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Improved Results for 2010



A Level students, *Hannah Burton, Ben Carter and Rosie Hodgson*

Year 13 students achieved an impressive set of A level results with very strong performance in a number of subject areas. 97% of A level entries were successful and 45% were at grade A*, A or B. Art, Biology, Drama, English Literature, Geography, History, Media Studies, Photography, Religious Studies and Textiles performed very well. In Photography, all students who took the subject obtained A* - B grades. Meanwhile, our GCSE results have leapt forward.

At the same time as overall performance improving, individual students have achieved some outstanding GCSE results.

Principal, Dr Joe Vitagliano commented, "This is a very pleasing set of results. At A level there is a significant step forward on last year's figures which shows the first fruits of a new strategy focused on improving student outcomes in the 6th form. Our AS level results have also shown a very pleasing improvement. They are a reward for the commitment of students over the last two years and reflect the partnership that exists between the College and its parents."



Y11s celebrating GCSE successes—*Holly Woodward, Tom Harrington, Ben Mollett, Leah Russell, Abigail Gray, Maddie Groves*

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Y12s Breathe their own brand of fire into Dragon's Den!



Some of our budding entrepreneurs: *l-r Liam Fox, Nick Gover, Abi Chard, Sian Budd, Hannah Grant, Billy Waters, Mitchell Hall*

6th Form Business Studies students came face to face with four local community 'Dragons' recently to present their business ideas and compete against one another to win the privilege of developing a real live company!

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Partnership News



Now under way following an information evening at MRC and parent/student visit to Winchester College, the Saturday morning SHINE lessons have begun. Taking place over 10 weeks, in term time, during this academic year, the experience is already having an impact on our Year 7 students who are enjoying being part in an informative Maths, English and Science programme, designed with a lot of variety and fun in mind. Headlines include *The Physics of Ice Cream, A Bit of Sword Play, Music Making, Art and Architecture, Elements of Murder, Sapientia et Doctrina* and the *Search for Extraterrestrial Life*.

[Aspire Group visit to Winchester College and Oxford University see Page 2](#)
[MRC v Winchester football tournament see Page 3](#)



Life on the ocean waves...

Year 10 student, Olivia Winther, started sailing when she was 7 and despite many thrills and spills along the way, her enthusiasm and commitment has not only led her to hold steady in this leisure pursuit, but also to launching herself into the world of competition, RYA qualifications and to becoming an expert crew member. [contd/3...](#)

To succeed you have to work hard, dig deep and appreciate all the support you get ... *Mo Farrar (UK) - European Athletics 2010 Gold Medalist at both 5,000 and 10,000 metres*

free to achieve, belong and contribute

Y11s Aspire

Students recently took part in a two day residential visiting both



Winchester College and Oxford University to undergo intensive maths, physics and general science work as part of our Aspire programme. Said Assistant Principal and Programme Leader, Miss Jen Weeks, "The welcome we receive from both institutions is always amazing. I am very proud of how, on each occasion, our Aspire groups transform themselves from secondary to higher education students overnight to make sure that they learn from the experience and take advantage of the special opportunities that the programme offers."

Well done to Johnny Mitchell, Jack Clarke, Tasmin Scott, Rory Neil, Scarlett Harris, Lucy Skinner, Lucy Bryant, Tony Scutt, Lorna Gaskin, Jessica Adams, Caroline

Miller, Archie Challen, Ffion Parry, Molly Edwards, Ali Alfrey, Alex Piggott, Alice Hatch, Alex Hooker, Tom Cain

How does science work?



Matt Gard, Corey Pilcher, Tom Wilson

In September two groups of *accelerated* Y9s took part in a GCSE physics taster science exhibition at University of Sussex, Brighton. The students, 45 in total, had a fantastic time, thoroughly enjoying both the lecture and hands on activities. The aim of the visit was to provide an exciting practical experience of physics and a demonstration of **How Science Works**, as well as raising aspirations towards higher education and careers in science.

Improved results *contd...*

"Not only are high standards being achieved but there is a clear trend of upward progress as Midhurst Rother College becomes established. A number of individual students performed particularly well with Hannah Burton obtaining one A* and two A grades, and Isobel Ingram achieving two A grades and one B. Other students who also did well were Ben Carter, Andrew Griffin, Ivan Gutowski-Smith, Rosie Hodgson, Luke Henley, Ryan Moss and Grant Odle.

"Again, at GCSE level," said Dr Vitagliano, "I feel strongly that these outcomes reflect students' hard work and the growing trust between the College and its parents. There were some superb individual performances with 21 students obtaining five or more A* and A Grades. I warmly congratulate all our students and staff on their superb achievements; strong foundations are in place for an excellent future at Midhurst Rother College and beyond."

LGB Chairman Mr David Anderson



Mr David Anderson, Chairman of MRC Local Governing Body on Gilbert Hannam Day with guest, Mr Jonathan Church, Artistic Director, Chichester Festival Theatre

I became chairman of the local governing body of MRC in the months before the College started in January 2009. We have come a long way since then. It has been an exciting journey. None of us are complacent but we have, I believe, put all the foundations in place for our success over the next few years.

Our aim is to be a school where every student is free to achieve, belong and contribute. As governors we try to monitor and support the work of the

Principal and his senior leadership team and we focus in detail on all aspects of the College Improvement Plan.

It is easy to get bogged down in the detail and I try as chairman to focus constantly on what I see as our main tasks. As a school we have to achieve consistent and outstanding exam results; we need to make sure that we provide outstanding education for all abilities; we aspire to have a much larger 6th Form; we need to be a place where our staff and students enjoy the experience of teaching and learning; and school should be a place that is fun.

Of course the other key task of the governors over the next few months is to ensure that the new building meets all our aspirations. It is a very exciting time and I encourage all to go and look at the plans.

Some people ask me what should our success criterion be. There are many but at its simplest I want Midhurst to be known as an area with an outstanding school and where people want to come and live because of our school. We will all play our part in trying to make that aspiration a reality.

New Adistar Ambassadors

Lucie Challen and Gabi Fisher, both Year 11 students, have been selected as Adistar Ambassadors 2010/2011, a Youth Sport national initiative. The criteria is tough, but Head of PE, Hayley Kemp was in no doubt that Lucie and Gabi, with their excellent sports leader track records, fitted the bill....

- **The ability to influence and inspire other young people**
- **To be able to generate ideas to increase participation in sport**
- **Ability to show initiative and take responsibility**
- **Ability to portray a positive image and be a good role model to young people**
- **Willingness to contribute to the wider College community**



Gabi



Lucie

MRC V Winchester friendly



When our Years 9, 10 and 11 football teams recently visited Winchester for a friendly tournament, Mr Bentley had no hesitation in saying that all concerned "*did us proud*". The Year 9 team narrowly lost 3-2 with *Karol Papaj* taking the man of the match award. The Year 10 team won convincingly 4-1 with *Charlie Pattison* as man of the match. Finally, the Year 11 team played out a very close and entertaining 1-1 draw with *Dean Bicknell* as the man of the match. The boys are looking forward to the return matches later in the season.

Well done to all our footballers: *Zac Chiverton, Callum Thorpe, Jay Garfield, Charlie Hayter, Charlie Bush, Charlie Pattison, Kieran Harrington, Shawn Chenery, Ryan Bampton, Jake Burtoo, Aidan Largan, Patrick Cowell, Liam Kitchener, Jordan Warren, Aaron Wakeham, Callum Dowdell, Jack Wallis, Karol Papaj, Matthew Greer, Stefan Roberts, Jack Banting, Nick Powell, Tom Cain, Dean Altass-Hye, Chris Stride, Johnny Biggs, Tom Merritt-Smith, Tam Kanlayankul, Dean Bicknell, Harry Humphrey, Curtis Dunton, Ollie Pearce, Liam Hardy, Ryan Davies, Archie Challen*

Life on the ocean waves *contd...*

Olivia's story... Since joining Chichester Yacht Club two years ago, I have attended most of the race training sessions and improved my boat handling and how I perform. I have also been awarded my RYA Stage 3. I started racing this summer and have gained a lot of confidence in myself and my ability as a sailor. During Dinghy Week I came 8th overall out of the 30 in my fleet and 2nd out of 120 peers when competing in the West Sussex Schools Regatta Pico section in serious, gusting winds. More recently I achieved an ambition to crew in an RS Feva (two man craft) with a national competitor who has a lot of experience. It was my first time sailing on a reservoir. Despite driving rain in a force 6/7 and capsizing the boat we were able to complete two out of the four races. We were very pleased with this as it was our first time out together and we had only expected to get one race under our life jackets! Our success also means that we have qualified for the RS Feva Southern Zone squads which I'm really excited about as it's going to be a massive learning curve and we get a cosy Musto jacket!



Y12s breathing their own brand of fire *contd...*

Dragons for the event included Liz Batten from Rolls-Royce Motor Cars Limited, Darron Carver from Apsley Shooting, Darren Walker from Barclays Bank Plc and James Glancey from Young Enterprise South East. A medley of business ideas, including business events, handmade belts, stamp shaped watches and a seasonal stationery idea, was put forward. However, it was the dynamic and well researched Bath Bombs and Scented Melts idea, with a unique concept for bringing them to market, that sparked the true flames of the day.



The winning entrepreneur, Hannah, found the whole process both interesting and compelling. She was particularly thrilled to win, but said she put in the extra effort she knew it would take to be successful, "I have watched some of the television programmes. I really didn't expect it to be quite as intense, but it was! I am now all fired up for the next stage."

Runners up, Abi and Sian's enthusiasm was infectious, "It was nerve wracking at first, but the Dragons were all really supportive and the whole experience was exciting and fulfilling. The plan now is to put Hannah's business proposal together so that we can appoint a Board of Directors and talk about funding with HSBC who have offered their help. The two of us are particularly keen as once Bath Bombs is underway, we hope to diversify into Stamp Watches and as a team have set our sights on winning the Young Enterprise contest for 2010/2011."



The girls are back in town...



Mrs Rachel Smith (Teacher of Beauty Therapy), Mrs Fleur Llewellyn (Subject Leader: Beauty Therapy), Beth Feldwhere, Kirsty Santon, Katie Swallow, Ieva Miglieniece, Jess Smethurst

Hush Salon has opened its doors this year with a special offer of **free** treatments to new and existing clients. It's the start of a new year for Beauty Therapy students as Year 12s begin their studies and the Year 13s progress to their Level 3 course at Hush Salon in Midhurst High Street. Clients are welcomed daily to experience state of the art salon treatments carried out in a sophisticated and relaxing environment. The treatments are all part of a carefully assessed programme in which students work towards NVQ Levels 2 and 3, equivalent to 5 GCSE A*-C and two A Grades at A level respectively. On offer are body massages, facials, aromatherapy, hot stone and Indian head massage, waxing, spray tan and individual lashes, all carried out for just a small fee to cover costs. However, for a limited period only, to celebrate their third year in business with an impressive 100% achievement rate, the Hush Salon Team is offering **Free Friday** mini treatments. These can be anything from manicures and pedicures to a taster Dermalogica facial, waxing, eyelash tints and eyebrow shaping. Hush salon is also now able to offer gift vouchers too. **Telephone 01730 819760 for more information**



Wearing it well at Guilfest

MRC student band, *Two Types of Clothing*, has been performing since the start of 2010 and comprises Year 11 students, *Carl Bradford* on bass guitar and vocals, *Jamie Swann* on lead guitar and backing vocals and Year 9 student, *Sam Bradford* on drums. They had already built a strong following in West Sussex, but their fan base really took off when they hit the Surrey Advertiser stage at this year's Guilfest music festival. With a lively and exciting set that included their own material, plus a couple of popular covers, the band really rocked the stage and performed with a passion and professionalism in front of a huge audience. More recently they have appeared at The Church in Midhurst and are due to take part in Live and Unsigned 2011.

If you would like more information about future gigs then please visit www.myspace.com/twotypesofclothing.



6th Former takes the stage as Lloyds TSB Local Hero

Hero

276 athletes from across Great Britain are represented on the Local Heroes programme this year. LTSB works with the independent charity, SportsAid, to identify promising athletes on their journey to London 2012 with the bank providing £1,000 of funding and a whole host of guidance and advice on how to prepare for life as an elite athlete.

The programme is part of Lloyds TSB's London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games sponsorship Activity. When it signed-up as a sponsor of the Games, Lloyds TSB made the commitment to help take London 2012 to all corners of the UK and spread the Olympic spirit so London 2012 can be remembered as the greatest Games of all time. As a GB athlete, Year 12, Adelle Tracey is now part of the programme and regularly attends especially designed workshops run by top Olympic athletes and their support teams, as well as taking part in high profile promotional presentations.

Olympic hopeful, Adelle, joins Amy Williams, English Olympic gold medalist skeleton racer, on stage at a Lloyds TSB Local Heroes London 2012 Activation Presentation



More than just a walk in the Black Forest

The parents of many of MRC students will have fond memories of exchange trips to Germany in their youth. On the 25th anniversary of the twinning between Midhurst and Baiersbronn we were particularly pleased to be invited to send a group of students to this beautiful Black Forest town. Seven Year 10 students, *Matt Coady, Morgan Butt, Milli Kelley, Katie Moore, Tom Hollands, Christian Styles and Seth Goldsmith* all of whom are studying German, took the Eurostar and TGV to Strasbourg on 23 September, accompanied by members of the adult twinning association, local councillors, and MRC language teachers, Andrew Thomas and Sandy Monk. A short coach ride took them to their host families for the long weekend.

The official climax of the trip was the formal twinning anniversary dinner at the Kurhaus in Röt, where the students were singled out for a special welcome by Baiersbronn's mayor, Norbert Beck. The group members were also entertained by their host families and on a particularly fun occasion all the young people came together for an afternoon's climbing through the trees on the Mehliskopf, over 3,000 feet above sea level.



Thanks for life

Students from MRC helped Midhurst & Petworth Rotary Club to plant 2000 crocus bulbs on the verge south of North Mill, Midhurst this month. Another 2000 had been put in the ground earlier by pupils from Midhurst Primary School near South Pond. We all look forward to seeing purple crocus patches appear in the New Year; purple represents the same colour mark which is placed on a child's little finger once immunised against polio in Africa and Asia. Polio is a crippling, and sometimes fatal, disease and still a terrifying reality for children in parts of Africa and Asia. However, it still threatens children everywhere. The bulb planting is part of a Rotary initiative, **Thanks for Life**, aimed at eradicating the disease worldwide. Thousands of Rotary members across Great Britain and Ireland are linking up with schools, businesses, organisations and individuals to hold a range of fundraising events for this cause.

Peter Thomas Y9, Luke Dunstan Y8, Sam Marsh Y8, Peter Norman Y9 Back row girls: Alison Collins Y9, Jen Welsman Y9 Front row girls: Chloe Stemp and Charlotte Collins both Y7 - Rotarians Mervyn Evans, John Barrett and far right Rotarian Peter Nightingale



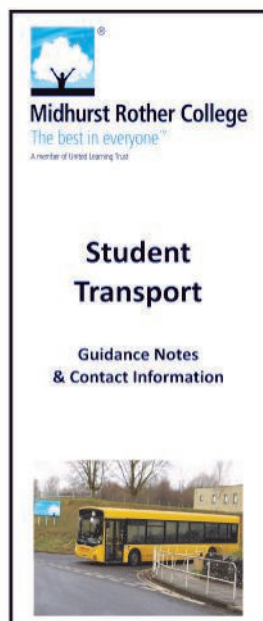
Let's work together...

Following the **Moodle** launch last year and its subsequent success, facilitated by Midhurst Rother College and driven by Headteacher, Johnny Culley (South Harting), the new Rother Valley Primary Year 6 cohort were given the opportunity to experience this cutting edge learning and communication tool. Moodle, a virtual learning environment (VLE) presents an online platform on which students can share information. During the day the Y6s worked on **Moodle** from their school ICT suites with the help of Year 8 MRC Students. The primary students now have the skills and know how to communicate with one another via Moodle in the lead up to their joining Midhurst Rother College in September 2011.

At Stedham Campsite, two days later, the group of some 240 pupils got to meet face to face in the glorious West Sussex countryside. Again, supported by Year 8 students, they enjoyed team building, low ropes, Forest Schools skills, photography, wildlife walks and creative workshops. The day concluded with a presentation of a digital camera to Emily Lintott from Rogate School for her winning Moodle logo (above). Prizes were also awarded for the **Best Team** (led by *Harry Chard - Y8*), **Best MRC Year 8 leader**, *Georgina Stemp (Y8)* and the team with the **Best "Top Tips"** on internet safety which was supported by *Oliver Banting (Y8)*.



Safe passage



The safety and well being of students at Midhurst Rother College is our top priority and we are acutely aware that transport to and from College calls for particular attention to detail. We have, therefore, produced our 'Student Transport' leaflet to provide important guidelines and contact details. The information not only covers safety measures, but also sets out the College's expectations for those using school or indeed public transport. Midhurst Rother College serves a largely rural population with a high proportion (65%) of our students using school

transport to and from College. Other than students who take public transport to College, the local authority, West Sussex County Council, is responsible for the provision of this service by organising bus routes and engaging operators to run the service. Working with our local authority we are committed to ensuring that all students have a safe, pleasant and timely journey to and from College.

All parents and carers of students who take College transport should have received this leaflet. Please contact the College office if you have not received this information or would like additional copies.

Attendance matters!

As has been communicated in the past, holiday requests during term time are not authorised unless circumstances are extenuating. Please do not, therefore, book any vacations during College term time. The goal for each student is attendance of at least 95%. **Holidays in term time, whether unauthorised or authorised, count against a student's attendance record. Year 11 students are reminded that should they wish to take part in the Prom at the end of the year, attendance records are taken into account, along with good punctuality.**

WHAT DO YOUR ATTENDANCE FIGURES ACTUALLY MEAN?

95% = 47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR

90% = 95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR

85% = 142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR

80% = 190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR

BE SMART BE THERE!

Percentages based on 190 academic days

Principal

Last year the College set itself some ambitious targets, they were summarised in the phrase "10% better overall at GCSE and one grade higher at A level". Below is a summary of how well we did in GCSE, AS and A level examinations:

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| 69% 5+ GCSE A*-C | 12% up |
| 58% GCSE A*-C English | No change |
| 59% GCSE A*-C Maths | No change |
| 97% A*-E - A level | 3% up |
| 45% A*-B - A level | 2% up |
| 86% A-E - AS level | 10% up |
| 29% A-B - AS level | 7% up |



J. H. Vitagliano

We exceeded our overall targets at GCSE and A level. The overall GCSE results bettered all previous performance and the A level results were a return to performance levels that had not been seen for a number of years. Both the A and AS level results indicate great promise for next year and show the College as being very competitive with other Sixth Form providers.

This year we are still aiming to improve overall GCSE results but there will be a special focus on GCSE English and Maths. We have already spent half a term concentrating on this important area and we are aiming for improved results next summer. There are a range of strategies in place that will support students towards better exam results and parents will become aware of the initiatives that are designed to do this.

The second important area I wish to share with parents is in regard to the progress of our building plans. Very understandably, given the current economic climate, many parents are still asking whether the funding for our new building is secure. I can categorically state that our £31 million budget is protected and Midhurst Rother College is moving forward to getting a new building in 2012. The next key step is the scrutiny of the planning application on 2 November. This process is not a foregone conclusion – the application will be carefully considered and there will be an opportunity for interested stakeholders to present their views. If the College is to get the best possible building this is a necessary and important stage to go through. The final outcome will be known by the end of November and I will be letting parents know of this in the end of term newsletter. Whilst we do not foresee any major obstacles we are not being complacent – we fully recognise that due process has to be followed and we are happy to abide by this.

The first half term has passed very quickly. The summer seems a long way away and we are now looking towards Christmas. Over the half term break we will vacate the River Site Building in Midhurst and move to temporary classrooms after this holiday. This arrangement makes no assumptions about planning outcomes in November but does put the College in a very strong position when all necessary permissions are finally granted. In the meantime we are fully committed to providing the best possible education and pastoral support to our students during any major building works and a great deal will be happening over the next few months to make this promise good.

Finally, can I please encourage the parents of students taking GCSE modules to ensure their children put time aside to prepare for these important exams. In addition, we have 150 Year 11 students who need to prepare as they are taking their GCSE English Language early (in November). Parents and carers have one of the most challenging jobs of life and managing the competing demands placed upon their children is one of them. Please share your concerns with us if you have any anxieties around this area and we will do our best to work with you towards a long term goal that we know will help students move on positively in their lives.

As we move into the half term break, despite the many demands being made of students, I hope there is time for them to rest and also to gather together in the heart of their families. I wish everybody a good holiday.



6th Formers, Sophie, George, Declan, Luran, Hannah, Charlie, Meg, Ellie, Georgie, Hayley, Emily, Tash, Keiran, Lucy, Ryan, Beth Nicki and Katie

Students from MRC 6th Form visited Chestnut Tree House to learn more about the work that takes place there and the much needed funds to enable staff, volunteers and patrons to continue tending to 'life limited' children and their families in our area. CTH is one of the nominated MRC charities this year. Said 6th Form Pastoral leader, Mrs Beesley, who accompanied the group, "I think the visit had an impact on us all. I thought that being greeted by a star and ribbon on the front door was rather lovely until I realised its significance. A young boy had died overnight. The colour of the ribbon denoted a boy. He was in his early teens and had died unexpectedly. Every child that dies has an engraved stone in the water feature of the garden designed by Tommy Walsh from the television programme, Ground Force."

Congratulations...



...to **Lottie Adams**, Year 10 who recently appeared at the Minerva Theatre in the *Chichester Youth Theatre* schools production of *Much Ado About Nothing*. Lottie, who took the part of Ursula, waiting gentlewoman attendant on Hero, is taking GCSE Drama and Theatre Studies and said, "I was really nervous—the theatre was full of students and family members, but I really enjoyed the experience. I have had to pass on the Christmas production, but really look forward to the next opportunity I have to work in the same company."

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CENTRE STAGE ACADEMY THEATRE SCHOOL

- Acting
- Musical Theatre
- Coaching & Performance

...to Centre Stage Academy students who passed 2010 LAMDA examinations.

6th Formers *Charlie Clee* (Distinction), *Luke Henley* (Distinction), *Ryan Moss* (Merit) and Year 8, *Harry Dunning* who achieved a Distinction for his part in a duologue.

Said Brett East, CSA Founder and Artistic Director, "We were delighted with the results of the 2nd year of the demanding LAMDA examinations, and very happy to continue our excellent 'alliance' with the College. It has been Centre Stage Academy Theatre School's Midhurst base now for nearly 3 years and are pleased that Principal, Dr Joe Vitagliano is one of the Academy's supportive Patrons."

For more information about how you can be involved with CSA...

Telephone **07773 416593/**www.csa-theatreschool.co.uk

...to **Charlie Chatwood** and **Sophie Lane**, Head Boy and Girl who successfully acted as joint Chairs at the chambers of Chichester District Council when a committee made up of primary school pupils came together to discuss community issues. These included CCTV cameras, obesity and the future of The Grange in Midhurst. Welcomed by John Ridd, Chairman of the Chichester District Council, youngsters from Dunton CE Juniors, Harting, Bury, Rogate, Midhurst, Easebourne, Hollycombe, Stedham, Fernhurst, Petworth, Camelsdale and Rake took part.

...to everyone who contributed to nearly £800 which was collected by students on Jeans for Genes day.



Shop 'til you drop £££s into the funds being collected by Year 11s towards their community projects when they visit Vietnam & Cambodia in 2011 - visit www.easyfundraising.org.uk/MRCVietnamandCambodia to see how you can help by shopping at well known retailers online through this site.

Homework & Revision... *can be accessed online, through our website or by using this direct link*

<https://vle.mrc-academy.org>

If you need help or more information

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Our Calendar

More details of events will be provided nearer the time or can be found on our website www.mrc-academy.org

New date for your diary - the date for GCSE EXAM RESULTS 2011 has been announced - THURSDAY 25 AUGUST

OCTOBER

25-29 **Half Term Break**

NOVEMBER

- 1 **College re-opens**
- 2 Opera Experience Workshop, Woking, Surrey
- 4 UK Senior Maths Challenge
- 4 Y7 to meet Ben Quilter—visually impaired Judo World Champion—Easebourne
- 6 SHINE (Saturday School) Winchester College
- 8 Yrs 11 & 12 English Exams
- 8 Yrs 12 & 13 Art Students—visit to Tate Modern
- 8 Rotary Club Musical Festival—Herbert Shiner Hall—7pm
- 9 Y12 Maths retakes
- 10 Yrs 11 & 12 English Exams
- 10 Yrs 9 & 10 Cross Country—Oaklands Park
- 10 Y10 - Rotary Young Chef Competition—first round - 3-5pm Midhurst Site
- 11 Y11 GCSE Science retakes
- 15 Y11 Music Performance - GCSE
- 15 Y11 Maths Module Retakes
- 16 Y6 G&T Science Day—Easebourne
- 16,18,19 Y11 Music GCSE
- 17 Y9 Parents'/Carers' Consultation Eve - 5.30-8.30 - Easebourne Site
- 19 Children in Need—non-uniform day
- 20 SHINE (Saturday School) Winchester College
- 20 Twickenham—College trip to England v Samoa rugby game
- 22 Yrs 11-13 Maths Inspiration Show
- 22 MRC Local Governing Body Meeting—University of Chichester
- 24 Yrs 12 & 13 Photography Students—visit to Tate Modern
- 24 Y10 Rugby Leadership Course (after school)
- 24 Winter Concert - 7pm—venue to be confirmed
- 25 Y9 Careers Event

26 & 29 InSet Days

DECEMBER

- 2 Tree of Hope - 6pm St Mary's, Easebourne
- 6 Yrs 12 & 13 Maths Lecture, London
- 8 Y10 Rugby Leadership Course (after school)
- 6 Y10 - Higher Education Advice Day with Chichester University
- 10 Y8 Carol Competition
- 10 Y12 Progression Day Chichester University— all Y12s off timetable
- 14 Yrs 10-13 Carol Service Midhurst
- 14 A Level Drama Performance
- 15 Y10 Rugby Leadership Course (after school)
- 16 Yrs 7-9 Carol Service Easebourne

17 College closes for Winter Break 2.45pm Easebourne /2.50pm Midhurst

JANUARY

4 **College re-opens following Winter Break**

30 Nov—10
Dec
Year 11 Mock
Exams

4 Jan—02 Feb
Years 11, 12 & 13
Exams

Absence Telephone Line - 01730 812451

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