

**Weekly bulletin for students of Hayesfield Girls' School,
their parents, guardians and families**



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Week commencing Monday 14th November 2011

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Week B

From the Headteacher:

**Proposed new Science Building on the Brougham Hayes Campus
Planning Application Ref 11/4644/FUL**

We have now submitted the planning application to Bath and North East Somerset Council for the proposed new Science Building and would welcome your comments in actively supporting the scheme by contacting the Planning Department.

We are currently waiting for the application to be uploaded to the Planning Department's website and we will update our website once you are able to record your details and comments electronically.

The link is: [Bath and North East Somerset Council](http://www.bathandnestsomerset.gov.uk)

Alternatively, you may wish to write a letter of support which should state the planning application reference number. Comments should be addressed to Planning Services, Bath and North East Somerset Council, Trimbridge House, Trim Street, Bath, BA1 2DP

Please see the website plans, elevations and details.

Erica Draisey

Assemblies:

Monday:	Year 11 - No assembly	
Tuesday:	Years 7 and 8 - Mrs Beasley	Year 10 – Mrs Brown
Wednesday:		Year 11 – Mr Holbrook
Thursday:	Years 12 and 13 - Mrs Beasley	Year 8 – Mrs Ingram
		Year 9 – Mr Harrison
Friday:	Years 9 and 10 – Mrs Beasley	Years 12 and 13 – Mrs Banks
		Year 7 – Mrs Young

Forthcoming Calendar Events:

Monday 14 th November	-	Governors' Personnel, 4.30pm Upper School
Tuesday 15 th November	-	Governors' Welfare and Guidance, 4.30pm Upper School
	-	'Hayesfield's Got Talent' Final, 4.30pm Upper School
Wednesday 16 th November	-	Sustainable Travel Forum, 6.30pm – 7.30pm West Wing
Monday 21 st November	-	Full School Council
	-	Governors' Resources, 5.00pm Upper School
Tuesday 22 nd November	-	GCSE Certificate Presentation Evening, 7.00pm – 8.30pm Upper School
Wednesday 23 rd November	-	until Friday 25 th - Year 12 Geography Field Trip
Friday 25 th November	-	Years 10, 12 and 13 Good Food Show Visit
Saturday 26 th November	-	Autumn Fair, 11.00am – 2.00pm Lower School

Hayesfield's Got Talent

After the huge success of 'The H Factor' we are now staging the latest House Competition, 'Hayesfield's Got Talent' on Tuesday 15th November from 4:30 - 6:30pm in the Auditorium on the Upper Oldfield Park Campus.

We have eleven top acts with some great local judges so please come along and support our House competition. Entry is free and open to all students, parents and families.

Mr Cottle and Miss Whitemore

House News Update (Blackwell, Curie, Fonteyn, Pankhurst, Shelley, Somerville)

The School Houses have been busy involving themselves in this term's activities. All tutor groups have now voted for two House Representatives who will represent their views in House and Year Council Meetings.

Just before the October holiday there was an inter-house Spelling Bee held at Lower School with Fonteyn the ultimate victors.

There are three big events in the next couple of weeks:

- 1) **Hayesfield's Got Talent** on Tuesday 15th November from 4.30 - 6.30pm in the Upper School Auditorium with an amazing range of acts taking part.
- 2) **Great Hayesfield Bake-Off** on Friday 25th November. Enter those mouth-watering home-baked cupcakes, cakes and fabulous decorations to win great prizes.
- 3) **Autumn Fair** on Saturday 26th November from 11.00am to 2.00pm at the Lower School. All Houses will be manning stalls. Come along and volunteer to help either in the preparation or running of the stalls, or come and buy some of the fabulous wares, including all those yummy cakes from the Bake-Off the day before!

All participants in both events will earn House points for the Inter-House Competition. Please participate and/or come along to support your House. Miss Trueman.

Children In Need

Children In Need Day is on Friday 18th November and will be a Mufti Day for the whole school, the theme being 'spots' in your House colour. If students wish to wear mufti, a contribution of £1.00 should be paid to your tutor on the day. Other fundraising activities will take place, during the day, so please donate as much money as you can. This is a very good cause so help us raise as much money as possible.

Raising money for Cancer Support this Christmas

JOY is a twenty strong Hayesfield Christmas caroling group made up of all ages collecting for charities each Christmas. As well as singing door to door in Oldfield Park and Poets Corner in the days leading up to Christmas, the group also sings carols at company Christmas dinners, events and parties. IPL has commissioned the group to sing for the last three years. This year the group is raising money for the William Budd Oncology Ward at the Royal United Hospital as part of the 'Forever Friends Appeal'. If anyone would like the group to sing for their Christmas event and donate money to a very good cause, please contact Jo Howard-McCombe in Year 13 via the school.

"Big Ted's Day Out" - Bring a teddy to school fundraising event

Congratulations to Year 7 and 8 students who raised £185.92 on Friday 14th October. All money raised has been sent to the Bath Royal United Hospital to support this extremely worthwhile annual appeal. Particular praise and thanks goes to the following students who worked extremely hard at home baking and decorating cakes to sell in school. We have never witnessed so many cakes being sold in such a short space of time! Well done to Sylver Wiles, Ellie-May Ingram, Chloe Owen, Bethany Ware, Paige Dimery-Seek, Saskia Pupkin-Lesley, Bella Rushforth, Poppy Clark, Megan Newman and Lauren Beckles. Mrs L Young and Mrs S Ingram

Sustainable Travel Forum

Working to make Oldfield Park a safer place

Wednesday, 16th November 2011, Upper School Campus Hall starting at 6.30pm

Hayesfield School is hosting a Question and Answer Session on Wednesday 16th November. Students, parents and local residents are invited to quiz the council about transport worries in the Oldfield Park area. All members of the school and wider community are invited to participate in this Forum. Council Leader, Paul Crossley (Liberal Democrat, Southdown) will be joined by Local Councilors and Transport Officers.

The programme will include a presentation on the Hayesfield School Travel Plan and an outline of the major issues that impact on the safety of all members of the local community, a response from the council and then an opportunity for the public to ask questions. There will also be the presentation of a petition asking for a 20mph speed limit in the area surrounding the School.

Religion in the local Community

Thank you to all the Year 8 students who represented the school and their year group brilliantly during our recent trips to Moorland Road looking at religion in the local community. Some excellent work was completed and the students have gained more of an understanding of the range of religions followed in the area. The Philosophy and Beliefs Department

Sporting News

National Rhythmic Gymnastics

Congratulations to Lola Cockburn Marsh and Lily Edwards 7EH Somerville.

Lola and Lily competed in Round 2 of the National Rhythmic Gymnastics Espoir Group League on Saturday 29th October.

Lola and her group again took first place in their ball and free routines and Lily and her group came second with their ball routine and fourth in their free routine.

Alongside this competition was a club team event, where clubs enter a number of different categories then aggregate the scores. Lola and Lily both represented their club, and helped it win an overall second place.

Cross-Country

On Wednesday 2nd November the Hayesfield Cross-Country running team took part in the BANES competition at Odd Down playing fields. They had to complete the gruelling course in wet and windy conditions. All the girls worked exceptionally hard and all completed the race.

Well done to:

Year 7: Rosie Cross, Kate Wilkins, Chloe Whitehouse, Sarah Wilkinson, Chloe Turner and Jasmin Nolan-Kemp

Year 8: Lelia Robine-Durnell, Lauren Beckles, Scarlett Glendenning and Esme Naylor-Farrell

Year 9: Eloise Hanney, Milly Abbott, Syd Marshall, Grace McMullen and Issy Patterson

Year 10: Alicia Magner, Natasha Clark, Fran Gillow, Claire Kendall and Beth Derrick

Official results will be confirmed by the organising school and sent soon. Mrs Longworth

Netball

Well done to all netball players who travelled to Oldfield to play in a 'friendly' match. The results were as follows:-

Year 7s lost by 3-6, Year 8s won by 15-1, Year 9s drew 9-9 and Year 10s won by 17-3.

Year 7 Squad

Molly Matthews (woman of match), Karla Tanner, Zoe Parsons, Sophie Cruse, Emily Romero Shaw, Rosie Cross, Lucy Marchant and Eden Imrie.

Year 8 Squad

Milli Millet (woman of match), Katie Oliver, Annabel Parry, Susannah Laughton, Rosie Davies, Lucy Cryer, Izzy Parker and Vicky Ponting.

Year 9 Squad

Laura Finch (woman of match), Ella MacGregor-Bellaart, Chloe Perry, Isabella Patterson, Sydney Marshall, Alice McDonald, Molly Banham, Nia Shellard and Alice Reynolds-Pryce.

Year 10 Squad

Erin Lynch (woman of match), Emily Salmon, Beth Derrick, Emily Clothier, Emilie Noad, Sophie Mitchell and Clare Kendall.

Rowing club

Anyone interested in this club should see Mrs Hodkinson. There are still places for this term and after Christmas.

Fitness Clubs

Aerobics runs on a Wednesday from 3.30 - 4.30pm and is open to all Year 9-13s. Yoga is on a Thursday from 3.30 - 4.30pm. This is open to Year 10-13s. Both clubs are free and taken by external coaches.

Fixtures week commencing 14th November

Netball on Thursday 17th November is the Year 9 BANES tournament.

Years 7 and 8 Hockey

This is an extra club that is running on Monday 21st and Monday 28th November. The full club will run weekly after Christmas when the league starts – details of when this will start will follow.

Years 9 and 10 Trampoline Club

This term the club is open to Year 10 students and there are still places available. After Christmas there will be sixteen places for Year 9 students. The club runs on a Thursday from 3.30 - 4.30pm and there is a small cost. If you are interested please get a letter from the PE department. Students who return the first sixteen reply slips will be offered the places.

Positive quote or empowering question for this week

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams! Live the life you've imagined". Thoreau