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TEXTILES SEWING BEE CLUB



Anna Kaesser (10E3), Hester Berger (10E2), Jana Kluge (12E1), Chloe Wemyss (8D2), Denisa Ichim (8D2), Elsa Oakes (12E1), Maggie Leung (12E1) and Jamie Little (8D2) have all taken part making an Art Textile installation to commemorate the St Bartholomew's students lost during past conflicts. The group have made 99 beautiful poppies, each poppy is laser cut and then hand gathered with a black vintage button sewn into the centre. The poppies are hand made by students and each dedicated to an ex student named on the role of honour, this is signified by a label attached to the poppy. The installation

is currently on display in the main reception to coincide with Remembrance day. I would like to personally thank all the students involved and in particular Anna Kaesser (10E3), who has shown outstanding commitment and without whom this project would not have been possible.

Mrs Plenty, Head of Department, Textiles

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Last Friday, on 10th November, the whole school gathered in the hub for the annual St. Bart's Remembrance Service. As well as students in every year from the school, the service was attended by ex-servicemen, governors and members of the Parents' Association.

The service began with an address by Ms Mortimore about the sacrifices made by all the members of our armed forces who died for the world to be at peace today. Then the House Captains, each with their own wreath, walked to the Memorial Garden to join members of the CCF by flagpole. After this, we read the Roll of Honour, which commemorates all of the past St. Bart's students who died in the First World War, Second World War and Korean War, while Deputy Head Boy, Tom Webster, and Deputy Head Girl, Louisa May, dropped a poppy petal for each name on the list.

Following the bugle call, we all stood for the two minute silence, reflecting on the loss and



sacrifice of war and how lucky we are now to live in peace. Then we walked through the hub with Ms Mortimore to join the group by the flagpole with their wreaths, as the rest of the school dispersed. This service is a unique occasion where the whole school comes together to show our gratitude for the bravery of all the past students and their fellow men, and a tradition that we hope will always remain an important part of St. Bart's.

Emily Beck, Head Girl
& Michael Seath, Head Boy



SIXTH FORM

AT ST BART'S

**Applications Now
Open**

Year 11 – applications are now open for a place in the Sixth Form in September 2018. There are more than 40 A Level and BTEC Level 3 subjects to choose from.

Students also benefit from a wide range of extra-curricular activities, social occasions, charity events, quiet independent study areas and a place to relax at break time in the common room.

St Bart's offers plenty of opportunities to take on more responsibility.

Look on the Sixth Form page of the website www.stbarts.co.uk for details about our courses and an application form. Or pick up a form from the Sixth Form Office in W131.

**Deadline for applications is Friday
1 December 2017.**

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION



Each half term there will be a photography competition to enter and the theme this half term is...

OPENINGS

Deadline: Wednesday 13 December 2017
Email entries to pturner@stbarts.co.uk with your name, tutor group and a brief description

GIRLS' PE

Netball News

In league matches this week year 7 A and netball teams played Kennet.

Year 7 A won 6-4

Year B won 8-1

Players of the match were:

A Naia Taank and Alex Royston

B Emily Twening and Tally Glendenning

Lacrosse News

On Thursday we hosted St Swithuns. The first and second senior teams played competitive matches, both teams lost but played well.

On Saturday we hosted St Georges Ascot. We managed 5 teams played and 5 teams won! Scores and players of the match were as follows:

Year 7 won 9-7 Josie Roberston and Jess Courtney

Year 8 won 6-5 Emily Tucker and Georgia Humphries

Year 9 won 11-6 Zoe Quartley and Luci Robertso
Year 10 won 6-2 Daisy Dijksman and Maddie Barnes
1sts won 12-3 Izzie Lainsbury and Daisy Stratton

The Year 7 Lacrosse Team had their second fixture of the year on Saturday 11th November. The wind and rain didn't dampen spirits with all girls excited and fired to play. There were some great individual performances, however the team played together fantastically and learned lots moving forward to Saturdays game against Godolphin. Special mention to Jess Courtney who made some great saves in goal and to Josie Robertson who scored several goals which earned them players of the match. Well done girls.



CHILDREN IN NEED



Thank you for your donations to our Children in Need fundraising. The total amount counted so far is £1366.86. Students dressed in non-

uniform and Paterson House kept everyone fed with yummy treats by holding a cake sale. Well done to all involved.

DIARY DATES

Dance Show Thursday 30th November Hall, 7pm

This year's dance show will showcase classwork using songs from Beyonce. This is a very popular night with some exceptional choreographies from all year groups. St Joseph's Primary school will also be performing on the night. If you would like to experience a night of dance, good songs and a great atmosphere then come along! Tickets are on sale from the Art office everyday £5.00 adults and £3.00 concessions.

Carol Concert, Monday 4th December St Nicolas Church, 7pm

As the festive season approaches we would like to extend a very warm invitation to all our families to join us at St Nicolas Church in Newbury for our annual Christmas Carol Service.

St Nicolas is a historic church, providing our talented musicians and choirs a fantastically atmospheric venue to perform. Everyone is welcome to attend.

