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We have another packed schedule of events at all of our schools...

Have a look at our events page: www.stephenperse.com/events and the school calendar to stay up to date with what's going on.

What's happening at our Pre-Prep?

Pre-Prep Harvest Festival (Pupils only)

Date: Thurs 20th Oct

Location: Madingley

Date: Fri 21st Oct

Location: City



What's happening at our Pre-Prep?

Date: Thursday mornings
during first half term

Location: Madingley

Madingley Reception Forest School

Mrs Angetter-Hannam, who is a trained level 3 Forest School teacher, will take the Madingley reception class out to various local woodlands within walking distance of the school. The children will have the chance to engage in a number of forest school activities such as den building, scavenger hunts and cooking over an open fire.



Date: Fri 11th Nov

Location: Madingley

Reception Diwali morning at Madingley



The children will all come together, along with the Reception classes from Dame Bradbury's, for an interactive and hands on learning experience to find out what Diwali is, who celebrates it and how it is celebrated.

Date: Weds 11th Nov

Location: Madingley

Date: Tues 22nd Nov

Location: City

History Observation – Sedgwick Museum

In this session the children will have the opportunity to observe or handle a variety of sources, including animal skeletons, in order to answer questions about the past. They will use the information gained to identify differences between animals living in the past and now.



What's happening at our Pre-Prep?

Date: Fri 2nd Dec

Time: 2.00pm

Location: Senior School Hall

Pre-prep Nativity – Lights, Camel, Action!

All parents are welcome to attend



Date: Fri 9th Dec

KS1 and Reception classes science questioning: Linton Zoo reptiles experience



During this session the children will experience a number of reptiles from Linton Zoo up close. They will also have the opportunity to interview the reptile handlers and ask questions about the animals in their care.

Date: Mon 12th Dec

Time: 2.00pm

Location: Madingley Church

Date: Weds 14th Dec

Time: 2.00pm

Location: City School Hall

Parents from each school are invited to attend

Carol Concerts



Rehearsals of the carol concert are in progress!



What's happening at Dame Bradbury's?

Date: Sat 15th Oct
Time: 09.30am -12.30pm
Location: Dame Bradbury's

Dame Bradbury's Open Morning



Including workshops run by Hacklab

Date: Mon 17 Oct
Time: 4.00pm - 8.00pm
Location: Dame Bradbury's

Parent Consultation Evenings

Year 6 Parents' Evening



Date: Tues 18th Oct
Date: Weds 19th Oct
Date: Tues 1st Nov
Date: Weds 2nd Nov
Time: 12.50pm
Location: Dame Bradbury's Dining Hall

Parent Lunches

Class: 4G Parents from each class are invited to join us for lunch to sample the food and experience a lunch time session in the dining hall.
Class: 4W
Class: 3K
Class: 3T

let's do
lunch

Date: Weds 19th and Thurs 20th Oct
Time: 6.00 - 7.00pm
Location: Dame Bradbury's Theatre

Year 4 Production

A 1920s mystery in drama, song and dance.



What's happening at Dame Bradbury's?

Date: Thurs 20th Oct

Location: Dame Bradbury's

Robin Stevens Author Visit

Author of the well-loved Murder Most Unladylike Mysteries is coming to DB's with her new release for October, Mistletoe and Murder.



Date: Fri 21st Oct

Location: Dame Bradbury's



Early Years Activity Day

Come to school dressed as a wild animal!

Date: Fri 4th Nov

Location: Dame Bradbury's

Strictly Dame B's

Dame B's PTA hosts Strictly Dame B's



Date: Fri 14th Nov

Location: Dame Bradbury's

Bradbury House Charity Day

Date: Weds 16th November

Location: Dame Bradbury's maths lessons

Year 5 & 6 Primary Maths Challenge

The Primary Maths Challenge is fun and exciting. It is not just about maths knowledge, but the ability to think things through, be logical and find ways to solve problems.



Date: Fri 18th Nov

Time: 9.00am – 3.00pm

Location: Senior School

Year 6 Science Event

A chance for our Year 6 to head over to the senior school and use the well equipped science labs. We will also be linking our learning to the ongoing building project.



What's happening at Dame Bradbury's?

Date: Weds 7th and Thurs
8th Dec

Time: 9.10 – 10.00am

Early Years Nativity performances 'Shine Star, Shine!'

All Kindergarten and Reception children are involved in our nativity performances which retell a story based on the true meaning of Christmas.

Tickets will be available.



Date: Tues 13th Dec

School Disco Years 4 – 6

Don your sequins and head to the theatre for an evening of disco frenzy. Dancing competition, fancy dress and plenty of poor teacher dancing!

Date: Weds 14th Dec

Festive Early Years Activity Day

Come to school feeling festive and wearing a festive jumper!



Date: Weds 14th Dec

Time: 11.30am – 1.00pm



Christmas Lunch

Year 6 parents are invited to join us for Christmas lunch.

Date: Weds 14th Dec

Time: 2.30pm – 5.00pm

Location: Dame Bradbury's

PTA host... Santa's Grotto, carol singing and mince pies

Parents are invited to come and join us for carol singing and mince pies and take their children to visit Santa in his grotto!



What's happening at our Junior School?

Date: Tues 18th Oct
Time: 5.00pm – 5.45pm
Location: Junior School Hall

Performers' Platform concert



Members of Years 5 & 6 will entertain family members and friends with solo performances on a great variety of instruments. This is a fantastic opportunity to see some of our amazing musicians in action!

Parents and friends welcome to attend

Date: Thurs 20th Oct
Location: Senior School

Date: Fri 21st Oct
Location: Junior School

Social responsibility opportunities

Junior School and Pre-prep pupils are invited to bring in basic food items, in celebration of Harvest Festival, which will then be passed on to Jimmy's, an organisation which has provided help for homeless people in Cambridge for over 20 years. Pupils in Years 5 & 6 will also have a chance to support Barnardo's by attending the bi-annual fair at the Senior School on 20th October.

Date: Thurs 20th Oct
Time: Morning
Location: Junior School

Author visit

Robin Stevens, well-loved author of The Murder Most Unladylike series, will be talking to Y4-Y6 pupils about her most recent novel, 'Mistletoe and Murder'. This title and other books by Robin will be available to purchase via Mrs Rogers, 3-11 Librarian, and these can be signed on the day.



What's happening at our Junior School?

Date: Tues 1st Nov and 7th Nov

Date: Thurs 10th Nov and 15th Nov

Date: Weds 16th Nov and 21st Nov

Date: Weds 16th Nov
Pollock House

Date: Thurs 17th Nov
Kennett House

Date: Fri 18th Nov
Street House

Date: Mon 21st Nov
Rose House

Date: Weds 23rd Nov
Cattley House

Date: Fri 25th Nov
Clark House

Time: 8.40 - 9.00am

Location: Junior School Hall

Date: Tues 29th Nov

Time: 5.00pm – 5.45pm

Location: Junior School Hall

Parents' Consultation with Teachers

Year 3 and 4 Junior School teaching staff look forward to meeting with parents at the autumn term parents' consultations when they will provide detailed feedback on pupil progress.

Year 5

Year 6



House Assemblies



On the afternoon of 14 November Junior School pupils will work together to create assembly presentations to share with each other and with their parents. This year we have an exciting theme planned so do make a note of the date when your child/ren will be involved!

All parents are welcome to attend

Performers' Platform Concert

Members of Years 3 & 4 will entertain family members and friends with solo performances on a great variety of instruments. We look forward to seeing some of our youngest musicians in action for the first time!



What's happening at our Senior School?

Date: Mon 17th –
Fri 21st Oct

Year 7, 8, 9 Reading Week

The week of the 17th October is Reading Week at the Senior School. This means that no homework will be set (cheers all around!), and it is an opportunity for all students to read for pleasure. Do encourage your daughters to pick up a book, any book, and spend time reading.



Date: Thurs 20th Oct

Barnardo's Charity Afternoon



Since 1946, the school has raised money for Barnardo's, most notably through our biennial sale. This year's sale is on Thursday 20th October and you are all warmly invited to attend this event. The school is utterly transformed in a riot of colour, costumes and creativity. Through the generosity of students, staff and parents we hope to continue our long-standing support of this worthwhile charity.

Date: Fri 21st –
Sun 23rd Oct

Year 11 Berlin Trip

On Friday 21st October a number of Year 11 history students will be visiting Berlin. This three-day trip will focus on understanding the Weimar, Nazi and Cold War eras in Germany's history. There is a packed programme of visits to historical and cultural sights, led by an experienced tour guide. Students will visit sites such as the Brandenburg Gate, the remnants of the Berlin Wall, and some of the major memorials across the city. Additionally, students will have the opportunity to travel to Sachsenhausen, the Wannsee Conference House and the Olympic stadium by coach.



The aim of this exciting trip is to enhance student's learning by allowing them to see for themselves the context in which the momentous events of the twentieth century took place.

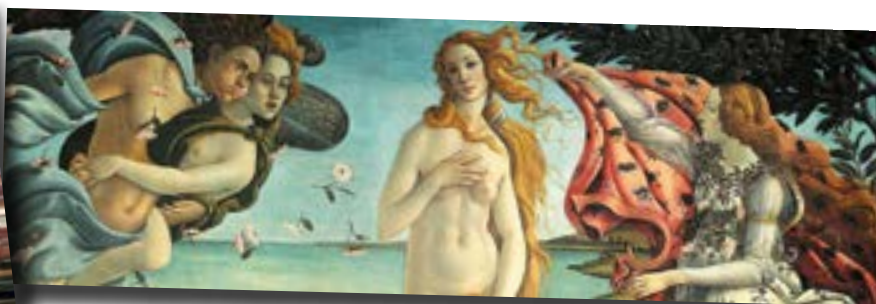
What's happening at our Senior School?

Y11 Florence Trip

Date: Fri 21st – 25th Oct

Year 11 students studying Italian and/or art will be visiting Florence for five days during half term. Students will be staying in central Florence, giving them the opportunity to immerse themselves in the vibrant social and cultural life of the Italians. Their experience will be filled with visits to many historical and cultural landmarks of the Tuscan region, including many museums, churches and the city of Siena during a one-day excursion.

The students of Italian will also be able to attend a three-day Italian course in a language school in Florence for a total of nine hours of lessons. The students of art will concentrate on the artistic opportunities the city has to offer, such as the Uffizi Gallery, Accademia Gallery, where the Michelangelo's David is located, Modern Art exhibitions including the Gucci gallery, the impressive Santa Croce Basilica in Florence and Siena Cathedral. Culturally the students will share the majority of their experiences as activities are shared between both groups.



Date: Weds 9th Nov

Location: Senior School Hall

November Autumn Concert

The Autumn Concert is the first large-scale concert of the school year and will feature performances by the Big Band, Concert Orchestra, Symphony Orchestra, Year 7 Choir, Middle School Choir, Jazz singers and singers. If your son or daughter is a member of one of these groups they will receive a letter with full details of the arrangements for the concert.



Everybody is welcome to attend the concert, and complimentary tickets will be available from reception. Please collect these in good time as we cannot exceed the capacity of the hall.



What's happening at our Sixth Form?

Date: Mon 14th Oct

Time: 7.30pm

Location: The Old Library

Absolutely Fabulous Cabaret!

A glittering evening of live music and entertainment performed and organised by Sixth Form students, with special guest performances by students in Years 10 and 11.

For one night only, the college will be transformed into a fabulous cabaret venue to showcase some of our finest talent.

All proceeds from the event will go to the charity Amantani.

See amantani.org.uk.



Sixth Form Open Evening

Date: Tues 18th Oct

Time: 6.30 – 9.30pm

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6th form experience

Stephen Perse 6th Form College
Open Evening 2016

Tuesday 18 October, 6.30pm – 9.30pm

Their future starts with a *great* foundation

Come along and get a feel for life in the Sixth Form at the Stephen Perse Foundation at our Open Evening

Find out more at: www.stephen-perse.com/admissions/open-events-2016

Date: 2nd Nov

Time: 7.00 – 9.30pm

Location: The Pavillion,
Wilberforce Road

High Performance Parenting

Eira Parry, founder of High Performance Parenting, is holding an evening of discussion and advice for parents of high performance sporting children.

Eira, former Talent Development Coach for GB Rowing, knows about how much commitment sport can take and how overwhelming the ups and downs can be for athletes and their parents.

Come along and get some advice.

Tickets cost £25 from highperformanceparenting.co.uk.

Please note this is not an SPF event.

Date: 4th November

Time: 9.00am

Location: Carluccio's, Grand
Arcade, Cambridge

Year 8 Parents Coffee Morning

Year 8 parents and carers are invited to celebrate autumn with a coffee and a chat at Carluccio's. Drop in and catch up with the summer happenings and latest news.

Contact Jane Biddle at Callajane@comcast.net with any questions.

A Christmas lunch has also been organised for Year 8 parents on Tuesday, December 6 at 11.30 at The Red Lion in Grantchester.

Please note this is not an SPF event.

