

# Yateley School Parents' Bulletin

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Dear Parents

**Learning together – Empowered for life.**



It is with a certain amount of sadness that we finally bid a fond farewell to our Year 11 students today. Nine out of ten of them have finished their GCSEs – the last ones are early next week. After the Physics exam on Friday morning the students gathered for the obligatory shirt signing ritual and then made their way to the main hall for the final assembly. The list of people to thank here is too long; suffice it to say that it was an excellent occasion - full of nostalgia and good humour. The students then collected hoodies and year books, leaving the site at lunchtime.

As a footnote. Having said final farewell etc, I should point out that we're looking forward to welcoming the majority of students back into our Sixth Form! For those waverers, I should point out that Hampshire's only outstanding school sixth form will almost certainly have a course that's right for you...

A BIG well done to all Year 10 Drama students!

A thank you first to Miss Tottman and Mrs Dixon, who write - Year 10 GCSE Drama students produced some outstanding devised performance work this week in their GCSE Drama exam. They showed this work to parents on Monday night in a dress rehearsal and then during the day yesterday in the Drama exam. Students have been creating these devised pieces for the last 3 months, based on an initial stimulus they were given. As a department we have been incredibly impressed by the focus and commitment of these students, evidenced by the high quality work produced in yesterday's exam. A large round of applause from the drama department!

Mrs Uttley had the pleasure of taking a group of talented Year 7 students to entertain residents at The Lakes in Yateley. With super singing and time spent talking to the residents and good and worthwhile time was enjoyed by all. They organised the song lists themselves and were outstanding. The students involved were Katy Gardner, Jacob Sealey, Tilly Westland-Rose, Josie Snelling, Helena Sullivan, Jasmine Smith and Jonathan Gan (year 12).



On Thursday we were delighted to take a team of students to Farnborough 6th Form to participate in The Rushmoor and Hart Challenge event. Our students were a real credit to Yateley School, working hard throughout the day, creating a brochure and presentation to advertise the local area. The Yateley team choose families as their target market and did a brilliant job to sell the local area to the judges and the other 50 students in the auditorium. Our team really stood out from the rest as they were the only ones who created a radio jingle, and the judges commented on their creativity.

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Well done to all the students that took part and a special mention must go to Poppy Bourne who was voted by the whole team as the best team player of the day; she showed great leadership and organisational skills.

## STUDENT STAR OF THE WEEK



Katy Gardner 7PS, has taken a very active part in the life of the school since she arrived. As an active member of Pankhurst House, she was part of a group who helped Mrs Balls run a Parity afternoon tea (a charitable event) and represented the school at the May Fayre by singing in the newly opened Youth Suite. Katy has a keen interest in music; is organising a music assembly and is planning events for the 50<sup>th</sup> birthday celebrations.

Yours sincerely  
P German

## YATELEY SCHOOL – ROCK CHALLENGE

A plea to parents

Yateley School has been competing in the Rock Challenge Dance Competition for over 12 years. In that time we have successfully competed at Open, Premier and National level. Rock Challenge for some students is a chance to shine, a chance to make or build friendships or acquire a new skill. Each year we have auditioned dancers and had students volunteer as members of a stage crew to help manoeuvre the set and props around the stage.

However, this type of event does take a lot of time, dedication and effort to put on. It always amazes me how long it takes to create an 8 minute piece! I am now looking for a dedicated group of volunteers who can support the school and students by giving some time and help in order for us to compete in Rock Challenge in the future. Sadly, without support, these opportunities will start to disappear.

So we are looking for volunteers to help support Rock Challenge... are you able to paint? Can you design/draw? are you good at fundraising, would you be willing to help load set onto a lorry? Can you sew and make costumes? The Dance Department have been fortunate to have had some help from parents in the past, but now I feel a production team is needed!

If you think you could offer your help (I know we are all busy, but many hands make light work!), it would be lovely to hear from you. Please can you email me at [dance@yateley.hants.sch.uk](mailto:dance@yateley.hants.sch.uk)

Rock Challenge is a Dance and Drama Competition where students are challenged to be their best in Performing Arts.

*Mrs H Wearing, Head of Dance*



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## TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE at the Jubilee QUIZ NIGHT – Saturday 7 July

Where – Yateley School Main Hall

Doors open – 7.00 pm

Quiz starts at 7.30 pm and will finish approximately 10.30 pm

Cost £60 per team including supper. Maximum number in team is 6.

Supper choice: fish, sausage or chicken and chips. Vegetarian option also available.

- Experienced quizmaster
- Bring your own drink (and glasses) and nibbles
- Raffle

Join us for an evening of fun!

Decide your team's name and buy your tickets <http://www.yateleyschool.net/jubilee/>

## SPORTS RESULTS:

### Celebrating success at Hampshire County Athletics

On Saturday 9th June, Yateley students represented Aldershot & District at the Hampshire Senior County Track & Field Championships which were held at Down Grange sport complex in Basingstoke. We were fortunate enough, after a successful Senior Districts, to have a large number of our students selected to be part of the District team. Well done to all of the students who received an invitation, this is a huge achievement within its self. However on the day, Yateley School had some impressive highlights. Henry Fraser 10NN reached the finals of the 200m and came 6th, Ellie Darlington 10DS reached the finals for the 800m also finishing 6th. Adam Dart in year 12 gained 2nd Place in the 3000m. The celebrations of the day go to our 2 County Champions, Ben King 10WN for High Jump and Sam Keys 10WS for Pole Vault. As a District, Aldershot won the Junior & Intermediate Boys & the Intermediate Girls team trophies; we were only 2 points behind Eastleigh & Winchester in the Junior Girls, placing us second. A successful day all round.

## CRICKET:

Year 9 lost v Eggars by 79 runs. Eggars - 119 -1, Yateley - 40 all out.

## YEAR 12 GRAPHICS - Talk from an Ergonomist Designer- Helen Forsey

Our year 12 Graphics students had a great experience today learning about 'User Centred Design'. Helen Forsey, an Ergonomist, came in to talk to the students and support them with their client led projects. Helen completed a degree in Ergonomics at Loughborough University and then a Masters in Human Computer Interaction. She is currently working for DSTL (Defence Science and Technology Laboratory) in Farnborough. Helen has been involved in a number of projects including defence equipment, vehicle design, control rooms and human computer interfaces. The students really benefited from her wealth of knowledge and experience and will use this in the A level projects. They were able to gain an insight into careers in this less known sector of the design industry. Thanks for all of your support Helen.



Human Factors...  
so what is it all about?

Helen L Forsey  
Forsey Human Factors Ltd



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## Mathematics Tutor Times Tables

Congratulations go to the following students all won the Tutor Times Table Challenge Summer 1<sup>st</sup> half term.

Year  
**7**

7NN Charley MacFarlane and Allegra Ormrod  
7NS Thomas Hurst and Kiera Smith  
7PN Sam Harrington and Lilly McNeill  
7PS Jacob Sealey and Helena Sullivan  
7WN Imogen Spicer and Harry Hunt

Year  
**8**

8DN Samuel Burnett and Chloe Wheeler  
8DS Jake Sorrell and Charlotte Payne  
8NN George Bartlett  
8NS Esme Brennand and Kirsten Matthews  
8PN Archie Roseland-West and Isabel Logan  
8WN William Moores and Abigail Thatcher  
8WS Ella Baxter and Benjamin Miller

Year  
**9**

9DE Lana Edwards and Archie Simmons  
9DN Joshua Williams and Amisa Tamang  
9DS Finley Morris  
9NN Ella Read and Lauren Jones  
9NS Luke Cherry and Natasha Byde  
9PS Alexander Bufton and Sophie Salter  
9WS Phoebe Shea and Prajwal Vadicharla

Year  
**10**

10DN Luke Smith and Amber Coventry  
10DS Jack Roriston and Sarah Harvey  
10NS JK Jordan and Shania Kanjaria  
10PN Matthew Spencer and Amelia Oxlade  
10WN Dale Flemming and Amy Chau  
10WE James Saunders and Darsha Montanari

Year  
**11**

11NN Liam Fraher and Georgia Cantlan  
11PE Holly Austin and Daniel Owen  
11PN Nathan Saywood  
11PS Erik Gorn-Old and Jessica Davies

## REMINDER – POLAND 2018

The meeting for Parents and Students will be on 27<sup>th</sup> June at 5:30pm – 6:00pm in the DRAMA STUDIO.

This will be an opportunity to see the final itinerary and discuss the travel plans and rooming arrangements before the trip.

Students are encouraged to attend.

***Mr Bristow, Head of Religious Studies – Trip Leader***



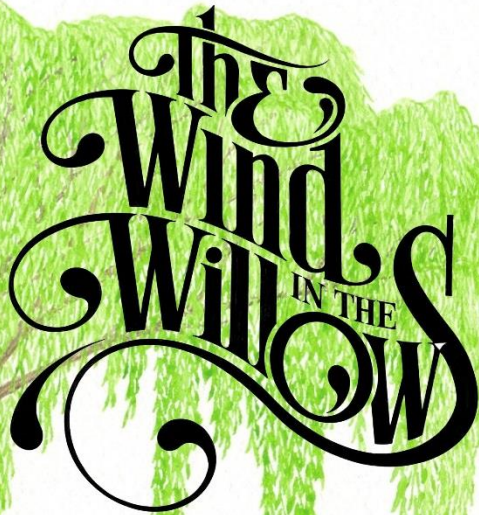
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Yateley School  
Lower School Production



## The Wind in the Willows

Adapted by T. James Belich

Based on the novel by Kenneth Grahame

Tickets now on  
sale at reception  
£5 each

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£5 each



Performances: 10th and 11th July  
7-9pm in the Main Hall

### Lower School Production of "The Wind in the Willows"

The fantastic performance from the Lower School of The Wind in the Willows is going to be shown on Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th July 2018 at 7pm in the Main Hall and tickets are priced at £5 per person.

Many of the cast are hot on the heels from the Main School Production so you can be sure the show will be a great night out as we have such talent here at Yateley School.

Tickets will be sold on a **first come, first served** basis and if you would like to secure some then please can you complete the reply slip at the end of the bulletin and return it to Reception for the attention of Mrs Ellis, Front of House. The tickets will be sent out via your child's register.

*Mrs K Ellis, Front of House*

### SPORTS DAY FIELD – FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> JUNE – PARENT INVITATION

All parents are welcome to attend this year's Sports Day on A block field. Please could we ask that you sit in the designated area provided. Please make sure that your child is appropriately dressed, whatever the weather, with sunscreen if necessary. An approximate running order for the afternoon's events is attached. Please note that this may be subject to slight change.

### Sports Day Afternoon: Times of Events

1.00– 1.20

- Year 7 Boys 600m
- Year 7 Girls 600m
- Year 8 Boys 800m
- Year 8 Girls 800m

1.20- 1.40

- Year 8 Boys 300m
- Year 9 Boys 300m
- Year 9 Girls 300m
- Senior Girls 300m
- Senior Boys 400m

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## 1.40-2.00

➤ Year 7 Girls	80m
➤ Year 7 Boys	80m
➤ Year 8 Girls	100m
➤ Year 8 Boys	100m
➤ Year 9 Girls	100m
➤ Year 9 Boys	100m
➤ Senior Girls	100m
➤ Senior Boys	100m

## 2.00- 2.20

➤ Year 7 Girls	150m
➤ Year 7 Boys	150m
➤ Year 7 Boys	200m
➤ Year 8 Girls	200m
➤ Year 8 Boys	200m
➤ Year 9 Girls	200m
➤ Year 9 Boys	200m
➤ Senior Girls	200m
➤ Senior Boys	200m

## 2.20-2.50

➤ 4x100m Relays	Year 7 Girls
	Year 7 Boys
	Year 8 Girls
	Year 8 Boys
	Year 9 Girls
	Year 9 Boys
	Senior Girls
	Senior Boys

## 2.50-3.05

Presentation

**PLEASE NOTE: THESE TIMES ARE ONLY APPROXIMATE AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

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## YEAR 8 ART

### Art display in the library

Yateley School students in year 8 made Tribal masks on the theme of Tribal art. They used paper mache and an assortment of resources to create wonderful masks. Some masks are on display in Yateley library and well worth making a visit to see them.

*Mrs Roaf, Yateley School Library Assistant*



### Reply Slip - The Wind in the Willows

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Form \_\_\_\_\_

	Tuesday 10th July 2018	Wednesday 11th July 2018
No. of tickets required @ £5		

Please return to Mrs K Ellis via Reception



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House Points, Behaviour & Conduct: Weekly Update 06.09.17 to 08.06.18



Please note that all Year 11 students were given 100 House Points at the start of Sep 2017 due to the new Prom Points initiative for Year 11 this year, and therefore why they have more than any other year group.

## Tutor Groups With The Highest Conduct Points (House Points – Behaviour)

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
7NN	8DS	9NN	10PN	11WS

Whole School Attendance: 06.09.17 to 08.06.18 = 94.88%

## Tutor Groups With The Highest Attendance: 06.09.17 to 08.06.18

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
7DN	8PN	9NN	10WN	11PE



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SATURDAY  
30TH  
JUNE 2018  
FROM 1PM

# FAMILY FUN DAY

AT  
THE CRICKETERS  
CRICKET HILL LANE, YATELEY

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:-  
FACE PAINTING \* BOUNCY CASTLE  
GARDEN GAMES \* RAFFLE  
GLITTER TATTOOS . . . AND MORE!



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