



**Queen Anne High School**  
**E-bulletin for our School Community**  
**2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> May 2017**

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## Senior Basketball

Well done to our Senior Basketball team who have won the Fife League after going undefeated in both cup and league matches this season! Credit must go to the boys for the talent displayed throughout the season and also to PE teacher Neil Thomson who commits a number of hours each week to training and matches.

The results were –

- QAHS 72      Glenrothes      38
- QAHS 80      Woodmill            32
- QAHS 72      Beath                28
- QAHS 102    Inverkeithing      24
- QAHS 87      Kirkcaldy            12



**Back row L-R**

Jack Montgomery, Drew Pennie, Ewan Pennie, Guy Noble

**Front Row L-R**

Callum Clark Euan Thomson, Ire Akande

## West Fife Enterprise Ltd: "Step Up to Work" Course

West Fife Enterprise Ltd is running five 'Step Up To Work Participant' courses from May 2017 – February 2018 for unemployed individuals in Fife, including recent school leavers.

**Eligible applicants must be aged 16 -64, unemployed and officially left school.**

**The course will include:**

- Employability Award Qualification
- CV Workshops
- Interview Skills and Techniques
- Work Placements/Experience
- Job Searches

The training will take place at Glenrothes Job Centre and **participant travel costs will be covered**. This course is being advertised on <https://my.opportunitiesfife.org/opportunities/20764>.

If you are interested please contact Sandra at West Fife Enterprise Ltd on 01383 881364, private message on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/westfifeenterprise](http://www.facebook.com/westfifeenterprise)) or ask your Work Coach at the local Job Centre. Recent school leavers can also speak with their Queen Anne guidance teacher.

## Pupil Support Assistant Vacancies in Integrated Support Area 2

Due to an increase in pupil numbers, we will soon be recruiting additional Pupil Support Assistants to provide specialist and individualised care for pupils in our busy and growing Integrated Support Area 2 (Department of Additional Support). The six posts are a mix of Pupil Support Assistant Levels 2 and 3, temporary, permanent, full-time and part-time. All positions will be advertised soon on the My Job Scotland website (<https://www.myjobscotland.gov.uk/>).

### **DAPL: supporting emotional wellbeing and mental health**

An organisation called DAPL has been commissioned as part of Fife Council's "Our Minds Matter" Framework to provide support for young people around emotional wellbeing and mental health issues. This may include one-to-one counselling, small group sessions or support for families. DAPL also support young people and families who are affected by substance use. Support from DAPL is free and confidential and will be delivered by experienced support workers in school or other venue. Families and pupils interested in finding out more about this service, or to book an appointment, should speak with their guidance teacher in the first instance or contact DAPL directly (see [www.dapl.net](http://www.dapl.net) for contact details). DAPL support workers will be based at Queen Anne HS in Integrated Support Area 1 every Wednesday for pupil appointments.

### **Teen Night**

See attached poster.

### **Dates for the Diary**

29<sup>th</sup> May – S1 Reports issued to pupils  
5<sup>th</sup> June – Holiday (school closed to pupils)  
6<sup>th</sup> June – New timetable begins  
14<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> June – School Show  
19<sup>th</sup> June – P& Parents and Carers Information Evening  
22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> June – Primary 7 Visit to QAHS  
26<sup>th</sup> June – Sporting Colours Awards Ceremony  
29<sup>th</sup> June – Annual Awards Ceremony/Last day of term

Wishing you and your family an enjoyable weekend.

Ruth McFarlane  
Rector