

The Nutshell



Hazelwood School

I have to admit that on Tuesday I abandoned my duties as Head and spent the day immersed in the most wonderful vocal coaching of Paul Smith, the CEO of international a cappella singing phenomena VOCES8. He came into school to lead a series of masterclasses for the school choirs, including the mums' choir, all of whom are preparing for the Gala Concert next Friday. Paul worked brilliantly with the children, seemingly captivating them and having them fall totally under his musical spell. The impact that he made in just a day was tremendous and I am looking forward to showcasing the children's talent in a week's time. I know how fabulous our singers are. To hear someone of Paul's experience and acclaim say the same is loud, ringing music to my ears. I was fascinated to hear how he encouraged the children to sing out, whilst at the same time 'singing along through their shoulders' so they can hear others around them and blend their voice as one body of sound. Quite a complex and challenging thought and practice, but one which the children seemed to both understand and grasp. Our children are so lucky to be given the opportunity to experience such a day at such a young age. I hope Paul's coaching will stay with many of them for a long time and enhance their love for music and performance. For those of you coming along to the Gala Concert, be prepared: VOCES8 will be with us on the night to lift the roof of the Bawtree Hall. I for one, cannot wait.



The roof of the theatre was lifted this week by the re-telling of the most famous story of all time. Knowing the story means you do not have to concentrate on the plot-line and, with the exception of Olivia's strutting camel and Herod's evil stage laughter, there were few surprises! All eyes were focussed on the children, taking in their concentration and full-on desire to please and to do the very they can. *A Miracle in Town* did not disappoint. It blended the traditional story with modern, upbeat songs which seemed to bring out the best in the young cast. There was the, now traditional, moment of concern when Mary was sped across the stage clutching the neck of the wheeled donkey as Joseph whisked her away to Bethlehem and some improvisation from Miss Leach as the sickness bug claimed one of the Three Kings. Otherwise all seemed to run to plan and baby Jesus made it into the manger ahead of the visit of the shepherds and the Wise Men. Huge congratulations go to every member of Year 1 and 2 who pulled together to give us our first, authentic and thoroughly charming taste of Christmas.

Yesterday was the first of December and what with the staff wearing Christmas jumpers and the playing of Christmas music at drop off, I was reminded of the fact that we are on the home straight of what has been an exciting and fulfilling term for us all. Thank you for making my first term as Head so enriching. For the school, with the obvious exceptions (The Carol Service for example) it is business as usual until the final sound of the claxon on the 14th December. We would appreciate your assistance in keeping the children focussed on their learning until the school holidays begin. For some, there are assessments the moment they return in January so we are keen to make the most of every last opportunity to consolidate, extend and refine their learning and exam technique. It would be tremendous to end the term with as high an attendance as possible, all with a focus and attitude for the very best levels of behaviour and eager inquisition.



All ready and waiting for a very special visitor. Such a stunning grotto

Equally it would be wonderful to welcome as many of you as we can to the Christmas Fair tomorrow. Festivities kick off at 12 noon and continue right through the afternoon until 3.30pm. The HPA, and their willing band of elfin helpers, have been working through the day (and some, through the night too), to make it as special an occasion as possible. There will be stalls, sideshows, skating and Santa waiting in his magical grotto. The hampers which have been arriving for the raffle are as splendid as always and I am torn, should my ticket be pulled, which colour to go for. They are part of the Hazelwood Christmas tradition and it would be good to know that raffle ticket sales reflect the huge imagination and creativity which has clearly gone into their composition.

All the HPA want for Christmas is a strong turn out and a chance to put their feet up after the Fair, at home (once the tidying up has been done!)

We can give them one. They thoroughly deserve the other!

For a list of emails/letters/texts sent home each week please see the 'Notice Board' further down the Nutshell.

News from The Nursery & Early Years

The chilly temperatures have not cast a frost on the enthusiasm and energies of the Nursery this week. The nursery has been ringing out with renditions of Six Little Snowflakes, Glory to God and Twinkle, Twinkle in the lunch queue, the cloakrooms and scooting around the tennis courts. I know that you are all going to be impressed with their performances over the next ten days.

We have been awash with glitter, Christmas decorations, tinsel, baubles, salt dough and Christmas crafts and I have loved seeing the enthusiasm of the children and the room staff in their preparations and decorations.



Fledglings 1 have had lots of fun having a Teddy Bear's Picnic using the kitchen role play to make cups of tea to keep them warm. They are really enjoying their new shopping trolley and have been playing shops, buying the week's fruit and vegetables. Fledglings 2 have been looking at different animals and the noises they make. They then made animal masks and turned into the animals themselves!

Bottom Robins have made a giant fireplace in their home corner, I think they might be expecting Father Christmas a little early this year. Whilst top Robins have had all sorts of fun playing with gloop and then learning all about handwashing. Hopefully no gloop came home with them!



This week in Skylarks the children have been exploring further the world of snow and ice. They have made snowflakes for the winter display and enjoyed making snowmen in many different ways. With the cold weather setting in, the children have been searching for different sized ice blocks. They predicted whether the blocks would melt overnight. The following morning, they were still there. The children used some fantastic vocabulary to describe what had happened.

In Oak, the children jetted off in their rocket for planet Christmas. They have been working in the Elf Workshop, taking orders by telephone for toys and designing and building new toys.



There have been Christmas wish lists a plenty and making Christmas presents using cutting skills, painting skills, folding skills (with lots of fine motor movement).

In addition, we have been practicing the Oak Nativity and singing Christmas songs and learning about the advent season.

Reminders for next week:

Monday 5th December – HPA Christmas Gift Shop

Tuesday 6th December – Oak Nativity @ 9.30am in Paterson Hall – doors open from 9am.

Thursday 8th December – Skylarks Nativity @ 9.30am in Paterson Hall – doors open from 9am.

Friday 9th December – Robins Christmas Concert @ 9.30am in Paterson Hall – doors open from 9am.

Please note: parking on the nursery site on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday will be tight due to Nativities/concerts. Please can parents park off site and walk where possible or car share.

No Oak or Skylarks swimming next week.

Last week of After School Clubs

Oak – children should bring in hats and gloves now that the weather is getting chillier. These should be school hats and gloves which can be purchased at Schoolblazer.com.

Oak Christmas Post Box. A reminder that the Oak Christmas post box is now in the Oak corridor. Children are welcome to bring in cards for their friends/teachers. These will be delivered by our Christmas Post Elves before the end of term.....

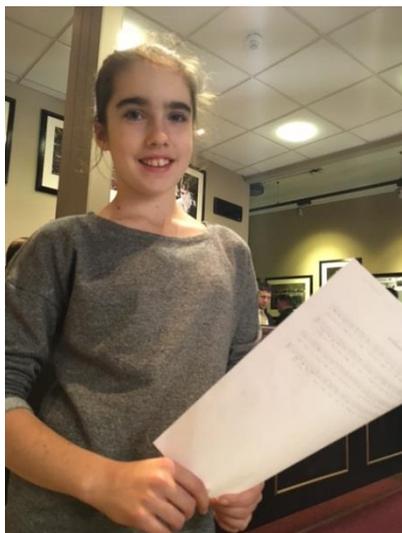
2016 Happiness Survey

The invitation was issued earlier in the week for parents of children in Fledglings, Robins and Skylarks to complete the online Happiness Survey. Thank you to all those of you who have already found ten minutes of your time to provide most useful feedback. We would love to gather all points of view by the 14th of December so that work can begin on the Action Plan before this is shared with you during the Spring Term. The link is detailed below. Thank you for helping out. Your views are important to the continued smooth running of the Nursery and Early Years site.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/HappiSurvey2016>



What a wonderful smile from one of Santa's happy helpers. Enough to banish a sledge-full of winter blues!



National Youth Choir success for Eliza

Just after half term, Eliza (Y8) went up to the Royal Albert Hall to audition for the National Youth Choirs of Great Britain. It took quite a while to find out whether she had been successful, as this year, over 1,000 young people auditioned in venues all over the country, but last week, she received the brilliant news that she has a place as a first soprano in the National Youth Girls' Choir. Next year, she will be attending two residential courses, and singing in concerts in Cheltenham and Birmingham. Howard Goodall, the National Ambassador for Singing, says, 'The National Youth Choirs are of a phenomenally high, world class standard, and act as a springboard for this country's most gifted and versatile young singers.' Eliza is hugely excited, and very grateful to Mrs. Low for all her help and support.

Footballing success for Hazelwood quartet

Following the recent trials for the Prep Schools' Lions teams, the school received the very welcomed news this week that Oscar A-L, Callum M and Max E had been selected for the Development Squad. This squad will attend a training camp in the Easter holidays and the prestigious Gothia World Youth Cup in Gothenburg, Sweden in July.

It will be an amazing experience for these players and one that will greatly develop their football and confidence, on and off the pitch.

Equally exciting was the news that Alexander D was selected for the 'A' Squad. This is a squad for the 16 most outstanding players in each age group. The 'A' squad will play against other District teams and Academies during the Spring term.

With over 350 children being nominated for the trials, we had to be very selective, so many congratulations on this excellent achievement.



Action shots from last week's Knowle Run captured on the ever-present camera of Mr Powney!

Wolfs Hill Gas Works

Please can parents be aware that there are gas works starting on Wolfs Hill next week for a period of up to ten days. There will be traffic lights controlling the passage of cars and protecting the workmen and women. Please allow extra time for the school drop off and consider arriving at school slightly later for pick up to ease end of day congestion. Thanks.

Car Parking Reminder

With a surfeit of car park spaces now available in the main car park at drop off, please can parents break with the requested practice of last year and refrain from double parking behind cars parked along the hedge-line. The extra line of cars slows the entry into the car park, and resulted, this week, in a number of parents (who had parked 'legally') being blocked in. Double parking should only be resorted to if all other spaces in the car park have been filled.

Year 2 Nativity Photos

Mrs Slade was in school on Tuesday to take pictures of the Year 1 and 2 Nativity. Some of the photos appear in this week's issue of the Nutshell. Moya will be at the Christmas Fair on Saturday with her captivating portfolio of school shots taken most recently. These, at very affordable prices, can be turned into the ideal Christmas gift for friends and family. Moya's images capture a most perfect moment in time which make them special and unique. She looks forward to seeing you at the Fair.

Let's hear it for the girls

It's always great to applaud and support past pupils of Hazelwood and their entrepreneurial endeavours. That's why the Nutshell is encouraging parents and pupils alike to wend their way to the Christmas Fair stall of Maud and Amelia. The Y9 girls at Woldingham have created their own brand of home-made jewellery under the banner of *Maud & Mimi*. They have designed a range of chokers, beaded necklaces and charm bracelets aimed at the younger market and costed at very affordable, pocket money prices. Most items are under £4 and make the ideal stocking filler.

"Just wanted to say the visit of Voces 8 went down exceptionally well with my kids and others. When I arrived for pick up today kids were excitedly chatting about it. The singer then walked past me (I know his because the kids (not mine) were talking about him as if we were a rock star, "that's him! He's a really famous singer!")

The whole way home in the car my children said what an amazing experience it had been and how much they had learnt from it. My youngest was telling me verbatim what he learnt which is extremely unlike him, unless he is very impressed by something!

It went down fabulously with all children apparently!"

Great, and much appreciated feedback from a parent following the Voces 8 vocal workshop held throughout the day for the school's, and mums', choirs

Shipwrecked off the coast of France

On the 21st November Year 5, 6 and 7 Hazelwood pupils were lucky enough to watch a French play performed by the group Onatti Productions.

The play we watched was called "Shipwrecked en France". It was about a boy called Tyler who got pushed by the coastal tide whilst in his blow up dingy. He is a thirteen-year-old English school boy on holiday in France. He encounters many adventures on his way back to the hotel, including a girl who insists on joining him the whole way back. The play was performed by two people: a French actress and an English actor.

Thank you for all the donations of bottles and cakes for the Christmas Fair. All were very gratefully received.

"I think the play was a great way to learn more French" (Annabel C-F, Year 7)

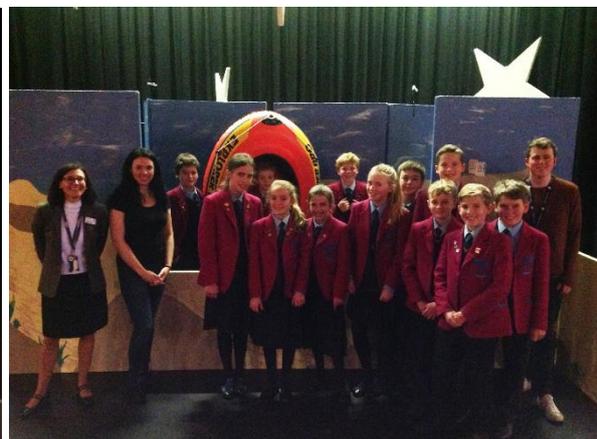


"The play was very imaginative. I've never seen anything like it before. The dialogue was easy to understand and the French actress spoke slowly and clearly so we could understand. The set was very creative. I liked how they only used two actors but had more than two characters. Overall it was very enjoyable." (Maddie H Y7)

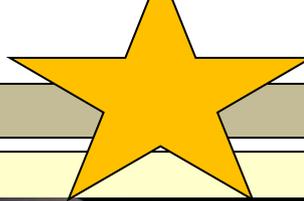
"I thought it was a great play. I liked how the actors interacted with the audience" (Austin T Y7)

"I thought the French play was great. It really helped widen my vocabulary and it helped that the actors were interactive with the audience, and one was English. The actors spoke clearly, which made it much easier to understand. My favourite part was actually the end, when he found his mum, but she didn't even notice he had been gone, and the fact that he thought she was going to be mad at him, when she actually really wasn't! Overall I thought it was great and I can't wait for another one soon!" (Francesca C Y7)

"I thought that the French play was very funny and I took a lot of new words away from it. I thought that we were very lucky to have the actors perform at our school and I was even luckier to go and meet them personally and ask them some questions. I really hope that they come again; it was très bien!" (Izzy J Y7)



A Miracle in Town



All aboard for the South Pole

Oak had fun creating a sledge in the outside construction area. It included reindeers, presents and even turbo boosters to make it go faster! They then collected numbered presents and placed them in order from 1 to 24.



In fine voice

On Tuesday 29th of November we were delighted to welcome Paul Smith CEO of the international a cappella singing group VOCES8 to Hazelwood for a choral masterclass. Paul provided inspirational ideas for our Junior, Training and Chapel choirs to try out and engaged the children with a wide variety of games and songs in a light-hearted and fun way.

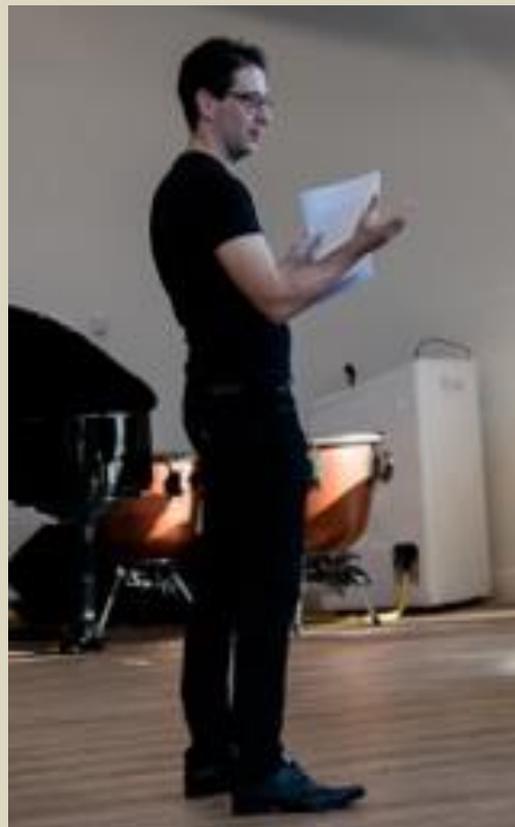
We had a wonderful day with Paul, nobly supported by our own fabulous Doug Hewitt on the Yamaha grand piano from 11-4pm and Paul helped us tremendously as we worked towards our Gala Concert on Friday 9th December.

VOCES8 will be performing alongside our children at the inaugural concert in the Bawtree Hall and we are looking forward to a scintillating evening worthy of such a prestigious venue. Our concert will begin at 7pm and parents with tickets are warmly invited to join us for a drink beforehand in the Baily building foyer.

Sara Young
Acting Director of Music



The children in Skylarks continued their exploration of everything arctic and frozen. They left frozen ice panels overnight to see if, by the morning, the ice would have melted. They also began making cotton wool and skating snowmen ready for the classroom winter displays.



The visit of Paul Smith, VOCES8

2M enjoy hot chocolate in the winter sunshine.

Due to high winds the night before, Forest Schools took place by the tree house this Friday, and the weather shone kindly down on us all.

We built a fire and mixed the cake mixture ready for cooking and then enjoyed investigating the woods around the tree house and spending some time reading in there.



The cake was light and fluffy with a smoky flavour running through it! It may not have won 'The Great Hazelwood Bake Off' but fun was had by all.



Mmmmmm
delicious!

Seven post days until Christmas

The Year 3 elves will be out and about again this year from Monday 5th December collecting and delivering your Hazelwood Christmas cards. This gives children 7 full school posting days. The red post box will be positioned next to the tree in the Baily Building foyer and the post will be distributed at afternoon during form time. Please can all envelopes be addressed to Lower School 3-8 only and have full name and class on.

Many thanks, the Year 3 post elves.





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☐ Angels and Shepherds ☐ Bethlehem Baby ☐ Carols by Candlelight

☐ Dance and Decoration ☐ Excitement and Expectation

☐ Festive Feasting ☐ Glad tidings of great joy

Happy Christmas from all at Hazelwood!

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The A-Z of Hazelwood is developing nicely to embrace many different aspects of school life. Here are some of the most recent executions which will be appearing in print over the next few weeks.

If you have any suggestions for future A-Zs, do please send them through to bursar@hazelwoodschool.com. We would love to hear and incorporate your ideas.

Hazelwood's Gymnasts spring to three regional titles!

On Sunday 20th November Hazelwood hosted the BSGA U11 South East Region floor and vault competition. This was our 3rd year as hosts and we were thrilled to have over 160 gymnasts signed up from 9 different schools across the day.

We started at 8am, registering the youngest gymnasts of the day who competed in the Key Steps and novice categories. Some of those who have been attending the school gym club joined us to compete alongside the gym squad and so in total the Hazelwood team consisted of 25 children ranging from Year 1 to Year 6.

Competing in the first round were; Chloe D, Erin P, Aaron W, George W, Leonid P, Jessica K, Sophia H, Hester B, Frazer A and Jessica L.

Special commendations to Erin who came 4th, George who came 5th, Jessica L who came 5th and Frazer who came 3rd all in their respective categories.

Round 2 began at 11am and another batch of bright eyed Hazelwood gymnasts joined us, ready to show how much they have learnt. In this group were; Jemima L, Grace S, Polly S, Georgia P, Hannah B, Eliza B, Amelie B, Emilia S, Camilla E and Charlotte P

This was a super round for our gymnasts and they were fantastically supportive of each other as they competed.

Special commendations in this round went to Amelie who came 6th, Emilia who came 5th, Hannah who came 4th, Georgia who came 3rd, Polly and Charlotte who both came 2nd and Camilla who retained her regional title from last year coming 1st again all in their respective year group categories.

Round 3 was our afternoon round as was for those gymnasts who train for more hours and are an intermediate and advanced level. In this round competing for Hazelwood were; Esme W, Sofia M, Lola B, Elisa Y, Karlijn R, Freya D and Daniel Haydon

This round consisted of only squad members but across the year groups they were looking out for how each other were doing and really enjoying the competition atmosphere. This was great preparation for the competitions to come later in the year where they again can aim to reach national finals.



Special commendations for this round went to Karlijn who came 3rd, Sofia and Lola who came joint 2nd and to our 3 new regional champions Elisa, Freya and Daniel.

Massive congratulations to everyone who competed on the day. It was a joy to watch you all working your socks off to impress the judges and push yourselves. A huge amount of grit was shown as not everything went perfectly and I am hugely proud of! all of you.

Huge thanks to Dr Orr who gave up her Sunday to come and do the scoring for us and to the squad parents for running the cafe on the day and raising funds for the gymnastics squad. It was a resounding success and sets the school up for another fantastic year of gymnastics!

LOOKING OUT FOR LIBRARY BOOKS!

It is the time of year to be merrily looking out for your children's library books please! We need late books returned. Please, please ask your children if they have out library books! Many will be renewing or taking out new books ready for the Christmas holidays and these will be stamped in green ink with 6th January 2017 inside the front page. But some children have had out books for months and not returned them - and we have no choice but to charge a fee if the books are not back in with us before the end of term.

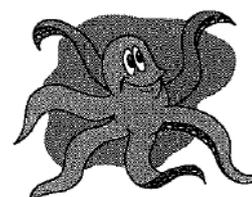
We don't enjoy charging for books; we would far rather see the books in this week please! Talk to your children about the books they have out and usually a joint effort in searching leads to success!

Thank-you for all your support and for those going to the Hazelwood Christmas Fayre, there will be a book stall!



Another successful week on the courts with plenty of victories and goal, our pictures capture the U13B, U10A, U11C and U10B netball teams. Please do remember if you capture any action shots, send them to bursar@hazelwoodschool.com and the Nutshell will be proud to publish them. Well done girls. Results appear later in this week's issue.

TED Winter 2016: GRIT



This Christmas and New Year we would like you to think about the word 'GRIT' and produce a 2-page research project on it.

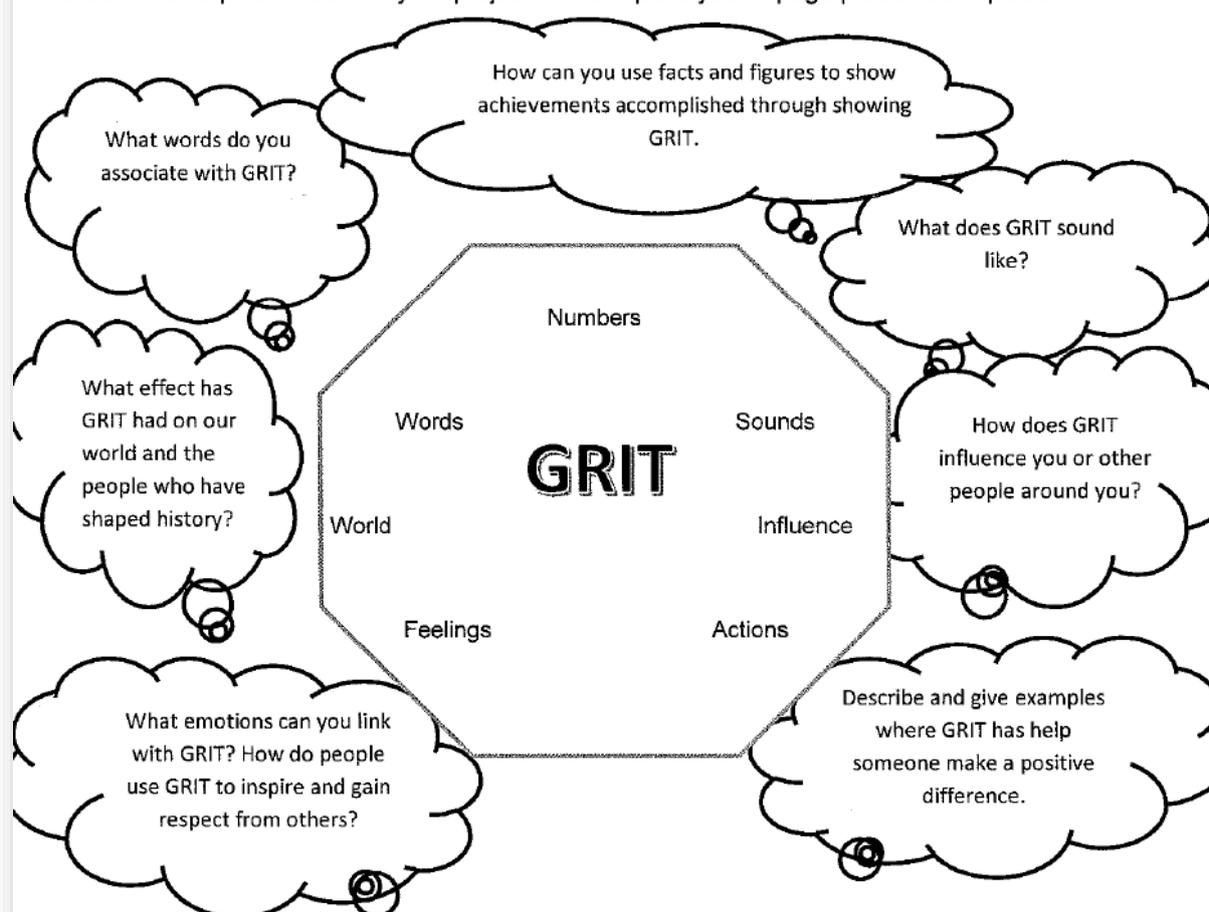
You can approach the project from any angle you wish to and focus on an area that you find interesting and would like to find out more to share with others.

You may want to focus on yourself; where have you shown 'GRIT' and the positive results that have come from this?

You may want to focus on someone else and highlight their achievements through hard work, resilience and refusal to let mistakes and others stop their dreams and goal.

Don't forget to read the comments made last time before you start your project. There is a purple sheet stuck in the back of your book.

This term we will start the research part of the project in school. You will have some time to start looking into areas of interest, and share your ideas with your peers. You can then use this initial research to help continue with your project and complete your 2-page presentation piece.



The books are due in the week before February Half Term giving you the Christmas Holidays and the first half of term to work on your project.

Please note the February deadline. TED is for children in Years 1-7. If you do not have a TED book, please see Mrs Greenwood in the Head's PA's office. Enjoy the project on GRIT!

A trio of talented Hazelwood parents (Lewis, Bamber and Vane Percy) will be taking part in this perfectly timed and themed Christmas event where photography, printmaking and painting will be available for as little as £25, making them ideal Christmas presents. Why not pop in to the Everyman Cinema from 2pm to watch the festive favourite 'White Christmas' and enjoy a half priced cocktail when visiting the show. All the day needs now is a light dusting of snow and you will have the spirit of Christmas captured in a winter wonderland of an afternoon. Thank you for your support.



Artist Showcase

Sat 10th / Sun 11th

11-5.30pm



December
2016



At
Meldon House & Home
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Come and meet the artists for Mulled Wine and nibbles
On Sunday 11th between 1-5pm

www.meldonhouseandhome.com

Booking your children in (and out) of after school clubs, supervision and late room

Can parents please ensure that if you have booked your child into the Late Room or into an afterschool Club and then choose to come and take them home early, that you let the school office know. On average we have about six children every day who are 'MIA' according to our registers until the school contacts the parent only to be told they have been picked up safely and are happily at home. Your child's safety is our No. 1 priority.

News from the Kitchen

Please don't forget that the new menus for both Hazelwood School and the Nursery & Early Years are now on their respective websites under The Parents' Sections.

Music Timetable

The weekly music timetable can be viewed on the Music Notice Board outside the Dining room in the courtyard. I will endeavour to have the coming week's music timetable on the notice board by the end of the school day each Friday. Please ensure that your child brings their instrument and music in on the relevant day. It is also important for them to take these books and instruments home when they do not need them in school.



Hazelwood School

Trinity Music Exams Timetable
Monday, 6th December 2018

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|----------------------|---------|----------|----|-------|
| Georgia Philippott | Singing | Grade 4 | 18 | 9.30 |
| Sheen Dulio | Singing | Grade 6 | 23 | 9.48 |
| James Richards | Flute | Grade 3 | 12 | 10.11 |
| Beth Nancarrow | Flute | Grade 3 | 13 | 10.23 |
| Break - 10.38 | | | | |
| Isabelle Hayward | Flute | Grade 3 | 13 | 10.50 |
| Louise Hefford | Flute | Grade 6 | 23 | 10.03 |
| Rebecca Webb | Flute | Grade 6 | 23 | 11.26 |
| Orla Connery | Piano | Grade IN | 10 | 11.49 |
| Lauren Cockerill | Guitar | Grade 8 | 28 | 11.59 |
| Lunch - 12.27 | | | | |
| Eve Goulding | Cello | Grade 1 | 13 | 3.15 |
| Alanna Tricker | Cello | Grade 1 | 13 | 13.28 |
| Gabriella Wright | Cello | Grade 5 | 18 | 13.41 |
| Emma Greatwood | Cello | Grade 5 | 18 | 13.59 |
| Oliver Leighton | Cello | Grade 5 | 18 | 14.17 |
| Lucy Coop | Cello | Grade 7 | 23 | 14.35 |
| End - 14.58 | | | | |

Sports Department

Match Reports should be taken to Mrs Greenwood or emailed to her on headspa@hazelwoodschool.com by Friday afternoon ahead of assembly on Monday

morning. If your child is nominated as captain, please encourage them to write the report in time for the assembly. The children do like to share their successes with the rest of the school. Thank you.

Another great week for Hazelwood Netballers

U13s played Aberdour

U13 A won 18-8 GOM Evie H

U13 B won 21-4 GOM Kavi R

U11s played Micklefield and Holmewood House

U11 A won 17-8 GOM Lucy L

U11 B won 4-2 GOM the whole team

U11 C lost 8-7 (a very close and exciting game) GOM Charlotte P

U11 D lost 11-2 GOM Lottie C (A superb effort by the D's as they had a very depleted team)

U10s played Micklefield and Holmewood House

U10 A won 11-8 GOM Holly L

U10 B lost 3-2 in a very close game GOM Isla M and Elsa T

U10 C won 12-3 GOM Brea MS

U10 D won 3-1 GOM Jaslyn C

What a fantastic start to the netball season girls!!

Great job.

Miss Wills

Notice Board

Communication sent home this week

The following letters have been sent home this week. If you need a duplicate copy, please contact the School Office.

Year 4 India Day

Year 6 Play

Year 8 Parents' Evening Appointments

Key Events for Next Week

Changes in red

Monday 5 December

All day Trinity Music Exams

1000 Oak Nativity Dress Rehearsal to Years 1 and 2

AM HNEY Christmas Gift shop

1400 Sports Photographs

1700- Year 8 Parents' Evening

2000

Tuesday 6 December

0930 Oak Nativity

All day Travelling Book Fair departs

Wednesday 7 December

All day **Governors' Board Meeting**

1430 Netball: U13A and B v Holmewood House (H)

1430 Netball: U11A-C/D v Holmewood House (A)

1430 Netball: U10A-C/D v Holmewood House (H)

Rugby: Senior Boys v St Michael's (Training Matches) Home

Rugby: U11A and B and U10A and B v St Michael's (Training Matches) Away

Rugby: U9A at Hurstpierpoint Tournament 2pm

Thursday 8 December

0930 **Skylarks' Nativity**

0830 Dress Rehearsal 1 for Gala Concert

1430 Netball: U9A-C/D v St Michael's (H)

1430 Netball: U8A and B/C v St Michael's (A)

Friday 9 December

All day **HPA Mad Hat and Hair day: remember your Christmas Gift Shop contributions!**

0830 Dress Rehearsal for Gala Concert

0930 **Robins' Concert – moved from 1st December**

1900 Gala Concert and Grand Opening of New Building



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Hours in the kitchen - all work, no rest?
The season of parties and home entertaining,
Of cocktails and canapés (and a little weight gaining!)
Impromptu evening? Crackers and dips!
Prepared in seconds in your Thermomix.
Eggnog and daiquiris or perhaps a Bellini?
Spiced Christmas Punch or peach Vodkatini?
Help is at hand to ensure things run smoothly
Then in the morning a reviving green smoothie!

Family descending on the Big Day?
This is where Thermomix comes into play.
Cranberry and Brandy sauces are best
Made in your Thermie no stirring, no mess.
Stress-free smooth gravy, ready on time.
Vegetables steaming while you have some wine!
Traditional pudding? Perhaps a soufflé?
Or round off the meal with Christmas brûlée?
At the end of it all where is this sous chef?
In the dishwasher while you have a rest!



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Christmas Forest Skills
Activity Day



Thursday 15th December

9.00am – 2.00pm

**Enjoy a day in the woods using
forest skills and tools to make a
Christmas decoration.**

**Enjoy 'cooking-up' a warming lunch
sat around an upside down fire!**

Please contact Mr Walton

waltonj@hazelwoodschoo.com

**for more details or to
book.**

Cost £40

Suitable for Year 2 - 8

All equipment and food provided.



SHOWTIME WORKSHOP



Tim Noble is a dancer and choreographer to the stars! He also runs his own TV casting and production company and is coming to us to run a TV Casting Skills Workshop.

Open to ALL keen dancers and actors - come and see what Showtime Performing Art Academy can do for you. THIS WORKSHOP WILL COVER SKILLS NEEDED for TV CASTING If you love the styles of dance that you see in music video's then this is the place to be!! Spaces are limited so please do not leave it too late to book your space - first come, first serve!

We will be at OXTED School on December 18th 2016 for this exciting Workshop. Suitable for ages 7 and over for children of all abilities, non Showtime students are especially welcome.

For more information please contact admin@showtimepa.com or tel: 07399252661

Sunday December 18th 2016 **DANCE & TV Casting with TIM NOBLE**

Oxted School Drama Studio, (Park Rd Entrance) Oxted, Surrey, RH8 0AB
10am to 4.00pm £45 (bring a friend discount £35 each)
includes display to parents at the end of the day

Book now <https://goo.gl/forms/R7ujSbHHwNVlxW9i2> avoid disappointment limited places

Bring your own food & drink for the day. T-shirts available at £10.00.

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