org
Plan My Gap Year - https://www.planmygapyear.co.uk/
Apply to Uni - https://www.applytouni.com/
The Student Room - https://www.thestudentroom.co.uk/