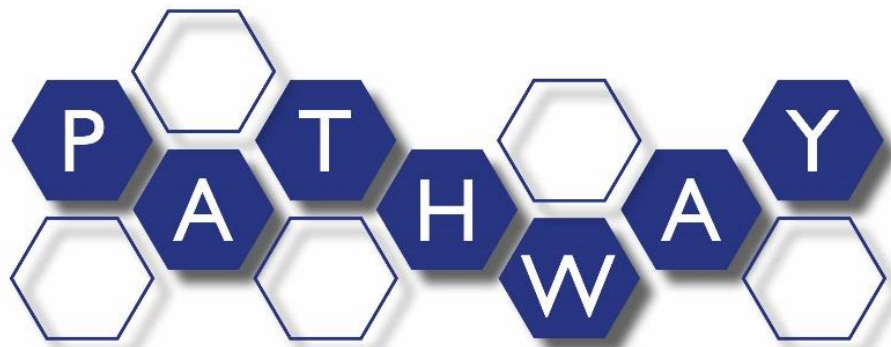


Christleton High School



Careers Information Evening Student Booklet



Wednesday 6th November 2019
6.00 pm - 8.00 pm

Getting the Most from Your Evening

STEP ONE: Take some time to read through the list of representatives in this booklet and highlight those you would like to talk to.

STEP TWO: You can also use the 'Search' facility through U-Explore (www.u-xplore.com) to find all about the Related Job Roles that different subjects and interests can lead to.

STEP THREE: You should consider coming up with a list of the three people you most want to talk to in order to help you prioritise on the night. Make a note of your 'Top 3' here:

- 1)
- 2)
- 3)

STEP FOUR: You should also take a bit of time thinking about what you might want to ask. Here are some suggestions to help you – you can add to the list below:

- What is your job like on a day to day basis?
- What are the best bits? The worst?
- How did you get into your job?
- What qualifications do you need? Do you have to go to university?
- What other opportunities are there in your sector?
- What were you good at when you were my age? Did this influence your career choice?
- Are there any work experience opportunities available?

Add any of your own questions here:

STEP FIVE: Make a note on the night of anything you might need to remember, and what next steps are that you could take.

Careers Advisors:

Sylvia Wood

Mrs Wood will be in the Exhibition Hall, she is the School's Career Advisor. If you have any concerns and need guidance, information about Colleges/ Universities etc Mrs Wood can help.

The Royal Navy & Royal Marines

School Liaison Team

The Royal Navy's capability is among the most impressive in the world. Find out what it takes, what would be expected of you.

The British Army

School Liaison Team

The team will be available to talk about life in the Army. Find out about what sort of careers you can have and how to achieve this. Find out what sort of jobs you can do.

The Royal Air Force

School Liaison Team

The team will be available to talk about life in the RAF. Find out about what sort of careers you can have and how to achieve this. Find out what sort of jobs you can do.

University of Chester

Including the following representatives

Cath Elvey - Cyber Crime

The UK requires more talented and qualified cyber security professionals and this requirement is expected to exist for the next 20 years. With a predicted worldwide shortage of 1.5 million information security professionals by 2020, cyber will stay an exciting and rewarding in-demand career – across every industry – for years to come.

Geoff Elvey – Institute of Policing

Play your part in the fight against crime as you discover the skills, attitude and behaviour necessary for a career in policing and investigation as taught by experienced Senior Police Officers. Find out about courses and what you need.

Hayley Gilman- Psychology

Clinical psychologists deal with a wide range of mental and physical health problems and work in many different fields including NHS, prisons, armed forces, police, social services. We work with people of all ages, from helping mothers with premature babies, to young people who are having difficulty coping, to

adults and older adults. Most clinical psychologists work within the NHS but increasingly are working in private practice.

Dr Tom Butler –Nutrition, Exercise Science and Dietetics

BSc Nutrition & Exercise Science

This course aims to bridge the wide gap between exercise professionals and nutrition experts by providing equal grounding in these two broad areas. You will gain a solid understanding of exercise, nutrition and health, thus enabling you to have a well-rounded set of skills to tackle the health challenges of tomorrow. The course has been benchmarked against The Sport and Exercise Nutrition Register (SENR) (British Dietetic Association) accreditation and SkillsActive England (Register of Exercise Professionals Levels 2, 3 and 4) requirements. This will allow graduates to seek more rounded career options – as is increasingly recognised and expected by employers.

BSc Nutrition and Dietetics

This course is aimed at anyone who has an interest in the science behind food, the effect it has on our body and how we can use food and nutrition to treat various clinical conditions. The degree provides an exciting mix of science, including anatomy, physiology, and immunology, alongside human nutrition, metabolism, public health nutrition and clinical dietetics. Combined with novel methods of assessment that build entrepreneurial skills, the course provides you with the unique set of skills needed to work in multiple areas upon graduation. As part of the course you undertake practice placements and develop the clinical skills needed to work in the field. The course has been designed alongside the guidance issued by the Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC) and the British Dietetic Association (BDA). We would be delighted to answer any of your questions, or to give you more information on the course including: Entry Requirements Modules included, how you'll be taught, how you'll be assessed and Fees.

Loughborough University

Eleanor Raitt

We often ask our students what it is that they particularly love about the University and we get a number of different responses – the fact that their courses are taught by some of the world's best academics in their subject areas; the range of clubs and societies they can join; the huge number of opportunities to get involved in sport and the arts.

We offer a really friendly and supportive environment, that enables our students to be the very best they can be, in whatever they do. Come and find out more about our University in Leicestershire. We have many courses including Aeronautical Engineering, Architecture, Art and Design and Banking.

Reaseheath College

School Liaison Team

Reaseheath College is one of the leading specialist land-based Colleges in the UK. Based in Cheshire the College has an enviable setting amongst 330 hectares of farms, parklands, lake, woodland and sports facilities, you can't help feeling at home at Reaseheath and is one of the leading specialist land-based Colleges in the UK. Based in Cheshire the College has an enviable setting amongst 330 hectares of farms, parklands, lake, woodland and sports facilities, you can't help feeling at home.

Coleg Cambria

Sue Hulme and Team

Every year hundreds of our students leave us with skills, knowledge and qualifications. We can give you a start in the industry you would like to work in, progress you to an apprenticeship or if you study A levels or one of our Level 3 qualifications, you could go onto University. Our simple aim is that you are happy and fulfilled whilst achieving your dreams and ambitions during your time with us. Whatever you want to do with your future, we're confident we have a course that's right for you.

Glyndŵr University

Karen McGowan (Careers)

Wrexham Glyndŵr University started in 2008 so we're still one of the youngest universities in the UK. It is a vibrant, friendly place where each student's learning and future is given personal attention.

Today, industry-led courses are at the heart of our offering. We pride ourselves on our links with leading local and regional employers, such as Airbus, Kellogg's, JCB and the BBC. Their knowledge and expertise is fed back into our courses, ensuring that our students are provided with only the most relevant skills for their future career.

Prof. Helen Carey & Team – Therapy

I am a lecturer at Wrexham Glyndŵr University. I lecture on many different areas of Therapy including Occupational Therapy (OT), Physiotherapy, Podiatry and Radiography. I work closely with other health professionals including Physiotherapists, Speech and Language Therapists, Nursing, Social Workers, and other community staff. There are many jobs available in this sector. Come and find out more

Cheshire College South & West

Simonetta Pearce and School Liaison Team

- Apprenticeships
- Engineering
- Media & Games
- We provide a supportive, dynamic and exciting environment that will give you the confidence and skills you need to achieve and even exceed your goals. We want you to enjoy your experience and be prepared for your new career or entry into Higher Education. **Come and find out more!**

Edge Hill University

Careers Team

Edge Hill University has achieved Gold, the highest rating in the national Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF), for delivering 'consistently outstanding teaching, learning and outcomes for its students'. As a leading university, we are dedicated to creating opportunity from knowledge – a philosophy that drives our teaching, our academic research, and our commitment to providing you with a great student experience leading to a rewarding career. We are continually recognised for our outstanding achievements in student support, graduate employment and innovation, as well as our significant role in transforming lives.

University of Law

Angharad Rees-Hughes (Student Ambassador)

At The University of Law, we believe our undergraduate students should understand how the law, business, policing and criminal investigation are applied in a real-world context, as well as being challenged academically. We have always been confident in our teaching and the results we consistently achieve for our students. The University of Law was recently awarded a Gold ranking in the Government led Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF), a fantastic endorsement in our belief that we really do set our students up for success.

The University are now offering Business courses from Debroc School of Business which is part of the University of Law. 4 different Business degrees, Business Management, Business and Marketing, Business and Finance and Business and Human Resource Management.

Primary School Teacher – ex-student

Alex Coker

Alex has just started his career as a Primary school teacher.

Come and find out what a fantastic career it can be, find out what you need and how you go about becoming a teacher. Learn what it's like to work in a Primary school.

TTE Training Ltd - Apprenticeships

Victoria Devonside

TTE provide valuable industrial experience and qualification to progress to university and gain a First Class Honor's Degree in Engineering. Who designs Apprenticeships, is it the Training Provider? Will I be following somebody for a period of time before I get my Apprenticeship certificate? Will I earn money? How long will my training take? Find out all about Apprenticeships.

Airbus - Apprenticeships

Airbus team

Airbus is an international pioneer in the aerospace industry. We are a leader in designing, manufacturing and delivering aerospace products, services and solutions to customers on a global scale. We aim for a better-connected, safer and more prosperous world. A commercial aircraft manufacturer, with Space and Defence as well as Helicopters Divisions, Airbus is the largest aeronautics and space company in Europe and a worldwide leader.

Airbus has built on its strong European heritage to become truly international – with roughly 180 locations and 12,000 direct suppliers globally. The company has aircraft and helicopter final assembly lines across Asia, Europe and the Americas, and has achieved a more than sixfold order book increase since 2000.

Innovation has always been a driving force at Airbus, which promotes cutting-edge technologies and scientific excellence to contribute to global progress. Through its predecessor companies, Airbus pioneered many of the technologies that helped conquer the skies and are now part of everyday life.

Airbus encourages its industry-leading experts to push their boundless imaginations, moving the company into the Industry 4.0 era and inventing new possibilities for the future of flight:

from manned and unmanned vehicles for urban mobility, to hybrid and electric propulsion systems for cleaner aviation.

HR Consultancy/Recruitment

Fliss Bridgewater

I have been running my consultancy business for the last 18 years supplying large companies with HR, training and recruitment services and so come and have a chat if you are interested in HR or being self-employed. About half my clients are large media businesses (I used to be the Head of Training for ITV) so I can also answer questions about careers in the media. Call me biased, but I think that HR is the most interesting part of most businesses. If you don't know what it is, it's everything to do with the employees from when they first join a company to when they leave. We advertise jobs, run interviews and assessments, help them with their induction and ongoing training needs, have to sort out what and how they get paid, help their bosses manage their performance, check the structure of the company to ensure there are the right number of people in the right places, and also help the senior team create the right culture so that people enjoy coming to work. It's not all "soft" stuff though - we also get involved in disciplinary conversations, making people redundant, negotiating with Trades Unions, and giving legal advice.

Aaron & Partners LLP - Solicitors

Paul Hennity & Catrin Morgan-Lee

With a total of 25 recommendations covering all of our main areas of disciplines in the two leading independent legal directories (17 in the latest edition of The Legal 500 and a further 8 in Chambers and Partners) we provide trusted advice to a wide range of businesses, charities, public bodies and high net worth individuals across the North West, North Wales and beyond.

LIBF - Finance

Chris Hampson

After graduating from university, I started working as a management accountant before going on to work as a financial adviser for three years. I left the industry and worked in teaching for 16 years (Maths and Financial Education). I have been working for LIBF for nearly three years as a Relationship Manager, supporting schools in the delivery of financial education.

Seneca Bridge Resource Partners – HR

Seneca Team

Seneca Bridge Resource Partners is a specialist provider of recruitment solutions tailored specifically for each individual client's business. We specialise in working with growing SMEs to support their human capital growth nationally. We are also proud to operate a specialist Hospitality division in partnership with Taste Cheshire called TC Jobs, whereby we recruit exclusively for Taste Cheshires 200 member businesses.

CH1 Chester Business Improvement District (BID)

Company

Eryl Edwards

Eryl Edwards, joined the CH1 Chester Business Improvement District (BID) Company, which aims to reinvigorate the city centre.

The CH1 Chester BID Company is a group of influential Chester businesses working together on an initiative to raise millions of pounds to fund wide-ranging improvements in the city. Eryl formally worked as General Manager of Primark, please speak to Eryl if you are interested in engaging in the retail sector.

Digital Marketing - Prodo

Hannah Trafford – ex-student

If you are wondering what digital marketing is... it's advertising delivered through digital channels. Channels such as social media, mobile applications, email, web applications, search engines, websites, or any new digital channel.

I'm a content writer for a digital marketing agency called Prodo. As part of the content team I write blogs, emails, social posts and ebooks for a variety of clients. Working within the content creation team, I've built online quizzes, interactive calculators and checklists to help clients reach their target audience.

IT/Data Science, Insights and Predictive Analytics

Luis da Cunha

I am Analytics Lead working for the Lubricants Supply Chain business of Shell. I worked on Analytics for the last 6 years and previously I had a range of IT roles for over 15 years since graduating from Northumbria University on Computing for Business.

I work as part of global team that does Data Science, Insights and Predictive Analytics on a wide range of data. Currently I am working on an ambitious and exciting programme that will deliver the Digitalisation of our Supply Chain, from molecule to customer.

STEM – Science Engineering

Alfie Neild

After 5 years of hard graft on heavy chemical plant maintenance, compressors, liquefiers, distillation stacks, furnaces and chemical reactors, he earned the title of Mechanical Engineering Technician and landed a fascinating post at Daresbury Nuclear Physics Research Laboratory. There Alfie was responsible for maintaining the labs synchrotron and cooling systems, completing nuclear physics experiments and being part of a team who constructed the largest Van der Graaf generator in the world! Come and find out what sort of careers you could have with STEM.

Daleside Vets

People to be confirmed

Daleside Veterinary Group have many years of experience providing expert care for your pets. As pet owners ourselves, we know how important it is that your four legged companions are treated with care and compassion.

At our well-equipped practice, our highly qualified vets are able to treat the majority of your pet's problems and ensure that when they leave our care they are happy and healthy once more. Occasionally your pet may need more specialist treatment. We maintain excellent links with local referral practices so an expert opinion is always just a phone call away.

Facilities available:

- In-house laboratories
- X-ray equipment
- Ultrasound scanner
- Operating facilities, including orthopaedic equipment
- Ultrasonic dental scale and polisher
- Overnight care facilities

At Daleside we are proud to offer dedicated farm vets 100% of the time.

Our services extend across North East Wales, South Cheshire and North Shropshire. We are committed to providing a top level service, through clinical excellence and by going that extra mile to look after you and your business. We are also actively involved in the local farming community, through meetings and social events, discussion groups and workshops, and agricultural shows.

Doctor of Plastic Surgery

Debbie Hunt

My name is Debbie Hunt and I have been a doctor for 9 years now. I started working at the Countess of Chester after medical school. I then specialised in surgery, and from there I specialised in Plastic Surgery. The majority of the work I do is reconstruction following cancer, burns surgery and injuries to the hand.

My qualifications include: MBChB, MRCS, MSc, PGDipCE, PGDipBurns

I would say that the best things about being able to work as a doctor are:

- being able to help people when they really need help
- always working as part of a team
- always being challenged

A medical degree is usually five years long, but in some institutions it is six. It can have different abbreviations, such as MBBS or MBChB, but all result in the bachelor's degree in medicine which automatically grants you a job as a "junior doctor".

Nearly all medical degrees use an admissions test as part of their entry requirements. Thirty medical schools (almost all of them) use the UCAT. Applicants must register for the UCAT between May and late September and the test can be sat between July and early October. After the UCAS deadline, results are sent directly to the medical schools to which the applicant has applied.

BMAT - There are two BMAT test dates per year. The first is in early September and applicants must register for this by early August. The second is in late October or early November and students should aim to register for this by the end of September. Seven medical schools use the BMAT.

There are different entry requirements for every medical school, but on average, they require AAA at A level including Chemistry and one from Biology/ Human Biology, Maths or Physics

Nursing Cheshire and Merseyside

Fiona Rackham

I completed my nurse training at St Bartholomew's Hospital in London in 1991. I worked for many years as an Oncology/Haematology nurse, not only in this county, but also in India and New Zealand. I returned to the UK, transferred to the Community to become a district nurse, which I did until I joined Christleton High as the school nurse (first aid). I have gone on to work as a Neonatal Palliative Care Nurse Specialist. Come and find out what's it like to be a nurse and what you need to do.

Countess of Chester

Speciality Manager Clive Sheppard & Team

The Countess of Chester Hospital NHS Foundation Trust consists of a 600 bedded large district General Hospital, which provides its services on the Countess of Chester Health Park, and a 64 bedded Intermediate Care Service at Ellesmere Port Hospital. The Trust has almost 4,000 staff and provides a range of medical services to more than 445,000 patients per year from an areas covering Western Cheshire, Ellesmere Port, Neston and North Wales.

The Countess of Chester Hospital has an excellent reputation for delivering high quality patient care and is nationally accredited at the highest levels in many areas, in particular those relating to clinical outcomes and patient safety.

Our aim is to be the preferred hospital of choice for our traditional community, and a preferred hospital of choice for patients from a wider area, and to continue to provide a comprehensive, high quality, and accessible range of emergency and elective services to all our patients. We want our patients to be assured that they will receive their care as rapidly as possible in a first-class environment, be treated with courtesy and dignity, and be confident that the outcome of their clinical care will be of the highest standards and safety.

Come and gain an insight into roles in theatres such as scrub nurses, recovery nurses, operating department practitioners and theatres support workers.

Sci-Tech Daresbury - The Innovation Centre

John Leake and Paul Treloar

John Leake and Paul Treloar are part of the management team who run Sci-Tech Daresbury (www.scitechdaresbury.com), a national science and innovation campus near Warrington & Runcorn. It is home to the government research facility, Daresbury Laboratory (www.stfc.ac.uk), as well as around 140 technology companies. These technology companies range from start-up companies to international businesses such as IBM and Hitachi. Companies on the site specialise in the following areas:

- Advanced Engineering and Materials
- Biomedical and Healthcare
- Digital technologies including cyber security, data analytics and AI

John and Paul are happy to speak with students about:

- Careers in science and technology
- Careers in sales and marketing
- Becoming an entrepreneur

Ipsen Pharmaceutical Company – Science Engineering

Yvonne Linnane and Team Attending

We work for Ipsen Biopharm in Wrexham, which employs around 300 staff in various roles from Development, Manufacture, Engineering, Finance, HR etc. We are especially keen to encourage young people to consider the whole gamut of roles that are needed to manufacture life changing medicines and break the mould on traditional male/female role.

KaTech – Food & Drink Manufacturer

Tobias Kaerst

Tobias began his career as an apprentice in the food industry twenty three years ago at G.C. Hahn & Co. in Luebeck (Germany), later Tate & Lyle food systems. He achieved his State Certified Food Technologist certificate from the highly respected Lebensmittelinstitut KIN (Germany) in 2008 and a further degree five years later in Business Studies and Sport Exercise Science from the University of Chester (UK). He was then recruited by the North West Food Research Development Centre, a £5.2 million project co-funded by the European Regional Development fund. Tobias completed his postgrad studies with a Masters in Business Administration (MBA) to complement his knowledge of food process technology, product development, sports nutrition, process, project and strategic management. During his career he gained expert knowledge within the European dairy market and was responsible for product development in Germany, UK, France, Spain and India. Tobias joined the business in 2016 as Senior Dairy Technologist, was promoted in 2017 to Development Manager UK and started to assist the Managing Director in 2019.

Civil Aviation

Thomas Bremer

I flew various aircraft for S.A.A. starting off as a Second Officer on the Boeing 707, getting promoted to First Officer on Boeing 737's then on to 707's and finally 747's. Further promotion took me to my first command job as a Captain on Boeing 737's. During my time on this aircraft, and as my seniority increased, I did more study, this time in Airline Management, and some years later I became Manager of Flight Operations at our 737 base in Durban.

Further promotion took me back to the Boeing 747, this time as Captain, and I relinquished my manager's role to fly this beautiful aircraft. Some years later our company asked me if I'd like to expand my knowledge by taking a temporary assignment, on loan to a company in Japan, All Nippon Airways (ANA). I had to re-write all my technical qualifications in Japan, and eventually acquired a Japanese Airline Pilot's Certificate (something of great value in our industry) I then went to fly aircraft for this esteemed company in Tokyo, then later at their crew base in Sydney Australia.

It soon became apparent that my experience as a Flight Instructor was considered by the Japanese as a really good asset, and gradually I was moved from a line pilot's role to one of Training Captain. I left All Nippon Airways at the end of my contract with them, and returned to my proper employer South African Airways. A short time later, I was contacted by another Japanese company, Nippon Cargo Airlines, and was offered the position of Captain on their 747 freighters. I accepted, as by this time I had reached the minimum retiring age of 50, and could leave South Africa with my pension and credibility intact.

I then joined Qantas Airways in Sydney as a Flight Instructor on the 747 Simulator. Once again, this required an Australian Licence, and I had to go to the University of New South Wales to complete a module of training before writing more examinations and flight competence checks.

I worked at Qantas for about five years as an instructor and examiner for the Australian Civil Aviation and Safety Authority. My job was to train pilots on how to fly the 747, and also to conduct recurrent licence checks for the CASA on pilots holding Australian Airline Transport Pilot's licences.

Chester Zoo

Mike

We're a community of experts and enthusiasts, led by Chester Zoo, taking action to protect the natural world.

As a zoo we have a crucial role to play in the fight to protect wildlife. Our experts, partners and collaborators apply their skills, knowledge and scientific evidence to ensure that we're making a real difference to conservation around the world.

We're lucky enough to protect some of the most incredible species here at the zoo and in the field so for us it is personal. We won't stand back and let habitat destruction and human threats to wildlife continue unchecked.

We strongly believe that every one of us can help and that together we can make a big difference. We know that what we start here will have a huge impact globally and we won't give up.

C.E.P.D

Tom Mulligan

'C.E.P.D was formed in 2010 with the aim of providing high quality P.E. provisions in schools in the Chester area. From starting out in a handful of schools we now work with over 45 primary and secondary schools in Chester and Cheshire West.

We offer extra curricular sports clubs, PPA and CPD curriculum cover, lunch time clubs and support, school holiday activity camps and sports based birthday parties.

We have over 35 qualified and experienced members of staff, ranging from primary and secondary teachers to specialist sports coaches, all of who share a passion for sport and seeing children thrive and develop in a sporting environment.'

ALL DAY WE DREAM ABOUT SPORTS

Extra Curricular Clubs: At C.E.P.D we offer a wide variety of before and after school sports clubs. Our clubs are designed to be fun and engaging with an emphasis on skill development as well as health and wellbeing.

Clubs on offer: football, tag rugby, netball, hockey, multi skills, dance (breakdance, ballet, street dance), cheerleading, healthy heart (fitness and wellbeing), athletics, cricket, dodgeball, rounders, racket skills (tennis, badminton), yoga, orienteering, cross country.

Come and find out more about a Career in the sports industry!

UCFB Etihad Campus – Sports Industry

Samuel Dunn

Based in and around the Etihad Stadium, the campus allows students to live, learn and work in the heart of one of Europe's most progressive football facilities. With impressive on-site facilities within the stadium available to aid your studies, including stunning lecture theatres and seminar rooms, student social areas and cafeteria, library, media suite and quiet study zones. Come and find out more about what we offer students.

David Campbell Soccer Ltd – Sports Industry

Team Member

Offering direct job introductions as part of the course plus weekly guaranteed work placements, masterclasses with industry specialists and the chance of fully funded international study programmes for most students, this unique course provides an opening into the fascinating and globally expanding football and wider sports industry. Working in conjunction with our host schools and colleges, the vocational-style course also attracts UCAS points for those wishing to progress to University and can be taken alongside other qualifications including 'A' levels. Importantly the course is internally examined so is particularly suited to those who find the pressure of external examinations more challenging. Devised by one of the leading specialists in World football who is a UEFA Pro Licence (highest coaching award in world football), this industry recognised Level 3 qualification is offered across the North West of England.

Open to males and females ages 16-19

Direct job opportunities are part of the course – UK and Worldwide

100% success for jobs – for the last 4 years every student that applied received professional International contract (recent course statistic)

Based at state-of-the-art sports facilities

Visits to professional Football Clubs and sports events

Practical sessions and classroom lessons

Guaranteed weekly work placement opportunities

Can combine with 'A' levels or BTEC qualifications (available at selected venues)

UCAS points give exit routes to higher education for the more academic students

Devised by ex-international footballer and UEFA Pro Licence Coach

Opportunity for fully funded international study visits for most students

One of the highest retention, attainment and progression figures in the UK

Additional FA qualifications available

No. 47 Barbers

Oliver Foster

Oliver Foster has created Number 47 Barbers Salon nestled within the award winning suburb of Hoole and Boughton which offers the ultimate male grooming experience.

As a traditional, gentlemen's barber Number 47 exudes professionalism, quality and charm. Expertly managed and tastefully designed the salon encapsulates the very essence of refined barbering services. Ensuring this team get it perfectly right is Ollie Foster, himself a highly skilled barber, who achieved the coveted '**English Barber of the Year**' title. This is male grooming at its finest.

In addition Ollie has launched the 47 Academy. Welcomed and supported by the Hairdressing Federation the initial courses have been a sell-out success. New up-coming barbers can hone their skills whilst traditional barbers have the opportunity to embrace modern techniques. Come and find out what you may need to follow in Oliver's footsteps.

Fairypants - Entrepreneur

Natalie Pierce-Jones

Natalie started Fairypants in 2009, a year after graduating from Bangor University. She started out making clothes and jewellery, but quickly transitioned into making Vegan beauty products. She brings out new ranges each year, and is planning on world domination. Interested? Come along and find out more.

Hair Café - Hairdressing and Camilla Rose Beauty Therapy

Stephen Shaw and Camilla Thompson

A successful career doesn't have to involve a university degree. A vocational further education route can also lead you to a variety of different jobs and provide a wide range of fantastic opportunities.

Stephen Shaw and Camilla Thompson were both students of Christleton High and since leaving the school have had successful careers in the Hair and Beauty industry.

Stephen explains, "I was hesitant and reluctant to enter the world of hairdressing as I felt that it was seen as an easy option. I couldn't have been more wrong. Whether working salon based as a stylist or business owner or back stage, or for the rich and famous? Perhaps in theatre or TV? It could be in the UK or anywhere around the world? It's a transferable trade that will always be needed and won't ever be replaced by a machine or computer system. The opportunities are endless and if you are outgoing, committed and have a natural ability and interest, the hair and beauty industry can be very rewarding and lucrative."

Mecure Abbots Well Hotel

Sarah Hercules and Team

Jupiter Hotels operate 29 hotels in the UK. 27 properties under the Mercure brand and two Holiday Inns. From Inverness to Brighton and Swansea to Norwich, you will find the perfect location in the countryside, the city, or by the sea. Our hotels offer a wide range of facilities including Feel Good Health Clubs, intimate meeting rooms or larger function rooms for your wedding and event requirements. Our expert food and beverage team have created mouth-watering menus and handpicked the perfect wines to accompany your meal

Village Hotel St Davids, Ewloe

Donn Timmons

With 140 bedrooms and 14 meeting spaces we have everything under one roof.

The hotel has a leisure club with gym, pool and steam room, spa using Espa products, a new Pub & Grill that offers all day dining and Starbucks for your coffee fix.

The Village Hotel club currently has 30 hotels across the country from Aberdeen to Portsmouth, all offering contemporary bedrooms and state of the art meeting space.

Chester Racecourse

Andrew James

Fun fact – Chester Racecourse is in the Guinness Book of Records for being the oldest working racecourse in the world!

Chester Race Company have 14 different business's within it, including three racecourses including Chester Racecourse, Bangor on Dee and the most recent addition Musselburgh Racecourse in Edinburgh.

At Chester we have 15 race meetings a year, for these meetings we recruit staff mainly from the local area by holding careers fairs and visiting universities and colleges.

We work with local schools educating them on the history of the racecourse, interview technique, CV writing and future career opportunities.

Chester Race Company also operates its own provision of on-course catering via its Horseradish brand; delivering year-round events, race meetings and conference and banqueting at Bangor-on-Dee and Chester Racecourses, Chester Town Hall, Speke Hall and numerous other affiliate venues and bespoke events throughout the North-West and further afield.

A 365 day a year operation, Chester Racecourse alone attracts over 300,000 visitors annually at raceday fixtures and non-raceday events. Recognised as a leader in its field, Chester Racecourse are consistently pushing boundaries to ensure the racecourse product delivers the optimum experience and opportunities for visiting horsemen and the general public. The racecourse has consistently been awarded the Gold Standard Award by the Racehorse Owners Association (ROA), since the award's inception in 2008 and was awarded the prestigious Large Racecourse of the Year Award, when it launched in 2015.

A recent Economic Impact Study reported that Chester Race Company generates £54.1 million of expenditure per annum in the local economy and supports some 974 gross Full Time Equivalent jobs; 24% of employment in the recreation sector alone.

Storyhouse - Performing Arts

Alex Clifton – Artistic Director 6pm – 7pm

Alex is a former student and Head Boy at Christleton. Opened in May 2017, Storyhouse is a library, theatre and cinema. Storyhouse had one million visitors in its first year. The building was formally opened by Her Majesty the Queen and The Duchess of Sussex, on 14 June 2018. The pioneering new library within Storyhouse, where members of the community work alongside city librarians, boasts the longest opening hours of any UK public library and is open every day until 11pm. Storyhouse offers

over 2,000 activities each year for local marginalised groups, including autism friendly colouring sessions, sewing groups for refugees and regular classes for isolated and older communities.

The organisation houses a highly successful theatre company which has gained national acclaim for its home-produced new stage adaptations. Storyhouse also runs the country's most successful regional open-air theatre company, Grosvenor Park Open Air Theatre, in the city's main park, and an open-air cinema, Moonlight Flicks. Storyhouse produces and is home to a number of specialist festivals each year, including Chester Literature Festival, WayWord half-term Festival, Blink Festival for new parents, Love Later Life and The Great Get Together for older communities, Kaleidoscope Festival for adults living with a disability, Young Takeover, and the upcoming Babble (festival of speaking).

Projects Abroad

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