



Bancroft's School

e-Bulletin



Monday 17 September 2018

News and Notices

Please note that one of our neighbours has informed us that there are currently temporary traffic lights either side of the Pines in Whitehall Road due to gas works. Bollards have been put in place which means that there will be no parking available in Whitehall Road prior to 4pm. This situation is likely to continue all this week and possibly into next week. Please take this into consideration when bringing your children to school and collecting them at the end of the school day. It may be necessary for you to park a short distance away, for example in Whitehall Lane, and for your child then to walk to school. May we remind you that parents should not drive along the front drive before and after school? As always, please be considerate to our neighbours and to other road users when parking. Thank you for your co-operation.

Calendar and Forthcoming Events

- OB Dr David Nasralla is visiting Bancroft's on Friday 21 September to talk on his ground breaking work on liver transplantation. He will speak at 4.00pm in the Great Hall His team's study was recently published in prestigious journal [Nature](#) and covered by the [BBC](#). David left the school in 1999 to study medicine at Oxford University. He has just completed his PhD and is working as a hepatobiliary and transplant surgeon. All aspiring medics in the Sixth Form should attend, but of course those interested in related fields, or even those who are not, might find this opportunity enlightening.
- Music Scholars and Award Holders from the 3rds to the U6th are performing in a Concert on Monday 8 October. Refreshments will be served at 6pm; the concert starts at 6.30pm in the Great Hall.
- The PA's popular Quiz Night, the first event of the new academic year, takes place on Saturday 13 October, at 7pm in the Great Hall. Individual tickets (£12 which includes supper) or full team tables can be purchased. Last year's was a sell-out event, so we advise getting tickets early. For tickets and a booking form, please email Razwanahafiz@gmail.com
- **Bancroft's Business Breakfast Thursday 15 November**
Bancroft's School, The OBA and the Bancroft's Foundation are delighted to announce a Business Breakfast Event for Old Bancroftians and their guests at Allen & Overy, One Bishops Square, London E1 6AD. The event is on Thursday 15 November and features a Q&A session with panel guests Old Bancroftian Ian Jameson General Counsel and Chief Legal Officer, EMEA at Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation; and Old Bancroftian William Bennett Barrister at 5RB.

It will also be an excellent opportunity to meet and network with other professional Old Bancroftians and parents of current pupils.

The Breakfast is kindly hosted by Bancroft's parents who work at Allen & Overy; Joanna Hughes, litigation lawyer and alumni manager and Amanda Thomas, International Capital Markets Partner.

Tickets are £15 each for parents/guardians and guests, and all proceeds after costs will be donated to the Bancroft's Foundation, which supports additional means-tested awards at the School to enable talented children to attend Bancroft's regardless of their financial situation. If you wish to book tickets please contact Mrs Susan Day via email foundation@bancrofts.org.

Monday 17 September

12.30-1.30pm
5.00pm
5.00pm
7.00-9.00pm

Week 1

DofE: Gold recruitment talk to L6th
DofE: Deadline for Silver DofE recruitment for 5th Form
DofE: Deadline for Silver DofE completion for L6th
11+ Open Evening

Tuesday 18 September

HPV immunisations (Removes)
Morrisby interviews (5th Form)

Thursday 20 September

12.30-1.10pm

Morrisby interviews (5th Form)
Classical Society: "Rome Under Julius Caesar and Augustus: *The Aeneid* in Context" tqlk by Etienne Caswell, OB(Room G01)

Friday 21 September

6.00am

5th Form historians' Battlefields Trip departs
Please note the departure time for this trip is 6.00am as in Dr Hunn's correspondence

4.00pm

Talk by Dr David Nasralla, OB, on developments in liver transplantation (Great Hall)
Addition to the Calendar

Saturday 22 September

12.30-3.00pm

London Open House (last entry 2.30pm)
Saturday Morning Challenge

Sunday 23 September

5th Form historians' Battlefields Trip returns

Monday 24 September

5.00pm

Week 2

DofE: Deadline for Gold DofE recruitment for L6th

Tuesday 25 September

12.30pm

Heads of Sport Meeting

Wednesday 26 September

11.00am-6.30pm
7.00pm

U6th A Level trip to *King Lear*, Duke of York's Theatre
Thirds Parents' Welcome Evening

Thursday 27 September

7.14am
12.20-1.10pm

Morrisby Interviews (5th Form)
RAF Flying (RAF Wittering)
Classical Society "My Thoughts on Roman Goddesses" (Room G01)

Friday 28 September

Morrisby Interviews (5th Form)

4.00-5.30pm	Thirds' residential trip to Hindleap Warren, Sussex DofE: Silver recruitment for 5 th Form
Saturday 29 September	Saturday Morning Challenge Thirds' residential trip to Hindleap Warren, Sussex

Sports Fixtures and Events

Rugby

Wednesday 19 September

2.30pm	1 st XV v KEGS (H)
2.30pm	2 nd XV v Joyce Frankland Academy (A, CB11 3TR)

Thursday 20 September

4.30pm	District 10s U15 at Davenant School (A, IG10 2LD)
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Saturday 22 September

10.00am	2 nd XV v St Ignatius (A, EN1 4NP)
10.00am	U14 and U13 A?B v St Ignatius (H)

Thursday 27 September

4.30pm	District 10s U14A at Davenant School (A, IG10 2LD)
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Saturday 29 September

10.00am	1 st XV, 2 nd Xv v St Dunstan's (H)
10.00am	U15, U14, U13 A/B v St Dunstan's (A, SE6 4TY)

Hockey

Wednesday 19 September

9.00am	U18 girls' Essex Championships (Redbridge Sports Centre) <i>Addition to the Calendar</i>
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Thursday 20 September

2.15pm	U15B v Brentwood (Old Loughts)
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Friday 21 September

9.00am	U14 girls' Essex Championships (Old Loughts) <i>Please note change of date & venue</i>
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Saturday 22 September

9.00am	U12A & B v Chigwell (A, IG7 6QF)
10.00am	U13A & B v Chigwell (A, IG7 6QF)

Tuesday 25 September

2.00pm	U14 v Joyce Frankland Academy (CB11 3TR)
2.15pm	U14B v Brentwood (Old Loughts)

Saturday 29 September

9.00am	U14 v New Hall (A, CM3 3HS)
10.00am	U15 v New Hall (A, CM3 3HS)

Netball

Monday 17 September

2.15pm

U13 v South Hampstead High School, Independent Schools' Netball Cup (A NW3 5SS)

Football

Wednesday 26 September

Please note the fixture v Brentwood shown in the Calendar has been rescheduled for the 7 November

Sports Results and News

Congratulations to our Strength and conditioning coach Arram Eghoyan who recently broke the British record for the log press for the U80kg category with a lift of 127.5kg. He has been asked to attempt the world Record which stands at 137kg.

Rugby

On Saturday 15 September, we had a block fixture against Colfe's. The 1st XV, U15, U14 A and B teams, and U13Bs all lost in some very good rugby matches which saw a positive development from our last fixtures. Both a young 2nd XV and the under 13As won their fixtures.

The team of the weekend was the U15 team; although they lost two late tries, resulting in a defeat by 10 points, they showed the true values of team work, respect, discipline and sportsmanship.

Hockey

Many congratulations to our U16 girls for a fantastic performance in last week's Essex Hockey Championship. They won all six of their games; scoring 17 goals and conceding just one. They now go onto the Eastern Finals.

On Wednesday 12 September the 1st and 2nd XI played Chigwell. The 1st team won 4-0 and the Bs lost 1-4. Well done to all those girls who represented the school this weekend. The 1st XI played in the Chigwell tournament on Saturday. They drew 1-1 with Chigwell and then proceeded to beat Forest and Brentwood 3-0 and 1-0. The U13s played Haileybury with the As narrowly losing 2-3 but the Bs winning 2-0. The U12s made their debuts for Bancroft's and both teams performed superbly. The As lost but the B team secured a 1-0 win.



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