



Bancroft's School

e-Bulletin



Monday 13 May 2019

News

- Congratulations to the following pupils on their recent music examination results: Shreya Valera (5W) – Grade 8 Flute (Merit); Constance Ding (U4E) – Grade 8 Piano (Distinction); Mya Patel (5W) – Grade 8 Piano (Distinction).
- The Junior Schools Challenge quiz team (captain Elliot Watson RS, Anika Vijay RS, Joy Amouzou-Akue 3E and Abisola Daodu 3N) took part in the competition's regional finals at King's Rochester Prep School on Thursday 9 May, and combined an impressively wide range of general knowledge with speed on the buzzer. They missed out on reaching the final by the narrowest of margins and came third overall, having beaten the hosts, Hilden Grange and also Bromley High.

Calendar and Forthcoming Events

- Please note that the L4 internal exams will now start on Monday 20 May not on Friday 17 May as previously announced. L4 exams end on Friday 24 May.
- The Old Bancroftian Golf Society is holding the first of this season's 9-hole events at Woodford Golf Club on Thursday 16 May starting at 5pm. They will be playing 9 holes followed by sandwiches. The event is open to all OB golfers as well as Bancroft's staff, pupils and parents. Entry is free to pupils and £21 for everyone else and can be paid on the evening. Please contact Adam Kodish: golf@bancroftians.net
- At the time of writing, there were only a couple of tables left for the Parent's Association Summer Ball on Saturday 1 June; if you are interested in attending the "Hollywood Glitz Ball" please get in touch with Papia on: papia_c@hotmail.com or call 07886 425409 as soon as possible. Last year was a sell-out and we anticipate these tickets will also go very quickly. In addition, the PA is still in need of donations of prizes for an auction, which the PA hopes will raise a record-breaking amount. They need your generosity to help by donating either a product or a service which can then be auctioned at the Ball. Prizes they would welcome include: tickets, experiences, high value goods, signed memorabilia, jewellery, meals, holidays, VIP opportunities, etc. If you are able to donate an auction prize, then please contact Violet El Khamlichi, as soon as possible, on violetkhamlichi@aol.com or 07766 880099.

BANCROFT'S SCHOOL PARENTS' ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

HOLLYWOOD

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GLITZ

SUMMER BALL

SAT JUNE 1ST

6.30PM QUAD RECEPTION DRINKS £75PP

7.30PM DINNER IN THE GREAT HALL

12AM CARRIAGES

DRESS TO IMPRESS

Licensed bar, cocktails

Reception Drinks & Canapes
3 course dinner

Live Band – Fully Funktional
Prizes to be won
Casino

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Monday 13 May

3.50pm
4.00-5.30pm

Week 2

Thirds and Removes internal exams start
U6 study leave begins
DofE: L6 Gold training starts

Tuesday 14 May**Wednesday 15 May**

U4 internal exams start

Thursday 16 May

8.55-9.35am

Prep School Charity Day
DofE: Bronze recruitment talk to L4

Friday 17 May

12.30pm

3rds and Removes internal exams end

Monday 20 May**Week 1**

L4 internal exams start
Please note change in date

Thursday 23 May

6.30pm

Junior Soloists Concert

Friday 24 May

8.00am

L4 and U4 internal exams end
DofE: Bronze recruitment deadline for L4
Thirds/Removes geography trip to North Wales
(returns 28 May)

12.30pm

Half term begins
Please note there is no school lunch today

Sports Results and News

Cricket

Due to the inclement weather, the U14s' match against Brentwood was the only game to be played on Saturday. Unfortunately, Bancroft's were defeated with Brentwood scoring 135 runs for 5 and Bancroft's being all out for 92.

Tennis

The wet and cold weather could not stop the tennis teams from getting out onto the courts and the U12, U14 and U15 girls' teams all secured 8-4 wins against Brentwood. The U12/13 girls had a much closer 5-4 win against Highgate; unfortunately Highgate boys' team proved a little too strong for ours. The U15 girls narrowly lost to Haileybury and our U18 boys' National Schools team lost in their semi-final with Sandringham after some spirited competition; Anthony Wright and David Nana were particularly impressive in their doubles match. National Schools success came in the form of the U15 boys who defeated Davenant and will take on Roding Valley next.

Date	Fixture	Result
Tuesday, 7 th May	2pm U14 Girls Tennis v Brentwood (WG) 4.15pm U12/13 Girls and Boys Tennis v Highgate	Won 8-4 Girls won 5-4 Boys lost 11-1
Wednesday, 8 th May	2.30pm Senior Girls and Boys Tennis v Forest (A) 4.15pm (WG) NATIONAL SCHOOLS TENNIS: U15 Boys v Davenant	Postponed due to weather Won 6-0
Thursday, 9 th May	2pm U15A Girls v Haileybury (A) 2.30pm U15B Girls Tennis v Brentwood (A) 2pm U18 Boys NATIONAL SCHOOLS TENNIS: semi-final v Sandringham	Lost 8-5 Won 8-4 Lost 6-0
Friday 10 th May	2.30pm U12 Girls Tennis v Brentwood (A)	Won 8-4

Athletics

Despite a change to the schedule our girls enjoyed a morning of inter years athletics at West Grove. Before the rain stopped play a number of girls, all the way from 3rds to U4, attended and took part in an array of events. A wonderful atmosphere with the older and younger pupils competing and working together to create a very successful event. Well done to all the pupils who turned up, helped out and competed despite another rather cold and wet spring morning.

Sports Fixtures and Events

Netball

Kirsty Herbert, the new England Netball Development Officer for Essex Met, is running an exciting 1 day Netball camp (for 11-14 years) on Wednesday 29 May. The camp takes place at Woodbridge School, Woodford Green, IG8 7DQ from 10am till 3pm. There will be lots of fun, skills and match play. For further information, please contact: kirsty.herbert@englandnetball.co.uk

Cricket

Monday 13 May

2.00pm Removes' interhouse (week 1)

Wednesday 15 May

2.30pm 1st XI v Bishop's Stortford High School (A, CM23 3LU)
2.30pm 2nd XI v Bishop's Stortford High School (H)

Friday 17 May

2.00pm Thirds' interhouse (week 2)

Saturday 18 May

9.30am U13A & U13B v University College School (UCS) (A, NW2 2BH)
9.30am U14A & U14B v UCS (West Grove)
10.00am 1st XI v UCS (H)
10.00am 2nd XI v UCS (A, NW2 2BH)

1.00pm U12A & U12B v UCS (West Grove)
1.00pm U15A v UCS (A, NW2 2BH)

Monday 20 May
2.00pm Removes' interhouse (week 2)

Tuesday 21 May
2.00pm L4 interhouse (week 2)

Thursday 23 May
2.00pm U4 interhouse (week 2)

Tennis

Monday 13 May
2.00pm Girls' U13 v Brentwood, 6 pairs (A, CM15 8EE)

Wednesday 15 May
2.00pm L6 inter-house mixed doubles

Thursday 16 May
4.00pm Boys' U12/U13 WESSA Tennis Tournament (Theydon Bois LTC, CM16 7DT)
Addition to the calendar

Friday 17 May
4.30pm Girls' U12 v Forest (West Grove)

Saturday 18 May
9.30am U12 & U13 Haileybury doubles tournament (A, SG13 7NU)
9.30am Girls' U14 & U15, Boys' U12, U13, U14 & U15 v New Hall (A, CM3 3HS)

Tuesday 21 May
4.15pm Boy' & girls' U12/U13 v West Hatch (West Grove)

Wednesday 22 May
4.30pm U12 & U13 v Chigwell (West Grove)

Thursday 23 May
4.15pm Girls' & boys' U15 v Highgate (West Grove)

Athletics

Tuesday 21 May
10.00am-3.30pm U12-U15 boys and girls English Schools Track and Field Cup



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