



# St Benedict's Newsletter



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**YEAR 12 THEORY OF KNOWLEDGE TRIP** Students spent the day in Birmingham this week visiting the Birmingham Museum and Art Gallery to explore the question: What is art? The day began with a guided lecture tour and was followed by a session in the Gas Hall, in which a contemporary artist, Ryan Gander, has created an installation entitled 'Night in the Museum' that questions the way in which we view art and the role of museums and curators. The trip always proves to be very thought provoking and students will use it to form the basis for their next TOK essay.



**INDOOR ATHLETICS** Our students achieved one of the best ever set of indoor athletics results last week when they went to Alcester Grammar School to compete in the Level 2 South Warwickshire School's tournament. On Monday, our Year 7 and 8 girls came third in each year group, just behind Alcester and Stratford Girls' Grammar. Momentum continued on Tuesday, when the Year 8 boys came a thrilling second. However, they were all trumped by our Year 7 boys who won their contest outright and now go forward to the Level 3 competition against

Warwickshire's elite in March.

**YEAR 7 BOYS TEAM:** Raphael Mellon, Luke Clemons, Harvey Harrison-Wells, Antonio Pirelli, Taylor Holton, Oscar Albanese, Elliot Buckle.

**YEAR 8 BOYS TEAM:** Goz Juwah, Michael O'Donnell, Charlie Vann-Nicholls, James Kenyon, Vito Pilade, James Price, Harry Nolan

**YEAR 7 GIRLS TEAM:** Lyla Agar, Sofia Carpinato, Sandra Fainiak, Caitlin Libeaut, Emily Farr.

**YEAR 8 GIRLS TEAM:** Antonia Fairbourn, Sarah Evans, Lauren Sykes, Maddy Leeds, Faye Gourlay, Maddie Brocklebank



**YEAR 10 SKI TRIP** We wish our skiers 'Bon Voyage' as they embark on their trip to Killington in America next Friday. You can follow their antics on Twitter!

**STAFF VACANCY** We are currently looking to recruit a School Cleaner to work 15 hours either before or after school. For more information and to apply please contact Mrs Casey Laishley, School Business Assistant on laishley.c@st-benedicts.org or call 01789 762888 Ext 238



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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 17 February

Non school uniform day

Friday 17 to Saturday 25 February

Year 10 Ski Trip to America

Monday 20 to Friday 24 February

Half term

Monday 27 February

Teacher Training Day - STUDENTS NOT IN SCHOOL

Monday 6 March to Friday 10 March

Year 10 Exams

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