



COMMUNITY BOARD

FOR THE PLUMPTON COLLEGE COMMUNITY

Week beginning Monday 28th April 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

Key dates for your diary:

Bank Holiday - Monday 5th May

Half Term – 26th – 30th May

Maths GCSE Paper 1 – Thursday 15th May

English GCSE Paper 1 – Friday 23rd May

Maths Paper 2 – Wednesday 4th June

English Paper 2 – Friday 6th June

Recruiting **STUDENT GOVERNOR** for 25/26 NOW!



The governing body is formed of 11 independent governors, the Principal, 2 staff and 2 student governors. The governing body set the strategic direction of the college including setting and reviewing the college's aims, objectives and policies, as well as helping to monitor its performance against targets.



The student voice is very important to the governing body. One Student governor is elected as part of the Student Union elections. **There is an opportunity for a second student to join the governing body, by submitting an expression of interest and interview process. This student does not have to be a member of the Student Union.**



Benefits of becoming a Student governor:

- Develop important leadership and communication skills
- Gain real life business experience
- Learn about college strategy and help develop the college to benefit students
- Enhance your CV



For further details and to submit an expression of interest: <https://forms.office.com/e/4R1NpT9A7z>.

If you have any questions, please contact Laura Holt, Clerk to the Corporation (laura.holt@plumpton.ac.uk)

Deadline for applications 9th May 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

This year marks the 80th anniversary of Victory in Europe Day (VE Day), a day that is incredibly important in our history.

80 years ago, people around the world celebrated the end of a long and difficult war, a moment that brought hope, healing, and the promise of a better future.

We invite you to join us on this special day to pay tribute to those who fought for our freedom and to celebrate the lasting spirit of unity and hope.



Plumpton College 1939-1945

Courses were paused during the Second World War, and the school was used for short courses to over 2,000 entrants to the Women's Land Army, where they were trained for farm work in different parts of the country.

Much of Wales Farm was used for food production, which included growing mangold (a type of fodder for livestock), and the Moat Barn area became one of the County War Agricultural Committee's machinery depots.





- Left: Land Army Women returning to college
- Right: Plumpton College Main Building (40s)



UPCOMING EVENTS

The EDI Committee is excited to launch its second Student Pizza Consultation.

All students and ideas are welcome, the college is dedicated to understanding how we can assist from a variety of viewpoints so please do highlight this to your learners.

The Consultation will take place twice during two lunchtimes:

1. Thursday 1st May in MBG3: 12pm - 12:45pm
2. Wednesday 7th May in MBG3: 12pm- 13:00pm

Students do not need to attend both sessions and they can attend after the starting time. Pizza will be offered on a first come first serve basis so please do bear this in mind.



OPEN DAY & SPRING FAIR

SATURDAY 10TH MAY 2025

**OVER 100 STALLS, WINE TASTING, LOCAL PRODUCE,
PLANT SALES, TRADE & CRAFT FAIR, CHILDREN'S
ACTIVITIES, FARM DISPLAYS AND MUCH MORE!**

**STUDENTS
GO FREE!**



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1. Click 'Use ticket access code?'
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3. Your free ticket appears
4. Select amount
5. Check out your order (have your Student ID number ready to enter)

Use ticket access code ^

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APPLY

Congratulations! Your code was accepted. New ticket types have been unlocked below.

Student Admission

FREE

This is one ticket for Plumpton College students - current and prospective students.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 12th June

7pm – Midnight

This amazing event sold out last year so book now to avoid disappointment!



Plimpton College
SUMMER BALL 2025

A night to celebrate the end of the college year and make unforgettable memories with friends.

THURSDAY, 12TH JUNE 2025
07.00 PM - 12.00 AM
Barbours Building, Plimpton College
DRESS TO IMPRESS!

Welcome Drink · Crazy Golf · Photo Booth · Cocktail Bar · DJ · Fun Fair
Rides · Dinner & Dancing

TICKETS £25
Welcoming day and residential students
This event is for 16+ only

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Calling all Birders!

SOS (Sussex Ornithological Society) has initiated a scheme to support young birders (aged 16-25) by providing equipment and funding for courses and travel.

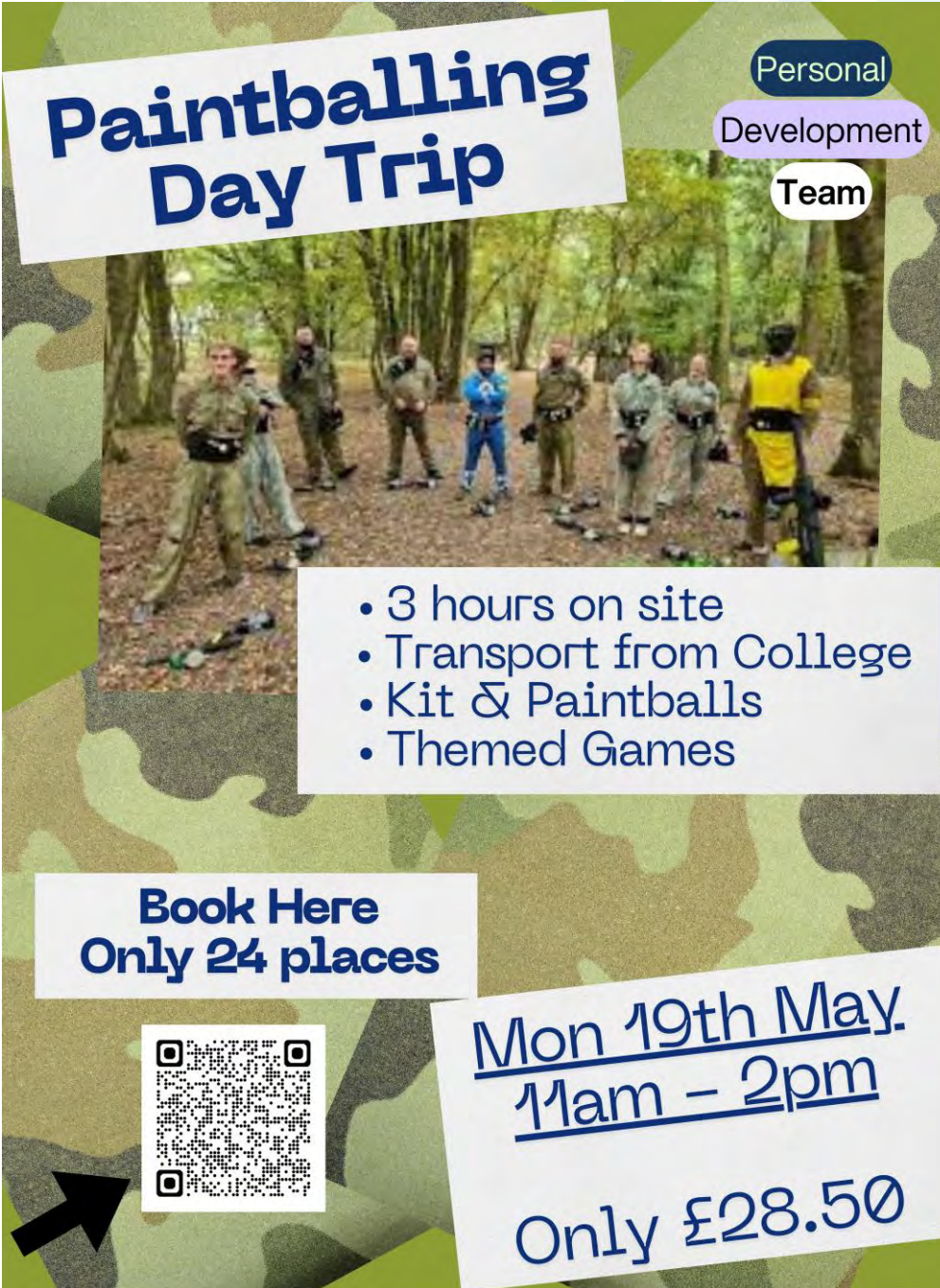
Further details are on their website sos.org.uk, or contact Mya Bambrick myabambrick10@gmail.com.

Applications are now open throughout the year and we are planning to develop the scheme further later in the year to enable young birders to meet and exchange ideas.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Only a few spaces left
Book now!

A poster for a 'Paintballing Day Trip' set against a green and brown camouflage background. At the top left, the title 'Paintballing Day Trip' is written in blue on a white tilted rectangle. To the right, three stacked ovals are labeled 'Personal' (dark blue), 'Development' (purple), and 'Team' (white). In the center is a photo of a group of people in paintball gear in a wooded area. Below the photo is a white box with a bulleted list of features. At the bottom left, a white box says 'Book Here Only 24 places' above a QR code, with a black arrow pointing to it. At the bottom right, a white tilted box contains the date and time 'Mon 19th May. 11am - 2pm' and the price 'Only £28.50'.

Paintballing Day Trip

Personal
Development
Team



- 3 hours on site
- Transport from College
- Kit & Paintballs
- Themed Games

Book Here
Only 24 places



Mon 19th May.
11am - 2pm

Only £28.50

UPCOMING EVENTS

Only 2 spaces left to join the Floristry trip to Barcelona!

These places are open to all FE students across College (students who are sitting their GCSE's cannot attend due to dates)



Trip to Barcelona

Tuesday 13th May - Friday 16th May 2025

Floristry Students plus other selected students from across college

Duration 4 days, 3 nights
Cost £465

Price includes -
Return flights to/from London Gatwick
Accommodation
All evening meals
Boat Trip
Entry to Parc Guell

Enjoy the sights and sounds of Barcelona and the Temps De Flor Flower Festival

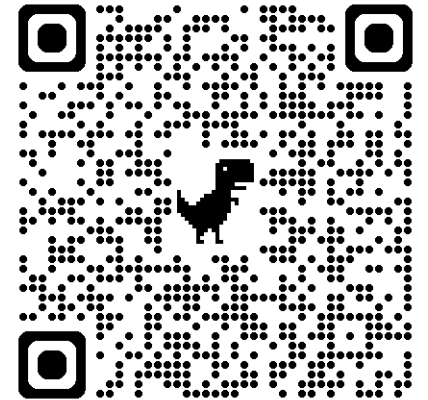
Scan to apply 

Industry Job Vacancies

Finding a job within the land based sector made easy

Search below a range of current live vacancies within the land based sector. Industries such as, agriculture, viticulture, forestry, horticulture and veterinary nursing.

These vacancies are open for current and past students of Plumpton College as well as non students.



This page has some excellent opportunities, specific to industries that we learn about here at Plumpton. These companies will be keen to speak to Plumpton students who have developed the skills that they are looking for. It's a great place to look for your first job, part time work or even link with a company who might be looking to take on an apprentice.

NEED TO KNOW

Time to talk?
We will listen

24/7 support when you need it

Download the app and set up an account now.

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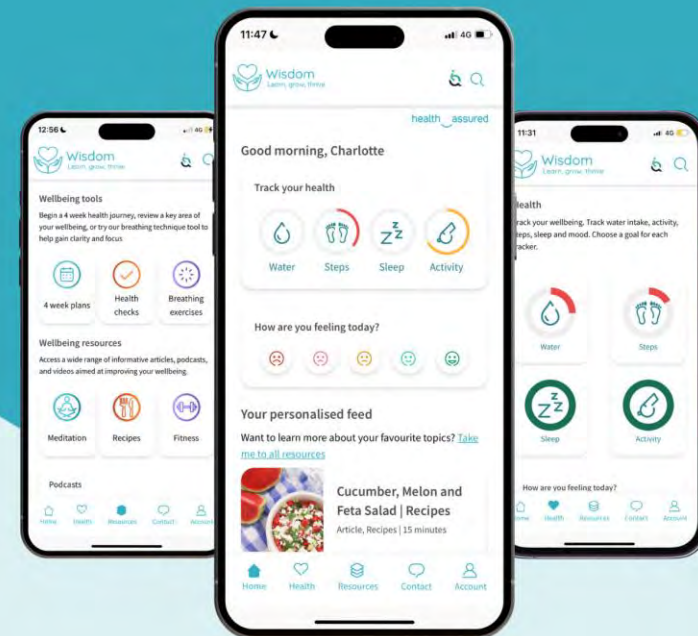
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