

# The Windsor Boys' School

## Newsletter No 4

29<sup>th</sup> September 2017



### Headteacher's News

Next week we host our Open Evening on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 19.00 for potential new year 9 students.

To read more please click [here](#)

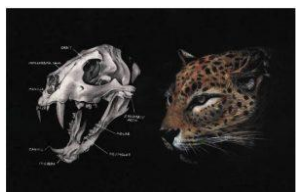
### News Stories



#### Oxbridge Evening – 3rd October

We are hosting an evening for parents and students in Years 10-12 who are interested in finding out about the Oxbridge system and application process.

To read more please click [here](#)



#### Biological Drawing Club – 4th October

A Biological Drawing club is starting up on Wednesday 4th October, after school in Lab A130.

To read more please click [here](#)



#### Costa Rica with Camps International

Following the success of this summer's expedition it is very exciting to be offering our Year 10, 11 and 12 students the opportunity to travel to Costa Rica and Nicaragua with Camps International during the summer of 2019!

To read more please click [here](#)



#### Mr Hall on tour...

You may recall that Mr Hall was the recipient of two very prestigious awards last year for his work in the field of 3D print technology in education.

To read more please click [here](#)



#### Friends Quiz Night – 13th October

The Friends of TWBS will be holding a quiz night on Friday 13th October at 19.00.

To read more please click [here](#)



## Sponsor a Table – Dinner Dance

Tickets are selling fast for The Friends of TWBS Uno Animo Winter Wonderland Dinner Dance on 2nd December.

The Friends are offering local business people the chance to be associated with the event, with this invitation to sponsor a table. To read more please click [here](#)

## I teach because....

‘To inspire the next generation.’

Miss K Connell

## Notices

### Open Evening – Early School Closure

As you will be aware our Open Evening for prospective parents and pupils is taking place on Wednesday 4th October 2017.

In order to prepare for this event the school will be closing early at 1.25 pm. I would like to draw to your attention that food will be served at short break only. Therefore, if your son has free school meals he should get his meal at short break.

### Absences – Signing out of school

Please remember that absences must be called into the absence line and followed up with a letter. Also any appointments or any other reason to leave school during the day must also have a letter handed in to Pupil Services.

### Friends AGM and committee meeting Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October in the Fairhurst Room at 19.00

Everyone is invited to our AGM in October. It's a chance to meet the current committee, learn about our plans for next year and hear from our headteacher Mr Henderson. The Friends of Windsor Boys' is an active group of parents who last year raised £42,000 for the school. The money went towards smart boards and fittings for the newly built maths block, as well as supporting numerous smaller requests. Next year we plan to raise money towards replacing the Apple computers around the school.

We also have several committee positions coming vacant. We recently capped the length of time people could serve in the same position to allow for new people coming onto the committee. The current chair (Jackie Cook) secretary (Amanda Gibbon) and fundraiser (Lucinda McArthur) will therefore be vacating their positions. If you'd like to find out more, nominate yourself or suggest someone else for these positions, please email [jackie.cook@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jackie.cook@yahoo.co.uk). We also welcome any new event or fundraising ideas so feel free to send those in as well!

We look forward to seeing you at our AGM on Monday October 9th.  
The Friends of the Windsor Boys' School

### Ski Trip Parents Evening

Ski Trip Parents Evening - there will be an important boys and parents meeting for everyone going on the ski trip on Monday 16th October at 18:00 in the hall. Any queries please contact Mr Abramson



# RUGBY SKILLS SCHOOL

EVERY THURSDAY LUNCH TIME IN THE SPORTS HALL

## **TWBS Sport** – week commencing 02/10/17

<b>Monday 02/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Senior Rugby @ <a href="#">Stovell</a> (15:15-17:00)</li> <li>- Year 9 Football training ALL @ the astro (15:05-17:00)</li> <li>- Rowing – Year 9 @ the Boathouse (PM), Seniors (PM – Gym)</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday 03/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Year 9 District Cup Football Vs Herschel Grammar (A) (16:00)</li> <li>- Rowing – Year 9 @ the Boathouse (PM), J15 (AM – Gym and PM - Boathouse)</li> </ul>
<b>Wednesday 04/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Senior Rugby Natwest cup Vs Desborough @ <a href="#">Stovell</a> (14:30)</li> <li>- Under 15 and 14 rugby training @ <a href="#">Stovell</a> (15:05-17:00)</li> <li>- Year 11 Football training @ the astro (15:15-17:00)</li> <li>- Rowing – Seniors @ the Boathouse (PM)</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday 05/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Year 9 National Cup Football Vs Waingels (A) (15:00)</li> <li>- ALL years Rugby training @ <a href="#">Stovell</a> (15:05-17:00)</li> <li>- Rowing – Year 9 @ the Boathouse (PM), Seniors (AM – Yoga &amp; PM – Gym)</li> </ul>
<b>Friday 06/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Year 10 Football training @ the astro (15:15-17:00)</li> <li>- Rowing – Year 9 @ the Boathouse (PM), Seniors (AM – Gym)</li> </ul>
<b>Saturday 07/10/17</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Latymer Upper</a> Rugby block</li> <li>- 1<sup>st</sup> XV and 16's @ <a href="#">Stovell</a> &amp; 15A, 15B, 14A and 14B @ Mill Hill</li> </ul>

Facebook: [The Windsor Boys' School Sport](#)

Twitter: [@TWBS\\_SPORT](#)

Instagram: [@twbs\\_sport1908](#)



THE FRIENDS OF TWBS PRESENT THE "UNO ANIMO"  
**WINTER WONDERLAND**  
**DINNER DANCE**  
 SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER AT 7.00PM

Fine Dining by *Gilbey's* of Eton | Live band - "A.O.D."  
 Licensed bar | Raffle & Auction | TWBS Big Band

MAIN HALL AT TWBS | TICKETS £50PP  
 EMAIL: FRIENDS@TWBS.CO.UK

LEAD SPONSOR  
**HARDINGS**



The Windsor Boys' School Boat Club  
**Annual Dinner & WBSBC Celebration**  
 with GUEST SPEAKER  
**TOM AGGAR**  
 GOLD MEDAL - Beijing Paralympic Games 2008  
 BRONZE MEDAL - Rio de Janeiro Paralympic Games 2016

Open to all Current Boys, New year 9 parents and boys  
 Staff, Family, Friends, Friends of Friends  
 and all of the ALUMNI and Old Windsorians - basically everyone!

*2017 has been an incredible year  
 Come and hear all about it, with prizes for the boys,  
 and be inspired by a true sporting legend!*

Ticket Price includes entrance, Hors d'oeuvres, 2 course dinner,  
 and post dinner music & party entertainment

**TICKETS** please email [boatclub@twbs.co.uk](mailto:boatclub@twbs.co.uk)  
 Single ADULT £25  
 Anyone in full time education £15  
 Tables available 9/10/12 - please stipulate  
**Saturday 7th October 2017**  
**18:00 for 18:45 at TWBS Main Hall**  
**Carriages at midnight**

Dress Code:  
 Gentlemen: Jacket & Tie, Ladies: Cocktail dress

Licensed Bar  
 Raffle  
 Silent Auction  
 A great family night out!

Does your son need extra help  
preparing for exams?

My name is Michael Lane, a recent graduate from Cambridge University and former Head Boy at TWBS, with over three years of tutoring experience.



I offer tutoring at GCSE level in Maths, Biology and Chemistry.

For more information please email:

Michael\_lane@hotmail.co.uk

## Dates for Your Diary

4 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Evening @ 19.00 (Intake Sept 2018) Students will be dismissed from school at 13.25
5 <sup>th</sup> October	Night at the Musicals @ 18.00 – TWBS Drama Studio
9 <sup>th</sup> October	Woodwind Recital (all years) @ 17.00 – WGS Drama Studio Friends of TWBS AGM @ 19.00
11 <sup>th</sup> October	Now You're In – Year 10 @ 18.30 – 20.00 in Main Hall Boat Club AGM
12 <sup>th</sup> October	Now You're In – Year 9 @ 18.30 – 20.00 in Main Hall Second Hand Uniform will be available to buy.
13 <sup>th</sup> October	Friends of TWBS Quiz Night @ 19.00 in Main Hall
19 <sup>th</sup> October	Upper Schools Autumn Concert @ 18.30 in TWBS Main Hall
8 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents' Evening – Year 11 (Allen to Ford) Second Hand Uniform will be available to buy.
16 <sup>th</sup> November	Parents' Evening – Year 11 (Lambdin to Woodland) Second Hand Uniform will be available to buy.
21 <sup>st</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Beauty & The Beast Production
2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Uno Animo Dinner
14 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol Service at Windsor Parish Church for Parents and Community
15 <sup>th</sup> December	End of Term
18 <sup>th</sup> Dec to 1st Jan 2018	Christmas Holidays
2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2018	Start of term

