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THE BOURNE ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER CHRISTMAS 2016

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a fantastic Autumn term with students and staff working incredibly hard towards their goals, visits from highly acclaimed guests, wonderful events both on and offsite, and new successes & achievements in all areas.

I am very pleased to report that our new intake of Year 7 students have settled very well. They all look exceptionally smart and are a credit to The Bourne Academy. Our recent Parent Consultation Evening survey was very positive (*please see our website for survey results*).



Performance Measures, Exams & Successes

We started the new term in good spirits - our morale having been boosted by another set of excellent examination results in the summer. I am sure many of you have been extremely interested, and feel well informed about all the media reports on the new government performance measures. As you may be aware, the old measure, which ranked secondary schools on the proportion of pupils gaining C grades or higher in five GCSE subjects including English and Maths has been replaced by a new 'value-added' measure known as Progress 8. As its name suggests, Progress 8 measures progress in attainment rather than setting a simple bar. A score of 0.00 for Progress 8 would mean pupils have made the expected progress when compared with students of similar ability across the country. I am delighted to say that The Bourne Academy's Progress 8 is **+0.02**. This means that our students have made more progress than expected, when compared to students nationally.



There were also some excellent individual performances, congratulations to the following GCSE students:

- **Max Remington** who achieved 6 A*'s and 5 A's
- **Matthew Prince** who achieved 3 A*'s and 7 A's and a B grade
- **Edward Bennett** who achieved 3 A*'s and 7 A's and a B grade
- **Javier Monroy-Yeppez** who achieved 3 A*'s and 3 A's and 6 B grades
- **Logan Mellor** who achieved 2 A*'s and 7 A's and 2 B grades
- **Jade Middleton** who achieved 2 A*'s and 5 A's and 3 B grades
- **Jolyon Binstead** who achieved 2 A*'s and 5 A's and 4 B grades

Further congratulations should go to Hugo Barker who has been accepted onto the prestigious 'Sunseeker Apprenticeship Scheme'.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL



At A Level, we, once again, achieved a 100% pass rate - the ONLY school in Bournemouth to achieve this for the second year running. Many departments and students performed very creditably and we are particularly proud of our successes within the following subject areas, where all students entered achieved a higher grade A* to C pass or equivalent: English, History, Psychology, Performing Arts and Sport (Outdoor Education). However, perhaps the most pleasing statistic is that, again for the second year running, ALL of the students who applied to University, through the UCAS system, achieved a place on their chosen course.

However, Sixth Form is not just about A Levels - congratulations should also go to the following students:

- **Sophie Edmondson** – Sophie secured the grades required to progress onto her ‘coveted’ Higher Apprenticeship with J P Morgan. Sophie, who was last year’s Head Girl, managed to secure this position with the prestigious company beating hundreds of other applicants.
- **All the Btec Outdoor Adventure Group** - students received a minimum of one distinction grade, with 50% of the group achieving an amazing triple distinction (D*D*D*)!!
- **Sophie Eaton** – Sophie, after achieving D*D*D*, is going onto a Higher Apprenticeship with Land & Wave, one of the most sought after positions within the Outdoor Education industry.
- **Max Andrews** - has secured an apprenticeship at Cobham Plc.

Congratulations to all the students and staff concerned - I am sure you are just as proud of them as I am.

The staff and students are understandably pleased with our results and should be proud to be part of something special. However, I can assure you that we will not be complacent as this is just another milestone in our journey to ‘Outstanding’. The Academy’s Open Evening was attended by over 1000 visitors and is well placed to achieve one of our aims which is... to be the first choice secondary school for students and parents within the local community and beyond.



Thank You

Once again, thank you all for your support with regard to uniform and expectations. As we move towards much colder weather, I would urge students to bring a warm coat to school with them. Please note that coats, but not hoodies, may be worn to and from the Academy, but not inside the Academy, except on arrival and when leaving at the end of the day.

Furthermore, in order to ensure that students are prepared for learning, and valuable time is not wasted at the start of any lesson, it is vital that students have the correct equipment with them at all times and a suitable bag big enough to contain all the equipment required.

Term begins for students on Wednesday 4 January, meanwhile, I wish you and your families a very happy Christmas and New Year.

Kind regards

Mr M Avoth, Principal

CELEBRATION OF SUCCESS—CLASS OF 2016



The Academy had a fabulous Celebration of Success evening in November, where the recently ex-Year 11 and current Year 12 students came with their parents to receive their GCSE certificates and lots of prizes. We were delighted to welcome Dame Julia Cleverdon DCVO, CBE who presented the certificates and prizes.



After the presentations, Dame Julia gave an inspiring address – drawing on her wealth of experience from senior leadership roles in charities aiming to transform education and opportunities for young people. As chair of Teach First from 2006 to 2014, and now Vice Patron, Julia has pioneered efforts to address educational disadvantage by transforming exceptional graduates into effective, inspirational teachers in low-income communities across the UK.

Congratulations to all our prize winners.

Mr Avoth, Principal.

Subject Awards for Effort and Attainment:

Subject	Effort	Attainment
Art	Ellie Hutchins	Morgan Crawley
Catering	George Taylor	Michael Sherwood
Computer Science	Ellie Hutchins	Logan Mellor
Dance	Jodie Ramsier	Rhea Stokoe
Drama	Abbie Stroud	Natasha Smith
Engineering	Matthew Booth	Max Remington
English	George Taylor	Luke Adams
English Literature	Chloe Witherington	Robert Stirling-Lane
French	TJ Sanno-Berry	Luke Adams
Geography	Jodie Ramsier	Jolyon Binstead
Health & Social Care	Natasha Smith	Rhiannon Clarke
History	Jade Middleton	Javier Monroy-Yepe
Mathematics	Niamh Fitzhenry	Logan Mellor
Media	Lewis Scott	Morgan Crawley
Music	Stephen Watson	Wiktorija Liszka
Outdoor Education	Rhiannon Clarke	Michael Sherwood
Photography	Gemma Riggs	Martyna Makuch
Product Design	Harrison Ogles	Matthew Prince
Psychology	Jasmine Brown	Elizabeth Goldup
Religious Studies	Victoria Kennett	Aukse Damaseviciute
Science	Rhea Stokoe	Robert Stirling-Lane
Spanish	Matthew Palmer	Edward Bennett
BTEC Sport	Pebbles Beglarian	Rhea Stokoe

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Areas of Learning Awards:



Arts , Enterprise & Wellbeing	Chelsey Amey
Communication & Enquiry	Max Remington
Human Understanding	Javier Monroy-Yepey
STEM	Max Remington



Head of House Awards:



Anvil	Jodie Ramsier
Calshot	George Taylor
Eddystone	Shana Mitchell
Hurst	Matthew Prince
Kingswear	Jade Middleton
Portland	Elizabeth Goldup
Sovereign	Adam Ayles
Trinity	Alex Saunders



**The Matthew Clements Award
For Technology, Engineering & Design:
Ellie Hutchins**



**The Leslie Batchelor Award
For Sporting Achievement:
Reece Sears**

**Outstanding Achievement Award
in recognition of outstanding exam results:
Max Remington**



**Miss Steel Award
Presented for great courage and triumph:
Hugo Barker**

ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

PERFORMING ARTS



THE LIGHT BURNS BLUE

Students in Years 8—12 recently visited the Arts University Bournemouth Acting Department to watch *'The Light Burns Blue'*, a play based on the story behind the fairies *'discovered'* in a garden in Cottingley.



THE ASH GIRL

Year 9 students recently visited Arts University Bournemouth to watch a performance of *'The Ash Girl'*. The performance was an adaptation of Cinderella by Timberlake Wertenbaker.



LAMDA SHOWCASE AND EXAMS

In November students who take additional LAMDA Drama lessons took part in their first showcase sharing performance work. Students were preparing for their exams which took place at the Marsham Court Hotel Bournemouth in November. Students who completed the exam were: **Sophie Hodgson, Beth Coates, Ashleigh Sullovan, Tara Sullovan and Kate Walker.**

SPARKLESHARK BY PHILLIP RIDLEY

Sparkleshark is a massive opportunity for Years 7-9 to get out of their comfort zone. It is also an opportunity to engage the audience in the story.

There are lots of loveable, fun characters throughout the fairy tale who everyone will love. The Performance will take part in the New Year as part of the Telling Tales Festival of Drama.

Paige Tanner – Year 7



ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

PERFORMING ARTS



GRIMM TALES

As a part of our Drama Ace clubs, on Thursday we are rehearsing Grimm Tales. This is a fun selection of classic short fairy-tale stories devised into an interesting performance. They can use their imagination to create performances that not only engage the audience but it gives them a chance to express themselves through their love of performing arts and acting. These fairy-tales have morals behind them which are interesting and informative for the students to think about. Grimm Tales will be performed as part of the Telling Tales Festival of Drama in the New Year.

Erin Mellor – Year 10



TOMCAT BY JAMES RUSHBROOKE



Tomcat is a play currently in rehearsal featuring our Sixth Form Performing Arts students. The play is set in the not-too-distant future; the world is better than ever. Diseases and disorders have been wiped out. But Jess doesn't belong. She slipped through the net and there's something dangerous in her DNA, something that must be 'cured'. This performance will also take place as part of the Telling Tales Festival of Drama in the New Year .



FESTIVAL OF DRAMA

At the end of January, we will be embarking on our first Festival of Drama at the Academy. The week will see students perform in four plays taking place in the Academy. Students will also have a chance to take part in a number of workshops throughout the week including: Dorset School of Acting, Bournemouth Island Open Air Theatre, Chichester University, Arts

University Bournemouth, Yoga and Physicality for performers and LAMDA Workshops.



PERFORMING ARTS UNIFORM

Students in Years 7 and 8 are required to wear kit for Performing Arts lessons. Students are able to wear PE kit, or black top and black bottoms. Alternatively students may wish to buy Performing Arts kit. We have both the black Performing Arts T shirt and Performing Arts raglan style top available to buy for £10 each. Students will also be working with either bare feet or in grip socks (the ones used at local trampoline parks are fine) in lessons. If students wish to buy grip socks from the PA team, then they are available for £3 per pair.



ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

DANCE



PAVILION DANCE SOUTH WEST



PDSW WORKSHOP

September began with **Jess Webb** and **Nicola Lloyd** (from PDSW) visiting Year 10 BTEC Dance, to give the group a taster session of the two youth dance groups offered at Pavilion Dance.



CO-INVESTMENT DAY AT PDSW

Georgia Excell and **Skye Higgs**, both Year 13 students, were invited by PDSW to talk to dance artists from the industry about the experiences of dance. Both students did a fantastic job in presenting their views and ideas in how dance needs to be more accessible to young people.



CREATIVE CAREERS FAIR AT PDSW

Year 13 Performing Arts students had the opportunity to spend the day at PDSW taking part in workshops and learning about the process of auditioning for dance courses when moving onto university. The students really enjoyed the experience and had the opportunity to meet lectures and choreographers from the industry.

UCHENNA DANCE AT PDSW

The Academy is part of the Associate Schools Programme with PDSW and this means we receive theatre tickets allowing students to watch performances for free on a Thursday evening. There will be more trips next term. See Miss Martin for details.

HEATHER KINRAD AT PDSW

A number of students in KS3-5 had the opportunity to experience working with a new choreographer, Heather Konrad, who is creating pieces of choreography to be performed to the public at PDSW. The students got the chance to learn movement material that Heather had created in her work and also had the opportunity to listen and learn about the process she goes through in creating her work.



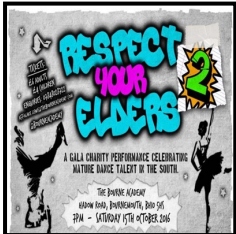
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RESPECT YOUR ELDERS 2 DANCE EVENT



For the second year running we held Respect Your Elders Dance Showcase at The Bourne Academy. It is a platform for mature dancers to share their passion for dance with the local community and students who attend the Academy. Within the showcase there was a mixture of dance groups and solo artists who shared their devised dance pieces.

The organisers invited two of the Academy dance groups to open the show with their dance performances. The first group was Bourne Movement which is for KS3 students who attend the Street Dance ACE club on a Tuesday, where they are taught by Zoe from a local company - Missfit dance. It was the first time performing for all who were involved in this group.

The second group was the Year 11 dance group who performed one of their group dance pieces. This is soon to be used for their up and coming BTEC Dance assessments. All students involved were dedicated and worked actively to learn the choreography and showed a high level of focus during the performance. A big well done to all!!



The night was a great success and was received well with lots of positivity from the audience members who came to support the event from the local community. Overall £400 was raised from the ticket sales. This has been reinvested back into the dance department to purchase a set of Dance T-shirts with the Performing Arts and Respect your Elders logo printed onto them. They will be used by students who take part in dance events and perform to the local community when representing the Academy.

Miss Lewis, Dance Instructor

CHERRIES COMMUNITY FUND (AFC BOURNEMOUTH)

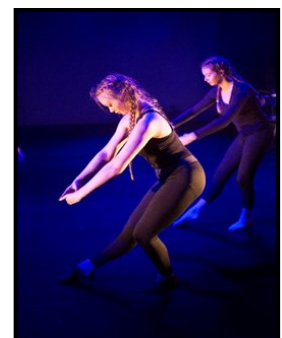


Cherries Community Fund awarded The Bourne Academy £686.99 to allow the department to buy new dance equipment to support the new Youth Dance Company which will begin in January. The company will run every Wednesday and will be taught by Emily Wareham a local dance teacher who teaches at Spotlight and Aim Community. If you are interested in joining the company, see Miss Martin.

DANCE ACE

Dance ACE will continue next term and will run on a Tuesday (Street Dance) and Thursday (Contemporary). New projects will begin in the Spring Term.

Get involved and be part of the Annual Dance Evening which will take place at PDSW on the 16th March. For further information, please see Miss Martin or Miss Lewis.



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ARTS WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

MUSIC



6TH FORM STUDENTS LAUNCH CD



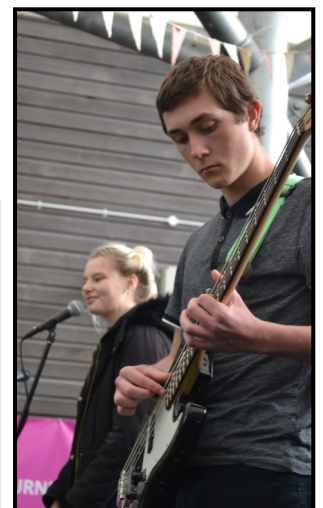
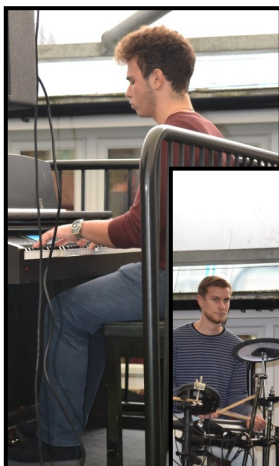
CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT AT PAVILION



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MUSIC ON THE LAWN



LIBRARY NEWS

FRANKENSTEIN VISITS THE ACADEMY LIBRARY

The 6th Form have been studying 'Frankenstein' by Mary Shelley. They held a Frankenstein Festival on Monday 31st October. They worked with the English team to teach the younger year groups about the classical works they are studying and enthuse them with readings from 'Frankenstein'.

The library came on board with some fun games with a Frankenstein 'Tin Can Alley' and a photo booth to have a picture with 'Frank's monster' and his bride.

This was really popular so we will be looking to do a Christmas themed literary photo booth and games too.

Bah Humbug!



SPECIAL GUESTS



THE LORD LIEUTENANT ENDORSES OUR ACADEMY



The Bourne Academy was delighted to welcome the Lord Lieutenant Angus Campbell on site this month, along with two senior representatives from The Dorset Community Foundation.

The party was welcomed by the Principal, Mark Avoth and Bourne Leaders, **Alex Jenkins and Selina Taghizadeh**. After the meeting, the Lord Lieutenant and guests were shown around the Academy and enjoyed spending extended time in Sport, Engineering (one of the Academy's specialisms) and Performing Arts/Music.

Mr Campbell praised the work of The Bourne Academy saying, *'The success story of the rise of the Academy is inspirational and interesting, as well as being a great pleasure, to talk to two such pleasant and level-headed young people. Splendid ambassadors for the school and its values.'*

Angus Campbell was appointed Dorset's Lord Lieutenant in January 2014 as the personal county representative of the Queen.

BEAGLE2MARS PROFESSOR LANDS AT BOURNE

Professor Mark Sims, professor in Astrobiology and Space Instrumentation visited the Academy holding a lecture in *'What Can Science Offer You'* followed by a Question and Answer session to science students studying the subject at GCSE and A Level.



Professor Sims was a European Space Agency Research Fellow, as well as other teams around the world and in 2004 was Mission Manager for the Beagle 2 Mars Lander project. He has been involved in nine space missions over his career, with

roles from data analysis, launch site operations to flight operations and Principal Investigator on the Life Marker Chip project.



He is co-director of the Diagnostic Development Unit based at Leicester Royal Infirmary, developing techniques for non-invasive diagnosis of disease. Professor Sims is also currently researching advanced imaging techniques in forensic science.

STUDENT LEADERSHIP



BOURNE LEADERS

Our current Bourne Leader Team has been busy with their roles at the Academy. They help out at Academy events and played a big role at the Academy's successful Open Evening giving tours to prospective parents and children around the Academy site. You may have also noticed the team present at each Parent Teacher Consultation Evening, meeting and greeting parents in Reception.



Bourne Leaders are appointed at the end of Year 10 through a rigorous application process. It is our belief that through such opportunities, students can be empowered to have a positive impact on both the Academy and the community.

We aim to provide scope for all students to experience the process of leading others and should feel empowered to act in a way which has a positive impact on the lives of others.

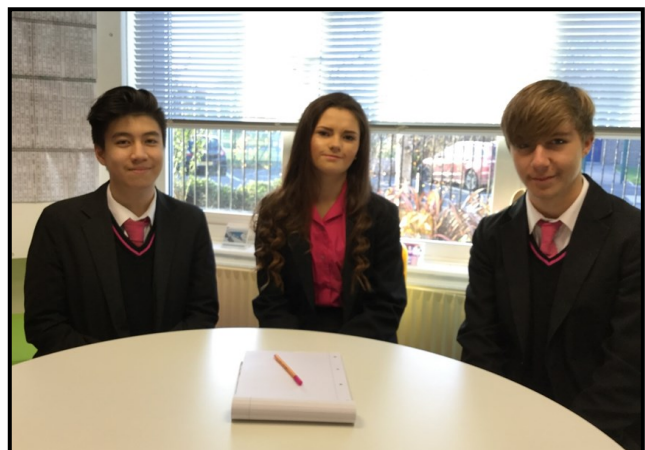
STUDENT INTERVIEW PANEL

As part of our plan to develop leadership skills within Year 10, students from each house have been nominated to be involved in 'Leadership Academy' where students will be involved in a number of leadership opportunities throughout the year.

So far this has included forming an interview panel for candidates on interview at the Academy as well as providing tours on the interview day. Students will also be involved in running a Leadership Skills Day with primary schools later in the year.

Students involved so far include:

Hannah Coates, Evie Bidgood, Sidney Beckles, Talia Apps, Carl Ponter, Adam Lancing, Destiny Cherrett and Stephanie Gould.



SPORTS NEWS



DORSET'S BOCCIA SILVER MEDALLISTS

This year, the Academy entered two teams into the Lord Taverners Dorset Boccia Competition and finished second in Dorset behind Victoria School, coming away with silver medals.

All students played incredibly well and although Team B played some great games, they did not reach any further in the competition.

Team A, who were last year's Dorset Champions, achieved the best result of the day, winning against Dorchester's A team 8-0 and went on to finishing second in Dorset behind Victoria School.

The Academy A Team have now gained a place in the Regional Finals in Exeter next February 2017. We wish them all good luck for next year's exciting competition finals.



Year 9 Football



Robyn Gilbert



KS4 Netball



SPORTS NEWS

KICK FOOTBALL FESTIVAL



DORSET TUMBLING CHAMPIONS

The Academy entered two teams into this hugely popular event that takes place annually in Poole. The key stage 3 team showed huge improvements from the start of their training and all executed their tumbles without mistake. Unfortunately they were part of a high level of competition and did not qualify for their finals but did so well to represent the Academy in the first place.

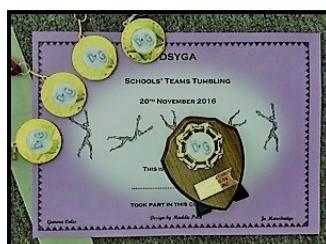
The key stage 4 team entered for the third year running and despite some tough competition from Avonbourne and Parkstone Grammar, were crowned Dorset champions.

It was a pleasure to spend the afternoon with them and I am very proud of all the girls that competed.

Teams were:

KS3 - Chloe Tucker- Worth, Tara Sullovan, Holly Pointer, Abbi Witherington, Tegan Bond.

KS4 – Hannah Coates, Mia McGarvie, Daisy Elbrow, Beth Coates.



CAREERS AND STARS

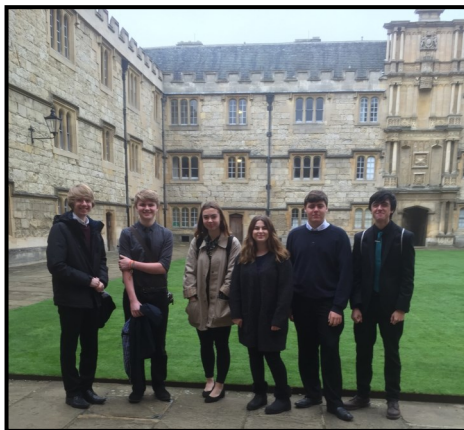
This has been another really exciting and busy term for careers. We were selected as one of three Bournemouth Schools to take part in the **J P Morgan Challenge** event. This has involved students in Years 8 and 10 working in teams designing a device that will be more sustainable and will solve a current issue. Teams will be presenting their final product in an award ceremony judged by Professor Brian Cox at the Olympic Park in December 2016.



On the 18th October we took 40 students from Media and Computer science to the **Digital Wave** conference. Students were able to hear first hand from a variety of digital media specialists on their own career choices and how best to enter this challenging and diverse field.

National Enterprise Challenge came in to deliver this years' challenge to Year 10. Students needed to design an App to promote the Ryman stationery company. The standard of presentations were really high with our team Chamaeleon, beating the competition to take first place; our team will represent the Academy in the national final in July. Theo Paphitis will be judging the completion.

Our 6th Form Young Enterprise team "**Revelation**" is working hard to produce an exciting new product that they can bring to market. They will be selling at trade stands at Castlepoint over the next few months and are selling cakes and sweets to students to create funds to invest in their final product.



Our partnership with **Southampton University** is going strong with their advisor team delivering workshops to Year 11 and an exciting trip planned for Year 9 for a careers masterclass and a campus visit on 6th December. We have also had **Bournemouth University** students onsite mentoring Year 11 students.

This term we took a selection of students to **Oxford University**. They had the opportunity to visit The Bodleian library and to see some priceless books, tour Merton college and Oxford city centre and have a masterclass on Oxbridge and the application process. We are really excited to have some potential Oxbridge students of the future in our sixth form.

The annual business networking event saw us hosting over 30 experienced and new **Bourne Ambassador** mentors. The evening was a fabulous success and students gained valuable networking skills and had the opportunity to learn from mentors from a wide variety of careers from architecture to veterinary science. Feedback from students and mentors was overwhelmingly positive and it will be really exciting to see how the students benefit further from their personal business mentor throughout their time at sixth form.



Year 13 students are working really hard on their University applications. I look forward to updating you all in the new year with information on where they will be going. We have applications submitted this year for a variety of prestigious universities such as Durham, Exeter and Southampton.

COMMUNITY LETTINGS AT THE ACADEMY



Club:	Day:	Time:	Contact name:	Contact:
FOOTBALL:				
AFCB - Satellite Club	Tuesday	5.00pm - 7.00pm	Andrew Battison	07887 384 762
AFC - Female Goals	Tuesday	6.00pm - 7.00pm		
B'mouth Youth Poppies U10s	Monday	6.00pm - 7.00pm	David Dickinson	07496 576 134
B'mouth Youth Poppies	Monday	7.00pm - 8.00pm	Patricia Painter	07894 948 267
B'mouth Youth Poppies	Thursday	8.00pm - 9.00pm	Patricia Painter	07895 948 267
AFCB - Premier League	Friday	5.00pm - 7.00pm	Andrew Battison	07887 384 762
Bournemouth Electric	Tuesday	7.00pm - 8.00pm	Mike Maher	07891 794 504
Bournemouth Electric U13s	Wednesday	8.00pm - 9.00pm	Chris Brown	07912 939 576
Longfleet U8s Tigers	Wednesday	5.00pm - 6.00pm	Jimmy Howie	07985 699 294
Longfleet U8s Lions	Wednesday	6.00pm - 7.00pm	Beverley Bowers	07703 744 564
Whites Football	Sunday	6.00pm - 7.00pm	Chris Moore	
Pillar Box Football	Tuesday	7.00pm - 8.00pm		
Oakmead Dynamo (adults)	Friday	7.00pm - 8.00pm	Nick HanlonBrooks	nick.hanlonbrooks@thebourneacademy.com
CRICKET:				
Winton Cricket - youth	Monday	5.00pm - 7.00pm	Brian Dobson	07932 432 496
Winton Cricket	Thursday	5.00pm - 7.00pm	Brian Dobson	www.facebook.com/wintoncc
BADMINTON:				
MC Badminton	Monday	8.00pm - 10.00pm	Mike Collins	07779 236 272
Wednesday Badminton	Wednesday	7.15pm - 8.45pm	Chris Nicholls	07725 195 757
Bourne Badminton	Thursday	7.00pm - 9.00pm	John Mullin	01202 539 136
Kingsleigh Badminton	Saturday	8.00pm - 10.00pm	Keith Barter	01202 526 770
FITNESS & WELLBEING:				
Clubbercise	Tuesday	7.30pm - 8.30pm	Ricky	07821 997 276
Touch Tennis	Tuesday	7.30pm - 8.30pm	William Bound	07871 260 442
Steppin Out - Dance	Saturday	9.00am - 2.30pm	Angela Taylor	angiesft@icloud.com
Special Olympics	Sunday	10.00am - 11.30am	Tony Jones-Pert	activedorset.org/specialolympics
LIFE SKILLS & LEARNING:				
Cookery Class	Wednesday	6.30pm - 9.00pm	Enquiries	01202 262300
Sewing Skills	Thursday	7.00pm - 9.00pm		www.skillsandlearningbdp.co.uk
MUSIC:				
Wavelength choir	Tuesday	7.30pm - 9.30pm	Alison Brewster	www.wavelength.cool
SUNDAY WORSHIP:				
Bread of Life	Sunday	10.30am - 12.30pm	Pastor Morris	07737 088 934
CHILDREN'S PARTIES/CLUBS:				
Nerf Attack	Various	Various	Belinda	07812 786 396
Get Up and Bounce	Saturday	9.30am - 3.30pm	Phil	phil@getupandbounce.co.uk
Primary Sports Education	Holidays		Adam Sherwood	info@premiersportseducation.co.uk

If you are interested in hiring our facilities here at the Academy, please contact Mrs Spence at the Academy on 01202 528554 (during school hours) or email vicky.spence@thebourneacademy.com.

FUNDRAISING AND CHARITY



PVT QUIZ AND SUPPER EVENING

Friday 24 February 2017 - 6.30pm to 9.30pm

Have some fun and test your knowledge with good company, lots of laughter, food, bar and a raffle with great prizes! Bring your own team of up to 10, or join one on the night. Everyone welcome.



Tickets will be on sale from the Academy Reception in January.
Adults £7 each / Students £5 each (including food)

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

This year's Christmas Fayre was another success. Various arts and crafts stalls, games, activities, bouncy castle, face painting, raffle and even Santa's photo booth, took part. We had three choirs singing Christmas carols from Bourne, Kingsleigh Primary School and Wavelength Chorus. Total proceeds were **£800**; 50% going to the Academy and 50% to the Academy's fundraising project to build a new teacher's house at the Osiligi Obaya Primary School in Kenya.



FUNDRAISING AND CHARITY



CHILDREN IN NEED 2016



Pudsy says *'thank you'* to everyone who helped raise funds for **CHILDREN IN NEED**. To date, we have raised **£726.65**.

WHO JUMPED 10,000 FEET OUT OF A PLANE?

A very brave member of our Site Team, Mr Paul Green, jumped out of an aeroplane from 10,000 feet. It was his first ever skydive and raised over **£500** for Breast Cancer Care.



ACADEMY REACHES OUT TO KENYA

After several visits by the Maasai Warriors, the Academy has chosen to support their Kenyan Community School, The Osiligi Obaya Primary School.

The Osiligi Obaya School is 30 miles south of Nairobi and four miles from the nearest village and now has 185 UK sponsored pupils.

In order to encourage our students to 'ASPIRE' and become global citizens, the Academy has decided to raise £5000 to build a new teachers' house in Kenya, which will be called 'The Bourne Academy House'. It is hoped we can achieve this together by July 2017.

Staff and students will take part in numerous events to help raise funds; a sponsored four mile walk (the same distance the Osiligi pupils walk barefoot every day), a sponsored jump (the Warriors are renowned for their jumping!), Mufti Days, Christmas Fayre and many other fundraising activities. So far, we have raised almost **£700**.

Longer term, the Academy hopes to arrange a visit, taking a group of staff and students out to Kenya. In the meantime, they will do everything they can to support the Kenyan school and to reach its fundraising goal by next July.





TERM DATES, INSET DAYS AND HOLIDAYS FOR 2016—17

Students are required to arrive at the Academy **before 8.35am** in **full uniform**, with their **planner** and correct **stationery**.

2016-2017

Spring Term

Half Term

Easter Holiday

FROM:

Tuesday 3 January 2017*

Monday 13 February 2017

Monday 10 April 2017

TO:

Friday 7 April 2017

Friday 17 February 2017

Friday 21 April 2017

Summer Term

Half Term

Summer Holiday

Monday 24 April 2017

Monday 29 May 2017

Monday 24 July 2017

Friday 21 July 2017

Friday 2 June 2017

Friday 1 September 2017

2017-2018

Autumn Term

Planning Day

Planning Day

Years 7 & 12 START

Whole school START

Half Term

Christmas Holidays

Monday 4 September 2017

Monday 4 September 2017

Tuesday 5 September 2017

Wednesday 6 September 2017

Thursday 7 September 2017

Monday 23 October 2017

Monday 18 December 2017

Friday 15 December 2017

no students in school

no students in school

Yrs 7 & 12 ONLY

Whole school

Friday 27 October 2017

Tuesday 2 January 2018

2018

Spring Term

Half Term

Easter Holidays

Summer Term

Half Term

Summer Holidays

Wednesday 3 January 2018

Monday 12 February 2018

Friday 30 March 2018

Monday 16 April 2018

Monday 28 May 2018

Monday 23 July 2018

Thursday 29 March 2018

Friday 16 February 2018

Friday 13 April 2018

Friday 20 July 2018

Friday 1 June 2018

Friday 31 August 2018

2016—2017 INSET DAYS:

***Tuesday 3rd January 2017**

Wednesday 15th March 2017

Friday 30th June 2017

2016-2017 Parent Teacher Consultations:

Year 7 19th October 2016 14th June 2017

Year 8 25th January 2017 28th June 2017

Year 9 8th February 2017 12th July 2017

Year 10 23rd November 2016 10th May 2017

Year 11 9th November 2016 8th March 2017




Years 12 & 13 28th September 2016 22nd February 2017

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY


Parent Voice Meeting—Wed 11 Jan 2017

Quiz & Supper Evening—Fri 24 Feb 2017

IMPORTANT NOTICES TO ALL PARENTS AND CARERS:

- **Do not park in the disabled bays** in the Academy car park unless you are a 'blue badge holder' specifically for a student 
- To ensure the continued safety of our students, do not park on the pavements or verges in the car park
- The Academy is a non-smoking environment, therefore smoking is NOT permitted in the car park, which includes vehicles 
- It is parent/carer's responsibility to notify the Academy of any contact changes ie address, mobile, email, medical and parental responsibility
- If you son or daughter is absent from school, please phone the school on 01202 528554 **each morning your child is absent no later than 8.20am.** 

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