

Arnold Newsletter

Summer term 2018



What a term, what a year and what an adventure! To say it has been a privilege to support the Arnold girls over the last 4 years just scratches the surface. It is the end of an era as Arnold Day Girls' House becomes Arnold Lodge and the girls move on to their new houses. We had a wonderful farewell dinner at the Lansdowne hotel at the end of the term, which was a real celebration of the girls, and the highlight was undoubtedly Poppy's performance of her song 'home'.

We wish our yr11 and 13 girls the very best for results' day in August.
To our leavers, Emily, Sophie, Kirsty, Tilly, Ellie, Lucy, Ella & Anna - be true to yourselves and dream big.



Farewell to our year 13 and year 11 leavers

This has been another busy term. While there has been a particular academic focus for everyone as all years have had public or internal exams, many pupils have also been involved in a number of extra curricular activities.

ALICE IN WONDERLAND

In the last week of term Annabel, Katie and Ellie stepped onto the Dell stage with their year 12 peers to perform Alice in Wonderland in the Dell play. It was a fantastic play and a great opportunity for many of the performers who had not stepped on a stage since their year 9 drama performance!



Megan and Lauren taking part in the hilarious 4 person comedy 'Shakers'



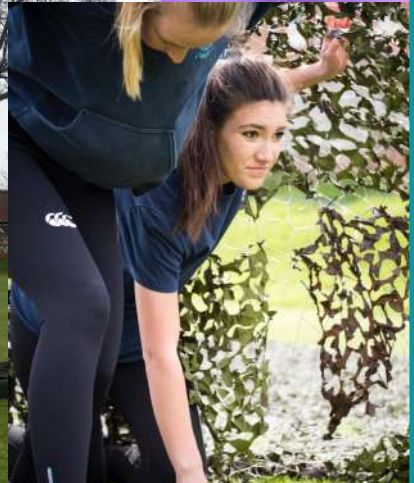
Tilly and Poppy and the other singer songwriters

Abby and Megan in Abby's play '4 blocks down'



Obstacle course

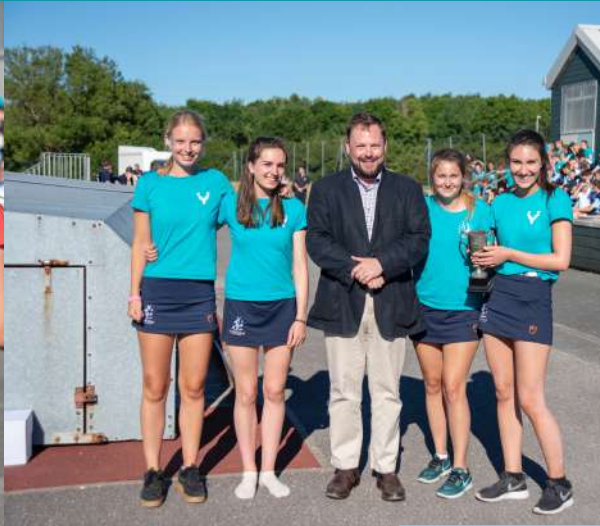
The term kicked off with the PE department's celebration of C150 with fun and laughter on a giant obstacle course with a tug of war - well done to our juniors for their win.



Sports Day Champions!

What a way to draw the term to a close, as winners of Sports Day 2018! There were an incredible number of first places achieved by the Arnold girls: Katie Meikle (100m and long jump), Lauren Bennett (shot putt), Tilly Crane (Discus), Riley Wootten (200m), Aimée Wood (300m), Intermediate 4x100m relay, Charlotte Stanworth (hurdles, high jump and discus), Amelia Botrill (100m), Kitty Walters (300m), Flo Long 1500m, Emily May (javelin), Junior 4x100m relay. A special mention to Katie and Charlotte who were *victrix ludorum* for their categories and especially to Charlotte who broke 3 school records!





Arnold entries for the 2018 photography competition



Miss Greenwood



Ellie Long



Katie Meikle



Aimée Wood's 2nd place entry



Anaïs on her RAF camp



Annabel, Katie and Ellie having received their academic end of year prizes



Abby and Megan having received their drama prizes

Show hsm leaderboard

Year 9	Flo Long
Year 10	Anaïs Cabaret
Year 11	Ella Lloyd & Maisie Williams
Year 12	Freya Cournane
Year 13	Kirsty Swaine

Further pupil achievements:

Full Sports Colours (Tennis) for Ellie Dasant

Full Arts Colours (Drama) for Abby McNally

Half Arts Colours (DT) for Sophie Lucas

Half Arts Colours (Music) for Ellie Long

Half Sports Colours (Athletics) for Katie Meikle

Half Sports Colours (Sailing) for Abby McNally

Emily May was commended for her strong end of year exam performance

Ellie Long has successfully led the String Orchestra this year

Abby McNally has completed her RAF Cadet Advanced Training

Key dates:

Thurs 16/8 A level results are available online and at College from 8am

Thurs 23/8 GCSE results are available online and at College from 8am

Mon 03/09 New pupils reception in houses 4.15pm (House prefects needed),

BBQ at 5.15pm for all Blackwater pupils and parents

Tues 04/09 Michaelmas term commences

Fri 21/9 U6 parents' evening, reception in Houses at 4.30pm

Sat 22/9 EXEAT

Fri 12/10 L6 parents' evening, reception in houses at 4.30pm

HALF TERM Fri 12/10 at 4.15pm to Sun 28/10

Sat 24/11 EXEAT

Term ends at 3.45pm on Friday 14/12

A reminder that sixth form suits must be well fitting (skirts to knee and trousers to heel) and the jacket must match the skirt/trousers.