

# THE HUNSLEY WAY

As the first half of the Spring term draws to a close and following the recent funerals of two of our students, so tragically lost last term and over the Christmas break, I wanted to share again my thanks to our students, staff, parents/carers and community partners for the support and kind words they have shown to both families and those affected by their sad loss.



As I shared in my Christmas message, I am often asked to describe what makes Hunsley a special place to belong to; one reason is the way our whole community wraps its arms around those who are facing tragedy or difficult circumstances. On behalf of everyone who has been affected by the sad loss of Mason and Thomas, thank you. Don't forget, should you or your child need any support then please do reach out to our pastoral team who will be more than happy to help.

Through our Hunsley Way publication we aim to capture a flavour of the wide range of activities, opportunities and achievements of our students and I hope you enjoy reading about these.

Don't forget to share with us any achievements that your child has had outside of school that we might not be aware of so we can recognise and celebrate these with you. Please contact [marketing@southhunsley.org.uk](mailto:marketing@southhunsley.org.uk)

As we did for Mason in our December newsletter, this edition has been dedicated to the memory of Thomas, and I hope you take comfort from the selection of tributes that we have included. I know you will join me in keeping the families, friends and all those affected by the sad loss of Mason and Thomas in our thoughts and prayers.

**Thank you, and best wishes to you and your family.**

Mr R Williman  
Headteacher



### HULL FOODBANK

Wednesday 21 December 22

Thank you to all who were able to contribute towards our festive Hull Foodbank collection at the end of last term. Hunsley teachers Mr Deurden and Mr Coulbeck made their way to the foodbank to drop off **over 12 boxes of cupboard food items**, which will help many families who rely on the community.



### MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Friday 20 January

Macmillan Cancer Research confirmed the final donation amount from the coffee morning held last term, with the bake sale and online donations totalling an incredible **£999.37** raised for charity.

### PEGASUS ANNOUNCE NEW HOUSE CHARITY

Monday 9 January

Pegasus House have announced that as of 2023 they will be supporting Brain Tumour Research as their nominated charity. All money raised from fundraising events will now go towards this fantastic cause that helps those diagnosed with brain cancer and their families.

**Brain Tumour Research**

**SOUTH HUNSLEY JOINS THE FIGHT**  
Together we will find a cure

Pegasus names **Brain Tumour Research** as their new House charity for 2023

16,000 people diagnosed with a brain tumour every year

Up to 40% of all cancers spread to the brain

[www.braintumourresearch.org/donate](http://www.braintumourresearch.org/donate)

**Pegasus**

**THANK YOU!**

**DOWNRIGHT Special**  
...building a brighter future for children with Down Syndrome

**HERCULES HOUSE DOWNRIGHT SPECIAL**

Monday 23 January

Hercules House donated a huge **£865.22** to their nominated charity Downright Special following a year of fundraising.

This makes a big difference to the education and support of children with Down Syndrome in Hull & East Yorkshire.



### ECO HUNSLEY GROUP VISIT MELTON QUARRY

Wednesday 18 January

Environmental taskforce Eco Hunsley made their way to Melton Quarry for a tree planting trip, learning about science, sustainability, local species and also did some tree planting under the expert guidance of The Conservation Volunteers.

**DRACO HOUSE CHARITY ECKERSLEY HOUSE**

**The Sick Children's Trust**  
We're here, so families can be together

**Draco**

Eckersley House supports families of sick children being treated at Leeds Children's Hospital by giving them somewhere to stay just minutes from their seriously ill child's hospital bedside.

Their 'Homes from Home' are more than just a place to stay and the staff make sure that there's a friendly ear to listen when families need it.

[www.committedgiving.uk.net/sickchildrenstrust](http://www.committedgiving.uk.net/sickchildrenstrust)  
In loving memory of Mason Clarkson-Carter

### DRACO'S CHARITY UPDATED IN MEMORY OF MASON

Friday 27 January

In memory of South Hunsley student Mason Clarkson-Carter, Draco House have named Eckersley House as their new nominated charity. Based in Leeds, Eckersley House supports families of sick children being treated at Leeds Children's Hospital by giving them somewhere to stay just minutes from their child's hospital bedside. As of February 2023, all funds raised from Draco House will be donated to the cause.



## 6TH BEST STATE SCHOOL FOR SPORT

We are absolutely delighted to report that South Hunsley School have been listed in 6th place for best sporting state school in the School Sport Magazine Top 200, and 27th place overall.

Secondary schools up and down the country battle it out each year to make it onto the exclusive top sports schools list. While independent schools dominated the top 20 with 17 out of 20 places, state schools performed admirably overall with more than 70 of them taking their place in the top 200. Of this group of state schools, South Hunsley School came in 6th place.

Throughout the year, PE departments share their fixtures and scores with School Sport Magazine which are tallied up to generate the Top 200 list. After several years of a Top 100 list, the Top 200 chart was introduced to account for 2021 where no data was collected due to the pandemic. Final scores were given across a wide range of sports such as football, rugby union, hockey, athletics and many more.

We would like to extend a special thank you to the PE department and their dedication to putting South Hunsley on the sporting map. Well done and congratulations to all students who took part in any of the fixtures over the last year as well as their parents for their continued support.

Alongside the Top 200 chart, our very own PE teacher Miss Bramhill was interviewed for a feature titled '**Girls' Football Takes Centre Stage**' discussing the school's superb soccer programme and shares the secrets of its success.

Speaking of the recent football achievements of our students, Miss Bramhill said: *"Last season was extremely successful for our girls' football. Our U13's won the EFL Utilita Cup at Wembley in April. Our U12 team got to the quarter finals of the ESFA National Cup, our U14's got to the semi-final of the National Cup and our U13's and U15's both reached the final of the ESFA National Cup at the Hawthorns in May with our U13's runners up and U15's crowned champions. Our U12, U13 and U14's also all won their county cups."*

# 6<sup>th</sup> BEST STATE SCHOOL IN THE COUNTRY FOR SPORTING SUCCESS

2022

School Sport Magazine - Jan 2023

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# SPORTS FIXTURES



## Football

| South Hunsley Team | Opposition                      | Score |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------|
| U12 Girls          | Wales High School               | 3-4   |
| Y8A Boys           | Garforth Academy                | 1-3   |
| Y7 Elite Boys      | St Aidan's School               | 2-1   |
| Y11B Boys          | Malet Lambert School            | 2-1   |
| Y7 Boys            | Wath Academy                    | 4-1   |
| Y7/8 Boys          | Watch Academy                   | 1-2   |
| Y8B Boys           | Branston Academy                | 3-0   |
| Y7 Boys            | Dronfield School                | 0-5   |
| Y7B Boys           | Wolfeaton School                | 2nd   |
| U13 Girls          | Tadcaster Grammar School        | 3-1   |
| Y8B Boys           | Wright Robinson School          | 1-3   |
| Y7B Boys           | Boston School                   | 3-0   |
| Y8 Boys            | East Riding 7-a-side Tournament | Win   |

U15 Girls won Tolbar Academy and are through to National Cup  
 U13 Girls won Sheffield High School and are through to Utilita Cup

## Cricket

| South Hunsley Team | Competition                  | Position |
|--------------------|------------------------------|----------|
| U15 Boys           | East Yorkshire Championships | 1st      |



## Rugby

| South Hunsley Team | Opposition             | Score |
|--------------------|------------------------|-------|
| Y11 Boys           | Brooksbank School      | 34-10 |
| U16 Boys           | Yorkshire Cup ¼ Finals | 4-26  |

## Netball

| South Hunsley Team | Opposition                    | Score |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|-------|
| U15 Girls          | Oldham Hulme School           | Loss  |
| U15 Girls          | Sisters in Sport              | 1st   |
| Y11 Girls          | Cheshire                      | 48-36 |
| U16 Girls          | National Schools Championship | 3rd   |

## Squash

| South Hunsley Team | Competition       | Position |
|--------------------|-------------------|----------|
| KS4 Girls          | Dame Allen School | 159-88   |

## Badminton

| South Hunsley Team | Opposition               | Score |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------|
| KS4 Boys           | Yorkshire Schools Finals | 3rd   |
| KS3 Boys           | Yorkshire Schools Finals | 3rd   |
| KS4 Girls          | Yorkshire Schools Finals | 2nd   |



# HOUSE POINTS



OVERALL TOTAL HOUSE POINTS (JANUARY)

## HOUSE POINTS

Each week the House Point system is calculated and populated throughout the school, based on punctuality, attendance and behaviour.

High scoring Houses can swap points for prizes and nominated students that have shown good behaviour are awarded with Star of the Week, where they receive a free breacktime snack and even a prize draw for a Nando's voucher for Year 11.



PUNCTUALITY



BEHAVIOUR



ATTENDANCE



**NATIONAL THEATRE TRIP**

Fifteen of our talented Hunsley students participated in a national playwriting competition for the National Theatre and travelled to London with Miss Muir and Miss Devine in search of inspiration. As part of their mentorship, the National Theatre invited them to watch a spectacular production of Shakespeare's tragedy Othello at the Lyttelton Theatre on the bank of the Thames.

**BAE SYSTEMS**

Rob from BAE Systems came to visit this term to speak to students about their next steps after education and what BAE can offer them. Rob is our new Enterprise Partnership Link, working with the Hull & East Yorkshire Careers Hub to promote careers education through our curriculum and create opportunities for students.

**BAE SYSTEMS**



**THE BAKE ESCAPE**

As part of Wellbeing Week, a group of Year 7 students along with a handful of volunteers came together to test their flipping skills with pancakes. Appropriately named 'The Bake Escape', the wellbeing session took place during lunchtime to help encourage open and trusting friendships amongst the students.



**FOOTBALL - MAIYA**

Year 9 student of Orion House has been invited for the second time to attend the England Lionesses Football Development Event in January. Maiya was first scouted last year when playing for South Hunsley at the winning match for the Northern final of the EFL Utilita Cup, going on to later win at Wembley.



**ICE SKATING - ABBIE**

Congratulations to Year 7 student Abbie of Draco House for passing her **British Ice Skating Skills Test 6** this term. Abbie passed with flying colours with no faults or re-skates.

**BIATHLON - ZAC**

Year 8 Orion student Zac has qualified for the National Schools Biathlon Championship and will be representing South Hunsley School. The Biathlon will take place on Saturday 11 March, so we wish Zac good luck!



**DANCE - IMOGEN**

Well done to Year 11 Pegasus student Imogen who has been invited to the prestigious dance troupe The Joffrey Ballet in their rendition of Chicago following a successful audition. The Joffrey Ballet is regarded as one of the most premier ballet companies in the world with only 4% of auditioning dancers being recruited.

# STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



## YEAR 9 ART

Year 9 Art students have studied the works of Italian street artist Erica Il Cane.



# STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



## YEAR 7 ART

Pencil drawings created by Year 7 Art students, inspired by British artist Vanessa Foley.



## TIGERS TRUST

As part of the EFL Week of Action, the Tigers Trust were championing the achievements of girls and females in sport and came down to South Hunsley to interview some of the U13's Girls Football squad after their win at the 2022 Utilita Cup.

## EXTENDED PROJECT QUALIFICATION STUDENTS

Congratulations to our Extended Project Qualification students on their outstanding presentations. The presentations were a vital component of their project and an opportunity to celebrate their successes.

Students presented on topics ranging from 'Botox: Good, Bad, or (not) Ugly' to 'black holes and spaghettification effect'. Showing maturity and passion, students demonstrated a strong academic understanding of their chosen field. It was

a privilege to listen to the findings of their research, and the experience formed a celebratory end to the EPQ process. The EPQ process allowed students to gain vital skills in research, academic writing and presentation skills.



## LITTLE PRINCESS TRUST

Over the Christmas holidays Year 12 student Freya donated to the Little Princess Trust, generously gifting over 12 inches of her own hair to the cause. The charity was established to help children affected by hair loss due to cancer treatment and other conditions.

## SIXTH FORM



For further information about our EPQ enrichment opportunity visit <https://rb.gy/2gs46a>

## SIXTH FORM

## some big talents coming out of Britain'

Young Brit Finlay Pickering spotted training with Dutch squad

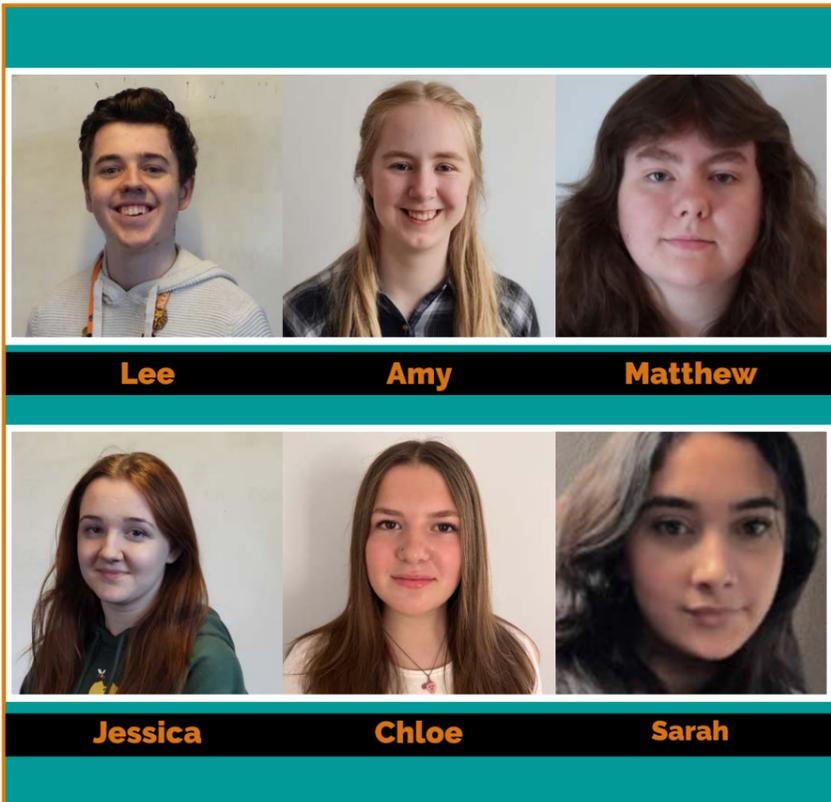
This season, for the first time in over 30 years, Jumbo-Visma will ride with a British rider on their men's roster. The Dutch team, which topped the UCI's 2022 rankings, welcomed 21-year-old Thomas Gloag as a trainee last year, elevating him to their WorldTour squad for 2023. Then earlier this month, the team invited 19-year-old Finlay Pickering, formerly of Groupama-FDJ's Continental squad, to their winter training camp in Alicante, Spain. Speaking to *Cycling Weekly*, Grischa Niermann, Jumbo-Visma sports director,

praised the wealth of British riders breaking into the men's peloton. "I think right now there are a lot of young riders coming out of Britain who are really big talents," said Niermann. Asked if Jumbo-Visma are consciously monitoring British riders, Niermann replied "no". "[We look at] talents that we think suit our programme," he added. "It's probably not likely that that is a Colombian rider, for example, but Northern Europeans, Scandinavians, British riders. "We didn't sign Thomas and we didn't invite Finlay because they are British, but because they're big talents."

This season, Pickering will wear the jersey of British Continental outfit Trinity Racing, the same team Gloag rode for last year. Niermann highlighted that Jumbo-Visma has developed a "good relationship" with the British squad, which is managed by agent Andrew McQuaid. **Gloag good for Classics** Speaking about Gloag, Jumbo-Visma's first British rider since Dave Rayner in the early 1990s, Niermann said he expects a "big future". "I think he will be good in the one-day Classics, in the hilly Classics, like

## SIXTH FORM ALUMNI FINLAY JOINS DUTCH TEAM

One of our own previous South Hunsley Sixth Form students Finlay Pickering has appeared in *Cycling Weekly Magazine*, being spotted riding with the Dutch team Jumbo-Visma. We are sure that Finlay is one to watch for the future, all the best of luck to him.



## CREATIVE ARTS LEADERS

Meet your new Creative Arts Leaders! This group of Sixth Formers will be working alongside subject leaders to strengthen the Creative Arts offering and ensure student voices are being heard. They will be on hand to take any suggestions or ideas and will be happy to help.

# SOUTH HUNSLEY SIXTH FORM EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

### IT APPRENTICE

**37 HOURS PER WEEK, FULL TIME MONDAY TO FRIDAY £12,487.20 (60% OF SCP 3)**

**We're on the lookout for an IT Apprentice to join South Hunsley School and Sixth Form.**

**To apply please complete the Application Form from the QR code and return to [freya.dobson@southhunsley.org.uk](mailto:freya.dobson@southhunsley.org.uk)**



### GROUNDS APPRENTICE

**37 HOURS PER WEEK, FULL TIME MONDAY TO FRIDAY £12,264.60 (60% OF SCP 2)**

**We're on the lookout for a Grounds Apprentice to join South Hunsley School and Sixth Form.**

**To apply please complete the Application Form from the QR code and return to [freya.dobson@southhunsley.org.uk](mailto:freya.dobson@southhunsley.org.uk)**





# MUSICAL MAYHEM



# YEARS OF SOUTH HUNSLEY SCHOOL PRODUCTIONS

Performances are held on Thursday 2 and Friday 3 March 2023 at 7.00pm

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE FINANCE OFFICE  
ADULTS £6 CONCESSIONS £3.50

# WELLBEING WEEK

MONDAY 30 JANUARY - FRIDAY 3 FEBRUARY 2023

**MONDAY**  
Wellbeing Journaling Workshop  
3.30pm - 4.30pm, HG10

**TUESDAY**  
Parental Webinar  
6.30pm - 8.30pm, Zoom

**WEDNESDAY**  
The Haven  
12.25pm - 1.15pm, HG10

**THURSDAY**  
The Bake Escape  
12.25pm - 1.15pm, Cooking Room

**FRIDAY**  
Film Club: Inside Out  
12.25pm - 1.15pm, HG2

## WELLBEING WEEK

Monday 30 – Friday 3 January

Every term we hold a Wellbeing Week for our students, 5 days of varied activities to draw attention to the importance of mental, physical and emotional wellbeing.

## NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK™ 2023

- How do I apply for an apprenticeship?
- Where can I find out about apprenticeships?
- How much will I get paid?
- Is an apprenticeship a good choice for me?
- Will I have fun as an apprentice?
- Are there any 'green' apprenticeships?
- Should I apply for more than 1 apprenticeship?
- What are the different apprenticeship levels?
- How do I find an apprenticeship?
- What kind of job could I be doing?
- Which employers offer apprenticeships?
- What is a degree apprenticeship?

FIND OUT MORE  
[nationalapprenticeshipweek.co.uk](http://nationalapprenticeshipweek.co.uk)



## Key Dates

**Monday 13 - Friday 17 February**  
Half-term break

**Monday 20 February**  
First day of term

**Thursday 2 March**  
World Book Day  
Year 13 Progress Evening

**Monday 6 March**  
Extra Special Surprise Guest - details to follow

**Monday 6 - Friday 10 March**  
National Science Week  
National Careers Week

**Tuesday 7 March**  
Year 13 Community & Person Day

**Wednesday 8 March**  
Year 12 Community & Person Day  
International Women's Day  
Holi, Festival of Colours

**Monday 13 March**  
Student Finance Information Evening (Year 13)

**Tuesday 21 - Monday 27 March**  
Neurodiversity Week

**Tuesday 21 March**  
Down Syndrome Day

**Wednesday 22 March**  
Ramadan Begins

**Thursday 23 March**  
Year 7 Progress Evening (A)

**Wednesday 29 March**  
Year 7 Progress Evening (B)

**Saturday 1 - Sunday 9 April**  
Year 9 Ski Trip

# 2023

## YEAR 11 UPDATE

Year 11 continue to impress everyone in school with their preparations for the Summer. Each student has received a green 'How to Revise' booklet that includes tips on study and a revision planner.

We recommend spending a little time to help them map their revision around all the other activities that we know busy families have. In order to help your planning, here are a few of the key dates and way points:

Mock Exams and Interim Estimate Report

Thursday 2 February

Parent/Carer Progress Evenings

Thursday 2 February and Wednesday 8 February

Sixth Form Progression Online Meetings

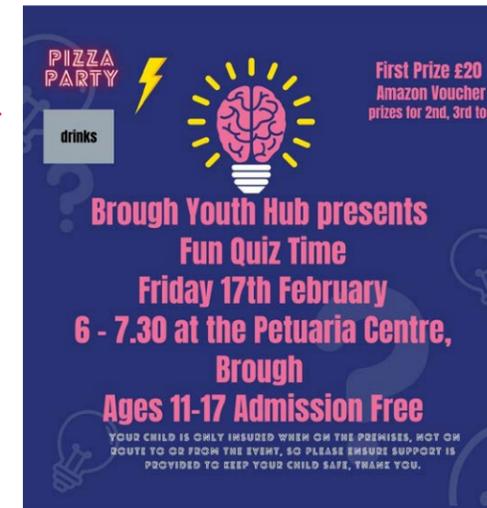
Wednesday 22 February

Lunch Time and After School Support Sessions

Details shortly to be confirmed in tutor time

## OPTIONS FORM

The Year 9 Options Form for September 2023 is now available online, to be completed by **Monday 20 February**. We recommend that students take a language, a humanities (History or Geography) and they then have a further two free options.



**PIZZA PARTY** drinks

First Prize £20 Amazon Voucher prizes for 2nd, 3rd too

**Brough Youth Hub presents Fun Quiz Time**  
Friday 17th February  
6 - 7.30 at the Petuaria Centre, Brough  
Ages 11-17 Admission Free

YOUR CHILD IS ONLY INSURED WHEN ON THE PREMISES, NOT ON ROUTE TO OR FROM THE EVENT, SO PLEASE ENSURE SUPPORT IS PROVIDED TO KEEP YOUR CHILD SAFE, THANK YOU.

## £300 Per Week Teaching Internship June 2023

Yorkshire Wolds Teacher Training (YWTT) are delivering a **paid Teaching Internship Programme** in **June 2023** for undergraduates or those on an integrated masters & considering teaching secondary **Maths, Physics, Chemistry, MFL and/or Computing**.

You will be paid **£300 per week** for **3 weeks** and will be given a full **school insight's experience**.

You will learn how to create **lesson resources**, **assess students** and take part in a range of **engaging school activities** to help develop your skills and allow you to find out whether teaching is the right career choice for you!

You will also be given the opportunity to create a resource that will be delivered to the children in our charity school in Kenya **AND** you will receive a **Guaranteed Interview Certificate** for YWTT!

*"I wanted to email and say thank you really, thank you for the internship opportunity, for your honesty and insights and the great teachers you've given us the opportunity to speak to. It has made me even more determined than I already was and excited to start looking for teacher training places"*

### Next Steps?

Simply email

[sarah.barley@theeducationalliance.org.uk](mailto:sarah.barley@theeducationalliance.org.uk)

to register or ask any further questions!

 [ywtt.org.uk](http://ywtt.org.uk)

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## THIS EDITION OF THE HUNSLEY WAY IS DEDICATED TO THOMAS DENNETT

Here are a collection of memories provided by some of our teachers and how they remember Tom, he will be sadly missed by the whole South Hunsley family and our thoughts are with his family and friends at this sad time.

### Mrs Laird and Mrs Gray – Form Tutors

We first met Tom as a Sixth Former joining our Year 12 tutor group. Although he joined the group a little later, we were immediately struck by his quiet determination to focus on his studies and settle into Sixth Form life.

The regard, respect and humour shared with his friends and peers was lovely to see. It was clear how much they enjoyed each other's company and we enjoyed Tom's warmth and friendliness which, whatever else was going on and whatever the tutor group focus was, never seemed to waver.

This warmth made chatting to Tom easy. He would articulately discuss a range of topics from Sixth Form issues to current affairs but certain subjects sparked an extra enthusiasm - football, economics and his holiday travels – and when talking about these subjects we saw a smile and a twinkle and the joy that these passions brought.

Writing a reference for Tom was not easy, however! His

natural modesty meant that it took some time to realise the extent of his skill, experience and expertise in football and when he did talk about his accomplishments it was with a characteristic self-effacing modesty and always with a recognition of those around him and supporting him.

We miss Tom. Life isn't the same in 1302 and we know our tutor group would want us to convey the love and respect in which we held Tom and our promise to remember him.

### Mr Jacobs – Sixth Form

Tom was always a polite and smiley face around the Sixth Form. Quiet and unassuming, he just got on with everything that was expected of him and more! It is clear from speaking to his teachers, that he had a maturity beyond his years and took the freedom and responsibility that comes with being a Sixth Form student in his stride. It is also more than evident that all of his friends, classmates and those who knew him, had a genuine fondness for this kind, funny and extremely likeable young man.

### Mr Senior - PE

Tom Dennett, a talented young man who was a pleasure to teach.

*"Two in Two, Sir!"* These are the words which I will always remember Tom by.

The day the school closed for a burst water main, this was the same day Tom, and the U18 A team played against Roundhay School away in Leeds. Only 64 seconds into the game Tom scored with a delightful side footed strike from the edge of the box. As the team celebrated taking the lead. Tom shouted *"That's two in two Sir!"* With a huge smile on his face.

The team went on to win comfortably heading through to the next round.

Today (8/02/23) the team won the last 16 fixture 6-1 and are now 2 wins from the national final Tom will always be our 12th man and we hope to do him proud with every pass, tackle, dribble, shot and save.

### Mr O'Hara – Maths

It has been an absolute pleasure to teach Tom during his A Level studies. Tom was a quiet, polite and kind young man who was liked by peers and staff alike. Tom gave his absolute best efforts to succeed in maths and although Tom was a quiet and modest student he always volunteered answers and contributed to the class discussions. Tom was a happy young man who always had a smile on his face, except when studying something particularly tough, like Trigonometric identities, with the smile turning to confusion.

Tom missed the beginning of Year 12 and after a few weeks I received an email from the Sixth Form team wanting to know if Tom had been asking for work and keeping on top of it. It was the easiest response to an email I have ever had to send, not only had Tom been keeping up with the work and submitting assessments on Teams, he had been keeping me in line and ensured that I had been setting him enough work!

I sorely miss Tom and the joy he brought to lessons, my thoughts are with his family and friends at this incredibly difficult time.

### Mr Holness – Chemistry

I had the pleasure of teaching Tom in his A-Level

Chemistry lessons and also back when he was in Year 9. Tom was an absolute pleasure to teach, he worked hard, put 100% into every single task and was determined to succeed. Tom was a valued member of our Chemistry class, where he would participate in every lesson and contribute positively to everyone's learning. Tom was polite, respectful, modest and shared a good sense of humour – meaning that he instantly had the respect of his peers and staff alike. Tom is greatly missed from our Chemistry lessons.

### Mr Stannard – Economics

The epitome of a modern-day Economist! A diligent, hard-working student who always considered the Cost & Benefits of every decision. A pleasure to teach, and someone who would happily discuss football with me at any opportunity.

### Miss Cope – Spanish

I taught Tom GCSE Spanish and I remember him as a polite, pleasant, kind, generous and good humoured young man. Tom always worked hard and smiled even when he found Spanish a challenge! He was an incredibly kind and caring young man who was really loved by his friends, classmates and teachers. Tom will be missed.

### Mrs Fox – Lower School Form Tutor

I had the pleasure to teach Tom science in Year 7 and then I was his form tutor from Year 8 through until the end of Year 11. Everyday I could rely on Tom to be the perfect student. He was always on time, smartly dressed, polite and happy (even mustering a smile when he was disappointed with his football teams results the night before!) As a form we relied on Tom during interform events to be one of our star team members and on sports day he would happily stand in for any event where he was needed. If any student ever modelled the Hunsley way with perfection, it was Tom.

### Mrs Davies – Head of Hercules House

Tom was a model student, a team player and a well-respected member of Hercules House. Tom managed to steer most of our conversations to Football, even when discussing the broken tap incident in his form room *"You know it wasn't me miss I was talking about football when it happened!"* Tom was a dedicated athlete especially on sports days when he competed as the majority of his form, excelling in numerous events for Hercules. It was a pleasure to watch Tom grow from Year 7 to 11 and he will be greatly missed.



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# TURKEY-SYRIA EARTHQUAKE APPEAL

Devastating earthquakes have hit Turkey and Syria, killing thousands of people and reducing buildings to rubble. People need urgent aid to survive.

**Donate now to help save lives.**

[donation.dec.org.uk/  
turkey-syria-earthquake-appeal](https://donation.dec.org.uk/turkey-syria-earthquake-appeal)

As a community we would like to offer whatever support we can to those who need it. If you can help and donate anything this would be a great help.

Thank you for your continued support.

This edition of The Hunsley Way is dedicated to

**Thomas Dennett**

*2005-2022*

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