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ST BART'S GOES GREEN



As a school, we are lucky to have incredibly modern buildings and facilities. However, it is clear that we are not considering our

environmental impact as much as we should. This is something we want to change and we are going to start by reducing the amount of waste we produce.

Collectively, we generate 7 cubic-meters of non-recyclable waste per week. This waste is incinerated, pumping extra carbon dioxide into the atmosphere and contributing to the global warming effect we are now all too familiar with. Even though we are a small part of the population, our impact is still significant.

So in order to cut this down, we have created a new Recycling Area in the Hub. This helps us separate general waste from paper, plastics and food waste so we can increase the amount we recycle and compost. This should dramatically reduce the amount we incinerate and we will be starting to help to save the planet.

In the canteen **everything** made in-house will now be in compostable packaging. All of the food made at our school is served in Vegware, which is made out of vegetable starch and degrades into compost. The food waste, along with these Vegware containers, wrappers and cutlery are made into compost and topsoil, which is sold in garden centres and to local farmers. So by composting, we are also supporting the local community. The kitchen will be recycling all food and Vegware and dramatically reducing the

volume of non-recyclable waste. All bins will be colour-coded and labelled, indicating where different types of waste and recycling should be put. Additionally, recycling is now something that will contribute towards the House Championship over the next half term.

The Eco-Club meets on Tuesdays at Activity Time in D218. Here we will be doing lots of different activities to research the environment and promote sustainability. We will also be writing to members of Parliament and large companies in order to pressurise them to act sustainably.

Over the next few months, we will be setting challenges to everyone in the St Bart's community to change how we live so we are healthier and happier, whilst doing our bit for the planet and future generations. Please take part in these challenges.

With these changes, we plan to become the best secondary school in the country at reducing our impact on the environment. It is a fact that time is running out. The scientific consensus is that we only have until 2030 to turn things around so any changes we make now will be significant in determining the future. Now is the best time to act, so let's start to make a difference!

Harriet Atherton and Amy Turner (Y13)

A reminder that school is closed to students on Friday 19 October for a staff training day

DAVIS HOUSE EVENING

Davis House's cornucopia of talent was overflowing on Friday night, as they celebrated their annual House Evening. The House Captains guided the audience through many performances, including singing, dancing, music and poetry, all performing under the bright lights provided by the technical team.



Some of the highlights included an original dance from Evie Crowther and Sophie

Livingstone, a short sketch "Dogboy and Fishboy" by Katie Street and Bea Youd, singing from Lucy and Ffion Godwin and poetry from Daniel and Lucas Price.



Many Davis musicians turned up to perform, with performances on the recorder (Amelie Reynolds), trumpet (Lawrence Mullaly), guitar (Aayush Joshi), piano (Tally Glendenning and Piers Fulcher),

cello (Cole Bowers) and the horn (Archie Pattenden).

Davis clearly has a lot of dancers, as many of this year's performances were dances, courtesy of Lauren Woodley, Phoebe Ryder, Alena Willoughby, Chloe Cook, Bailey & Abbie Benitez, Annabelle Hancock, Leila Braidwood, Emma Wigmore, Ebony



Whitehouse and many, many more!

The singers of Davis turned out in force, all performing brilliantly, these included Sam Bassett & Miguel Zeferino, Arianwen Evans, Martha Shepley & Ellie Byrne, Molly Benson and Annabel Bowey.



The evening was rounded off with a brilliant performance from Joe Pollard on the saxophone, followed by one of our House Captains, Carla Pattenden, singing and playing the ukulele.

Overall, everyone had an amazing time watching the evening's entertainment, and no one can wait for next year.

Davis House would like to thank all the students and staff who made the evening possible, and the parents and other guests who gave up their evening to join us.

Daniel Price, I1D1

PARLEZ-VOUS FRANÇAIS? SPRECHEN SIE DEUTSCH? ¿HABLA USTED ESPAÑOL?

Welcome to our three Foreign Language Assistants for the coming year. We are delighted to be able to welcome back Begoña, our Spanish assistant from last year, who is joined this year by Sarah, our French assistant, and Christina, the German assistant. Hopefully the three of them will soon feel at home as the new "team" in the MFL Department. We are so lucky to be a school that still has the chance



to offer native speaker expertise to our students at all levels.

For the first time this year, in addition to their work in class, and with A level students, the three assistants will be offering total immersion conversation clubs after school for those students who wish to enrol. There will be no more than 10 students per class, allowing plenty of opportunity for speaking and interacting with the assistant. Separate groups will run for Key Stage 3 and Key Stage 4 and places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Each lesson lasts 40 minutes and costs £5.

Younger students will have the chance to learn more about the culture and traditions of the countries where each language is spoken through a variety of games, activities and instruction, all in the foreign language. Older students will also have the chance to enrich their cultural knowledge, but in addition there will be a focus on the key topics that feature at GCSE, in order to build students' confidence in discussing these in a foreign language.

If your child is interested in joining one of these groups, they should collect a letter from the MFL Department and return the reply slip as soon as possible. Lessons will run until the end of the first half of the summer term, at which point we look forward to a performance from the KS3 groups to showcase what they have learnt!

SHAKESPEARE SCHOOLS FESTIVAL

Last Monday a group of A Level students took to the Corn Exchange stage to rehearse their Shakespeare Schools Festival performance of Julius Caesar, directed by Mr Edens and Rebecca Lane. Working alongside professional actors the cast developed their ensemble scenes to reach a dramatic climax. We look forward to seeing the final performance being performed at The Corn Exchange on Monday 12 November. Please come and support our fantastic cast. Tickets can be purchased via the Corn Exchange website.

SPLENDID THEATRE COMPANY

On Wednesday 10 October we had the pleasure of welcoming Splendid Theatre Company into school, to work with our KS4 and KS5 students on their new production of The Oresteia. Students explored Greek choral elements in performance alongside Brechtian techniques and how to embed these skills into a variety of texts. Students responded by saying that the performance was '*outstanding*' and '*the actors were incredibly powerful and entertaining*'. Students will be using the knowledge gained in the workshop to adapt a script using Greek chorus skills for their second performance exam. We look forward to seeing the fantastic work they produce.



SIXTH FORM OPEN EVENING

Thursday 1 November 2018,
5.30pm – 8.00pm



St Bart's Sixth Form provides exceptional opportunities and our students secure excellent results



In 2018 33% of all grades were A*/A and 82% were C grade or better.



Come to our Open Evening and find out about more than 40 subject courses, outstanding opportunities and the vibrant Sixth Form life at St Bart's.



The presentations by the Head of Sixth Form take place at 5.30pm and 7.00pm in the Hall. Subject information available throughout the evening.



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Calendar		
House Music Rehearsal Day	Weds 17 Oct	Hall
House Music Competition	Weds 17 Oct	Hall 7.00pm
KS4 History Trip to New York City Departs	Thurs 18 Oct	Return Monday, 22nd October
Staff Training & Development Day	Fri 19 Oct	
CCF RAF Range Day	Fri 19 Oct	Longmoor
HALF TERM Friday 19 October to Friday 26 October		
11B/11C Geography Field Trip	Weds 31 Oct	Reading – all day
View all school events in our online calendar, click here to go straight there		



All the above were run by the Royal Navy but they are open to any cadet in any service if space permits.

Major Brooker attended the Skill at Arms course at Frimley Park in mid August and passed with flying colours. U/O Talbot attended the pre-Frimley Course at St. Martin's Plain, Folkestone over the first weekend of this term and achieved all the necessary requirements to attend the full Frimley Park Officers' Induction Course next calendar year.

Two cadets are already lined up to take courses over the October half term.

MOTH CLUB NEWS



Moth Club were excited to find two beautifully camouflaged moths this week. The Merveille du Jour (Marvel of the Day) and the Green Brindled Crescent are great autumn moths that have evolved to blend in on lichen-covered trees. Moth Club runs every Thursday at 8.20am in the St Bart's Nature Reserve from April through to the end of October.



CCF COURSES GALORE

Since mid July, a number of cadets and adults have been on MOD sponsored courses. Firstly, several cadets attended the HMS Bristol Annual Camp at Portsmouth while at the same time others participated in an Ocean Diving Course. Both offered excellent opportunities at very little cost.

In mid August three cadets attended an Adventure Training Course in north Wales, which was described as brilliant. At the same time another cadet went on a 'Band' course at Dartmouth, a memorable experience.

PE

Netball

Year 7 played St Gabriel's. Players of the matches were Bella Castle and Ellie Symes.

This week Year 8 and 9 netball teams had league fixtures against John O'Gaunt
Year 8 won 11-4

Players of the match were Year 8 Nya Tannk and Year 9 Polly Hassell-Collins.

Year 10 and Year 11 Netball teams had friendly Netball fixtures against St Mary's Calne.

Players of the matches were:

Year 10, Luci Robertson

Year 11, Lola Callaghan



ST BARTHOLOMEW'S SCHOOL
Christmas Gift and Craft Fair

There are a limited number of stalls available for students who are raising money for good causes, charities or school trips such as World Challenge

Book online at: www.stbartspa.co.uk

18TH NOVEMBER 2018 • 11 AM - 3 PM
ST BARTHOLOMEW'S SCHOOL

Lacrosse

We played Marlborough on the astro. Our team played really well. The score was about 11-0 to us and the players of the match were Emily Tucker and Annabel Chandler they played very well. We worked well as a team and the outcome was very good.

Last Wednesday our team played against Heathfields and played a very good game. We

had a smaller pitch, so we had to make sure we were playing accurately. We won 9-0 which is very good. Georgia Humphreys and Polly Hassel-Collins were players of the match as they showed very good play.

Anna Colston, 9C1

Football

Well done to the Year 7 and 8 Girls football team who are through to the 3rd round of the English Schools Cup. They beat Wallingford School 5-1 this week and Bella Cox was awarded player of the match.

House Cross Country 2017

Individual Runner Positions – Top 10

Year 7 Girls

Reg	House	Name	Position
7C1	CURNOCK	KIRSTEN FRASER	1
7E2	EVERS	INDIA DULY	2
7D3	DAVIS	CLEMENTINE BARRY	3
7D3	DAVIS	ANNABEL MACLEAN	4
7C2	CURNOCK	OLIVIA FLETCHER	5
7P1	PATTERSON	SABA WILLIAMS	6
7E2	EVERS	IMOGEN MOON	7
7P1	PATTERSON	VAIBAVI LAKSHMI NARAYANAN	8
7C1	CURNOCK	THEA OSBORNE	9
7C1	CURNOCK	HARRIET GIBSON	10

Year 7 Boys

7E2	EVERS	JACOB WOODS	1
7E2	EVERS	JAMES HOLLAND	2
7E1	EVERS	DANIEL GONZALEZ-BIRCHALL	3
7D1	DAVIS	FLYN FOX JONES	4
7D2	DAVIS	BEAU POWER	5
7E1	EVERS	GEORGE ALSTON	6
7C1	CURNOCK	CHRISTOPHER EMBERLIN	7
7E2	EVERS	WILLEM VROLIJK	8
7D3	DAVIS	AIDAN HIGGS	9
7D3	DAVIS	DAWUD MEHDI	10

Year 8 Girls

8C1	CURNOCK	JOSIE ROBERTSON	1
8P2	PATTERSON	MIRIAM COOPER	2
8D2	DAVIS	IZZY QUESADA-GETGOOD	3
8P1	PATTERSON	EMILY JARDINE	4
8D1	DAVIS	ABBIE DONELAN	5
8C1	CURNOCK	DAISY FLETCHER	6

8P2	PATTERSON	BELLA COX	7
8D2	DAVIS	LEILLA WHITEHOUSE	8
8D1	DAVIS	SOPHIE BARR	9
8E2	EVERS	LOLA HEDLEY-SMITH	10



**St Bartholomew's
School**

**Christmas Gift and
Craft Fair**

Sunday 18th November
11.00am to 3.00pm

**Over 60 stalls – Wide selection of
homemade 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)

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Year 8 Boys

8C3	CURNOCK	MATIS DESSIAUME	1
8C3	CURNOCK	ROWAN CHESTER	2
8E3	EVERS	THOMAS HENRY	3
8C3	CURNOCK	TOBY BURGE-MCRACKEN	4
8D1	DAVIS	CALLAM TANG	5
8D2	DAVIS	CHRISTIAN AMISON	6
8D1	DAVIS	EDWARD HALL	7
8D1	DAVIS	THOMAS HALL	8
8D1	DAVIS	SAMUEL CRAIG	9
8P1	PATTERSON	HARRISON BLAKEMORE	10

Year 9 Girls

9E1	EVERS	SOPHIE BHATT	1
9C2	CURNOCK	LUCY COLSTON	2
9E2	EVERS	ABBIE HOLLAND	3
9P1	PATTERSON	LILIE ESSEN	4
9E2	EVERS	EMILY TUCKER	5
9D2	DAVIS	GEORGIA HUMPHREYS	6
9E1	EVERS	SOPHIA EARL	7
9C2	CURNOCK	ANNABEL GIBSON	8
9E2	EVERS	GEMMA MOON	9
9D1	DAVIS	EBONY WHITEHOUSE	10

Year 9 Boys

9E1	EVERS	FINLEY ALLEN	1
9C2	CURNOCK	NATHAN DELAVERE	2
9P3	PATTERSON	ELLIOT CROUCH	3
9D2	DAVIS	GEORGE SHAKESPEARE	4
9D1	DAVIS	SEB ABERG	5
9P2	PATTERSON	SCOTT PENDER-THAW	6
9D1	DAVIS	SEBASTIAN BURGESS	7
9D1	DAVIS	SAMUEL CHENEY	8
9D1	DAVIS	ROCCO POWER	9
9P1	PATTERSON	DANIEL RAWLINS	10

ST BART'S ALUMNI

St Bart's has a new Alumni Association!



Are you in touch with past students?

Have they signed up to our alumni network through Future First?

Please point them in the right direction so that they can receive our newsletters and reconnect with old friends!

Find the Alumni Portal at
<http://bit.ly/2E2N4FL>

Year 10 Boys and Girls

10D2	DAVIS	CHARLIE SHAKESPEARE	1
10C3	CURNOCK	LUCY ROBERTSON	
10P1	PATTERSON	ALISTAIR JARDINE	2
10P2	PATTERSON	PIPPA THOMAS	
10C1	CURNOCK	ALFIE LETMAN	3
10C3	CURNOCK	IMOGEN MATHEWS	

10D2 10C1	DAVIS CURNOCK	JAMES MACALLAN ELSPETH CRANE	4
10P2	PATTERSON	ALEXANDER GROVES- WAY	5
10E3 10C3	EVERS CURNOCK	SAUL GODDARD- MARTINEZ LUCY EMBERLIN	6
10C1 10C2	CURNOCK CURNOCK	NICKY PROWSE ROSIE MAKANT	7
10P1 10C3	PATTERSON CURNOCK	BEN NEWMAN ZOE QUARTERLY	8
10E2 10C3	EVERS CURNOCK	JOE MITCHELL FREYA BARLOW	9
10D2 10E1	DAVIS EVERS	AIDEN KRIEL ELLA MCARTHY	10

Year 11 Boys and Girls

11E1 11C2	EVERS CURNOCK	TOBIAS ALLEN DAVIE JAMES	1
11P2 11E1	PATTERSON EVERS	LUCA VICARIA SOPHIE BIRCHALL GONZALEZ	2
11P1 11E2	PATTERSON EVERS	CAMERON LANGLEY JESSICA HENRY	3
11C2 11C2	CURNOCK CURNOCK	HUGH BEATTIE SOPHIE BARRETT	4
11P1 11C2	PATTERSON CURNOCK	LUCA JONES IMOGEN AINSLEY	5
11C2 11P2	CURNOCK PATTERSON	SAMUEL TAYLOR CHARLOTTE GABRIEL	6
11E3	EVERS	VANYA KYNAVEZ	7
11P1	PATTERSON	WILL CASTLE	8
11E2	EVERS	SCOTT RICHARDSON	9
11P1	PATTERSON	JOE PARSONS	10

SCHOOL ABC

A reminder that our School ABC was created by Year Councils and sets out clear guidelines which help to ensure success for all students:

Always listen

Be polite

Cooperate



Overall Scores

2018-19		Curnock	Davis	Evers	Patterson
Cross Country:	Yr 7	10	6	8	4
	Yr 8	5	10	5	8
	Yr 9	4	6	10	8
	Yr 10	10	4	8	6
	Yr 11	6	4	10	8
Event Totals		35	30	41	34

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