



THE BUGLE

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SAS Quiz Night



There are still a few tables available for Quiz Night next Friday (1st February). Teams of up to 6 can book at a cost of £10pp, which includes supper cooked by Brendan. There will be a cash bar available throughout the evening.

Please let the office know your team and have your money(!) as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Who will win the trophy this year...?

Registration Reminder

Please could we remind all parents that registration for Prep pupils (Year 3 - 8) is at 8.10am and for Pre-Prep pupils at 8.45am. Any pupils who are not in the classroom at this time will be marked late in the register and will need to sign in with the school office upon arrival. Many thanks for your cooperation with this.

The Week Ahead

January

Monday 28th

Tuesday 29th

Arts Express - Victorians, Year 3 - 8

Wednesday 30th

Netball: U11/10 v Lancing (H)

U9 v Hurst (A)

Rugby: 1st XII & Colts XII v Lancing Prep (A)

U9 & U8 Tag v Lancing Prep (H)

Thursday 31st

Friday 1st

8pm SAS Quiz Night

News from the Drama Department

Help with makeup needed

Miss Spink would be very pleased to hear from any parents who would be willing to help with make up for Wind in the Willows. There will be a practice session for those who can make it on Friday 1st February at 3pm in the big dining room - no experience necessary!

Arts Express - Victorians

The Prep Arts Express Day for Years 3 - -8 this term is this coming Tuesday. There will be an informal demonstration of circus skills learned during the day at 4.30pm in the sports hall and parents are welcome to attend.

St Aubyns Factor Final 2013!

After impressive first round auditions and much debate, Miss Spink and Mrs Bunker are delighted to announce the finalists of the St Aubyns Factor 2013. They are (in no particular order):

1. **Year 6 girls** - 'Don't Stop Me Now' song
Pippa, Lalita, India & Rosie
2. **Boden** - piano solo
3. **Milo** - guitar solo
4. **Year 3 boys** - Break dancing
Sam and Stanley
5. **Grace Brett** - singing 'Someone Like You'
6. **Year 4 boys** - "The Hairy Bikers" sketch
Dan, Leo, Henry, Aiden, Freddie
7. **Daniel Hobden** - trumpet
8. **Amaury Salomon** - guitar solo
9. **Year 5 girls** - 'Domino'
Kami, Iona, Ana, Scarlet, Beau
10. **Olivia and Elizabeth** - Miranda sketch
11. **Oliver Hutchinson** - piano solo
12. **Luca Trosino** - guitar composition
13. **Year 6 boys** - Gangnam style
Josh, Frankie, Tom, Theo, Matthew

Tickets are now available from the school office. They are likely to go quickly so if you have a child in the Final, please do order them as soon as possible!

St Aubyns Public Speaking Competition

On Thursday evening we hosted the fourth Public Speaking Competition for local independent schools which I inaugurated in 2010. Six schools were due to attend (St Aubyns - winners in 2012, Brighton College Prep School, Lancing Prep, Hurst Prep, Roedean, and Brighton and Hove High). Hurst Prep had to withdraw because of illness. We were very pleased to welcome as adjudicators Mr Julian Freeman, Head of Drama at Charterhouse School, and Father Martin Morgan.

A choice of titles had been sent to schools last term and a good range for topics was covered during the evening: the relevance of the Church of England in the 21st Century, the precious commodity of water, the legacy of the 2012 Olympics and the excessive extravagance of Christmas. A very high quality of public speaking was in evidence and all of the children were congratulated on their efforts and achievements.

Our team of Claudia Bishop, Freddie Sywak and Will Jeffrey had worked hard with Mr Rowland this term in preparation. They had compiled an impressive array of statistics about the cost of Christmas, the amount of debt incurred and the reality of the times of economic austerity in which we live.

The final result was:

3rd Brighton and Hove High School
2nd St Aubyns
1st Brighton College Prep School

I hope that the competition will see the trophy return to St Aubyns next year!
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Pre-Prep Superstars

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded Superstar Certificates:

Nursery: Jeanne Delalonde for being so kind to her friends and Malena Fogg for a super start to Nursery life;

Reception: Ayaka Critchley for fantastic 'time' work;

Year 1: Archie White for hard work all week in all subjects, Laurence Cole for always working hard and listening well in R.E., Shouq Aywad for great effort in his number work and James Withey for his lovely painting of a view from the window;

Year 2: Anna Ramsden, Coco Healey and Freddie Standing for continued excellent work in English and Lucas Ford Clarke for his effort in reading.

Good behaviour stickers were given to Alex Hitchings, Farrah Phillips, Henry Laurillard, Ella Cleveley, Savely Kuzmin, Aishani Saha, Toby Brown, Freddie Standing and Edward Robinson.

Very well done to all of you!

Fun in the snow!

Netball

Date: **Wednesday 23rd January** Team: **U10/11**

Opponents: **Shoreham College** Venue: **Away**



Result: Lost 3-12

On Wednesday the girls went to Shoreham College. Ready, Steady, Go! St Aubyns had first centre pass; Scarlet and India were ready to catch the ball but the opposition kept intercepting! Oh, la, la!! Pippa was a very good defender, very good play! Lulu scored two goals and Lalita one goal, brilliant! I was impressed to see Pippa intercepting the ball so fast and also jumping to get it. Anna and Beau tried their best at stopping the opposition from getting the ball and from scoring. Très bien!! Kamalika and Zara tried very hard and their passing was more accurate. Remember to try to find a space available to that your team members can pass you the ball! Even though we lost it was a good game to watch, well done girls! Girl of the Match: India Terras

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