

The Priory Ruskin Academy

Term 6 Newsletter

A message from the Headteacher...

Ruskin has enjoyed another term rich with opportunity for our students and events which have showcased the burgeoning and divergent talents within our Academy. We are incredibly proud that our focus on academic standards has been nationally recognised by the SSAT; we have, as always, maintained an unrelenting focus on progress in the build up to public examinations this year and are equally proud of the lower school students whose achievements were celebrated at our Awards Ceremony. Furthermore, the quality, commitment and professionalism of student work in our specialisms of Sport and the Visual Arts culminated in a number of events this term that highlighted the dedication and talent of our staff and students.

We have also welcomed a number of visitors to Ruskin this term. From visiting authors to our new intake, all have been singularly impressed by our students' well mannered enthusiasm and articulate energy about their learning and opportunities within the Academy. Well done to all of you who have been such exemplary ambassadors for Ruskin, continually modelling our motto of "Aim High, Show Respect".

I would also like to thank parents for their continued support of the Academy and we look forward to another successful year of working together in the new academic year.

Ms R Wyles

Successful Academic Year Completed with SSAT Award



The Priory Ruskin Academy has been nationally recognised for its exceptional 2015 performance by the Schools, Students and Teachers network (SSAT). Educational Outcomes data analysis from SSAT has shown that the Academy is in the top 10% of schools

nationally for progress made by students between their Key Stage 2 results at primary school and their Key Stage 4 results.

The Academy's SSAT Educational Outcomes award was presented at a regional celebration event held to draw attention to the work of high-achieving, improving and innovating schools and teachers. Sue Williamson, Chief Executive of SSAT, said, 'It's my great pleasure to commend The Priory Ruskin Academy on their excellent 2015 performance, and to have the opportunity to highlight and share their great work at the SSAT Educational Outcomes celebration evening.

I have the privilege of visiting a lot of schools and I am always impressed by the creativity of teachers in engaging and inspiring their students'. Ms Wyles, Headteacher, said, 'There is a unique energy at Ruskin, evident across staff, students and parents, and this year it has been wonderful to see their hard work and commitment recognised by both SSAT and the Department for Education performance tables. These are exciting times for Ruskin and our focus remains on driving high standards and ensuring the best possible outcomes for all of our students'.

Farewell to Ruskin 2016 Leavers

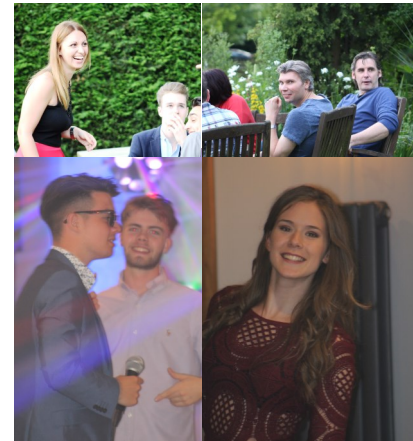
Year 13 Go Wild in Woolsthorpe!



Thursday 7th July saw the Academy say a final, fond farewell to our wonderful Year 13! With A-Level examinations finished, summer holidays planned and with the vast majority of students ready to set off to university in September, it

was an emotional but fun-filled evening. Held at the Chequers Inn in the Vale of Belvoir, students enjoyed a speech and presentations from Mr Steptoe, table magic from 'Miss Direction' as well as a meal, drinks, disco and set performed by our very own 'Soho Park'. It has been a privilege to see this fantastic group of young adults mature and grow and we are incredibly proud of them all. We wish them the very best of luck as they further their studies at university or embark into the 'real world' of employment - remember your

days at Ruskin fondly and keep us informed of your adventures in the future.



Year 11 Rock Stoke Rochford



Ruskin's annual Year 11 prom took place in the beautiful grounds of Stoke Rochford Hall on July 1st. The evening saw students arriving in style; with transport ranging from vintage cars, a fire truck and even a vintage Coca-Cola truck! Following a meal, featuring foods from around the world, the much anticipated



awards saw Luke Neal and Leona Fielding crowned Prom King and Queen. The very talented Lewis Fitt, Jack Palin, Will Parsons and Robert McNulty, from Year 11, treated the crowd to a performance of songs from both Jersey Boys and Les Miserables. Students then danced the night away; creating more memories to last a lifetime. Thank you to all involved in such a successful event.

St Barnabas Balloon Release

June 10th marked a special day here at Ruskin as Tina Dingley, Fundraiser for St Barnabas Hospice, kindly attended a Balloon Release organised by Mrs Geeson and some of our Sixth Form students. It was a poignant occasion for all involved.

A memory tree was placed in Reception so staff and students could write a personal message dedicated to loved ones lost. Thank you to all who took part. The event raised £230.00 for such a worthwhile local charity.



Year 9: Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park

On Tuesday 14th and Wednesday 15th June, Year 9 GCSE Geography students visited the London Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park and the surrounding area of Stratford. The students were investigating the impact of the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park regeneration on the local area and its residents. Upon arrival the students were divided into two groups with guided tours by experts from the Field Studies Council. The investigation involved a variety of geographical fieldwork techniques, including environmental quality surveys

and questionnaires conducted with local people.

On both days, one pouring with rain and the other quite hot and still, students completed excellent Geography work to a high standard. The students did a fantastic job approaching members of the public politely and courteously to complete questionnaires - despite some students feeling a little nervous to start with. The students were a credit to the Academy and now Year 9 GCSE Geography students are looking forward to our next GCSE Geography trip in Year 10.



Health & Social Care Students Explore Pathways

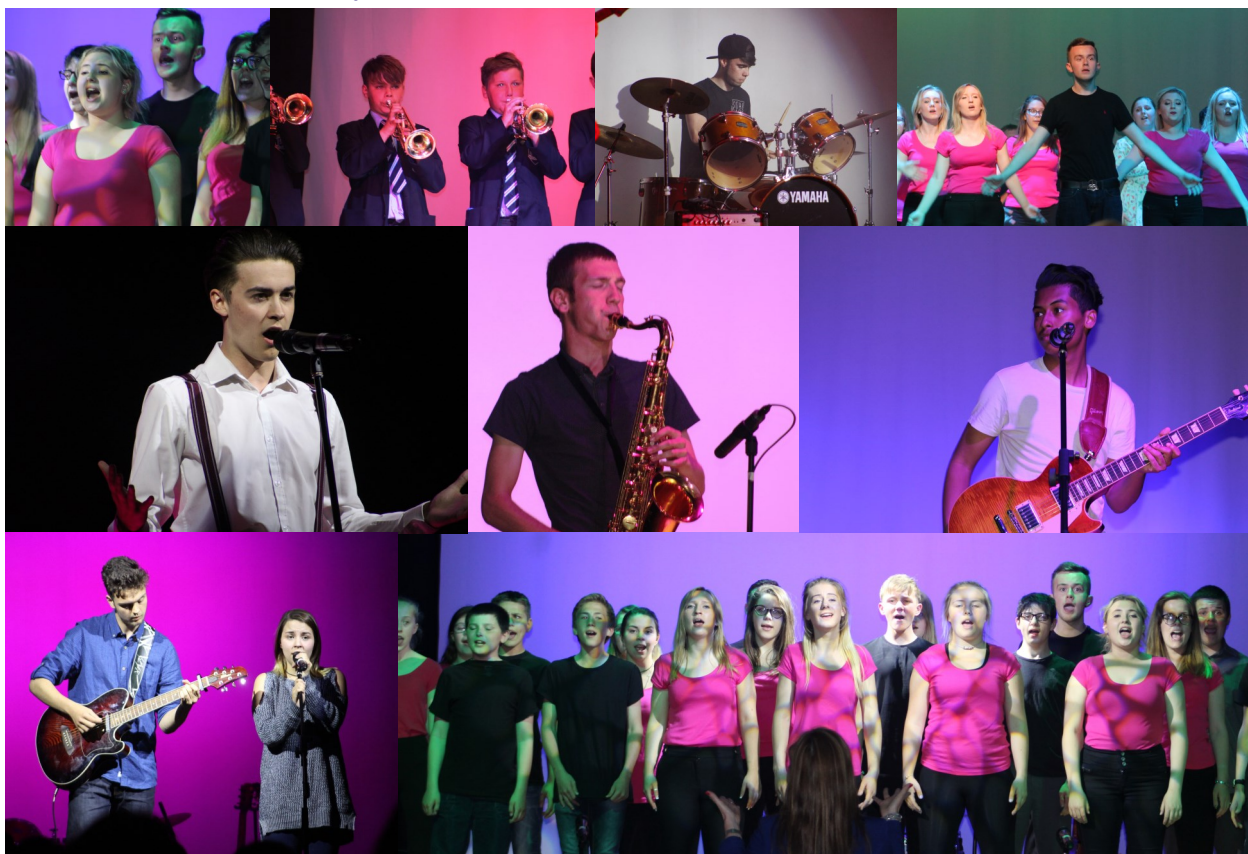
Students in Year 12 Health and Social Care visited Bishop Grosseteste University on Tuesday 7th June and Friday 1st July, to help start the process of choosing their pathway once they complete their Sixth Form studies. Students were given a guided tour

of the campus and given a taste of some of the many courses available at universities relating to Health and Social Care. The days were an opportunity for the students to think about future careers and get an insight into university life. Students also

attended a master class on counselling titled, 'Making the connection with empathy: live, love and laugh'. This is a topic which is widely discussed in Health and Social Care and provided valuable and interesting insight for the students.

Performing Arts Summer Concert

On the evening of 13th July, talented students from the Performing Arts Department participated in the spectacular Summer Review. The show included acts such as the newly formed Year 7 Brass Ensemble, Pop Choir, Year 12 Musical Theatre Stars, BTEC Year 13 Musicians, to mention but a few. We bid an emotional farewell to the Year 13 students who came back to the Academy for one final performance.



New Sixth Form Induction



On June 21st and 22nd, over 100 students hoping to join Ruskin's highly successful Sixth Form in September had the opportunity to sample their chosen A Level subjects as well as get to know their new cohort better. Ruskin's annual Sixth Form induction days endeavour to give students a flavour of the academic rigour of Sixth Form but also to allow them to have some fun and to introduce students joining us from other schools. The two days were a fantastic success with the second day hosting a range of fun events such as: 'Escape The Room' and 'Jammy Dodgers Business Enterprise' alongside a number of

team building exercises. Mr Steptoe, Head of Sixth Form, said, 'The two days were a huge success and it was great to see the fantastic group of young people who will be joining our Sixth Form in September. We wish them the very best of luck on GCSE results day in August'.



Arts Extravaganza



On Monday 11th July, The Priory Ruskin Academy held a Visual Arts evening showcasing stunning examples of GCSE and A level work from across the faculty. The Academy was transformed into an incredible art gallery with parents and members of the public invited to celebrate the outstanding quality, innovation and originality of the students in Art, Craft and Design, Photography, Graphic Design and Product Design. Mrs Renshaw-Turner, Director of Visual Arts, said, 'The amazing standard of work speaks for itself and I genuinely couldn't be more proud of the fabulous students and staff within the faculty'.



Windsor Photography Trip

GCSE and A Level Photography students travelled to Royal Windsor on Thursday 30th June. The castle provided a stunning back drop for the photo shoot, which not only took in the old town and castle grounds but also the championship dog show held in Windsor Great Park. Students were treated to a wealth of historical subjects for their photos, including the old fashioned horses dray, but they were equally excited by the more modern duck tour bus. The dog show was a huge success with the many different breeds providing great photo opportunities.



Primary School Instrumental Day



On 7th July, over 150 Primary school children came to the Academy to participate in a day of music. Students played Samba music, performed a selection of songs, experienced playing Djembe drums and also performed in an orchestra, which was conducted by Mr Malcolm Duckels from Lincolnshire County Council. Mrs Rossington had worked with the Primary schools before the event to help them develop their vocal skills

as well as teaching them two of the songs. At 4pm, the children all performed their pieces in front of family and friends.



Ruskin Passport To Success



Hardworking Year 11 students have been enjoying the rewards of their continued commitment to, and achievement in, their academic studies this year.

The Passport to Success is a log of all academic achievement across the curriculum and is used by students as a progress guide to monitor predicted grades, effort, attendance and behaviour.

Rewards for mock examinations were received by many students allowing

them a free ticket to the hugely successful Year 11 Prom at Stoke Rochford. Other end of year rewards included a spa day at Belton Woods, which was great for pre prom pampering, paintballing for the slightly braver, a Ruskin leaver's hoodie plus drinks at Prom.

Every student who achieved their targets for progress, attendance and effort was also entered into a £100 draw for High Street vouchers. The lucky winner was Kelsie Evans. It has been a very busy year for staff and students in Year 11, with extra classes after school, revision sessions during holiday times and a

study trip to France. We are very proud of the effort and hard work our students put into their studies during the year and hope they enjoyed all the rewards they received via the Passport to Success scheme.

Hopefully all the hard work will be worth it, we look forward to the results in August.



Gravity Fields - Rehearsals Under Way!

Rehearsals are underway for the performance element of the finale for Gravity Fields, a science and art fair to be held in Grantham from September 21st-25th. The opportunity for twenty of our students to perform in this community event, in front of a vast crowd, will be an invaluable and exciting experience. It is an extravaganza taking place over a week and includes lectures, exhibits, experiments and performances. Cirque Bijou and Chantry Dance have been commissioned to choreograph this wonderful piece which will see over 100 dancers perform with an LED umbrella on St

Peter's Hill.

Working with a prop is not an easy task and the students did incredibly well following the instructions that were delivered by the professional choreographers. Students' knowledge of dance terminology helped to speed up the process and they made huge progress. The students realised very quickly that they had to focus on the dancer in front of them and not get distracted, as they had to follow their exact movements to perform a move in canon (one after another). The timing has to be accurate from all dancers, if not it will not work effectively.

Independent awareness, discipline and teamwork are crucial for this role and the students were amazing and thoroughly enjoyed themselves commenting on how quick the three hours had gone and how tiring it was. Roll on the next session!



Ruskin Trailblazing The Way In Volleyball!

Huge congratulations to our Year 10 girls' volleyball team who won the county championships last Thursday beating 6 other teams from all across Lincolnshire! Congratulations to the Year 10 boys' team who won all of their games but, controversially, finished second due to the competitions' points scored format. A number of students have also played for the Ruskin Rebels this year in the Lincolnshire county league beating Lincoln Cannons, Harlaxton University and Ruskin Recreationals.



St Barnabas Hospice - It's a Knockout!



A number of Ruskin staff and Sixth Form students took part in the fantastic 'It's a Knockout' event as part of our ongoing fundraising efforts in support of St Barnabas Hospice. The well-known retro obstacle course was held at Wyndham Park in Grantham and was available for students and their families to come and watch as the chaos unfolded for The Ruskin Renegades, The Ruskin Rangers and The PRA Stars.

With eight teams entering the event in total, the Ruskin contingent put in performances to make us all proud:

The Ruskin Rangers – 6th place
The Ruskin Renegades – 4th place

And, just narrowly missing out on the top spot, THE PRA STARS... 2ND!



The teams would like to thank all of those who came to support them as well as those who donated so generously to this fantastic cause.



Wind In The Willows—Tolethorpe

Year 7-10 Performing Arts students enjoyed a fabulous evening watching Wind in the Willows. Set in the grounds of Tolethorpe Hall, just outside Stamford, the students experienced open air performance at its best; a beautiful theatre with an open stage, set amongst nature with birdsong in the background! The lack of sunshine did not spoil the mood and the evening began with a picnic before the students were treated to a backstage tour; this included the box office, stage door, dressing rooms, set store and even the opportunity to walk onto the stage to face the auditorium. The Directors answered all of their questions and explained how the actors continue with their performance regardless of the weather and just 'get wet'! The actor who played Ratty also answered their questions about learning lines, entrances, exits and characterisation. The set was amazing and even had its own purpose built stream for the otters (who were actors!) to swim in and

for the boat to sail on. Toad also had fun on a horse and cart, car and train throughout the performance and delighted the audience with his costumes and comedy lines. The students thoroughly enjoyed their evening out.



Ruskin Sports' Day 2016

The sun was shining and the crowds were chanting, 'You say PRIORY, we say RUSKIN!'. This year proved to be another fun filled, action packed Sports' Day at the Mere's Sports' stadium. The competition ran smoothly with more competitors than ever taking part. The events ranged from the traditional track and field events, to Boccia and even the cross bar challenge. The crowds cheered on their house and sported their colours throughout the day. At the end of the day, the long awaited results were finally in, with Knight House winning their second consecutive Sports' Day. Well done to Knight House, and well done to every single member of The Priory Ruskin Academy who competed or supported others to produce a very successful day all round!



Ruskin Students Plan Murder Most Horrid

On Tuesday 7th June, Year 7 and 8 students had a fantastic morning listening to Californian born author, Robin Stevens, promoting her 'Murder Most Unladylike' series. The first four books, Murder Most Unladylike, Arsenic for Tea, First Class Murder and Jolly Foul Play are all now out in the UK, with her 5th book being released October 2016.

Students had the opportunity to work with Robin to create a plot, motive and venue that Robin may use in one of her future murder mysteries. After the students came up with some worryingly great ideas, they had the chance to ask questions and buy the books which Robin kindly signed. Mrs Geeson, who organised the event, said, 'We pride ourselves on



providing our students with a varied and exciting curriculum and it was wonderful to see Robin inspiring the students to think creatively and have fun with their writing'.

Year 6 Welcome Day

Where does the time go? On July 5th, The Priory Ruskin Academy welcomed all of the new Year 6 students in to the Academy for a taster day. At 8.50am, the students sat in the Great Hall waiting for the assembly to start – there was clearly an energy in the room which was a mixture of excitement and nerves! The children soon began to chat and settled down very quickly. They participated in a range of activities throughout the day and at the end of the day, it was clear from all the smiles that they had all had a great time. We are looking forward to welcoming them all back in September when they will become fully fledged Ruskin students!

Road Dahl Festival of Flowers



The Priory Ruskin Academy was proud to sponsor a fantastic flower display at the St Wulfram's Flower Festival, which ran from the 7th to the 10th July. Three talented students; Charlotte Roberts, Elysium Mahoney and Josephine Mawby joined the Flower Arrangers from St Sebastians Church, Great Gonerby, to produce some outstanding flower displays depicting scenes from the book 'Matilda'. Our Sixth Form Art students helped to create the giant books for the display and beautiful art work by our Year 7 students decorated Miss Honey's classroom.

We received a huge amount of very complimentary comments from visitors and professionals within the flower trade. The conduct of our students was exemplary and not one of them ended up in 'The Chokey'!



Ruskin Mountain Biking Programme



This term students have been taking advantage of the Academy's mountain biking programme, enjoying trips out to Sherwood Pines on the Academy's Sport England funded mountain bikes. Some students went on the trip as a result of winning the prize on Personal

Development Day and others have been going as part of their GCSE PE programme. Mr Cairns commented, 'It is a fantastic opportunity for the students and we are looking to develop this further by bringing this initiative into curriculum time'.

Focus on: Renaissance Reading



Following on from a fabulous year with Renaissance Reading, new books are all set and ready to go for a great start in September. We can't wait to get reviews back on latest titles from the Bear Grylls selection

amongst others. This year Ruskin students have passed 4,843 reading quizzes and earned an amazing 21367.20 points!

Reading Weeks are always a competitive time here at Ruskin, we hold one per term, when students and staff alike can down tools and read for the first 15 minutes of each lesson. They are then expected to take a reading quiz and the House with the most points wins. This year both Knight and Morris have won respectively, although we are sure it will be Mackintosh and Hepworth's turn very soon. To encourage books that aren't normally taken from the Academy's bookshelves, Mrs Geeson, Reading Room and Community Events Manager, has hidden some Golden Tickets around The Reading Room. If students find one and read the book...they receive a small prize!



Sixth Form Charity Football Match

The Priory Ruskin Academy Sixth Form held a charity football match on 28th June, raising funds for St Barnabas Hospice.

Organised entirely by the students, the Year 12s played the Year 13s in a well fought match resulting in Year 12 finally winning 2-0 - much to the disappointment of the departing Year 13 students! The event raised £64.50 for St Barnabas Hospice, a charity that the Academy, and Sixth Form in particular, has passionately supported this year. Mr Steptoe, Head of Sixth Form, said, 'We always make it clear when students join our Sixth Form that we want more for them than just good grades. This event embodied that ambition; community spirit, a determination and drive to make things happen...as well as a good dose of competitive spirit and some pretty impressive football!'

Thank you to everyone who donated and came along to watch the game, making a very memorable Sixth Form afternoon.



Students Enjoy Multimedia Workshop

Ten lucky students, who have shown a real interest and passion in the technical side of Performing Arts, were selected to experience a day at the Multimedia suite at Grantham College. They had an amazing day, learning about film shots, green screen techniques, editing and effects. The day started with a lesson on the basics, such as how to get their camera and tripod set up, before progressing to planning their storyboard for a short film. Planning complete, they went outside to take their shots within their production team and made full use of the environment including a derelict shelter and overgrown woodland. They then selected and cut the footage adding in their green screen shots, which included them becoming a giant stomping on someone. They added the title to their film, as well as music to add tension and their foray into film

production was complete! After the work they put in during the day, they were not surprised to discover that a full blockbuster movie can often take six to nine months just to film and a further two years in post-production. The students were engaged and enthused throughout the day and left asking if we could set up an after school club. So watch this space...



The Priory Ruskin Academy Year 5 Open Day

The Priory Ruskin Staff would like to thank all of the students who were involved in acting as guides during our Open Day and Evening. Also, we would like to thank all of the helpers who returned to the Academy in the evening to help staff in each of the classrooms. They worked extremely hard all day, helping staff and taking care of the visitors throughout the day. There were many emails in to the Academy, thanking the students for their excellent guidance, enthusiasm and courtesy. Well done to you all!



Year 10 Explore Norfolk Coastline

On Thursday 26th and Friday 27th May, Year 10 GCSE Geography students visited the coast at Hunstanton in Norfolk. The visit was a compulsory element of GCSE Geography for their assessed piece of coursework. The students were investigating coastal management techniques in the area. The day started with a quick debrief and field sketch of the unique red and white striped cliffs at Hunstanton. Students were even lucky enough to bump into local legend, Michael Kennedy, a 73 year old man who is single-handedly building a sea wall out of pebbles at the base of the cliff. Mr Kennedy stopped and talked to the students about the work he was doing and why he was doing it, they even got chance to add a few pebbles of their own to his sea wall.

Later that morning, students had to use a range of fieldwork equipment such as measuring tapes, meter sticks and ranging poles to answer their enquiry questions for their coursework and record data. The students worked in groups at specific points near coastal management techniques in the area; to complete their fieldwork they used environmental quality surveys, bipolar surveys and transect lines to measure beach sediment.

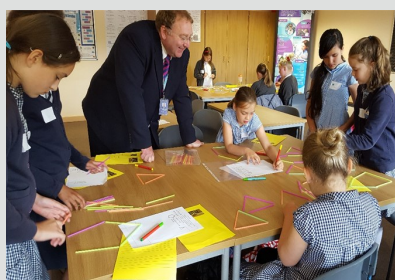
Lunchtime saw the students take the chance to go off and buy a classic seaside lunch of fish and chips, which went down a treat after a long morning of Geography work. The students worked really well and it is fantastic to see what we have been studying out in the real world.



Year 5 Students Enjoy a Taste of Mathematics at Secondary School



As part of our primary liaison programme, the Academy welcomed ninety students, sixty-one girls and twenty-nine boys, from local primary schools on July 1st. Students participated in a variety of mathematical workshops involving a wide range of skills and concepts such as three dimensional work, an algebraic trail, Rangoli patterns and measuring activities. There were plenty of budding mathematicians who clearly enjoyed themselves with one student saying, 'I enjoyed going outside to work, collaborating, and best of all meeting new teachers', whilst a parent commented, 'My daughter thoroughly enjoyed the morning and came out with a boost of confidence telling me all about it'.



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Personal Development Day

Ruskin students enjoyed a day of culture and activities on PD Day, held on 28th June. From cooking Mexican food, to outdoors pursuits, Mexican mask making, to African Dance workshops - students had a packed timetable for the day.

Miss Thompson, PD Day Coordinator said, 'It was great to see the students have so much fun with such a range of activities on offer - they all gave everything a try and threw themselves into the day. PD day is so important in terms of students' growth, maturity and the Academy's overall SMSC programme'.



University Open Day Visits



Year 12 students are currently thinking about their pathway after life at Ruskin. On 23rd June and 12th and 15th July Year 12 students had the opportunity to visit Leeds, Nottingham Trent and Lincoln Universities to decide if this is the route for them. Students got a feel for university life by attending lectures, seeing accommodation and finding out what the refectories had to offer.

Red Arrows—STEM Day

Ruskin Flight cadets attended a STEM day at RAF Scampton hosted by the Red Arrows on 13th Jun 16. Welcomed by the Station Commander and Rachel Riley (It's not Rocket Science), they emphasised the importance of women working in the STEM subjects. Rolls Royce, Jaguar, Up Science, Siemens and EBS set our students various STEM challenges including making wind power turbines, rocket cars, assembly of gas turbine engine models and designing and making a marble run. Our students worked very well as a team, putting in some excellent performances. Despite inclement weather during lunch, the students were also treated to their very own display by the Red Arrows.



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Sports Digest Term 6

Term 6 in Physical Education and Sport has seen Ruskin students continue with the summer sports programme of tennis, cricket, rounders and athletics. There has been a number of superb appearances in athletics, as previously mentioned in last term's newsletter, we had a number of students selected for the County Championships.

After superb performances at the County Championships four of our intermediate boys were selected to represent Lincolnshire at the Anglian Track and Field Championships; Lewis Davey in the 400m Hurdles and Long Jump, Praise Olalere in the 100m, Rohit Banda in the Javelin, and Alec Stewart in the Discus. Lewis Davey and Praise Olalere also gained English Schools Qualification standards in the 400m Hurdles and 100m

respectively. Competing at Gateshead, Lewis ran well in his heat and gained a place in the final where he took 6th place, Praise ran a great leg in the 4 x 100m to aid Lincolnshire in gaining a place in the final where, unfortunately, a dropped baton lead to a disqualification. All these students should be extremely proud of their achievements this year and the success which they have worked incredibly hard for.



The extremely successful Ruskin Badminton Teams undertook the long awaited National League Finals at the National Badminton Centre in Milton Keynes on 11th and 12th June. Ruskin qualified for the league finals in the U12, U14 and U16 Girls age groups, as well as the U16 Boys. To get to the National Finals was an amazing achievement; the U12 Girls finished in 6th place, the U14 Girls in 8th place and our U16 Boys and Girls took second bringing home silver medals in a competition where they were playing against badminton clubs rather schools. The Ruskin students involved in this exceptional achievement were:

U12 Girls; Taylor Eaten Gray, Sarah Sharples and Shannon Garner.



U14 Girls; Melanie Church and Romaizza Herrera.

U16 Girls; Kim-Leanne Green, Courtney Sharples, Millie Hardman.

U16 Boys; Marco Agapito, Rohit Banda and Alec Stewart.

In addition to our performers at the National Finals our Young Leaders were selected to officiate the competition. Organisers of the competition stated how professionally and seriously they had taken their roles. The Academy is hoping that the efforts put into the extracurricular programme continue to reap such excellent rewards.

Wednesday 6th July saw the annual Ruskin Sports Awards Evening take place. Jade Windley (GB Tennis Player) attended and delivered a great motivational speech to our students. A large number of students across all years gained their colours in sport, and the silver and gold merit in sports awards. The following annual prestigious awards were also presented:

Team of the Year 2016: U16 Mixed Badminton

Sportswoman of the Year 2016: Emily Broad (Young Netball Official)

Sportsman of the Year 2016: Praise Olalere (Track and Field English Schools Athletics qualification)

Outstanding Achievement 2016: Lewis Davey (English Schools Qualification in Track and Field and Combined Events)

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KEY DIARY DATES FOR TERM 1

Students Involved:

Y7 & Y12	1st September	Term 1 2016-17 Begins (Y7 & Y12 ONLY)
ALL	2nd September	Term 1 2016/17 Begins (ALL)
Y10 & Y12	13th September	Photography Trip
ALL	w/c 19th September	Reading Week
ALL	21st September	Academy Photograph Day
Y9 & Y13	27th September	Photography Trip
Y11	29th September	Photography Trip
ALL	30th September	McMillan Coffee Morning
Various (helpers)	5th October	Y6 Open Day
Y7	6th October	Y7 Parents' Evening
Y9-Y13	7th October	Art Trip - London Galleries
Y10	11th October	Y10 Awards Ceremony
Y11	12th October	Y11 Awards Ceremony
Y12 & Y13	13th October	Sixth Form Awards Ceremony
Various	14th October	Lord Norton - Peers In Schools Programme
ALL	18th October	PD Day
Various (all welcome)	18th October	Music Showcase TBC
Various	19th October	Sir Isaac Newton Lecture—RAF Cranwell
Y11	20th October	Y11 Learning Evening
ALL	21st October	End of Term 1
ALL	31st October	Term 2 Begins

