



From the Headteacher:

Welcome back to all new and returning students. We hope you are well rested and ready for the challenges of the new school year.

**STEM Science Development on the Brougham Hayes Campus
Consultation Meetings - Monday 12th September and Wednesday 14th September 2011**

I am pleased to share with you developments regarding this project which took place over the summer holidays. The architects, White Design, have worked up a design proposal and the science team, with student input, have planned the layout of the internal spaces. The next stage is to present these initial designs to parents, students, staff, neighbours and local interest groups.

To this end we shall be holding a number of Public Consultation Meetings next week and an exhibition will be on display in the West Wing throughout September. You are very welcome to attend either of the meetings or visit the School to inspect the plans and provide us with your feedback. All information will also be available on the website.

Consultation Meeting times:

Monday 12th September 5.00 – 8.00pm on the Brougham Hayes Campus

Wednesday 14th September 6.00 – 6.45pm prior to the Year 7 Welcome Evening on the Brougham Hayes Campus

Year 7 Parents' Information Evening

We are looking forward to meeting the new Year 7 Parents at their Information Evening on Wednesday 14th September – a date for your diary. This will be held on the Brougham Hayes Campus from 6.45 – 8.00pm.

Prospective Parents' Evening – Tuesday 20th September 2011

You will be aware that we are holding our Open Evening on Tuesday 20th September from 6.00 – 8.30pm in the Upper Oldfield Park Campus. Many of the students have volunteered to help at this event, which is always a special occasion for the school.

Inset Day – Wednesday 21st September 2011

Please remember that Wednesday 21st September is an Inset Day for students and that school closes at 2.05pm on Tuesday afternoon to prepare for the Prospective Parents' Evening.

Open Morning – Friday 23rd September 2011

Our annual Open Morning is being held on Friday 23rd September 2011. This is an opportunity for both prospective and current parents to visit the school and see us in action. All three sites will be open from 9.00am – 12.00 noon and you are all very welcome.

Erica Draisey

Assemblies:

SLT Assemblies:

Monday: Year 11 – Ms Draisey
Tuesday: Years 7 and 8 – Mrs Beasley
Wednesday:
Thursday: Years 12 and 13 – Mrs Beasley
Friday: Years 9 and 10 – Mrs Beasley

Year Assemblies:

Year 10 - Mrs Brown
Year 11 - Mr Holbrook
Year 8 - Mrs Ingram
Year 9 - Mr Harrison
Years 12 and 13 - Mrs Banks
Year 7 - Mrs Young

Forthcoming Calendar Events:

Monday 12th September - Governors' Personnel Meeting, 4.30pm Upper School
Science Development Open Consultation Meeting, 5.00-8.00pm
Tuesday 13th September - Governors' Curriculum Meeting, 5pm Upper School
- Governors' Welfare and Guidance Meeting, 4.30pm Upper School
Wednesday 14th September - Science Development Open Consultation Meeting 6.00 – 6.45pm
New Year 7 Parents' Information Evening, 6.45pm – 8.00pm
Thursday 15th September - UCAS Information Evening, 6.30pm - 7.30pm Upper School
Monday 19th September - Governors' Resources Meeting, 5pm Upper School
- Full School Council
Tuesday 20th September - Prospective Parents' Evening, 6.00pm – 8.30pm Upper School
- **Early finish 2.05pm**
Wednesday 21st September - INSET Day
Friday 23rd September - Open Morning, 9.00am – 12.00 noon Lower School
- Years 12 and 13 Duke of Edinburgh, Dartmoor

Extra Curricular Activities

The PE extra curricular programme starts on Monday with a wide variety of sports on offer. There are several clubs run by specialist coaches which will incur a fee of £2.00 per session paid in advance each term. Lacrosse, basketball and fencing will be publicised soon and it will be offered on a first come, first served basis.

The Trampoline Club, available to a different year group each term, will be available to Year 11 for Term 1. There are sixteen places available at £10.00 each. If your daughter is interested, please contact me.

Years 10 to 13 Netball Club is on Mondays and will be held in the Sports Hall. This is run by Zaya Morris and is a free club, so please come along and get ready for the new season. Mrs Hodkinson

High 5 Primary Netball

Fun relaxed Netball coaching for anyone in Years 5 and 6 at Primary School. Come and give it a go!

Venue: Hayesfield Upper School, new indoor court

Time: Monday, 5.00pm – 6.00pm

First Session: 19th September 2011

Cost: £2.50 per session

To book your place, please contact Zaya Morris: zaya.morris@uwe.ac.uk or phone 07919 211759

Under 14s Netball

Fun relaxed coaching for any player in Years 7, 8 and 9. Just turn up and play!

Venue: Hayesfield Upper School, new Indoor Court

Time: Monday, 6.00pm - 7.30pm

First Session: 19th September 2011

Cost: £3 per session

To book your place, please contact Zaya Morris: zaya.morris@uwe.ac.uk or phone 07919 211759

Under 18s Netball

Fun, social Netball coaching for anyone in Years 10, 11, 12 or 13. Just turn up and play!

Venue: Hayesfield Upper School, new Indoor court

Time: Monday, 3.30pm – 5.00pm

First Session: 19th September 2011

Cost: £3 per person

To book your place, please contact Zaya Morris: zaya.morris@uwe.ac.uk or phone 07919 211759

Senior Netball

Used to love playing netball? Not played for ages? Come and have some fun, meet new people and get back into netball in a relaxed environment.

Venue: Hayesfield Upper School, new Indoor court

Time: Monday, 7.30pm – 9.00pm

First Session: 19th September 2011

Cost: £3.50 per person

To book your place, please contact Zaya Morris: zaya.morris@uwe.ac.uk or phone 07919 211759

Prayer Group for Hayesfield Girls' and Beechen Cliff Schools

A group of Christian parents will be meeting throughout the year to pray for the schools, students, staff and governors. The meetings will take place on the second Monday of each term from 1.45pm at 6 Victoria Terrace, Bath, BA2 3QZ. You are very welcome to join the Group.

The dates are 19th September 2011, 7th November 2011, 16th January 2012, 27th February 2012, 23rd April 2012 and 18th June 2012. More details from Anne Sixsmith on Bath 337965 (email: sixsmiths@hotmail.co.uk).

Jacqueline Wilson Book Review Competition

The best selling creator of Tracey Beaker, author of 'The Suitcase Kid' and so many more, will be in Bath on 1st October 2011 with a sneak preview of her latest story 'Sapphire Battersea'. If you would like to hear her at The Forum, and perhaps ask a question of your own, all you have to do is review your favourite Jacqueline Wilson book in 250 words or less and hand it in to Mrs Atkins at the Lower School Library by Monday 26th September 2011. The best two named entries will each receive a pair of tickets for The Forum to enjoy seeing the writer live. Mrs Bryden

EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS SEPT – DEC 2011

Day	Activity	Venue	Staff
MONDAY	FITNESS ROOM 10-13 NETBALL YEAR 10-13 HOCKEY – YEAR 7 & 8	FITNESS SUITE SPORTSHALL / UPPER COURTS ASTRO	BRENDA EXTERNAL NJH / BRENDA
TUESDAY	FITNESS ROOM 10-13 NETBALL YEAR 7 BADMINTON YEAR 7-9 TEEN YOGA YEAR 7-13 YEAR 11 GCSE REVISION	FITNESS SUITE LOWER COURTS SPORTSHALL TBC – STARTS 22 ND SEPT (3.45-4.45) CLASSROOM	LY & SIAN LE EXTERNAL (paid) AL
WEDNESDAY	FITNESS ROOM 10-13 BASKETBALL – TBC FENCING YEAR - TBC FOOTBALL YEAR 7-11	FITNESS SUITE SPORTSHALL LOWER GYM ASTRO	EXTERNAL (paid) EXTERNAL (paid) EH & MAH
THURSDAY	FITNESS ROOM 10-13 NETBALL YEAR 8 & 9 BADMINTON YEAR 10-13 TRAMPOLINE YEAR 11 GYMNASTICS YEAR 7 & 8	FITNESS SUITE COURTS SPORTSHALL SPORTSHALL LOWER GYM	LY & AL NJH EXTERNAL (paid) LE
FRIDAY	FITNESS ROOM 10-13 LACROSSE YEAR 7-11	FITNESS SUITE ASTRO	EXTERNAL (paid)