

Reeves all about it

Summer Term Review



Life at the College has gotten back to full normality this term as we have seen the return of external examinations.

Although this is now my third year as Housemaster it is my first year through all three terms without any disruptions for lockdowns. It has been a busy year but one that all of the boys have enjoyed. Year 11 and 13 have all worked hard during study leave and we hope to hear of good results come August. We

started this academic year with the hope of a return to normality and it is only now that the College does feel like it is back to running at full steam. Trips are returning and there are zero restrictions in place. The boys have really enjoyed all of the house events this academic year, some have of course led to more success than others but what has been important for me is the willingness of the boys to be involved and want to represent the house no matter what the event might be. The Year 9, 10 and 12 pupils have also had a busy end to their academic year with internal assessments and the Year 12 should now be thinking about their plans for their personal statements. We have had the opportunity to socialise as a house with the house cricket and BBQ while the boys have also enjoyed heading out with their respective tutors for a meal in Eastbourne in the final two weeks of this term. It was great to see so many Reeves families on College Field during Speech Day and Year 13 and families also enjoyed a fantastic evening at the Cornflower Ball. We wish those leaving the house well for the future and look forward to welcoming new joiners in Year 9 and Year 12. I have tried my best to summarise a few key events this term but there are lots of photos that I could not include. I have included the majority of Sport Day photos [here](#) so that you can look at them further. I hope that you all have a fantastic summer and I look forward to seeing you all for the start of another busy academic year on 1 September. Matt

Key dates for Michaelmas Term 2022:

Wednesday 31 August

House open 10am-8pm
New pupils induction day

Thursday 1 September

First day of term for all pupils

Friday 23 September

Exeat begins at 14:35
U6 parents meeting 15:15

Friday 14 October

Half term
L6 parents meeting 15:15

Monday 31 October

Term resumes for All pupils

Friday 18 November

Exeat
Year 9 parents meeting 15:15

Saturday 26 November

Reeves House Concert

Friday 16 December

End of term
School carol service

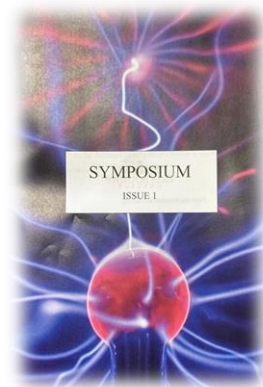
Monday 9 January

Lent Term starts for ALL pupils

Academic

In what has been a long and demanding term there have been a considerable number of **academic achievements**, too numerous for them all to be mentioned here. Yet there are some that stand out as examples of genuine excellence, worthy of our collective recognition.

It has been another busy term with the return of examinations and it is important to pause to think about those pupils who have sat their GCSE and A-level exams this summer. Throughout the past two years of their studies, they have endured unprecedented disruption to their learning. We hope that their efforts pay off with some excellent results come August.



In the Kirk-Green French-speaking recital, Reuben Mace was highly commended for the 2nd year in a row. Reuben has also been part of a team of pupils who have created the school's first academic magazine Symposium.

Dylan Pearson, William Buchanan and Jacob Kremer passed their Chartered Institute of Securities and Investments qualification in Fundamentals of Financial Services exam and we wish Ben van Noort the best of luck as he completes his exam in London over the summer holidays.

Nasim Bellagnaoui secured an offer from the University of Oxford to read PPE and we hope for good results come August. Ewan Clark has been busy completing his application for the Arkwright Scholarship we wish him the best of luck. Also at the height of academic endeavour Dylan Pearson, Cass Stallion, Ben van Noort, Jacob Kremer and Jack Pincus have all been awarded business and economics pupils of the half term awards this academic year. While in DT Tolly Ridge has been awarded his half colours.

There were some excellent performances in the recent end of term exams for Year 9, 10 and 12 but special mentions goes to those listed below who were the top performers in their respective year group in Reeves.

1. Year 9 Thomas Hoskinson Average of 8.09/9
2. Year 10 Nima Sorooshian Average of 7.80/9
3. Year 12 Ben van Noort and Karam Al-Robaie A* A* A

Praise marks Roll of honour – Summer Term 2022 Top 5 pupils in each year for this academic year*				
Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13
1. Thomas Hoskinson - 61	1. Oly Beaton - 45	1. Ewan Clark - 60	1. Ben van Noort - 38	1. Emmanuel Andal - 16
2. Jonah Ripley – 50	2. Reuben Mace – 44	2. Charlie Jenden - 45	2. Will Goddard - 36	2. Ben Beaton - 15
3. Eric Wood – 49	3. Nima Sorooshian – 41	3. Isaac Ripley - 37	3. Will Liggett – 33	3. Nasim Bellagnaoui - 8
4. William Travers - 43	4. Billy Mannion - 33	4. Zizie Ndlovu - 35	4. Theo Bathard-Smith - 28	4. Reuben Dixon - 7
5. Kieran Clark - 41	5. Will Curtis – 30	5. Alex Farlam - 32	5. Karam al –Robaie - 27	5. Batuhan Kaya - 7

*Two reward points awarded for a Show HsM. 1 Point awarded for praise comments.

Subjects Prizes

Prizes have been awarded to the following Reeves boys who have performed at a very high level academically throughout the course of this academic year.

Eric Wood – Year 9 German Prize

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Noah Titterton-Manos – Year 10 English Literature prize

Reuben Mace – Year 10 Greek Prize

Ben van Noort – Year 12 Business prize

Karam Al-Robaie – Crowden Lower Sixth Further Mathematics prize

William Liggett – HJ Bannatyne History Prize

Ptolemy Ridge – Year 12 Design and Technology prize

Theo Bathard-Smith – Year 12 Spanish Prize

Ewan Clark - Derek Mitchell Junior Geography Prize

Zizie Ndlovu – Junior Latin Prize

Tom Hoskinson - Headmaster's prize for all-round contribution

Louis Fisher - Headmaster's prize for all-round contribution

Class effort prizes: These prizes are awarded at the end of each academic year to pupils who show outstanding effort throughout the year in lessons. Details of those awarded a class effort prize are included in the table to the right hand side.



Class Effort Prizes – ST 2022	
Year 9	
Thomas Hoskinson	PE and biology
Jonah Ripley	Geography
Year 10	
Billy Mannion	English
Nima Sorooshian	English
Reuben Mace	French
Olly Beatton	Maths
Year 11	
Charlie Jenden	Maths and chemistry
William Corrigan	Physics
Alex Farlam	Spanish
Ewan Clark	DT
Year 12	
Will Goddard	Maths
Louis Fisher	Chemistry

(pictured left, the senior Reeves cricket team who made it through to the semi-finals of this year's competition)



Sport



The hard work during the winter nets paid off. The 1st XI has once again played some very exciting cricket with victories over Whitgift, twice, winning 7 of 9 Saturday fixtures on a very strong circuit. Well done to Sam Holder, Ben van Noort and Monty



Dahms who have all been part of the squad this year.

The 2nd XI (pictured, left) enjoyed 7 wins from 11

and were crowned the inaugural County 2nd XI champions in a thrilling final. Well done to Ben Beaton, Archie Salmon and Monty Dahms who were part of the team. The 3rd XI and 4th XI played six games with two wins for the 3rd XI. The U17s have qualified through to the finals of the 35 overs competition to be played in due course. We wish Ben van Noort (captain) and Monty Dahms the best of luck.

The U16As won 3 from 5 and played some exciting cricket and showed great depth in the talent ranks well done to Oliver Tutt who was part of the team. The U15As had a hugely successful season making two finals and winning one ECB U15 national cup county final, which took them to the regional playoff well done to Eddie Anderson who was part of the team. 10 wins from 16 and a very successful festival, the senior teams next year will be very competitive and I am sure that Reeves will be well represented as always.



The U15Bs recorded the most successful season of any boys team with six wins from 7, well done to Noah Gould, James Katz, Billy Curtis and Olly Beaton who have been part of the most successful squad in the College this term. At the final weekend of term, we saw the return of house cricket with the Year 9 and 10 Reeves teams qualifying through to the finals on College field. Sadly results did not go our way on the day but the boys did themselves and the house proud and we hope for more success next academic year. Pictures of each team are further down the newsletter.

In other highlights, this term the equestrian team has once again qualified through the national finals in October. They were competing against 86 different schools at Hickstead – Reuben Mace (pictured, above left) put in a strong, clear round helping the team to finish in a respectable 15th place nationally.

This term we have also had senior and junior house badminton. The junior team of Henry Hollands and Thomas (pictured, below left) finished in 3rd place while the senior team of Monty Dahms and Dylan Pearson (pictured, below right) finished in 6th place.



Sports colours have been awarded to:	Sport
Ben van Noort (full)	Cricket
Nasim Bellagnaoui (full)	Athletics
Archie Salmon	Cricket
Sam Holder	Cricket
William Goddard	Tennis
Dylan Pearson	Tennis
Will Liggett	Tennis
Theo Bathard-Smith	Athletics

The athletics team have had a hugely successful Sussex school's Diamond League and county championships and some Reeves athletes qualified for Sussex in the inter counties national champs. In this event Thomas Hoskinson (pictured, right) secured a gold medal in the 200M while Tatika Dicker, Tom Hoskinson



and Rowan Bell secured silver in the 4x100M event but secured a gold medal at the SISDL meet with a time of 49 seconds 0.03 slower than the current record. In the intermediate category Olly Beaton secured a silver medal in the high jump, Alex Farlam secured a bronze medal in the 100M hurdles while Finn Hill secured a bronze medal in the javelin.

It has also been another busy term for the tennis team, there have been weekly competitive matches while the



U18 boys' team finished runners-up in the LTA county round. In the house tennis competitions this term the senior boys' team of Batuhan Kaya, Will Liggett, Will Goddard, Dylan Pearson and Charlie Maidens finished in 4th place, the Year 10 tennis team of Billy Mannion, Ed Olley, Al Maclaurin and Seb Pearson finished in 5th place while the Year 9 tennis team of George Rosin, William Travers, Eric Wood and Rufus McCourt finished in the 4th place. At the end of this term after many weeks of preparation Rufus McCourt, Percy Cutler, George Rosin, Monty Dean and William Liggett (pictured, left) were part of the ball crew for the Eastbourne International Tennis Tournament. Each one of the boys did a fantastic

job and was awarded certificates and many autographs for all of their efforts throughout the course of the week.

Through this term, there has also been a number of other house events. In this term, house fives competition the Reeves team of Ben Beaton, Finlay Eadie, Billy Curtis, Magnus Chiu and Finlay Hill finished in fourth position. The house swimming competition saw 25 different boys in the pool representing the house. We finished in 6th place in the juniors and in 4th place in the senior. For the first time in a number of years, we have also seen the house basketball tournament take place. The junior team made up of Year 9 boys finished in 6th place while the seniors had more luck on the courts finishing in third place overall.



having never lost a competitive chess fixture and while at one stage competing against 15 pupils simultaneously.

Sports Day

The two tables that follow give details of all those who competed for the house and their position. Reeves finished in 1st place and it was great to see the whole of the house getting involved and supporting each other. Well done to all those who volunteered to take part in the events listed below and of course extra congratulations to those that placed in their respective events. Louis Fisher is pictured left collecting the sports day cup from the Headmaster and the Chairman of Governors on the day. Special Mention must go to Tom Hoskinson who set a new school record for the 200M.



	Senior	Place	Inter (Year 11)	Place
Hurdles	Dylan Pearson	2nd	Alex Farlam	1st
	Emmanuel Andal	7th		
1500M	Will Liggett	2nd	Noah Titterton-Manos	1st
	Jacob Kremer	11th		
400M	Karam Al-Robaie	4th	Zizie Ndlovu	3rd
	Alex Cardoza	6th		
200M	Theo Bathard-Smith	3rd	Will Corrigan	5th
	Nasim Bellagnaoui	2nd		
100M	Tolly Ridge	6th	Charlie Maidens	2nd
	Alex Cardoza	8th		
800M	Cass Stallion	11th	Ewan Clark	4th
	Will Goddard	3rd		
High Jump	Jack Pincus	8th	Finn Hill	1st
	Cass Stallion	6th		
Long Jump	Ben Beatton	9th	Finn Hill	2nd
	Theo Bathard-Smith	2nd		
Triple Jump	Will Buchanan	9th	Charlie Jenden	2nd
	Dylan Pearson	5th		
Shot	Louis Fisher	4th	Oliver Tutt	2nd
	Karam Al-Robaie	7th		
Javelin	Sam Holder	4th	Isaac Ripley	4th
	Ben van Noort	2nd		
4 x 100m	Dylan Pearson	2nd	Finn Hill	2nd
	Nasim Bellagnaoui		Alex Farlam	
	Tolly Ridge		Alex Wearne	
	Theo Bathard-Smith		Charlie Jenden	

	Junior (Yr 9)	Place	Inter (1 x Yr 10)	Place
Hurdles	Eric Wood	10th	James Katz	5th
	George Rosin	5th		
1500M	Henry Hollands	4th	Billy Curtis	2nd
	Rowan Bell	2nd		
300M	Rufus McCourt	11th	N/A - Year 9 only	
	Henry Hollands	4th		
400M	N/A - Year 10 only		Billy Curtis	3rd
200M	Neffion Myles-Hall	4th	Eddie Anderson	6th
	Tom Hoskinson	1st		
100M	Tatika Dicker	2nd	Olly Beatton	3rd
	Monty Dean	4th		
800M	Rowan Bell	4th	Seb Pearson	4th
	Percy Cutler	6th		
High Jump	Felix Boyes	11th	Olly Beatton	1st
	Tatika Dicker	1st		
Long Jump	Tom Hoskinson	1st	Noah Titterton-Manos	2nd
	Eric Wood	10th		
Triple Jump	Kieran Clark	6th	Finlay Eadie	2nd
	Neffion Myles-Hall	2nd		
Shot	Jonah Ripley	2nd	Noah Gould	2nd
	Billy Hart	6th		
Javelin	Rowan Bell	4th	Billy Mannion	4th
	Henry Hollands	1st		
4 x 100m	Tom Hoskinson	1st	N/A	
	Rowan Bell			
	Neffion Myles-Hall			
	Tatika Dicker			



Creatives



In DT Kieran Clark, Eric Wood and Monty Dean have been busy designing frames for micro-drones that will then be 3-D printed. During the final week of term Alex Cardoza (right) and Zizie Ndlovu (left) were part of the first-ever pupil-led Dell Play Audience by Michael Frayn. Both boys were fantastic in their roles and it was a very enjoyable comedic play. Ben Beaton has also been busy preparing his Gold Arts production of *Journey's End* while the Year 9 and 10 drama scholars have started to rehearse for a prep school tour of *The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe*.



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Congratulations to Al Maclaurin who won this term's photographs competition.



Neffion Myles Hall (left) has demonstrated all the qualities expected of a drama scholar at Eastbourne College. He is not only an outstanding talent who is able to bring any character he plays vividly to life, but he is also a kind, committed and generous spirit both in lessons and in the rehearsal room. He is clearly passionate and self-motivating and is a pleasure to work with. He cares deeply about this subject and as a result, he has been awarded an honorary drama scholarship.

It has also been another extremely busy term in music. Lots of the boys continue to attend their weekly instrumental and singing lessons and I hope that that they will be keen to take part in next term's house



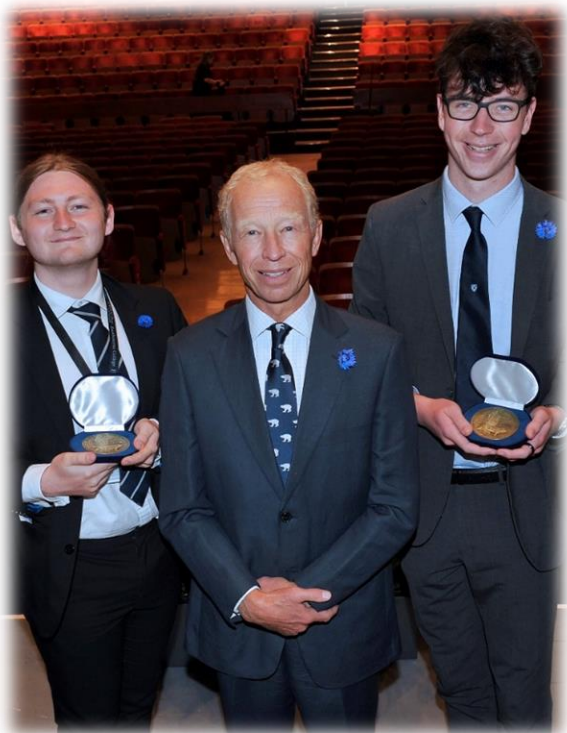
concert. Zizie Ndlovu took part in a vocal masterclass with an international opera singer, Mark Le Brcoq, as well as being part of the jazz band that performed at the Undercroft in the final week of this term. The Year 9 music pupils were involved in a fantastic iPad orchestra performance while Sebastian Pearson (pictured. Left) made it through to the final of the Young Musician of the Year competition for the second successive year. Congratulations should also go to Nima Shorooshian who was recently achieve his grade 6 in the violin. While in LAMDA Percy Cutler and Batuhan Kaya achieved a merit with Will Cutler, Noah Gould, Neffion Myles-Hall and William Travers achieving a distinction.



Services and social

In the CCF the Year 10 cadets have just returned from an enjoyable four days of training in the final week of this term. While on Saturday the 2nd of July two D of E expeditions set off from College Field. Zizie Ndlovu, Alex Wearne, Isaac Ripley and Oliver Tutt headed off to their silver practice expedition in the New Forest while Cass Stallion and Karam Al-Robaie attended their gold practice expedition in Wales. We hope that all of the boys involved have put in strong preparations

ahead of their assessed expeditions next academic year.



It is also important to thank those boys who have represented the house in a variety of different roles this term. We thank Jacob Kremer for his work on the charity committee and wish Seb Pearson the best of luck as he now takes over this role. It is also important to thank Jay Mercer for his work on the senior school council and Be You group. Reuben Dixon has been the house representative on the food committee while Zizie Ndlovu and William Travers have been the house reps on the junior school council.

A huge congratulations to Ben Beaton and Jay Mercer (pictured above, left) who were awarded the Lucie Smith Prize on Speech Day. This prize is awarded to a pupil/pupils in the

College who best lead their school life by the Colleges' values of integrity, kindness, participation and the pursuit of excellence as well as promoting inclusion. Both of these young men have been fantastic role models for others around them and very much worthy recipients of this year's award.



Pictures above of the Year 9 tutor supper and the house BBQ – are two of a number of social events that happened towards the end of this term.

Leavers and Thank You

It has been great that we have been able to have a number of social events to mark the leaving of the Year 13s. Just before the end of the academic year, Mr Clark, the Year 13 and I headed out to Team Sport in Brighton for some go-karting. The Year 13 boys have been superb and hugely supportive. They have led by example and welcomed the younger boys into the House, helping to set the right inclusive, constructive and friendly tone. They have been good company and we wish all of the leavers the best of luck



with their future plans.

This year we were able to welcome the boys and their families to a drinks reception in the Reeves garden before heading to the Cornflower Ball.



As this academic year comes to a close we have now appointed Year 12 pupils into leadership positions for the next academic year. The details of these appointments are included further on in the newsletter. I want to take this opportunity to thank Ben Beaton who has been exceptional in his role as Head of House. During a very challenging year, Ben and the rest of the team have worked tirelessly to ensure that house teams are well organised and that the boys are well turned out in house kit at each house event. Thank you to Archie Salmon, Woody Eriksson and Sam Holder for everything they have done this year in their roles as Deputy Head of House.





We also pass on our best wishes to pupils in other year groups who are leaving the College and Reeves at the end of this academic year. Good luck to Rufus McCourt (R,9) who will be taking up a boarding place in Gonville. In Year 11 Finlay Hill (R,11) will be moving to board in Wargrave House for the sixth form while William Corrigan (R,11) will be moving to Bede's senior school to pursue his chosen A-Level subjects. We wish the boys the best of luck for the future.

Thank you as always to my excellent team of tutors who have been very supportive and played an integral role in a challenging yet successful year for the house. All of the tutors have done a great job and it is with a heavy heart that we say goodbye to Mr David Cox (pictured right) after two years in the house. David has been extremely supportive of his tutees seeing them through their difficult first year at the College. I know that the boys have appreciated his kindness and support in all that they do and I am sure that they will miss their regular interactions with him. He has been outstanding in ensuring each of the boys in his care is pushed on to achieve bigger and better things. We wish him all the very best as he moves to Singapore with his wife Laura and son Sam. As David moves on his role will be filled by Mrs Simmonds (Head of Academic PE) who joins us



from a stint as a tutor in Watt house. I am sure that Mrs Simmonds will be a fantastic addition to the Reeves Tutor Team and we look forward to welcoming her to the house in September.



A Final and much deserved mention and thank you should go to Kay (pictured, left) who continues to help maintain the fabric and cleanliness of Reeves. She should also be thanked for her cheerful and supportive influence on the boys. Kay has been outstanding and an unsung hero throughout my three years in charge. As I was the fourth Housemaster that she had inherited she has been an excellent sounding board for any new ideas or thoughts that I might have about the house. She frequently goes the extra mile for me and the house and for that I am extremely grateful. She has been central to some planning of house refurbishments and is always finding time to talk to the boys and support them as best as she can. Even making them toast! She has been invaluable and I have enjoyed working with her throughout the course of this year.

2022 Leavers pictured below.





Cassius Stallion
Head of House and
prefect



William Liggett
Deputy Head of House



Jacob Kremer
Deputy Head of House



Theo Bathard-Smith
Deputy Head of House



This term we were delighted to learn that Dylan Pearson (pictured, left) was recently appointed as Head of school. Dylan will lead the team of prefects for the coming year and I am



confident that he will be a fantastic ambassador for the College and Reeves in his new role. It will undoubtedly be a hectic year for Dylan but we wish him every success.



Cup for Endeavour is awarded for endeavour in games through consistent commitment, effort and perseverance over the term. This term's winner of the cup was Tayssir Ben Caid (pictured, right) who arrived in Year 12 and could not swim. Still, he took it upon himself to attend every session he could to learn by joining games session swimming groups three times a week he now completes the 1000m, or 40 lengths, training sessions and trains outside the school in the holidays. This year he raced for his house in the inter-house swimming completion.

The Simon Green



