



THE BOURNE ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER
SUMMER 2015

CHINESE VISIT — JULY 2015



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to our final newsletter of the academic year and what a year it has been. Having joined the Academy in January, I would like to thank all the staff, students, parents/carers, Governors and members of the community who have made me feel so welcome. I have to say, I feel very much part of the school and feel privileged to be leading The Bourne Academy as Principal. It was great to meet our new Year 7 students last week and I am delighted to say that we are, once again, anticipating a full year group. Looking through the past issues of the newsletter there is so much to celebrate, it is obvious that so many young people have given a huge amount to activities within the Academy curriculum and beyond; we thank them, the staff and partners of the Academy who have committed so much to provide the very best opportunities.

This year has also showcased the talent of our students away from the academic arena. Through the Performing Arts Oscars, academy productions, sports day, dance evenings, art exhibition, other sporting events, prom, ASPIRE days and primary events, the students have excelled themselves. A recent visit from 23 Chinese students from Hong Kong has been a great success. Friendships were formed and the whole experience contributed to our philosophy of global citizenship. Once again, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff who have contributed to these fantastic events and the extra-curricular life of the Academy.

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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Since my arrival I have maintained the importance of having pride in the Academy. In our opinion, school uniform plays a vital role in contributing to the ethos of The Bourne Academy and setting the appropriate tone and standard. Furthermore, a smart appearance is essential in most workplaces and we aim to prepare our students for the world of work. The majority of our students wear the correct uniform with pride. However, please be aware that our uniform policy will be rigorously enforced in September 2015.



A letter home in July sets out very clearly what is expected. However, please take particular note that students in Years 7 to 11 will now only be allowed to colour their hair to a “natural colour” and no facial piercings will be permitted; this includes retainers.

It should be noted that the Parent Voice Team (PVT) has supported the Academy throughout the year. This support is very much appreciated by the staff and students. If you would like to offer your services to the PVT then please contact Mrs C Gobell (Business Director) at the Academy.

I would also like to thank all parents/carers who have filled out our Parent Consultation feedback sheets. I would like to reassure you that we take these very seriously. The lack of a consistent homework approach has been highlighted as an issue for some parents. Therefore, the leadership team, under the direction of Mrs Bennett (Director of Teaching) has undertaken a review across the whole Academy. We have seen a vast improvement over the last term but will continue to monitor the setting and marking of homework.



Please don't forget that I run my Parents' Surgery every Thursday evening from 5.00pm to 6.00pm. Once again, I would emphasise that the purpose for the surgery is to allow parents to have a valuable forum with the Principal and not to circumvent the normal Academy procedures for dealing with concerns or general queries. If you wish to attend the surgery, please book an appointment with my PA, Mrs Gilson on 01202 636991.

Term begins for students on Thursday 3rd September. I hope you have a great summer holiday.

Kind regards

**Mr M Avoth,
Principal.**



NEW CATERERS FOR ACADEMY

FOOD TASTING EXPERIENCE

Recently, several companies put forward tenders to provide catering for The Bourne Academy students and staff. Four students were asked to sample the range of food that the catering companies had to offer.

Myself, **Ellie Chapman**, **Sam Patenotte** and **Alice LaHaye** all had the pleasure of tasting their wonderful variety of foods and drinks. Every company had something unique to offer, like the delicious 'Posh Pot Noodles'. We rated each of them on range, price, presentation and, obviously, taste. After a day of such hard work (*scoffing our faces with food*), we managed to depart the Academy without the threat of tooth decay and with a bag of muffins and cookies each. It was a truly great day and not just because we were eating pizza whilst everyone else was in a Science exam. I just feel sorry for the poor cleaners who had to walk into a room piled with crumbs and spilt gravy.



Congratulations to INNOVATE who won the contract and who have great plans scheduled for September.

By Daniel Fenna-Moran, Year 9



STEM

Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths and IT

Maths Star Challenge - Beebot

Last term our Maths Stars from top set year 7 and 9 undertook a programming challenge using a basic floor robot – the Beebot.

Supported by Canford 6th Formers, the students had to find the **longest and most complex route** the Beebot could take, given a maximum of 40 commands.

Entries were then judged based on both the area and perimeter of the shape created, as well as the number of sides and how many of the 40 commands were used.

Congratulations go to:
Hayley Mann (7MA1) – First place
MJ Hoang (9MA1) – Second place

Each won a Silver Slip and a calculator. Well done to all other students involved. Keep watching for more maths challenges!

Mrs Deacon

A Special mention also goes to **MJ Hoang (9MA1)** whose solution for an 'nrich' maths problem was published on their website. This is a great honour for MJ and the Academy!

To see the problem and MJ's solution, visit
<http://nrich.maths.org/11107>



SCIENCE VISIT TO ICELAND 26th – 29th March 2016

This 4 day, all-inclusive trip will be an exciting, hands-on experience for students and includes visits to over 18 different locations in Iceland, with many opportunities to reinforce revision for GCSE and A-Level Science.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE
CONTACT MISS JARRETT in SCIENCE



Places still available!



BOURNE LEADERS 2015-2016

The Role:

Bourne Leader is the title given to our prefects. Bourne Leaders are appointed at the end of their time in Year 10 following a rigorous application process. Bourne Leaders represent the Academy at Open Evenings, PTC Evenings as well as completing duties around the Academy and at fundraising events. Results for 2015-2016 will be announced soon. Watch this space.....

The Application Process:

Below is the application process for 2015-2016 Bourne Leaders and Head Boy and Head Girl:

Students complete application forms - all invited to interview
Panel Interview One: <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Plans for Impact Panel: Principal, PA & HR Manager, 2 x Key Stage 3 students
Panel Interview Two: <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Personal Qualities and Experience Panel: Vice Principal, Assistant Vice Principal, 2 x Key Stage 3 students
Bourne Leader Key Stage 3 Discussion Group <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Why you want to be a Bourne Leader/Head Boy/Girl◆ How you would like to have an impact◆ How you would support younger students within the Academy Panel: Performance and Participation Coordinator & Key Stage 3 students
Head Boy and Head Girl <i>'What is My Vision'</i> Challenge and Communication Task



ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

PERFORMING ARTS

6TH FORM FINAL PERFORMANCE

On Thursday 21st May, The Bourne Academy Sixth Form presented a showcase of Music, Dance and Drama.

It was the final performance for the 'Ignite' theatre company, and was a spectacular culmination of all the dedication, hard work and passion these performers have shown applied throughout their time in 6th form.



ROCK AWARDS



BRITISH RED CROSS—THE POINT



ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

PERFORMING ARTS

SUMMER MUSIC CAFE

The Summer Music Café took place on Wednesday 24th June. It was an incredible evening of live musical performances from music students and ACE club members across all year groups. The energy, professionalism, and musical skill displayed by each and every performer was outstanding.



PERFORMING ARTS AWARDS EVENING 2015

The Bourne Academy Performing Arts Awards evening took place on Monday 29th June. It was a glamorous celebration of all the incredible efforts and achievements of performing arts students across the Academy. A special congratulations goes to **Jade Middleton**, who was named this year's '**Outstanding Performing Artist**'!



Well done to everyone, from Mr Perkins, Miss Martin and Mr Mastrocola (Performing Arts Department).

MAKE YOUR MOVE: BRITISH RED CROSS

The Year 10 Performing Arts group had the opportunity to take part in Make Your Move: British Red Cross Competition. On the 14th June students visited The Point, Eastleigh to compete in a Dance competition against other schools in the local area. Our students did an amazing job and won the award for 'Most Creative Performance'. As a group they also had the opportunity to raise money for the organisation the group managed to raise £295. Well done to Jodie Ramsier, Natasha Smith, Chloe Lashmar, Jasmine Brown and Jessica Broom who all managed to raise money for the charity through their own time.



ROSIE KAY DANCE COMPANY

During the summer term the Year 10 Dance group had the chance to work with a professional dancer and choreographer who works alongside Rosie Kay Dance Company.

The group got the chance to explore and develop an understanding of life of being a soldier at War.

The inspiration of the workshop was developed from the company's work five soldiers based at Bovington Camp. It was a challenging and exciting workshop which the students really enjoyed.



THE EXCHANGE SHOWCASE

Year 10 BTEC Dance students travelled to Roche Court gallery in Salisbury to work with Emma Keer (Education Officer). This project is in collaboration with the centre and Pavilion Dance South West. The students looked at the following artists work Richard Long, Lauren Ellen Bacon and Fernando Casasempere. They explored ideas in how to approach a piece of choreography using shapes and lines of the sculptures.

The group of dancers has worked with Sophie Douglas (Youth and Education Co-Ordinator) who supported the class with ideas in how to develop the dance. The students then had the opportunity to showcase their work at Pavilion Dance in April and put on a fantastic performance.



It was lovely to see them working really hard during the day at Pavilion Dance and collaborating with Winchester University Dance students.

ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

DANCE

THE EXCHANGE

Year 10 Performing Arts students had the chance to perform at Pavilion Dance on the 26th April 2015. Here are some pictures of the final performance inspired from the Sculptures seen at Roche Court



BOURNE MOVEMENT CREW

Here are some photographs of Jayden Kelly and Jack Smithers performing in Rockitt Crew during the B-Town Throwdown Festival. Bourne Movement Crew have also been given the opportunity to perform in Rockitt Crew's Annual Showcase at Avonbourne School on the 11th July. These opportunities have happened due to the hard work and dedication Rich gives in delivering exciting dance workshops with the Bourne Movement (Boys) every Tuesday during ACE.

Bourne Movement Crew boys and girls will continue next year on a Tuesday ACE with Zoe and Rich. We will be working on a new routine for the Autumn Cabaret Show in October so it would be great to see more students joining the crew.



For further info about tickets and productions, follow Performing Arts on TWITTER @Bourneacademypa

ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

VISUAL ARTS

ARTWORK FROM KEYSTAGE 3



Emma Gale



Sophie North



Jillette Sedit



Darja Gromova



Lauren Dunning



Ben Thomas



Ayesha Johnson



Stephanie Gould



Ayesha Johnson

ARTS, WELLBEING AND ENTERPRISE

VISUAL ARTS

ART EXHIBITION JUNE 2015

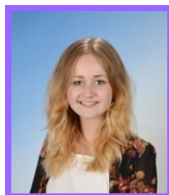


DESTINATION SUCCESS FOR YEAR 13 STUDENTS

HAYLEY BULMER

B Tec Performing Arts.

Hayley has always wanted to work as cabin crew. She had work experience at Bournemouth Airport and is working on passing her driving test to take up a job offer at the airport.



JADE PRIOR

B Tec Performing Arts

Jade was initially offered interviews at Arts University, Bournemouth University and Winchester. She is now considering a foundation degree at Bournemouth & Poole College or working in the performing arts industry before progressing to University the following year.



ALICIA MACMILLAN

B Tec Outdoor Adventure.

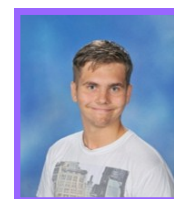
Alicia is currently working in America over the summer with Camp America. She has a place at Carmathen University for a degree in Outdoor Education.



ALAN KOWALSKI

B Tec Engineering

Alan is looking for a full time role or apprenticeship in the engineering field.



JONATHAN BURSTOW

A level study

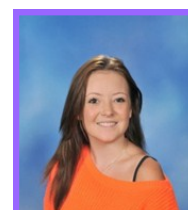
Jonathan has a place at Portsmouth University to study Physics. He is considering deferring his place for a year to complete his A level Chemistry.



SHANNON COLLINGS

A Level Study

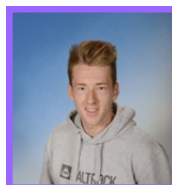
Shannon has a place at Swansea University on their Criminology and Psychology degree.



CHRISTIAN METCALFE

B Tec Outdoor Adventure

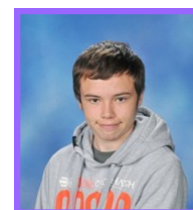
Christian has demonstrated his hard work and commitment throughout his Outdoor Adventure course. Land & Wave have offered him a full time apprenticeship. See page 17 for his story.



THOMAS GIBBS

B Tec Engineering

Following a great work experience placement with his Bourne Ambassador, Tom has been offered a job at Bournemouth Hospital in the IT department over the summer. He has also secured an IT Apprenticeship and is looking for a placement.



KAYCEE COLLINS

B Tec Performing Arts

Kaycee was offered a place on the Arts and Events Management Degree at AUB however she has chosen to work for a year before committing to a career area.



JAKE GILBERT

B Tec Outdoor Adventure

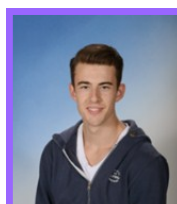
Jake has secured a full time role in retail.



OLIVER METCALFE

B Tec Outdoor Adventure

Ollie has excelled on the Outdoor Adventure BTEC; he is still passionate about sports and has a full time role at Bournemouth Airport while he considers his options.



MATEUSZ ZALEWSKI

B Tec Engineering

Mateusz is seeking full time work for a year before returning to Poland to attend University there in Engineering.



OWEN ALLNER

Btec Engineering

Owen has applied for the Marines .

DESTINATION SUCCESS FOR YEAR 13 STUDENTS

PHOEBE GIBBONS

A Level study

Phoebe will start at Arts University Bournemouth on their Media Foundation Diploma in September.



ETHAN PERRY

A Level study

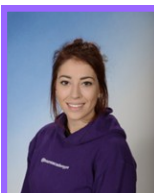
Ethan had a successful work experience with a company he has worked for at weekends and has now been offered full time work and training at Entoyment.



JULIANNE LANGSTON

B Tec Performing Arts & A level English

Julianne has successfully secured a place at Buckingham University on the Football and Events Management degree which is taught at Wembley.



FRAZER STANTON

B Tec Engineering

Frazer is seeking a full time role or apprenticeship in the engineering industry.



MATT BLUNDEN

B Tec Outdoor Adventure

Matt received an offer from Bournemouth University for a Sport Development & Coaching degree and has decided to work for a year prior to University.



DANIELLE STONE

B Tec Performing Arts

Danielle is looking for full time work.



JAMIE MATTHEWS

B Tec Engineering

Following successful work experience Jamie has secured a full time position at Halfords.



GEORGINA SWEATLAND

A Level Study

Georgie has secured a place at University in Chelsea for their Interior Design degree.



STEPHEN MCGREGOR

B Tec Outdoor Adventure

Stephen starts at Chichester University for their Adventure Education degree.



LAUREN SWEATLAND

A Level Study

Lauren is waiting back to hear from East Surrey College for Travel and Tourism. She hopes to work on cruise ships in the future.



JAMES MEDWAY

B Tec Engineering

James is awaiting confirmation of his results then he will have enough points to enter the Navy as an Officer.



BRANDON WHEAVIL

A levels:

Brandon received offers from Bath Spa, Bournemouth University and Aberystwyth. He has decided to start the Media foundation diploma at Arts University Bournemouth before progressing onto a degree.



KATHERINE PAGETT

A Level study

Katherine has a place on the Fine Art Foundation Diploma at Bournemouth Arts University

YAGIZ KALAYCI

A level Study

Yagiz achieved an unconditional offer from Aberystwyth University to study on their Film and TV production degree. This means that regardless of his grades in the summer he has a firm place on their course.

SPORTS NEWS

DORSET GAMES

The Bourne Academy hosted a leadership conference, organised by the Dorset School Games. This was to train young leaders to help out at the Summer School Games at Bryanston School.

Our students did an amazing job opening the Tri Golf tournament and **Ethan Fisher** opened the games with a great speech! The rest of the leaders ran activities for over 1000 primary school students. We also took a wheelchair basketball team to the games and won the competition!

A great job was done and everyone really represented The Bourne Academy well! Well done to all our amazing students for their hard work.

Mr Child, Subject Lead PE



BTEC SPORT AT BOURNEMOUTH UNIVERSITY

Year 9 students who have opted BTEC Sport next year attended a sports taster session at Bournemouth University, to see what they could go on to after The Bourne Academy.



AFC BOURNEMOUTH SATALITTE FOOTBALL CLUB



MONDAY 5.00pm—7.00pm



New date from September 2015:

TUESDAY 5.00pm—7.00pm

For further info, email andrew.battison@afcb.co.uk

SPORTS NEWS

SAILING

The Bourne Academy entered two new competitions this year giving students different opportunities to compete against other schools.

We had success in the sailing regatta, all students qualified for finals in the afternoon and **Jordan Jones** won his Final race.



ROUNDERS

In July, Academy under 13 students played Ferndown Middle School at mixed rounders. Due to the weather we had to re-locate our game indoors. Both sides had two innings and during the first innings, The Bourne Academy only managed to gain half a rounder. This put us under pressure for the next innings but we came back strongly and scored four rounders overall. Unfortunately losing to Ferndown Middle School by half a rounder. Overall, the team put in a fantastic performance.

Well done to: Charlie Carter, Bailey Middleton, Adam Smedley, Ben Daniels, Lewis Collins, Ella Sandever, Stephanie Gould, Amelia Merrick and Erin Mellor.

Mrs Al-Jassar, SENDco



Follow the PE department on TWITTER for Sports updates and success stories!
[@PEBourneacademy](https://twitter.com/PEBourneacademy)

SPORTS NEWS EXTRA

TOWN SPORTS

The Bourne Academy entered a team into Town sports athletics competition and, once again, built on last year's success.

All students who competed did extremely well and some students came along as sports leaders and helped run events. Two students qualified in the top three at Town Sports, which now puts them through for County Athletics. **Nina Lavis** qualified in the shot putt and **Owen Bidgood** the 100m.

Congratulations to Nina and Owen and well done to all the other sporting competitors and our sports leaders for representing the Academy.



GYMNASTICS SCHOLARSHIP

CONGRATULATIONS to **Courtney Sawyer**, who has been awarded a £1,000 sports scholarship from John Thornton.

Courtney showed a great talent during her gymnastic club and this award will enable Courtney to attend Gymstars outside of school for an hour a week.

Mrs Plunket, Teacher of PE

UP AND COMING EVENTS...



Ski trip 2017—see Mr Child for info...

ACE CLUBS...

The PE & Outdoor Education department have continued to run a wide range of activities and trips, from Duke of Edinburgh expeditions to raft building in the lake and students enjoying great surf sessions at Surf Steps.

For further information about these and other activities, please see Mr Child or Mr Short.

OUTDOOR ADVENTURE



Huge congratulations to eleven of our Outdoor Adventure BTEC Level 3 students who passed their Archery GB Instructor Award recently.

Students took part in an intensive two-day training course before being assessed in their archery and leadership skills. They showed fantastic concentration and commitment and are now fully qualified to lead group archery sessions – well done!

David Mutton, Land & Wave



ADVENTUROUS FUTURE FOR 6TH FORMER

Year 13 graduate, **Chris Metcalfe**, has just been awarded a 15-month paid vocational apprenticeship with local outdoor company Land & Wave Ltd. Chris has just completed the two-year Outdoor Adventure & Sport BTEC Level 3 in the 6th form, run in partnership with Land & Wave. He achieved Distinction Stars across the board.



Course leader, David Mutton, said: *'Chris Metcalfe has worked exceptionally hard and has gained a great deal of work experience at Land & Wave during his course. This apprenticeship is an incredible opportunity for him to pursue a successful career as a fully-fledged outdoor instructor.'*

During his apprenticeship, Chris will benefit from over £1000 worth of instructor qualifications, plus £1000 towards driving lessons.



This apprenticeship programme is only available to our Outdoor Adventure & Sport BTEC Level 3 students and one stand-out student will be awarded an apprenticeship each year.

Congratulations Chris!

Dave Mutton, Land and Wave



HUMAN UNDERSTANDING

*Psychology, Understanding, Religion and Ethics,
MFL, History and Geography*



CHALKE VALLEY HISTORY FESTIVAL

Year 10 GCSE History students attended the Chalke Valley History Festival in June. They were able to hear lectures on Roman medicine and the First World War, in addition to learning from living history actors. An informative day was had by everyone.

Mr Schmidt, Subject Lead History



Making gas masks in History!

The Bourne Academy will be a hosting venue for **Dorset Skills and Learning**. The Skills and Learning brochure is available from a learning centre or library near you.

For further information phone 01202 262300 or visit their website www.skillsandlearningbdp.co.uk

BOURNE AMBASSADOR'S BREAKFAST



YEAR 10 STARS

SCHOOL ELECTION 2015

As part of our commitment to stretching our most academically able students, our Year 10 STARS had the unique opportunity to take part in a mock general election in school. 5 students were chosen to be leaders of the main political parties: UKIP, Conservatives, Liberal Democrats, Green Party and Labour. Parties were drawn by students at random, resulting in the following groupings:



Dylan Johnstone, Jolyon Binstead + Stephen Foley Conservatives

Adam Ayles + Max Remington Liberal Democrats

Javier Monroy + Rhea Stoke UK Independence Party

Jade Middleton + Logan Mellor Green Party

Matthew Prince, Luke Adams + Edward Bennett Labour



Each group had to research and study their party's manifesto, carefully choosing what they would focus on in their speeches, to ensure it was age appropriate. They then had to compose speeches to deliver to the different houses and 6th form during assemblies to encourage the young audience to vote for their party on May the 7th 2015 – the same day the actual election took place all over Britain.

One student, Javier Monroy, initially struggled personally to come to terms with the party he was allocated. He said, *"Since the moment I randomly selected UKIP, I was worried, as I personally didn't agree with what they offered. Sometimes, however, you just have to go along with things despite your personal feelings. At first, I found it quite difficult to represent UKIP's ideology, and found it especially challenging dealing with some vocal opposition made during my campaign trail, but as I delivered my second speech I became a bit more comfortable with it and by the end I enjoyed the task of trying to open people's minds and challenge their thinking."*

Overall, the students found this mock election a positive and motivating experience. Adam Ayles stated, *"It was a great experience, I was nervous at the start, however once I started to talk I became more confident and I am now very proud of what I have achieved."* What's more, political awareness has spread to a much greater extent throughout year 10 and across the school. Rhea Stoke told us, *"A week ago I didn't know much about the general election or politics in general. Now, I feel a lot more informed."*



The **Green Party** secured a majority vote across the school's tutor groups and were ecstatic with the results. Logan Mellor claimed, *"They say it's the taking part that counts, but having a majority vote feels pretty good too."* Mrs Franklin and Mr Roberts both commented that they were exceptionally proud of all of the year 10s' achievements, however many tutor groups they had won. *"We have been blown away by the quality of each and every party campaign,"* Mr Roberts claimed, upon announcing the result at break time on election day.

The Year 10 STARS will now continue their political ambitions into the next term, as they prepare to participate in a mock United Nations Council, debating international politics and human rights issues on a weekly basis.

Mrs Franklin, Head of 6th Form

STAFF NEWS

As you may know, the summer term is a great time of staff movement for promotions and relocations within the education sector. We pride ourselves on our exceptional staff training and enhancement programme here at The Bourne Academy and are proud of all our staff as they prepare for pastures new.

SOME FOND FAREWELLS:

At the end of the academic year we wish the staff who are leaving us all the very best in their new posts or new careers, and thank them all for what they have brought to The Bourne Academy.

TEACHING STAFF:

Miss L Conway
Miss J Damen- Lane
Mrs L Harding
Mr A Fox
Mr J Grummit
Mr C Hayward
Miss K Habgood
Miss J King
Mrs K Sampson
Mr W Storey

– SL English Specialism
– Teacher of Mathematics
– ICO Geography
– 2nd in TED
– SL Art
– Teacher of English & Pupil Premium Coordinator
– Teacher of Literacy
– Teacher of Science
– Lead Practitioner Science
– SL Engineering Specialism



SUPPORT STAFF:

Miss N Brown
Miss A Chapman
Mr R Edwards
Mrs W Kenchington
Mrs K Roderick
Mrs D Rolfe
Mrs M Shephard
Mrs E Fisher

– Reprographics & 6th Form Administrator
– Food Technician
– ICT Coordinator
– Examinations Manager
– LSA
– Library Manager
– LSA
– LSA

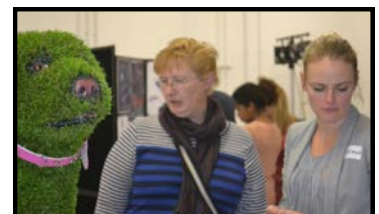


CONGRATULATIONS:

I would also like to congratulate the following staff on securing new positions within the Academy:

Mrs A Ballard
Mrs N Barr
Mrs K Brown
Mr M Dunn
Mr J Foreman
Miss V Gladden
Mrs H Hardcastle
Mr T Lees
Miss S Lovette
Miss H Muse
Mrs D Pollard
Mr E Roberts
Miss F Sealey
Miss C Wigg

– Acting mathematics KS3 Coordinator
– Subject Lead English Specialism
– Head of House (Sovereign) & ASPIRE Coordinator
– Subject Lead Engineering Specialism
– Subject Lead Computing Science
– Reading Across the curriculum Coordinator
– IC Religious Education
– Acting Mathematics KS5 Coordinator
– Literacy Coordinator
– 2nd in English Specialism
– English KS5 Coordinator
– Entitlement Coordinator
– Acting Subject Lead for Art
– Data & Examinations Manager



STAFF NEWS

WELCOME:

At the same time we look forward to welcoming new staff to the Academy for September.:

TEACHING STAFF:

Miss M Blackmore	– Head of Humanities
Mr A Ball	– Teacher of Science
Miss K Brand	– Teacher of English
Miss N Crawford	– Teacher of English
Miss O Hatchard	– Teacher of MFL (part time)
Mrs C Surman	– Teacher of Art
Mrs A Harpham Gist	– Teacher of TED
Mr J Jenner	– Teacher of English
Mr B Mace	– Teacher of Music (part time)
Miss A Mathews	– Food & Art Teacher
Mr S Morris	– Teacher of TED
Miss L Staniforth	– Teacher of Mathematics
Miss E Tarrant	– Teacher of Science
Miss K Upshall	– Teacher of Mathematics
Miss D Walkey	– Teacher of Mathematics

SUPPORT STAFF:

Mrs J Bosworth	– Food Technician
Mrs B Wills	– Examinations & Academic Administrator
Mrs V. Spence	– Reprographics & Lettings Administrator

Mr Avoth, Principal



ALUMNI LAUNCH — A HUGE SUCCESS

In May, former staff and students came together to celebrate the launch of The Bourne Academy Alumni Association. Guests celebrated over a 100 years of education (incorporating previous school names of East Howe, Kingsleigh and Kings High schools).

The evening was opened by three guest speakers who had all attended the school, Mr Ray Cozins (*a former pupil at East Howe School during the Second World War*), Mr David Bennett (*Barrister and Liaison Advisor to the South West England General Medical Council*) and Celia Sawyer (*Channel 4's Four Rooms expert, International Interior Designer and winner of Inspiration Awards for Women 2013*).

Earlier in the day, Celia Sawyer very kindly attended a Question and Answer session with a selection of Year 10 students who are aspiring designers and architects. She has also kindly offered to be a part of the Bourne Ambassador scheme to mentor Academy students.

Mrs Caroline Gobell, Business Director at The Bourne Academy was delighted with the response and success on the night saying, *'We were absolutely thrilled to welcome over a hundred former staff and students to launch our Alumni Association. There were so many stories to hear about on the night. It was an extremely proud moment and we are excited to be developing this project over the years to come.'*



For further info contact Mrs Gobell on 01202 528554 or email caroline.gobell@thebourneacademy.com.

FUNDRAISING



PARENT VOICE TEAM



Last term, staff and a few parents enjoyed a **Quiz Night and Supper**. Competition was fierce but after 6 rounds of questions the **Administration Team** proudly won the coveted Quiz Masters Trophy.

A fun evening was had by everyone and a special thank you to Mr Schmidt who, as our Quiz Mater, kept everyone in order and to Mr Peacock for obtaining some fabulous raffle prizes.

The Administration team will be defending their title at the next Quiz Night scheduled for February 2016. Watch this space.....



THANK YOU FRIENDS OF THE ACADEMY

We are very fortunate to have some wonderful friends here at The Bourne Academy. They not only give precious time but often valuable resources towards various activities and events:

FUNDER:	PURPOSE:	GIFT:
Mrs Alison Leonard	6th Form	Proof Reading personal statements
Tesco Kinson	Christmas Event	300 Mince Pies and 25 bottles of Mulled Wine
BH Live Family Fun Day	Bushcraft Skills	Free place at the Family Fun Day event
Tesco Kinson	6th Form	Apprenticeships
Paultons Park	Rewards Trip	Reduced entry on tickets
AFC Bournemouth	Under 14 girls Football	Free coaching for 10 weeks for girls
Tesco Kinson	Chinese Cream Tea	Scones, jam & cream for 60 people at tea party

To these wonderful friends of the Academy we would like to say a **BIG THANKYOU**.

Caroline Gobell, Business Director.



MUGA SOON TO BE RENOVATED



We are delighted to announce that we have received very generous funding by way of two donations, **£50,000 from The Talbot Village Trust** and **£10,000 from The Garfield Weston Foundation**.

The funding will be used to renovate the Multi Use Games Area (MUGA).

The total project will cost **£85,000**, and the Academy is now fundraising for the remaining **£25,000**

If you would like to get involved, please contact Mrs Gobell (Business Director) at the Academy on 01202 528554 or email caroline.gobell@thebourneacademy.com

GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

The Bourne Academy now extends a warm welcome to international students studying English overseas. Foreign students come to us either as individuals or as part of a chaperoned small group on a School Integration Programme for a short period of one to five weeks. Students mix completely into Academy life and attend all lessons and activities and are assigned a Bourne Buddy for their time here. Levels of English must be high in order to qualify for a place and behaviour is expected to be exemplary.

Over the past month, Bourne students have buddied up with their Chinese counterparts and this week bid farewell to their guests with a farewell Cream Tea Party. (A huge thank you to Tesco in Kinson for providing the scones, jam and cream.) The twenty three students received certificates and a gift bag from the Principal, Mr Avoth, before enjoying a cream tea along with their buddies.



Hosting international students was amazing, I really hope to do it again soon.— Katie (Paak Ching)



We are very lucky at how much freedom we have in England.. - Jade (Yik Yi)



The Academy gives the students a lot of freedom. - Tsz Yan (Megan)



The lessons here are more active and interesting than my own school. - Chun Ho (Toby)



My school is very strict but the Academy is more free and happy! - Mei Tsz (Ellie)

A BIG BOURNE THANKYOU to Tesco in Kinson for supplying the food for our Cream Tea Party. Students and staff enjoyed scones with jam and cream and a cup of tea during their farewell party.

I didn't feel stressed, this school is very wonderful! - Ka Man (Adam)



TERM DATES, INSET DAYS AND HOLIDAYS FOR 2015—16

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

2015	FROM:	TO:
Summer Term	Monday 20 April 2015	Friday 17 July 2015 <i>(Students dismissed at 13.30)</i>
Half Term	Monday 25 May 2015	Friday 29 May 2015
INSET DAY	Friday 19 June 2015	
2015 Summer Holiday	Monday 20 July 2015	Wednesday 2 September 2015
Autumn Term	Thursday 3 September 2015	Friday 18 December 2015 <i>(Students dismissed at 13.30)</i>
Half Term	Monday 26 October 2015	Friday 30 October 2015
INSET DAY	Friday 27 November 2015	
Christmas Holiday	Monday 21 December 2015	Friday 1 January 2016
2016	FROM:	TO:
Spring Term	Tuesday 5 January 2016	Thursday 24 March 2016 <i>(Students dismissed at 13.30)</i>
INSET DAY	Monday 4 January 2016	
INSET DAY	Tuesday 2 February 2016	
Half Term	Monday 15 February 2016	Friday 19 February 2016
2016 Easter Holiday	Friday 25 March 2016	Friday 8 April 2016
INSET DAY	Thursday 17 March 2016	
Summer Term	Monday 11 April 2016	Friday 15 July 2016 <i>(Students dismissed at 13.30)</i>
Half Term	Monday 30 May 2016	Friday 3 June 2016
INSET DAY	Friday 1 July 2016	
2016 Summer Holiday	Monday 18 July 2016	<i>Date to be confirmed</i>

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Parent / Teacher Consultations:

- Year 7 Wednesday 24 June 2015
- Year 7 (settling in) Wednesday 7 October 2015
- Year 7 Wednesday 22 June 2016
- Year 8 Wednesday 9 March 2016
- Year 9 Wednesday 10 February 2016
- Year 10 (settling in) Wednesday 11 November 2015
- Year 10 Wednesday 11 May 2016
- Year 11 Wednesday 27 January 2016

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

OPEN DAYS:

Academy—16th September 2015

6th Form—14th October 2015

Please could we remind all parent/carers:

- Not to park in the disabled bays in the Academy car park, as it causes problems for those people who need to use them.
- To ensure the continued safety of our students, do not park on the pavements or verges in the car park.
- The car park is Academy property, and therefore a non-smoking area.
- To notify the Academy of any contact changes ie mobile, email, medical, parental responsibility.



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