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HOUSE MUSIC COMPETITION 2014

Tuesday 21 October
and
Wednesday 22 October

At 7.00pm in the Hall



Adjudicator: Nick Beach
Head of Academic Music, Trinity
College London

TICKETS ON SALE NOW
FROM THE
EXPRESSIVE ARTS OFFICE

Prices – Adults £3; Concessions £2
Family ticket (2 adults 1 child) £5

PA DISCO Years 7/8

Friday 17 October 2014
7.00pm – 9.00pm
In the Hall

£3 on the door

Refreshments available for sale

St Bartholomew's School Christmas Gift and Craft Fair

Sunday 16th November
11.15am to 4pm

Over 60 stalls – Wide selection of
home made crafts and gifts – All price
ranges, from stocking fillers to that
special gift

Refreshments, Lunches, Teas, Mince Pies

Admission £2.00
(concessions £1, under 16 free)
Buckingham Road, Newbury

stbartsgiftandcraft.wordpress.com
www.facebook.com/stbartspa.craftfair



PRIMARY SCHOOL WORKSHOP WINNERS

As a response to the summer primary school workshops our new Year 7 students were invited to create a piece of artwork inspired by our GCSE and A Level exhibition. These pieces have just been judged by the art department staff and prizes awarded. Congratulations to the four prize winners whose work is on display in the art department.



1st – Anna Kaesser
7E3

2nd – Edan
Camplin
7C3



3rd – Jack
Clarkson 7P1

4th – Pippa
Brown 7E3



WANT TO TRY POLO?



St Bart's has an outstanding record on the polo field and remains the only comprehensive school playing in the SUPA* league

*Schools & Universities Polo Association

Taster sessions of 30 minutes will be available at the new Hampshire Polo School, South Wonston on Friday 17 October at 4.30pm



No specialist equipment required – a hat can be loaned. Cost per session £15. Transport can be shared.

Please contact Mrs Sims, Deputy Headteacher for further information.

DIARY DATES

- Wed 15 Oct Open Morning for New Entrants to Y7 in September 2015, 9.00-10.45am
- Fri 17 Oct PA Disco, Y7/8, Hall 7-9pm
- Tues 21 Oct House Music Competition, Hall at 7pm
- Wed 22 Oct House Music Competition, Hall at 7pm
- Thurs 23 Oct KS4 Awards Evening (Y12 students), Hall, 7.00pm
- Fri 24 Oct Staff Training Day
- Half Term Friday 24 October to Friday 31 October**
- Tues 4 Nov Y11 Parents' Curriculum Information Evening, Hall, 7pm
- Wed 5 Nov Y8 Parents' Evening, Curnock Block, 4.30pm – 7.00pm



PACKAGES FOR PEGGY AT PECKHAM

In 1908 the Newbury Girls School, under the headship of Miss Luker, began to support the United Girls Schools Mission in Camberwell and Peckham, deprived areas of London with a great deal of poverty. Newbury girls gave gifts, knitted quilts and gave time to support the mission's work. This became known as the Peckham Settlement, which unfortunately closed two years ago.

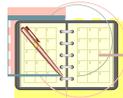
However, the clubs which operated from the premises were relocated and the ladies luncheon club moved to a local Catholic Church. It is from here that Peggy, now 103 years of age and her younger helper, Lily who is 84, run a weekly lunch club for the elderly ladies of Peckham. For many, this is the only social outing they have. They play Bingo, not for money, but for biscuits and cans of food and receive a hot lunch.

Every year the St Bart's students bring in non-perishable goods for us to take to Peckham so that Peggy and her helpers can make up some Christmas hampers for their elderly ladies. Students were given details in last week's school assembly.

We will be available in the school dining room every morning this week to receive 'harvest gifts'. Please remember to 'please bring in a package for Peggy of Peckham'!

CALENDAR UPDATE

Please note the following amendment to the calendar:



Wednesday 10 December 2014 Y8 Girls – HPV2 Injection R1/R2

Will now take place on Thursday 7 May 2015

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME – YEAR 9

Please note that after half term, Year 9 students will be covering topics relating to sex education. This will include contraception, sexually transmitted diseases, 'sexting' and pregnancy.

If anyone would like further information regarding these topics please do not hesitate to contact me.

Mrs M Sims, Deputy Headteacher

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Outgrown it? Lost it? Torn it?

Visit the Parents' Association
Second Hand Uniform Shop
Just inside the students' entrance

Open on Fridays from 3.15pm to
4.00pm (term time)

Uniform, PE kit, boots, bags and
belts

Prices from 50p to £10

All donations welcome
Please leave unwanted/outgrown
uniform at reception in a bag clearly
marked for the second hand
uniform shop.



PUDSEY PARTY

We are hosting a Pudsey Party on Friday 14 November for BBC Children in Need. This

will be televised during the evening and fund raising activities during the day are planned to feature in the evening programme and the following morning.

Further details to follow.

HEAD LICE

Please check your children's hair regularly. This is the time of year when we frequently see cases of head lice.

Recommended treatment is: After a head lice infestation has been confirmed you can treat the lice at home by wet combing the hair with a head lice comb or by using a lotion or spray that's designed to kill head lice.

For further information please visit:
www.nhs.uk

LACROSSE TEAM TRIUMPHANT IN BERKSHIRE SCHOOLS' TOURNAMENT

The senior first team arrived at this annual tournament having finished third to Queen Anne's and Downe House for many years. However from the opening match everyone could see that St Bart's girls were going to be a force to be reckoned with. As the rain subsided, play began after a minute's silence held for past St Bart's senior lacrosse coach Ann Hutchings. St Bart's took a quick lead against Heathfield and completely dominated in all areas of the pitch winning the match 8-0. Next saw St Bart's play QAS. With fantastic support on the side lines and for each other on the pitch, the girls battled back from 2-0 down to complete this amazing victory with a 4-2 win. Without time for a rest the girls were back on to play Downe House. The outstanding level of play shown in the previous match continued and with seconds to go Cicely Colthurst's pressure on the goal-keeper forced a mistake, which saw Sam Jarman feed a quick pass to Cicely who levelled the score at 3-3. As the final whistle went, St Bart's knew they could achieve a fantastic result at this tournament. The final three games saw St Bart's beginning to tire but

with great commitment and support for each other they won all three matches by three goals. The girls, staff and parents gathered for the final results only to be announced as overall winners. Captains Tamara Yeung and Cicely Colthurst collected the trophy and the celebrations began.



This is the first time that any of the staff of St Bart's, and the other schools, can remember us having won this tournament and the whole squad can now look forward to attending Berkshire county lacrosse trials. My thanks go of course to the girls but also to the fantastic support demonstrated by the parents and family on the sidelines.



Squad - Cicely Colthurst, Tamara Yeung, Christie Leach, Ciara Seward, Yvette Pinder, Nadia Morris, Ellie Bingham, Yaz Ryder, Millie Calkin, Anna Prudden, Ruby Hornsby, Jo Kirk, Sam Jarman, Sophie Steele-Child, Annie Taylor, Saffron Langley and Bobbie Lainsbury.

Miss K Thorne

GIRLS' PE U15 Berkshire Schools' Lacrosse Tournament 4 October at Downe House

As the girls arrived at Downe House ready for an afternoon of hard lacrosse, the rain that had plagued the morning stopped and the skies started to brighten. The girls had three teams to play against in the tournament and knew that how well they performed as a team and where they finished overall in their tournament would determine how many of their squad could be put through to the forthcoming county trials.

Their first game was against Downe House and knowing it was going to be tough the girls looked a bit intimidated in the first half which is when Downe House certainly took control with four goals being scored in quick succession. The second half reflected a different game and saw St Bart's fight hard to gain possession and defend effectively. A final score of 1-6 to Downe House showed the strength and determination the girls played with in the second half.

The second game against St George's showed a strong and determined St Bart's team with some excellent passing and accurate placement of shots the girls took an early lead. The defence worked tirelessly and supported Freya in goal and a final score of 5-2 to St Bart's was a sound achievement.

Their last game was against Queen Anne's and was always going to be hard. However, inspired by their previous win the girls played some superb lacrosse. The defence worked consistently and held the Queen Anne's players well whilst the attack worked the ball from the midfield and ensured the shots on goal were well placed result in goals. A final score of 3-4 to Queen Anne's was an excellent result. Well done to all the players.

Finishing third overall in the tournament meant that St Bart's could put eight through to the county trials. These were Annabel Mangan, Issie Sanderson, Georgie Sanderson, Laura Kirk, Abby Graham, Rebecca Shaw, Alissia Thiel and Susie Drake.

U15 County Trials on 8 October at St Bart's
Congratulations to the following girls who have been selected to represent Berkshire following excellent performances at their trials.

Issie Sanderson, Annabel Mangan, Georgie Sanderson and Laura Kirk were selected for Berkshire A. Abby Graham and Susie Drake were selected for the Berkshire B and Rebecca Shaw was selected as a non travelling reserve. Well done to you all.

Mrs L Leach

Senior County Trials

Congratulations to the following girls who have been selected for further county trials in November. Cicely Colthurst, Tamara Yeung, Ruby Horsnby, Ciara Seward, Jo Kirk, Millie Calkin, Annie Taylor, Christie Leach, Yasmin Ryder, Sam Jarman and Saffron Langley.

Netball A Team Netball v Little Heath

On 7 October the Year 7 A team played against Little Heath. The first match saw the A teams competing against each other. Little Heath were good at shouting for the ball, however St Bart's had more control of the ball and the final score was 6-1 to St Bart's. The player of the match was Lola Callaghan. The second match was against Little Heath's B team. The competition was good, but the St Bart's shooters achieved some excellent scoring with a final score 12-0 to St Bart's and player of the match was Maya Landhed.

Lola Callaghan 7P2

B Team Netball Report v Little Heath

On 7 October the B team played against Little Heath and everyone played really well and put in lots of effort. When the St Bart's B team played the Little Heath B team the score at half time was 1-0 to Little Heath. In the second half we came back and the final score was a win for St Bart's 2-1. Ellie Cripps was awarded player of the match.

The second match was against Little Heath's A team. Everyone enjoyed playing but found it hard to defend their opponents because they were so tall! Little Heath won this game 4-1 and Lauren Delavere was the St Bart's player of the match.

We enjoyed these games and everyone did an amazing job.

Frankie Paynter 7P1 and Romany Lindsay 7E2

Year 7 v The Downs

On Tuesday 30 September St Bart's A and B netball teams played against The Downs School. The first match was a hard game for St Bart's A against The Downs A and the score was a draw at 8 all. Player of the match was Lola Callaghan.

The second match the A team played The Downs B team and the finishing score was a win to St Bart's 10-0. Player of the match was Lola Callaghan.

It was a successful day for St Bart's.

Lola Callaghan 7P2

Senior Netball

The senior team and the Year 10 and 11 netball teams travelled to Queen Anne's School in Caversham for a friendly netball fixture. All teams lost but had good matches. Well done to Jo Kirk (Y11) and Georgie Sanderson and Suzie Drake (Y10) being awarded players of the match.

Girls' Football

Unfortunately the St Bart's U15 girls' football team was knocked out in the first round of the English Schools' Cup last week and lost 3-0 at home to Newlands School. Well done to Phoebe Reddin who was awarded player of the match.