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SCHOOL OFFICERS ANNOUNCED

The newly appointed School Officers for 2013 – 2014 have been announced.

Head Girl – Annie Cave
Head Boy – Luke Wilson

Deputy Head Girl – Lizzie Dunmore
Deputy Head Boy - Louis Durrant

See page 2 for the full list of School Officers

St Bart's Food Festival and Fete It's Fete time again!

Saturday 6 July
12 noon to 3pm

We are looking for donations of bric-a-brac, books, plants, toiletries, bottles and so on.

Please leave your donations in the school reception

We are always looking for helpers and stallholders so please contact me as below

Fete organiser: Ginette Higgs
(ginette.higgs@gmail.com)



EMOTIONAL AND MENTAL HEALTH 'IN FOCUS' SERIES OF TALKS

A series of talks on issues that affect young people, tailored for parents/carers and professionals working with children and young people, presented by Jan Lever, Clare Williams, Joanna Feast and guest speakers. Come along to St Bart's find out more about each issue and how you can support children and young people experiencing these emotional issues.

All talks take place at St Bart's from 7.00 – 8.30pm and cost £15 per person per session.

Drug & Alcohol Misuse Tues 21 May
Building Self-Esteem & Thurs 20 June
Confidence

Domestic Violence Mon 24 June
Attachment Tues 2 July

Contact for bookings and enquiries –
joanna@janlevereducationconsultancy.com or
ring 07764 166112

DIARY DATES

- Fri 24 May Y13 last day of formal teaching
Half Term – Monday 27 to Friday 31 May
Mon 3 June Y9 and Y10 Practice Exams in Lessons
Fri 7 June School Officers Training, St Cassian's
Sat 8 June School Officers Training, St Cassian's
Mon 10 June AS students return after study leave
A2 courses begin





SCHOOL OFFICERS 2013 - 2014



Congratulations to the Year 12 students who have been selected as School Officers for 2013 – 2014. The students will be attending a weekend training session in Kintbury in June during which they will take part in a variety of team activities and develop their leadership skills.

Head Girl	Annie Cave	D3
Head Boy	Luke Wilson	C2
Deputy Head Girl	Lizzie Dunmore	P2
Deputy Head Boy	Louis Durrant	D1
Curnock House Captains	Bethan Pratten	C3
	Tom Davidson	C3
<i>Deputies</i>	<i>Agnes Temba</i>	C2
	<i>Ali Uwins</i>	C1
Davis House Captains	Elizabeth Philip	D3
	Lewis Rogers	D2
<i>Deputies</i>	<i>Amy Folland</i>	D2
	<i>William Barrett</i>	D1
Evers House Captains	Georgie Williams-Moss	E2
	Emma Tindall	E2
<i>Deputies</i>	<i>Luke Gregory</i>	E2
	<i>Amy Hodgson</i>	E2
Patterson House Captains	Will Gardner	P3
	Heather Lewis	P2
<i>Deputies</i>	<i>Elliot Wheatland-Clinch</i>	P3
	<i>Rhianna Yates</i>	P1
Anti-Bullying Coordinators	Cecily Burdett-Ward	D2
	Nikki Silvester	P2
Numeracy Coordinators	Luke Job	P3
	Natalie Sirs	C2
Literacy Coordinator	Bijal Shah	C3
	Ayesha Yeung	P3
Debating/Politics Coordinator	Ben Evans	P3
Science Coordinators	Prince Jiju	E1
	Emily Light	P3
KS3 & KS4 Integration	Hollie Randall	P2
Senior Leaders	Hermione Dace	E2
	Katie Dowle	C2
	Hannah James	P2
	Frances Miller	E1
	Ed Porter	D3
	Alex Price-Richards	D3
	Olivia Skarin-Smith	D1

D@RWIN DANCE WORKSHOP REVIEW

On Wednesday the 8 May I was lucky enough to attend a workshop at school which was led by D@rwin Dance company. We started the day off at around 10:15 and split into our groups (1&2). Our leaders from D@rwin introduced themselves, then told us a bit about themselves. We then went through a 15 minute warm up which focused on our necks, shoulders, arms, legs and ankles. After this we learnt the routine that we would be performing in the show at the end of the day. It was an Italian based routine with lots of moves being exaggerated and the routine required lots of facial expressions. We then merged with the other group and put both our dances together and worked out the finishing position. After this we went downstairs to the main hall and practised our routine on stage so that we could get used to the transitions on and off stage, and making sure we knew where the lights were so that we did not trip over them!



Once we had eaten our lunch we had a quick time to practise our routine amongst ourselves then we went and sat in the hall to watch our D@rwin leaders and their fellow dancers do their show. Their routines were very accurate and well finished and great to watch. Once they had done their version of the dance we were doing we got up out of our seats and took our places backstage. All too quickly it was over and we were in our finishing positions. We then re-took our seats and the D@rwin Dancers sat on the front of the stage and were there to answer any questions that we might have, such as “where do you get your inspiration for the choreography from?” or “how long did it take for you to prepare the show?”. They took it in turns to explain what year of the university they are in, what their

role within the company is and what they were looking to do in the future.

I had an absolutely great time at the workshop, and loved every minute of it. I hope it will happen again next year as I learnt a completely new way of expressing myself onstage and how when your onstage you can become a completely different person to who you actually are. Thank you to everyone who organised it and I hope others enjoyed it as much as I did.

Molly Overend, 7E3



SCHOOL EXAMS

As shown on the calendar, Year 9 and Year 10 practice exams will take place in lessons during the first week back after half term. A separate e-mail message has been sent out with further details of the timetable for these exams.

Year 7 and Year 8 exams will also be taking place during lesson times, but these are being spread out across the next few weeks to allow students to prepare for these exams across a wider time span. A separate e-mail has also been sent out with further details of these exams.

Mr J P Sharpe, Deputy Headteacher



**A request for donations
from the**

TEXTILES DEPARTMENT

**We are in need of fabrics, zips
and buttons.**

**Please contact Mrs Lamb
(clamb@stbarts.co.uk) for further
details.**



PATTERSON PEOPLE

Sorry you've not heard from us for a while, things are busy here at Patterson House: we have many students who have just been awarded either Bronze, Silver or Gold and had their names announced during our last assembly. Well done to those students in 7P1 and 7P2 who have their Bronze. Also, well done to students in Patterson Year 8 and Year 9 who have gained their Bronze or Silver awards. Particular mention is for Alex Jarman, Saffron Langley, Matthew King of 9P1 and Izzy Bankier, Naomi Hill and Rebecca Osborn of 9P2 who all earned their Gold awards. On Friday 10 May we said goodbye to the Year 11s, many of whom have graduated, and goodbye to the Year 12s who are all now on study leave. We wish them good luck. This means that the new school officers have been elected and now take up their roles. Well done to the Year 10s who are our new prefects – good luck with your duties. Congratulations go to Elizabeth Dunmore who has been elected as Deputy Head Girl, also to William Gardner and Heather Lewis who are Patterson House Captains, and Rhianna Yates and Elliott Wheatland-Clinch who are their deputies. Nikki Silvester is the Anti-Bullying Coordinator, Luke Job and Ayesha Yeung are Numeracy and Literacy Coordinators. Well done also to Ben Evans who is the Politics and Debating Coordinator with Emily Light as Science Coordinator. Hollie Randall has responsibility for KS3 and KS4 integration and Hannah James is a Senior Leader.

Mr Brennan, Mrs Pritchard and Mrs Humphreys

ATHLETICS NEWS

The junior girls and inter girls both came 1st out of eight schools at the English Schools Competition last week.



GCSE ASTRONOMY

September 2013 – June 2015

The course will be led by Dr Stuart Eves and will run each evening from 7pm, usually on a Monday. This exciting opportunity is open to students in Year 9 and above, including Sixth Form, parents, family and friends.

A small fee will be charged.



You will not have this option again until 2015! Interested in finding out more?

Contact Mrs Sims, Deputy Headteacher to register your interest.



ONa MUSIC NIGHT

Star performers headed by St Bart's legend, John Norris and 'Fat Chance' so do come along!

**Friday 21 June 2013
at
ACE SPACE, NEWBURY
7.30pm – 11.00pm**

£5 ENTRY

Tickets from St Bart's finance department, Jacqui's Store and Hogan's Music