

The Windsor Boys' School

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Headteacher's News

The amazing success at Henley last week shows us all just how important ambition, determination, persistence and resilience are to any enterprise.

To read more please click [here](#)

News Stories



Media Magazine Awards

This year two A Level Media Studies music videos were nominated for the esteemed Media Magazine Awards.

To read more please click [here](#)



2017 – TWBS Junior cricket report

Both junior sides have played some super cricket this term. The U15s have been ably led by Jamal Ali. He has opened with the bat and the ball superbly all year.

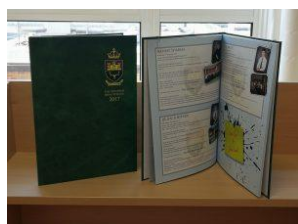
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Duke of Edinburgh Weekend

On Friday 23rd me, as well as 30 others, met north of Maidenhead to begin our exhibition for DofE.

To read more please click [here](#)



Inaugural TWBS yearbook is a huge success

A massive thank you to the outstanding Oscar Wollen for committing to, and delivering, the first ever TWBS Yearbook.

To read more please click [here](#)

Notices

Sainsbury's Active Kids Scheme

A big thank you to all parents who sent in Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers during the last few months. We collected 7,900 which allowed us to order almost everything on the Food Tech Department's wish list - 10 aprons, 2 sets of digital scales, 2 chopping boards, 10 vegetable peelers, 5 sets of cookie cutters and 9 mixing bowls. These should be delivered during the summer break ready for use next year.

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Print prices from £6 ~ Digital files available

Music Dept Forthcoming Events

Summer is upon us and we have three events to share with you:

1. Jagz Summer Concert - <http://www.positickets.co.uk/eventdetails.php...>
2. Music & Magic - <http://www.positickets.co.uk/eventdetails.php...>
3. Final Concert of the year - <http://www.positickets.co.uk/eventdetails.php...>

Please do join us for one, two or all three great evenings of music! All tickets are available for purchase online. A great chance to see how much music impacts the Windsor Upper Schools & Windsor Learning Partnership. Our final concert of the year will feature students from all Windsor Learning Partnership schools.

We look forward to seeing you at one of our events.

Notice for Parents of Years 11, 12 & 13 regarding Exams

An Exam Recharges Payment Item will be added to ParentPay for all Year 11, 12 & 13 Students. This will allow you to pay any Exam related chargeable services eg 'Priority Remark', 'Priority Script Return' or having certificates posted Recorded Delivery, should it become necessary. You need only pay the amount advised by the Exams Officer, if you do not require any Exam related chargeable services, please ignore the Payment Item, it will be removed in September. Please make sure that your ParentPay account is activated now. We will be sending out ParentPay account activation emails to all those who have not yet activated their accounts over the next week, if you require assistance with your ParentPay account, email nbean@twbs.co.uk. There will be no cash/cheque handling facility during the School holidays.

Voluntary Contributions

Is your son leaving TWBS? Are you paying Voluntary Contributions monthly via Standing Order? If you would like to stop making monthly Voluntary Contributions once your son leaves TWBS, you will need to contact your bank to stop the Standing Order which you set up. Unfortunately TWBS are not able to stop these on your behalf. Thank you.

Parental Feedback

Could I ask parents to provide feedback about the school on Ofsted's Parentview website? It is <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk> At each parents' consultation evening we ask parents to provide us with feedback, which is overwhelmingly positive, with one or two specific queries or concerns. We collate the feedback as a way of monitoring parental satisfaction. However, with Ofsted in the wings (complete with envelopes of possible outcomes – no mix-ups I hope!) we need to ensure that the views of parents are properly collated by Ofsted themselves. The best way to do this is through their

website: <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/> . If you are able to find the time to do this over the weekend I would be really grateful. Many thanks in advance.

Dates for Your Diary

9 th July 2017	Jazz Summer Concert
11 th July 2017	Music and Magic Evening
13 th July 2017	Sports Day
17 th July 2017	Summer Concert
18 th July 2017	Last day of term
17 th August 2017	A Level Results
24 th August 2017	GCSE Results