

# Hockerill News

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# Principal's Column



I would like to pay tribute and convey the thanks of all at Hockerill to Our Honorary President Thomas Matussek, as he nears the conclusion of his term as German Ambassador to the Court of St. James. He has been a great supporter of Hockerill and we wish him and his family continued happiness and success in his new posting as Ambassador to the United Nations in New York. We were delighted when he informed us that his successor, Wolfgang Ischinger (the current German Ambassador to the US in Washington), would be pleased to carry on the tradition as our new Honorary President. We are also delighted that Frank Arnesen, the Director of Sport at Chelsea, has agreed to join John and Frances Sorrell as Patrons of the College.

An exciting new phase in Hockerill's evolution starts on 1st April when we officially become recognised as a specialist Music College (in addition to our other leading roles as both a Language College and a Training School). Parents will be aware of the growing profile and excellence of Hockerill's music over recent months and governors are confident that this new status will be quite transformational for our community.

I would like to thank the large number of parents who have been making regular monthly payments to our Development Fund. This summer the money raised in this way (over £38,000) will help finance a major refurbishment of the Music Suite (including a recording studio) and provide new changing rooms and netball courts next to the all weather sports pitch which is being re-laid this summer. These contributions do make a big difference and if any other parents feel able to contribute to the development fund please do let me know.

Congratulations to Sabine Craston and to John Simmons on being newly elected parent governors and thank you to all who put themselves forward for election and also to all who voted. Also to Christine Smith on her recent appointment as staff governor.

Speech Day and the Annual Celebration Ball take place on Saturday 24th June. Both are all ticket events – tickets for Speech Day will be available early next term but tickets for the Ball have almost sold out. These are excellent events and in different ways great celebrations of our community, please do support them.

**Dr R B Guthrie**



Congratulations to the newly appointed Year 12 prefects: B Baer; C Bologna; M Butler; E Chamorro-Courtland; D Clulow; C Cooper-Cox; G Cox; M Deutschmann; M Eldred; O Fakoya; P Faulkner Harding; P Gaertner; R Hanssen; R Jeffries; C Kloess; F Lernevall; M McCarthy; P Pluckrose-Oliver; M Polke; K Rogerson; H Rowbottom; H Schober; W Smith; S Sou; C Sturgess; A Ullmann; F Von Nostitz; W Waigi; A White; E Winter; T Zuehlsdorff

## 60's night

**Friday 3rd March**

There we were, wondering where to spend our Friday night, when the opportunity arose for us to don our best vintage outfits, slap on some hair gel, and head down to the Sixth Form Centre where it was all happening!

On arrival we felt quite at home with the array of wigs, big earrings and short skirts sported by others attending the Sixties Night in aid of Iasi. The crowning glory, however, had to be the Sergeant Pepper jacket worn by the D.J. and organiser of the event, Mr. Pluckrose-Oliver! There was certainly plenty of grooving going on and the atmosphere was great. Phoebe made a charming hostess, and Mrs. Shellard a great dance partner! Well done to all of those involved in the organisation of such a one-off event.

**Mr and Mrs Wasner**

## Forthcoming Events

### Celebration

**25th/26th/27th April**

This year's production, 'Celebration', will be a thoroughly entertaining evening of songs from musicals and films directed by Mrs Vernon (choreography) and Mr Foulkes (music). Tickets available from Mrs Shellard in the library (price £4 students, £6 adults).

### Sports Dinner

**5th May**

Following last year's highly successful Sports Dinner the event is to be repeated. Football's Frank Arnesen will be guest speaker in an evening to celebrate the achievement of the College's rugby, hockey, netball, basketball and football teams. Entertainment to be provided by the First XV and First X1 with some staff guest appearances! Ticket info from Mrs Shellard.

### Yale Spizzwinks

**15th May**

An evening concert from Yale University's 14 strong *a capella* group will follow the afternoon masterclasses for students. This highly acclaimed and sophisticated group's repertoire ranges from jazz to pop ballads and rock n' roll. Ticket info available from Reception.

### Midsummer Ball

**25th June**

Only a few tickets remain. Please contact Mrs Bates for further information.

## A visit from The European Theatre Company



On Wednesday 15th March, The European Company performed an interactive play in French in St Alban's Hall for six of our local primary schools. The show successfully brought alive in an intimate fun theatre workshop production, significant areas of the curriculum and enhanced our knowledge of the French artist Rodin. It also challenged stereotypes and encouraged reflection in a fantasy context. Students from Y3 to Y6 and their teachers actively took part in the play and enjoyed a whole new range of experiences, memories and laughter.

**Mrs C Bailey, French Teacher**



## ISMTF Senior Maths Competition

On Saturday 4th February my alarm went off at 5.45. 45 minutes later I was at Bishop's Stortford station in the cold and dark, hoping that 5 of Hockerill's best mathematicians would also make it out of bed so early on a winter morning. They did! Michael appeared, followed by Nacho, Daniel and Alex and then Andrew. By 0800 we were registering at the American School in St. John's Wood for 2 days of competition with other International schools.

The morning was a bit of a slog with 10 rounds of individual questions and everyone working in silence in a huge gym. The afternoon was much more fun, there was a buzz of excitement with about 150 low voices discussing strategies in teams of 3 for 7 rounds. Attempting to answer 3 very difficult questions in 10 minutes was mind focusing!!!

We got home tired, and it was even harder getting up the same time the next morning for day 2! Amazingly all arrived on time at the station. Then followed the ordeal of a Sunday morning Rail Replacement Bus from Stortford to Broxbourne. Cold, noisy and uncomfortable was not what we needed the morning after Saturday night! Stoicism kept us going.

We all enjoyed the Sunday mixed team event. It was an opportunity to mix with other students. I spent a pleasant hour with a colleague from Paris, manning the hardest question on the circuit!

Coming home on the Central Line Tube, other passengers would have noticed 5 youngsters hunched together around a piece of A4 paper scrutinising the team results: We came 30th out of 55 schools. So we didn't win anything, and we learnt that there are a lot of clever young people out there!!

Overall we were impressed by the cross cultural atmosphere as well as the location of the competition. Alex described the American School as "just amazing". We all thought we should try and enter more competitions as it was fun to meet and chat with students and teachers from other IB schools.

**Mrs A Goldsmith, Maths Teacher**

## My Music Box

I will put in the box

A ripple from the calmest lake on Earth  
The glassy waters will have one flaw  
Rolling water hills gliding on the lake

I will put in the box

The soft smell of my mum's cashmere scarf

I remember being held in her arms,  
smelling that motherly smell  
While she rocked me gently to sleep

I will put in the box

The prickly touch of my Dad's unshaved chin

As he kisses me goodbye every morning  
Complaining and yawning

I will put in the box

The neat dimples engraved on my brother's cheeks  
Because they remind me of the fun we had

When we were little

I will put in the box

The moist earth in between two hills on the first day of spring  
As it crumbles like sponge cake between a baby's podgy fingers

A giggle erupting from his mouth  
Lastly, my favourite view of all

I will put in the box

Deep Asia-blue sky above fading out to baby-blue sky on the horizon from the point of Point Blanc

While the sun sets for the night, cool breeze whipping at wet frozen hair  
Memories lead me back here ... simply because it's beautiful

Simply because they're beautiful

**Alice Menhennet, Year 8**

## TOK Trip

January saw forty-five Year 12 students travel to Cambridge Guild Hall for the College's first Theory of Knowledge trip. This compulsory element of the I.B Diploma requires students to question the foundations of what they consider to be 'knowledge' and seeks to permeate their perceptions of the other subjects offered by the Diploma. The trip itself gave sixth-formers the opportunity to learn about key aspects of ethical theory in a one day lecture course given by leading scholars, Peter Vardy and Julie Arliss. The course had both a classical and contemporary feel to it, covering topics such as globalisation, business ethics, the status of the embryo and Kantian ethics. One student commented, "I found it really interesting...It made me think about the decisions I make in the modern world".

**Mr R Graves, English Teacher**

## History Department

On 28th February, Year 13 historians attended a Sixth Form conference on Stalin, the focus of IB Paper 1 where they enjoyed three lectures from the eminent historian Edward Acton. On 23rd March, Year 11 historians attended a revision conference on the history of medicine, with a particular focus on Paper 2 examination skills, together with a role play drama on key historic individuals covered in the syllabus. Both events proved highly useful and entertaining and marked ideal preparation for the forthcoming examinations in May and June.

**Mr M Jones,**  
**Deputy Head of Humanities**

## Interaction Day 3

We recently held our IBO Middle Years Programme's third day of interaction. "Our London in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Centuries" involved an action-packed excursion including Shakespeare's Globe, St. Paul's Cathedral and the National Portrait Gallery on 6th March (7B and 7D) and 7th March (7G and 7P). This built on previous study in lessons of various aspects of life and culture at that time, and which will be continued during this half-term.

History and Art have studied Tudor portraiture, English - Shakespeare and the Globe, Technology - the design of St. Paul's Cathedral, Music - contemporary musical pieces, RE - the importance of St. Paul in Christianity, while French, German and IT produced tourist guides to London.

In the National Portrait Gallery, students examined portraits of the various Tudor monarchs and their relations, extracting the hidden messages and understanding the importance of symbolism. In Shakespeare's Globe, students were given a guided tour and took part in a workshop on "Romeo and Juliet". In St. Paul's, a guided tour enabled students to understand the many mosaic creations and they climbed to see the Whispering, Stone and Golden Galleries. Two particular highlights of the day were when two Forms were able to perform a scene from "Romeo and Juliet" on stage at Shakespeare's Globe and climbing a massive 560 steps to the top of St. Paul's Cathedral. The view of London was definitely worth the effort and was breathtaking, if a little scary!

The students really enjoyed the day and prizes were awarded in the Principal's Assembly this term for the best contribution made by one student from each Form. The winners were Anya Bowker(7B), Alex George (7D), Oliver Thorpe (7G) and Omatayo Obi (7P).

Details will follow regarding Day 4, "Our International Community", which takes place during the Activities Week in June.

**Mr M Jones,**  
**MYP Development Coordinator**

## Music School

We are pleased that there has been a real increase in the number of students opting to take individual instrumental lessons at Hockerill. This has led to an increase in the appointment of a number of specialists to the team - Rob Coleman and Graham Instrall (drumkit/percussion), Sarah Sykes (voice) and Marky Colah (Bass Guitar/Voice). At present the Music school provides quality tuition to over 160 students by a team of 13 visiting musicians.

**Mr P Foulkes,**  
**Head of Music School**

## English Department

Last term students throughout the school entered an external poetry competition promoted by 'Young Writers'. This term we heard the exciting news that many of our students who entered will have their poems published in a special poetry anthology named Poetic Voices From Across The UK.

The English Department marked World Book Day by distributing book tokens to every student across the school. Also this term, a theatre company came to Hockerill to perform extracts from 'Macbeth' for Year 9 students who are studying this play for their SATs. Active participation was certainly required when students themselves were asked to direct the actors!

As well as the workshop in school, Year 7 students were also learning about Shakespeare during their visit to The Globe Theatre in London. This term many Year 7 students took part in LAMDA examinations, the first of their kind at Hockerill. Three LAMDA examiners came to the school and assessed the students and we are now eagerly awaiting the results.

**Ms C Docx,**  
**English Teacher**

## Language C

This term a large group of students from Years 9 and 10 went to Liège on our annual exchange. The 24 Year 10 students did a week's work experience in a variety of placements. At the same time, 14 Year 10 students from the German bilingual section went to Münster and also took part in one week's work experience. Again students were a credit to the College by the way they undertook the work and reports received were of a very high standard.

In late March, 24 Year 12 students go to Aix en Provence for the second half of their exchange. These students will be involved in work experience over a two-week period. In all over 60 students will have been engaged in Work Experience in France, Belgium and Germany over this half term which is no mean feat.

As I write, the first Spanish exchange group from Valladolid has just left Hockerill after a wonderful first visit. We are indeed very happy to continue to work with the Collegio San Jose. We are awaiting with anticipation the return visits from our Italian friends as well as those from Tokyo and Liège.

The annual appeal for the Iasi Special School has involved students, parents and staff in a variety of exciting fundraising activities. We have had a non-uniform day, a Talent Contest spanning a school week, a very successful 60s night and a concert appropriately named IASITONBURY. Over £1500 has been raised for this worthy cause in the space of 2 weeks.

## Liege Work Ex

In February half-term we went to Belgium to do an exchange and work experience. I was really excited about going but slightly nervous as I didn't know what to expect. When we arrived I met the family and they were really nice.

The first day of work I had to get up early but I made it on time and Mr Ullmann showed us to our work placement. I was in a bakery and when we walked in the smell was delicious

In February I went to Belgium with the College for an exchange. My exchange partner was really nice, his name was John. When we were there we did work experience. I worked in the nursery with the youngest children. They were actually sweet but demanded my attention which was very tiring. When we were there it was carnival time so

Doing work experience abroad is a once in a lifetime experience and I am privileged enough to have taken part in an exchange and work experience. We spent a total of 10 days in Belgium working from Monday to Friday. The weekends were spent with our host families. I worked in a small restaurant near the centre of Liège. I found it really educated me in the way the "working" world

# College

Staff and students are also increasingly aware of our growing links with the Collège de Gisenyi in Rwanda. Money was raised last term to send out football kit for 32 players and this has been received with much appreciation. Mrs Chalmers and myself will be going to Rwanda in two months and will be looking at expanding our humanitarian work in this country.

There are also many exciting curricular ideas which we shall try and implement over the next few months in both Romania and Rwanda. Mr Foulkes, Mr Gillmore and myself are in the process of launching a concert tour to Iasi next February, to involve workshops and interaction with children from all our partner schools particularly the Special School. We also have some wonderful ideas to take out to Rwanda which will enhance both their curriculum and ours over the coming months. Hockerill is really taking its responsibility for delivering a global curriculum seriously.

**Mr M Ullmann, Director of the Language College**

## Experience

My employer was sweet and patient with me but I found the first day tough as I had never worked before. I did the washing up, I swept the floor but the most fun was serving the customers as it improved my French and showed me what work is really like.

**Siobhan Latham**

they were working on masks and as a member of staff I was asked to help them.

It was a very good experience and I learnt a lot. I would like to go back and see them all again.

**Adam Fitzpatrick**

works and it also improved my French. I had to work extremely hard because it was a popular restaurant. However it was also very rewarding and I would do the week again with pleasure.

**Laura Pepper**

# Münster Work Experience

During February I had the pleasure of spending my half term holidays in Münster, a place I have come to know well, where I accompanied a group of very well behaved, enthusiastic students of German. The 11 students in Year 10 were about to embark on a week's work experience in a German school, kindergarten or company.

We arrived at the airport late on Thursday night to be greeted by our host families, and then whisked off to our beds. On Friday it would be an early start in school, followed by a visit to our work placements in preparation for the week of work experience beginning on the Monday. All went well as we arrived, everyone was looked after, and we all made it to school the next morning. The students settled into their host families, and began the week with optimism, if not also with just a few nerves!

**Mrs V Wasner, Head of German**



**Here is one of the student's perspectives on their week...**

Working in a German kindergarten was for me a wonderful experience. I loved it from the first moment and will always remember it.

The children were adorable and I have pictures to remind me of them. At the end of the week they gave me a lovely present containing drawings which they had done themselves with me. The adults were very pleasant and helpful as was my host family who are close friends of ours. Fortunately I filmed the children on many occasions so I can look back at my time there and appreciate it all the more. Furthermore my German has improved considerably both in listening and in speaking.

Anyone who gets the opportunity of going to a foreign country for work experience at a young age is very fortunate and should try and gain maximum benefit from it.

**Jeremy Ullmann**



## Una Pizza Perfetta!

On the 3rd of March, the Year 11 Italian class walked into the food tech room. The atmosphere was buzzing and we were all excited about getting the chance to make (but most importantly, eat) some 'authentic Italian' pizzas! Previously, we had been studying food and drinks in class and so Mr. Geracitano thought it would be an enriching experience to attempt making the pizza first hand. We were provided with the basic ingredients and even had the opportunity to create a pizza base from scratch. Many students tried new and original toppings and techniques, such as stuffed crusts and crisps crumbled on top of the melted cheese. Thanks to our 'head chef', Mrs. Opperman, everything went smoothly, the pizzas turned out deliciously and the room was filled with this amazing aroma of Italian herbs and basil. Our Italian class are extremely grateful and would like to thank Mrs. Opperman and Mr.G for allowing us to make Italy's most famous dish. "Let's show the Italians how it's done!"

**Alessia Andretta and  
Elma von Cossel**

## Amnesty

Amnesty International is a worldwide movement of people who campaign for human rights. Amnesty is an independent movement. It does not agree or disagree with the views of victims whose rights Amnesty tries to protect. It is only concerned with the protection of human rights.

I first joined Amnesty because I needed a third club and one of my friends was doing it. I soon realised why people bother to come week after week. When someone gets let out of prison because the government received so many letters, knowing you had some part in that feels really good. In our group we write some of these letters and we join in other Amnesty work.

Last term, as most people know, Amnesty did a campaign called "Protect the Human". The Hockerill Amnesty Group held a very successful bake sale which raised £110 and sold many badges (£130) to support the campaign. Thank you to everyone who contributed.

**Vicky Pegg**

# Creativity in Art



*Right:* Year 8's are exploring Quentin Blake who illustrated stories by Roald Dahl, in pen and ink.



*Left:* An Egyptian painting produced as part of year 11's GCSE Art coursework using Acrylic.

*Above and right:* Year 12 and 13 IB CAS Visual form students are currently studying colour & cubism influenced by the artist Picasso. Initially they produced pencil drawings of themselves which were then converted into large paintings in Acrylic.



*Above:* Year 10 GCSE Artists visited the British Museum in London to look at African Art, this forms part of their current project on Ceramics. The final piece will be a large clay pot which will be fired in the kiln.

*Above:* 3D examples of Year 7 self portrait project in Cubist style, using collage and papier mâché.

## Peer Mentoring

Students in Year 7 and 8 have been busy working with the Peer Mentoring group on issues such as settling into College, academic worries, prep problems, friendship disputes. The Peer Mentoring team were officially launched in a recent Lower College Assembly during which the Head Girl, Hollie Mae-Lewis, addressed the students about the importance of a listening and caring community where every student should feel included. The peer mentoring team will continue to present a high profile in and around College.



**Mrs C Martin, Head of Year 10**

## Uniform

We have taken delivery of the new girls' blouses which are made from poly-cotton. Although the label says they cannot be tumble dried, this is not the case. The next batch will be correctly labelled and we are sorry for the mix-up. They are on sale at £15 each.

If any parent wishes to make a uniform appointment, I am available most days after College. Reception will pass on any message to me.

**Mrs C Guthrie, Uniform Shop**

# Technology News



Another term and more great success stories for the Design Technology Department.

Year 7 students took part in their second MYP day, linking Science, Mathematics and Design Technology, they designed and constructed habitats which could operate without gravity in space. The results showed considerable thought and ingenuity despite only using the simple materials of dowel and elastic bands.

Year 10 students from the Electronics and Resistant Materials groups had the opportunity to be creative with a robotics theme. Small teams had to construct and programme lego robots to complete various missions on Mars. As part of their work-related learning experiences, linked in with making engineering fun, the day was very successful. A number of robots completed their missions with great accuracy.

To encourage students to have an active say, a Design Technology Committee was set up by Key Stage 3 students. Stella Johnson, Secretary of the committee, writes:

"The Design Technology Student Committee has been created to give Hockerill students their say in the DT department. Members have been chosen from Year 7, 8 and 9 students with a particular interest in DT. It will meet every 6 weeks after a big assessment to discuss any issues or ideas they have about the department. The aim is to improve and assist DT at Hockerill by using our suggestions on assessments, teaching and the different projects to make DT a strong and successful subject. The Chair (Stephen Macey) and I were elected to conduct the meetings and work closely with



Mrs Sinclair to make this happen. If any students have any comments please see a member of the committee (list outside T1) before our next meeting on 24th March."

Year 13 IB DT students had the opportunity to visit LOTUS cars, in Norwich, as part of their coursework. The two hour tour of the factory to watch the sports cars being produced from scratch was an experience the students will never forget - nor will the teachers! From the initial body panels to the chassis and engine, LOTUS couldn't have been more welcoming. At each stage the students were encouraged to handle the components and the assembled cars, even getting to sit in a finished model.

Year 11 students have been working hard on their final products and I've been impressed with their involvement and enthusiasm. Some gave up their whole weekend to work on them in College, this really is commendable. A gold star must go to Daniel Webb (11DDSi) who gave up his West Ham ticket to stay working on his textiles project - what commitment!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank my colleagues for giving up their weekend to work with Year 11 students, also a BIG thank you to Mr Jones (father of Andrew Yr10) for his support on the Robotics Day and the parents who continue to support our work through encouraging the students' quality work and paying the Technology fund so promptly. Enjoy the vacation and, Year 11, do not forget the final deadline for folders, it is the first day back  
**Mrs D Sinclair, Head of Technology**

# CCF



Once again it has been a very busy term for Hockerill Anglo-European College CCF. 30 cadets attended Exercise 1st Look at STANTA training ground in Thetford forest back in October 2005 and had a fantastic time. They are due to attend their second exercise on the 6th and 7th May 2006. During this exercise they will compete as two sections and put into practice their survival and movement in the field skills. We have 17 cadets attending Capel Curig camp in Snowdonia over Easter. During this trip they will participate in Rock Climbing, Kayaking, Hill walking (including Mount Snowdon!), Abseiling and Gorge walking. It promises to be an action packed few days. To add to the number of trips available for Cadets we will also have our annual CCF camp in the summer. This will run from the 1st July to the 8th July 2006, more details will follow nearer the date. I would like to thank all the cadets for their continued commitment to the CCF at Hockerill and we look forward to recruiting more cadets in September.

**Captain N Ashlee-McCrae,  
Contingent Commander HAEC CCF**

## Lent Term Sports Results

<b>NETBALL</b>	<b>U12 VII A</b>	<b>U12 VIIB</b>	<b>U13 VII A</b>	<b>U13 VII B</b>	<b>U14 VII A</b>	<b>U14 VII B</b>	<b>U15 VII</b>	<b>U16 VII</b>	<b>1st VII</b>
St Mary's	L 3-15	W 7-0	L 3-13	L 3-4			L 2-7	L 2-10	
Birchwood	W 26-0		W 21-1						
Freeman							L 4-10	D 8-8	
Leventhorpe	D 7-7	W 3-1	D 12-12		W 9-6		L 8-16	L 7-22	
Herts & Essex	L 4-7	W 4-2	W 5-1	L 7-14			L 2-20	L 5-7	
BS College					L 10-31	L 1-14	L 3-42	L 9-30	L 6-24
District	3rd	1st	KO Gp	KO Gp	KO Gp	KO Gp	KO Gp	KO Gp	
Won	1	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Drew	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lost	2	0	1	2	1	1	5	4	1
Goals +	40	14	41	10	19	1	19	31	6
Goals -	29	3	27	18	37	14	95	77	24

<b>FOOTBALL</b>	<b>U12 XI</b>	<b>U13 XI</b>	<b>U 14 XI</b>	<b>U15 XI</b>	<b>1st XI</b>	<b>HOCKEY</b>	<b>U13 XI County Cup</b>	<b>U14 XI County Cup</b>
St Mary's	W 6-2	W 7-1	L 0-2	W 3-0		Kingshott	L 0-2	
Friends	W 3-0	W 2-0		W 3-1	W 4-2	Dame Alice Owen	W 3-1	L 0-1
Helena Romanes	W 4-1	L 1-3	W 2-0	W 2-0	L 0-4	FCH	W 4-0	L 1-5
Leventhorpe	W 3-1					Tring	L 0-1	
Herts & Essex					D 0-0	JFK	W 2-0	
Newport	W 5-1	D 3-3	L 0-1	D 1-1		Sir John Lawes	D 1-1	
District	1st	3rd	KO Gp	1st	KO Gp	Districts	2nd	KO Gp
Won	5	2	1	3	1	Won	3	0
Drew	0	1	0	1	1	Drew	1	0
Lost	0	1	2	0	1	Lost	2	2
Goals +	21	13	2	9	4	Goals +	10	1
Goals -	5	7	3	2	6	Goals -	5	6



## Terry Fox Run

We wish to congratulate all students who took part in the first Equipe/Terry Fox Run, helping to raise much needed funds for cancer research. This event was organised by the PE Department and aided by Interact. One Equipe point was given for each 1.4km lap of the course completed. Brunel students completed the highest number of laps on the day and gained 691 Equipe points.

## Netball

The Netball season has fallen in a short term, so not many fixtures have been played. We have really appreciated the support we've had from parents in helping with transport to fixtures as well as the commitment from the students.

### Squads

**U.12 VII:** A Boulton (Captain), A Bigg, H Blatch, B Davis, N Patel, S Graham, E Davis, E Banjac, M Lines, C Dixon, C Carr, R Dand, G Price, E Fuller, C Pope, L Baxter, C Martin, T Tingey, S Batey, A Quinn & A Carter.

**U.13 VII:** J Easto (Captain), M Pestell, H Brookhouse, A Wilson, A Ballard, C Pepper, H Lohmeyer, C Fisk, J Lowe, S Drew, E Treadwell, A Walker-Roy, K Vrylandt, J Quinn, A Goldworthy, S Yates, H Leach, E Hunter & M Woolley.

**U.14 VII:** A Ayesu (Captain), K Adjirackor, K Eleyae, G Horth, D Holmes, K McCarthy, R Murray-Dudgeon, D Moss, T Naidoo, H Von Cossel, L Batey, S Bissell, E Evans, L Glynne, J Hodge, H Pugh, T Sturgess & R Younis.

**U.15 VII:** C Ashe (Captain), E Austin, S Davidson, K Dudgeon, S Latham, L Pepper, B Trembath, N Unwin, B Walford, G Powrie & A Watson

**U.16 VII:** C Moorby (Captain), H Sedman, S Siaw, R Streitberger, Y Evans, H Cartwright, L Cox, A Johnston, E Funnel and J Stuart.

**1st VI:** A Davies (Captain), F Bailey, C Bologna, C Cooper-Cocks, G Cox, G Luff, C Sturgess, J Swan & A Ullmann



## Football

Thank you to all those students who attended training and fixtures regularly. Well done to the U12 and U15 teams, who both came first in the district championships.

### Squads

**U.12 XI:** O Thorpe (Captain), J Eastaugh, G Birchenough, L Dobbin, C Clark, K Baldwin, O Wookey, H Hall, A McCulloch, W Ekong, B Perkins, T Jordan, J Davies, D Williams & A Horiuchi.

**U.13 XI:** J Marsh (Captain), D Annoh, C Austin, A Bekaert, B Bull, N Cope, R Evans, H Fox, R Frost, A Funnell, O Isham, P McGrath, K Odrich, D Ogbonnaya & H Simmons.

**U.14 XI:** H Craston (Captain), C Noonan, J Sharpe, S Martin-Ross, L Mistry, A Gebreselassie, J San-Roman, A Lloyd-Skinner, J Peacock, J Prior, F Hill & C Johnston.

**U.15 XI:** S Crump (Captain), E Adu-Frimpong-Manso, D Bartos, J Bell, T Bristow, M Collins, G Cozens, L Dobbin, J Gebreselassie, M Holder, B Holdsworth, J Leung, K Patel, J San Roman, C Stapleton & A Tezoo.

**1st XI:** M Ruddle (Captain), D Webb, G Pooley, L Di Vittorio, M Young, J Burnel, R Unwin, M McCarthy, J Wheatley, M Akinpelumi, M Nyani, F Lernevall, M Tauroza, D Fakoya, F Mann & M Davies.

## Hockey

The Lent term, draws an emphasis on Netball, however some hockey County Cup matches took place this term.

### Squads

**U.13 XI:** H Lohmeyer (Captain) J Pugh, E Treadwell, M Pestell, A Wilson, S Yates, J Quinn, H Brookhouse, J Easto, A Ballard, K Vrylandt, S Drew, A Goldsworthy, R Cavalier, J Lowe & C Pepper.

**U14 XI:** T Naidoo (Captain) C Berti, K Eleyae, K Adjirackor, H Von Cossel, A Ayesu, K McCarthy, C Gardiner, S Provenzano, R Younis, S Bissell, L Batey, G Horth, L Glynne & D Holmes



## Basketball

Basketball district tournaments were held at the Bishop's Stortford High School in January for U13, 14 and 15 teams.

Teams for Hockerill have won these tournaments in the past but this year for the first time, **HOCKERILL WON EACH TOURNAMENT!** Hockerill U13's won all their round robin games to become the district champions. The U14 team won in a very tight final match against TBSHS 6-4 to secure victory. And the U15s dominated their group matches to make it easily into the final where they beat Friends School 8-4 to become district champions.

### Squads

**U.13 V:** C Ng (Captain), B Diamond, J Loudan-Nicholas, C Von Plettenberg Laing, M Greenspon, B Cartwright & K Odrich

**U.14 V:** H Craston (Captain), A Ayesu, J Sharpe, T Hodges, K Eleyae, J San-Roman, J Rowbottom, S Martin-Ross, J Prior, G Burns, A Gebreselassie & C Chapuis.

**U.15 V:** C Stapleton (Captain), J Gebreselassie, J San-Roman, P Baer, B Holdsworth, E Adu-Frimpong-Manso, D Bartos, G Cozens, S Worrell, A Tezoo & S Sou

## Diary Dates

### Equipe Rounders Day - 25th May Sports Day - 29th June

An invitation goes out to all parents who are welcome to come along to spectate our annual sports day. The track events commence at 13.40 and conclude at 15.40 on the main field.

The College's history books show that our fastest boy and girl achieved the following results over 100m. Will they be beaten this year?

Boys - Jon Houghton (U15) 11.7 sec  
Girls - Ameze Simbo (U15) 13.3 sec

## Summer Term Fixtures

We appreciate any support you can give in coaching, spectating or helping to transport students to their matches.

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