

HT News

10th May 2019

Ambition • Pride • Success

Artwork by Year 12



A few words from Mr Newman

Great opportunities for our students

This edition of HT News highlights some of the excellent contributions from our students in making HT a better and more vibrant school.

At the start of term we witnessed a brilliant Dance Show, with over 50 students participating from all year groups. Providing opportunities for students from different year groups to work together and support each other is hugely important in helping to build a strong school community. I thoroughly enjoyed the evening, and would like to thank **Miss Bilsby** for her brilliant work in putting it all together!

I have been privileged to present large numbers of Bronze and Silver Awards in assemblies to Year 7 and 8 students in recent weeks. It is simply excellent to see students wearing their HT Award badges with pride on their blazers. I have also been hugely impressed with our new Student Leadership Group in recent weeks, who have been leading assemblies, and have been able to ensure new benches have been provided for students across our school site as a result of their work. It has also been wonderful to meet with each of our Head Boy and Girl candidates, and following speeches in Year 12 assembly, interviews and student and staff ballots, I can announce that **James Evenden** and **Lauren Wollaston-Smith** have been elected as Head Boy and Head Girl for the next 12 months. They will be supported by three Deputies – **Holly Bennett, Amber Gruncell and Taylor Mackay**.

Featured inside HT News is an update on our partnership with BASET. I am delighted to announce that **James Evenden** and **Maisy Hurst**, both Year 12 students, have each won a Britain-Australia Society Education Trust (BASET) Pioneer Award. It means they will travel to Australia for free to experience Australian life and culture for a month this summer, including attending a school in Melbourne and being hosted by Australian students and their families. This opportunity has only come about as a direct result of our partnership with Haileybury.

I am also delighted that through our partnership with Haileybury, significant additional resources will be provided for our students from the Autumn Term. Additional staff, student leadership and study skills opportunities will be in place to support all year groups from September 2019. This is excellent news for our school community, and I will provide further details in due course.

Our very busy exam season has started. Our students are working very hard, with support from their teachers. I would like to wish every student great success with their exams, and would urge them to do their very best at this important time in their lives.

Dates and Events

SUMMER TERM 2019

Tuesday 23rd April to Friday 19th July 2019

Half Term

Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2019

30.4.19-10.5.19 Year 10 Mock Exams
6.5.19-19.6.19 Year 11 GCSE & 13 A Level Exams
17.6.19 Parents' Forum 5.30pm
25.6.19 Staff training day – school closed to students
25.6.19 Year 13 Dinner & Dance 7.00pm-11.00pm
1-5.7.19 Year 12 Work Experience Week
2 & 3.7.19 Year 12 Induction Days
5.7.19 Year 11 Prom 7.00pm-11.00pm
8-12.7.19 Year 10 Work Shadowing Week
11.7.19 Year 6 Transition Day
15-19.7.19 Enrichment Week
15.7.19 Year 10 Careers Networking Event
18.7.19 Sports Day

15.8.19 A Level Results Day 9.00am

22.8.19 GCSE Results Day 9.00am



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Some of the cakes from one of our charity bake sales.



The Principal's Book

Our students who have been entered into the Principal's Book for excellent work and contributions to the school.

Dance show cast		
Henry Atkinson 7MLU Andrew Cartwright 7CBI Emma Cooper 7CBI Sam Fleming 7CBI Gracie Green 7EKA Amelie Marendes 7MLU Remy Matthews 7MLU Lilly Richardson 7SWI Sienna Yeo 7OHU Mara Jade Joyce-Weller 8JST Eleanor How 8VBA Isabelle Milner 8JST Christiana Bardo 9STA Lottie Brown 9HLE Charley Chisholm 9BLU Rosie Dunford 9GGI	Alara Kara 9BLU Morgan Payne 9HLE Emily Salisbury 9STA Tia Szawatkowski 9STA Stefania Urziceanu 9JHA Katrina Ayres 10MQU Katelyn Blaney 10DNE Jessica Bowley 10MQU Sadie Cann 10COV Abigail Cantwell 10SDR Courtney Cioffi 10COV Jessica Ebbs 10JMA Connie Ewin 10MQU Emiliya Grandane 10JMA Libby Marchant 10SDR Phoebe Plumb 10MQU	Ellie Pryor 10MQU Amy Richardson 10COV Francesca Sorce 10JMA Julia Tyncer 10JMA Poppi Wehrli 10JMA Milly Whittern 10MQU Aimee Williams 10COV Chloe Ahern 11KWA Jordan Maisuria-Wake 11CSI Emmie Milner 11LTA Kaylee Parker 11ATO Tia Connell Year 12 Madailein Edwards Year 12 Karolina Szpigel Year 13

Students of the Week 22.4.19

Pankhurst – **Sam Fleming**
Turing – **Madailein Edwards**
Shackleton – **Karoline Szpigel**
Bevan – **Isabelle Milner**



Principal's Award – April

Congratulations to our students who were nominated by their Year Achievement Coordinators for the Principal's Award for April.

Year 7 – Millie Cooke Year 8 – Michael Clarke Year 8 – Jake Mathews Year 9 – Stephanie Pearce	Year 10 – Joanne Evendon Year 11 – Joshua Asiedu Year 12 – Jade Dorling Year 13 – Shannon Linwood
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Reader of the Month – April

Year 7 student **Andre Belenche** is a regular to the library reading as many fiction and also non-fiction books as he can to challenge himself and improve his knowledge and reading skills proving Dr Zeuss's famous quote "The more that you **read**, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." A fantastic attitude!



Mrs A Saunders
Learning Resources Manager

New Sixth Form Head Boy and Girl



Well done to **James Evenden** and **Lauren Wollaston-Smith** for being elected by students and staff as the new Head Boy and Head Girl from September. We are also delighted that they will be supported by three Deputies – **Holly Bennett**, **Amber Gruncell** and **Taylor Mackay** next year.



Raising over £1500 for the National Brain Appeal



Congratulations to Mr Newman who completed the London Marathon on Sunday 28th April for the school's charity, the National Brain Appeal. We have, so far, raised over £1500!



The National
Brain Appeal



Donations to The National Brain Appeal can still be made via Mr Newman's Justgiving Fundraising Page: **Donations**. Thank you for your support!

Year 12 student volunteers for Macmillan cancer at the London Marathon

Year 12 student **Lauren Ahern** volunteered on the Macmillan Cancer Care stand during the London Marathon at Canary Wharf. We are very proud of her.



A very succesful HT Dance Show



Another year and another great success for the Dance show students at Haileybury Turnford. There was a variety of performances from all year groups which consisted of class dances, exam performances and dances created by individuals and small groups. All students performed with great confidence, energy and enthusiasm and their love for this subject shone through at all rehearsals and during the evening performance.

Thank you to Mr Belgrave for working with the dance club students, they really valued your expertise. Thank you to The Creative & Performing Arts Faculty for

supporting behind the scenes and the parents/carers for their continued support.

A special well done to **Karolina Szpigel** for stepping in and helping with the sixth form performances. Karolina has performed at every dance show at HT and this year marked her last performance. She is an extremely talented student and always willing to show her support and offer a helping hand. Thank you for everything you have given to the Dance Department. Thank you once again and we look forward to many more performance evenings.

Miss C Bilsby

Subject Leader - Dance

HT Sport Spotlight

Name

Faye Bullock - Year 8 student.

Club

Wodson Park FC.

What sport and level do you compete at?

Football and Division 2 in Hertfordshire –

U13s girl's league.



How long have you competed for them?

I have played at Hoddesdon Owls since I was 7 and my team then moved to Wodson Park when I was 12, so I've played for 5 years.

How did you get into the sport?

One of my primary teachers encouraged me into the sport and I really enjoyed it so my mum and dad found a local team and I've played since then.

What's your most memorable moment while competing?

Winning the Hertfordshire Cup.

What's your biggest achievement within the sport you compete in?

My team winning 2 leagues in a row and winning the Hertfordshire Cup.

What are your future goals in your sport?

Playing for a well-known team or coaching a girls' team.

Who is your role model?

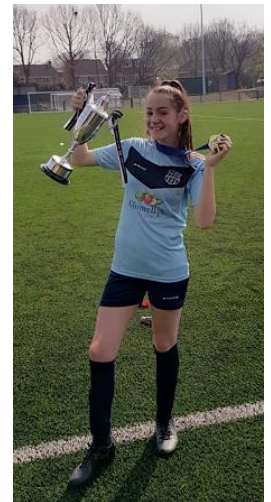
Liv Cooke.

What personal characteristics does your sport need?

Determination, leadership and skill.

If you were to give anyone advice on how to get involved in your sport, what would it be?

Find a local team and practice to be your best.

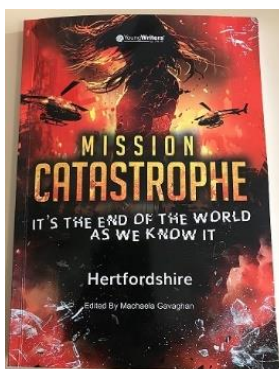


Alexa Forster Year 9

This week Alexa was put up an age range to race in the U17s category for 300m and won her race.

She also ran another 300m with a personal best of 44.3s in the open meeting.

Congratulations also to Alexa for achieving a gold medal in the 4x400m relay at the Herts County Championships.



We are Published!

Well done to all students who had their short story published. This is the latest book that has been delivered containing short stories from 61 of our students! HT has the greatest number of contributors in the book.

Two HT Students win places on a trip to Australia

Two Haileybury Turnford students, **James Evenden** and **Maisy Hurst**, have been presented with awards that will see them travelling to Australia this summer on the trip of a lifetime.

James and Maisy have each won a Britain-Australia Society Education Trust (BASET) Pioneer Award. It means they will travel to Australia for free to experience Australian life and culture for a month, including attending a school in Melbourne and being hosted by Australian students and their families. With only two months to go until their trip begins, James and Maisy met with the Chairman of Trustees of BASET, John May, and trustee, Louise Mulley at Haileybury Turnford on Friday 3 May. Trustee, Louise Mulley said: "Many congratulations to both James and Maisy on their awards. This is a potentially life changing opportunity for both students, and BASET are excited to offer two Pioneer Awards following the first award to a Haileybury Turnford student last year. We look forward to hearing about their trip and working together in the future with Haileybury Turnford to help other young people to experience Australian life and culture." James and Maisy, who are both in Year 12 said "Thank you to both BASET and Haileybury Turnford for this wonderful opportunity. We cannot wait to experience what Australia has to offer for us and our future."



"We are thrilled that two Haileybury Turnford students will have this once-in-a-lifetime trip to Australia, fully funded by BASET," said Haileybury Turnford Principal Robin Newman. "There are two months to go until they travel, and we look forward to hearing all about their new experiences once they arrive in Australia."

BASET is a charity which supports young people from both the UK and Australia, allowing them to learn skills and gain experience which can make a difference in their lives and help them develop their full potential. BASET is associated with the Britain-Australia Society, whose patron is the Duke of Edinburgh.

Results from the 2018-19 Parent's Surveys

Our results below from 88 responses show a significant number of improved outcomes compared to two years ago.

		% Strongly agree/Agree	2016-17 Results
1	My child is happy in school	96%	84%
2	My child feels safe at school	96%	87%
3	My child makes good progress in school	95%	96%
4	My child is well looked after in school	96%	89%
5	My child is taught well in school	92%	84%
6	This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	88%	78%
7	This school deals effectively with bullying	89%	78%
8	This school is well led and managed	95%	78%
9	The school responds well to any concerns I raise	90%	93%

Welcome to new staff

Welcome to some new members of staff this term. Mr A Famer - Teacher of Maths, Miss A Lowe – Art Technician and Mrs M O'Sullivan – Learning Support Assistant.

Join our School Lottery



The school has a lottery that runs weekly and benefits Haileybury Turnford.
A ticket is £1 and each player signs up and plays by direct debit or standing order.

The local prize fund is determined by the number of ticket sales. If the school can reach, for example, 50 tickets the weekly prize will be £15 and Haileybury Turnford will receive £20.

Each pound is split as follows:

40p for your school
30p for local prize
6p for the £25,000 prize
24p for Administration and VAT

To sign up

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/haileybury-turnford-school>





**STEP INTO
SUMMER
WITH OUR
TECH BUNDLE
GIVEAWAY!**

Buy Your Lottery Ticket this term for a chance to WIN an Amazon Echo, Fire TV stick, Echo Dot and Fire HD 8!

- Start supporting TODAY for only £1 a week.
- Buy a ticket this term and you could WIN £25,000!
- 40% of ticket sales goes to our school.
- There's a GUARANTEED cash prize winner every week.
- Only takes a couple of minutes to buy a ticket.
- You can make a BIG DIFFERENCE to our school! Search for Haileybury Turnford on www.yourschoollottery.com

Click here to support today

Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. Sign up before 24th May 2019
Terms and conditions apply – see website.



Co-curricular timetable

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
Music Club Yr7&8, KS4 music and instrumental students	Mu1 Lunch	Warhammer Club All Years Mrs Saunders	Library Lunch	Geographical film club Years 7 – 8 Mrs Morgan & Miss Kaposi	Hu2 Lunch	Music Club Yr7&8, KS4 music and Instrumental students	Mu1 Lunch	Flex Club Flex students Flex staff	Flex Lunch
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Drama production (Acting) Years 7-8 Mrs Wells	Dr1/Hall 3-4pm	Dance Production All years involved Miss Bilsby	DS 3-4pm	Athletics All years PE Staff	PE 3-4pm	Dance Club All years Miss Bilsby	DS 3-4pm	Flex Club Flex students Flex staff	Flex 3-4pm
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Rounders' All years PE Staff	PE 3-4pm	A Level Art & Photography GCSE Mrs Rockliffe	Art 3-6pm	Flex Club Flex students Flex staff	Flex 3-4pm				
Cricket All years PE Staff	PE 3-4pm								
GCSE Art & Photography GCSE Mrs Rockliffe	Art 3-6pm								

Summer Term