

to The Headteacher Secondary Schools  
F.A.O. Head of History  
Head of RE  
Head of Citizenship

Dear Headteacher

**Wirral Commemoration of Holocaust Memorial Day  
Main Theatre – New Brighton Floral Pavilion  
2017, 1.00 pm – 3.30 pm  
Theme 2017 : ‘How can Life go on? ’**

In July 2016, I submitted a Request to HET for a Holocaust Survivor to attend Wirral's annual Holocaust Commemoration Event in 2017. The Holocaust Commemoration Trust will not be able to confirm the name of our speaker or the exact date until October. However, as schools are so busy during the Autumn Term it may be useful to know in advance, the three possible dates on which the event could take place.

First choice - Wednesday 1 February 2017, - 1pm - 3.30 pm.  
Second choice - Tuesday 31 January 2017, - 1pm - 3.30pm.  
Third Choice - Monday 30 January 2017, - 1pm -3.30pm.

As soon as HET has confirmed which of the above dates we have been allocated a Speaker for, a formal invitation and booking form will be sent to Schools. This Event is always extremely successful. However, in recent years there have been some unallocated seats. As this event provides a very special opportunity for secondary pupils from KS3, KS4 and A level students to enhance their knowledge and understanding of Historical, Citizenship and Religious Education related issues by hearing a first hand account of the experiences of a Holocaust survivor, in 2017 we hope as many students as possible will attend.

I will write to you again, later in the Autumn Term with the details more information about Wirral's 2017 Holocaust Commemoration Event.

Yours sincerely

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