

HT News

25th January 2019

Ambition · Pride · Success

Artwork by Brookland Junior School pupils



A few words from Mr Newman

We continue to make real improvements as a school, and it is simply excellent to see the growing ambition and pride from so many of our students.

I am delighted to report that two of our Year 13 students have been offered places to study at Cambridge and Oxford universities. **Liam Kline** has been offered a place to study English at Homerton College, Cambridge and **John Pearce** to study Physics at Somerville College, Oxford. They, along with a number of other Sixth Form students have received tailored support and guidance, including preparation for university entrance exams and interviews from both our staff, and staff at Haileybury.



Liam Kline

John Pearce

This week I have met with a large number of students who have been nominated by their teachers to sign the Principal's Book. This is for their excellent commitment to their work or contribution to school life. I have also met with students wishing to join our new Student Leadership Team. I have been impressed by their enthusiasm and commitment to make their school even better.

Within the past few months student attendance has continued to improve, and it has now reached the national level for our students. We have had further new trips and visits for students, including new overseas trips; and our PE team have given a wider range of opportunities to our students, including an excellent indoor athletics event this week and our recent Year 7 House swimming competition at Haileybury.

Alongside supporting students with their learning and with exam preparation, we are providing our students with the confidence and skills to be self-confident, well-informed citizens. We look forward to celebrating our students' achievements at our next Awards Evening on Wednesday 13th March.

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Dates and Events

SPRING TERM 2019

Monday 7th January to Friday 12th April 2019

Half Term

Monday 18th February to Friday 22nd February 2019

- 11.2.19 Parents' Forum 5.30pm
- 28.2.19 Year 10 Parents' Evening 4.00pm-6.00pm
- 2.3.19-5.3.19 Sixth Form Psychology Trip to Paris
- 7.3.19 Year 12 Parents' Evening 4.00pm-6.00pm
- 13.3.19 Year 7-10 & 12 Awards Evening 6.00-7.00pm
- 20.3.19 Year 8 Options Evening 5.00pm-6.30pm
- 28.3.19 Year 8 Parents' Evening 4.00pm-7.00pm
- 10.4.19 Deadline for Year 8 Options
- 11.4.19 Year 11 Parents' Evening 4.00pm-7.00pm
- 12.4.19 End of Spring Term 1.30pm finish

SUMMER TERM 2019

Tuesday 23rd April to Friday 19th July 2019

Half Term

Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2019

- 23.4.19 Year 11 & 13 students only
- 24.4.19 All other Year groups return to school
- 25.4.19 Year 11 Preparing for exam success meeting 5.30pm-6.15pm
- 10.6.19 Year 6 Parents' Transition Evening 5.30pm-7.00pm
- 17.6.19 Parents' Forum 5.30pm
- 28.6.19 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
- 15.9.19 A Level Results day 9.00am
- 22.8.19 GCSE Results day 9.00am

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The Principal's Book

The following students have been entered into the Principal's Book for excellent work/contribution to the school.

Henry Atkinson 7MLU – Spanish Eva Bagdbaute 10JMA - Maths Abigail Blunt 8SHI – English Lewis Butteriss 8SHI – MFL Megan Cantwell 7EKA – Geography Tom Garcia 7SWI – Science Harrison Gibbons 7CBI – English Louis Loizou 8VBA – English	Remy Matthews 7MLU – MFL Monique Noia 10JMA – MFL Konnor Sakizcioglu Year 13 – helping a student Charlie Straham 11SAS – YAC Yagmur Tek 9GGI – Spanish Emily Whrlow 11KWA – English Madalina Zavadocschi 7CBI – Spanish The whole cast of The Wiz
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Students of the Week – 14th January

Bevan - **Emily Witherington** 11RDU
Pankhurst - **Tyreece Rawlings** 8LBR
Turing - **Emily Whorlow** 11KWA
Shackleton - **Alexander Panayides** 7CBI



Students of the Week – 21st January

Bevan - **Dilara Tas** 11LTA
Pankhurst – **Amelie Marandaz** 7MLU
Turing - **Zak Lyness** 7SGI
Shackleton – **Andrew Cartwright** 7CBI



Principal's Award – December

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

Year 7 - Sam Winders Year 8 - Daisy Howard Year 8 - Jake Mathews Year 9 - Tyler Maxen	Year 10 - Libby Marchant Year 11 - Jordan Morris Year 12 - Lauren Wollaston-Smith Year 13 - Louis Franklin
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Fixtures from the PE Department

Date	Fixture & Result	Result
9/1/19	U13 Football versus Broxbourne School	Lost 2 - 1
11/1/19	Year 9 Boys Football National Cup versus Archebishop Sancroft High School	Won 2 – 0
16/1/19	Year 9 & 10 Boys Rugby	
17/1/19	Year 7/8 Girls Rugby Festival	
21/1/19	Year 11 Boys Football District League versus Simon Balle School	Lost 2 - 0
21/1/19	Indoor Athletics @ Picketts Lock	5 – Gold, 1 – Silver, 2 - Bronze
24/1/19	Year 9/10 Girls Rugby Festival	

Reader of the Month

Libby Smith, Year 7, is a regular to the library. She enjoys fantasy books and has now read all the Harry Potter series. Since starting school in September Libby has read six books. She finishes her book and returns straight away to take out another new book. Libby is exploring other genres as well as fantasy and her reading levels are improving. Libby shows an excellent attitude and realises the importance of reading regularly.



Oxbridge offers for HT Students



Congratulations to **Liam Kline** who has been offered a place to study English at Homerton College, Cambridge and **John Pearce** to study Physics at Somerville College, Oxford. All the Sixth Form students have been very positive about how they have developed as a result of support from the staff both at HT and Haileybury, which is why the number of offers from Russell Group universities is at the highest level for many years. It's been a terrific team effort, involving students and staff.

This year's offers come on the back of last year's success when **Laura Lewis** was successful in taking her place at the University of Cambridge to read Human, Social and Political Sciences.

Mrs N Shivalkar

Assistant Principal & Head of Sixth Form

Year 10 & 11 students to The Old Vic

As our Year 10 & 11 students will sit their GCSE English Literature paper in the very near future, they must learn quotations and analyse the texts that will be in the exam including A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens. To help with this, a large group of students from the two year groups were taken to see the fantastic show at The Old Vic, in London. As it had been recommended by parents, teachers and students alike from both Haileybury Turnford and our partnership school, Haileybury, it was hoped it would be an enticing performance which would aid learning through a different approach.



Many students, and even some teachers, had doubts about what they were in for as some had never been to the theatre before or had only seen small scale, amateur shows. However, the company and cast did not disappoint as the show lived up to, and exceeded, all expectations. The stage was set 'In The Round' (where the stage is in the centre of the building and the audience sits surrounding the actors in tiered seating) so it gave optimal viewing for all attendees. As this meant everyone could see it clearly, the performance was much more memorable, especially to students that derive greater benefit from a visual aid. It helped in remembering quotations and the order of the novella. The cast involved the audience individually and as a group, before and during the performance. They handed out festive treats and invited people to participate in certain scenes making it a magical atmosphere for all. To add to this, the talented actors also performed many carols which they either played beautifully on hand bells or sang hauntingly to build emotional tension in the audience, slightly forewarning them about the heart-wrenching and tear-jerking scenes to come. The cast comprised many leading West End performers and Ebenezer Scrooge himself was played by award-winning television actor, Stephen Tompkinson.



Overall, the performance was a great success for all the students who participated in to the trip. It left many wanting to return to experience more productions like this and certainly Year 10 & 11 are hoping the theatre will be considered again for another trip very soon!

Emily Whorlow

Year 11

HT Sport Spotlight

Name
Jack Ferris

Club
PEWMCA – Ponders End Working Men’s Club.

What sport and level do you compete at?
I compete at Darts in Division 1 of the Cheshunt and Enfield League.

How long have you competed for them?
I have only been playing for this current season but have been playing darts at home and in friendlies in the past.

How did you get into the sport?
I got into the sport through my Dad who played for the team already and they needed some extra players.

What’s your most memorable moment while competing?
So far - winning the quarter finals, we are now competing among the best in the semis.

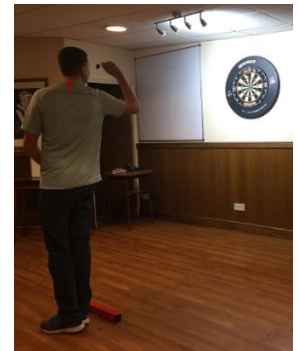
What’s your biggest achievement within the sport you compete in?
My biggest achievement this year is winning my first single in the derby and also earning the trust of my captain to put me in more games than I was in at the start.

What are your future goals in your sport?
My future goals are to win the cup and next year and fight for the league however hard that may be.

Who is your role model?
My role model is Peter ‘Snakebite’ Wright who had to put in the effort to keep on going after losing a few finals.

What personal characteristics does your sport need?
The personal characteristics needed for this sport is just to enjoy it but at the same time stay focused so it can still be a competitive sport.

If you were to give anyone advice on how to get involved in your sport, what would it be?
If I was to give anyone some advice about how to get into this sport it would be have a practice at home, see how you are and then join a team that want a few back-ups and then work your way into the first team.



Latest Information Flyers

Please see our website for further details
<http://www.haileyburyturnford.com/information-flyers>

Education Programme for Parent Carers of secondary school aged young people who are using a CAMHS* Clinic - Step2 or Counselling Service

MY TEEN BRAIN - Workshops for Parents



The spring term HT Co-curricular timetable can be found on our website at
<http://www.haileyburyturnford.com/app/uploads/2016/10/HT-co-curricular-Spring-term-2019.pdf>

Welcome to new staff

We would like to welcome our new staff to HT. Miss Bracknall, Reception; Mr Chukawanda, Teacher of Mathematics; Miss Cross, Medical Officer/Reception; Mr Goodfellow, ICT Manager; Mr Mudaly, Subject Leader - Computing & ICT; Mr Rye, Sixth Form Teacher of History and Mr Wilson, Teacher of English and Literacy Lead.

