



# Baskerville School

## Newsletter



9 October 2015

### Governors' Meeting

A full governing body meeting will be held next Monday (12 October) at 6pm. Governors will be meeting to discuss the following agenda items:



- Election of chair and vice chair of the governing body
- Membership of committees and link governors
- Adoption of a model code of conduct
- Head Teacher's report & report on attainment and progress
- Reports from Finance Committee and Buildings Committee
- School's self evaluation and school development plan
- Safeguarding action plan update
- Approval of 6 school policies
- Report on Head Teacher's appraisal
- Governor Mark
- Staff and student matters

Many thanks to all our governors for giving up their time to attend the meeting and providing valuable advice and support for the work of the school. Any parents / carers or members of staff who have any views on the above issues or any other issues concerning the school are most welcome to approach any governor. Please see the list of governors on our website.

### Sporting News



On Tuesday 6 October, a group of our Key Stages 3 and 4 students took part in a Boccia and New Age Kurling competition held at the Metropolitan College. All students played at least three



matches against six other schools. The Boccia team led by Kristian came third and the NAK team led by Roisin came second. Well done to all students and a big THANK YOU to Kristian who led the Boccia Club during lunchtime.



### PSHCE Projects

4B and 4C are studying a PSHCE module on Personal Finance this term. 4B will be holding a sponsored silence for the 'Shelter' charity and 4C will organise a sponsored Baskerville Marathon of 26 laps of the school field to support St Mary's Hospice. These events will take place the week after half term. Please support by sponsoring the students. The two classes will also hold tea parties later in the term. Watch this space!



**Event** The Local Authority's Communication and Autism

Team is hosting a coffee morning for parents carers of children with Autism on 4 November at the MAC in Cannon Hill Park. There will be advice and discussion on E-Safety. For more information, please call 0121 3031792 or contact Sharon Woolley at school for a booking form.

Active October half term holiday provision offered by **Midland Mencap** at their Clifton Road centre for young people aged 13-25 with mild to moderate disabilities. For information call 0121 4276404.

### TERM DATES

#### Autumn Term

Thursday 3.9.15 to Wednesday 21.10.15\*

#### HALF TERM

Monday 2.11.15 to Friday 18.12.15 (Students will go home at 2.30 pm on the last day of term)

\* **Staff training days: Thursday 22.10.15 and Friday 23.10.15. School will be closed to students.**

#### Spring Term

Tuesday 5.1.16\* to Friday 12.2.16

#### HALF TERM

Tuesday 23.2.16\* to Thursday 24.3.16 (Students will go home at 2.30 pm on the last day of term)

\* **Staff training days: Monday 4.1.16 and Monday 22.2.16. School will be closed to students.**

#### Summer Term

Tuesday 12.4.16\* to Friday 27.5.16

#### HALF TERM

Monday 6.6.16 to Friday 22.7.16

\* **Staff training day: Monday 11.4.16. School will be closed to students.**

(Students will go home at 2.30 pm on the last day of term)

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