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# BLUNDELL'S SCHOOL

## SPEECH DAY

FRIDAY 8<sup>th</sup> JULY 2011  
2.30 p.m.

*Please all stand when the  
Chairman of Governors, Guest Speaker and Head Master enter*

Programme

Chairman of the Governors ~ Mr David Fursdon

Head Master ~ Mr Ian Davenport

Presentation of Prizes

Guest Speaker  
Vic Marks OB

Chairman's closing remarks

*Please all stand while  
the platform party of Governors and Common Room leave;  
Blundellians please then sit until all parents and other visitors have  
left the marquee.*

*Tea will be served in the vicinity of the marquee.*

*You are also invited to visit the  
Art and Design Technology Departments,  
The Popham Centre & The Ondaatje Hall  
where a selection of work will be on display.*

### **Years 7 and 8 Academic Prizes**

7D H. R. Nash and T. J. Whitehead  
7G E. F. S. Rees  
7L A. Liu  
7R I. S. Sanders-Dutton

8D E. S. Combe  
8G M. Y. Lam  
8L N. S. Cotton  
8R A. A. Rowe

### **Year 9 Academic Prizes**

B. J. Charles  
B. O. Reade

J. C. Perring  
H. C. J. Venner

### **Year 10 Academic Prizes**

J. H. F. Bremner  
H. M. Keevil

G. de Falbe  
S. C. Simonson

### **Year 11 Subject Prizes**

*Religious Studies*  
*English*  
*History*  
*Geography*  
*Biology*  
*Fisher Memorial French*  
*Spanish*  
*German*  
*Latin*  
*Greek*  
*Mathematics*  
*Physics*  
*Chemistry*  
*Art*  
*Design and Technology Coursework*  
*Design and Technology*  
*Drama*  
*Music*  
*Information & Communication Technology*  
*Physical Education*  
*Graphics Products*

T. I. Carew  
P. V. B. Horne  
B. R. Miles  
W. H. Costa  
W. H. Costa  
S. G. Kingston  
S. G. Kingston  
R. M. Cookson  
W. J. Browne  
J. A. D. Hawkes  
M. J. Brown  
E. L. Nash  
A. F. Reade  
L. H. E. Reynolds  
L. J. Steer  
H. C. C. Williams  
L. C. H. Cree  
W. J. Coon  
T. Lilly D'Cruz  
C. Routledge  
C. A. C. Hare

## Lower Sixth Form Subject Prizes

<i>Divinity</i>	G. Lubrani
<i>Ancient History</i>	G. Lubrani
<i>Religious Studies</i>	L. Kalsi
<i>Art</i>	L. Kalsi
<i>English</i>	C. I. G. Bremner
<i>French</i>	C. I. G. Bremner
<i>Spanish</i>	C. I. G. Bremner
<i>Music</i>	A. R. Everett
<i>Physics</i>	A. R. Everett
<i>Music Technology</i>	J. C. V. Wander
<i>History</i>	M. E. Seymour
<i>Mahood Memorial History</i>	H. L. Davis
<i>Biology</i>	H. L. Davis
<i>Psychology</i>	H. L. Davis
<i>Geography</i>	M. K. Simonson
<i>Latin</i>	C. E. Stoneman
<i>Mathematics</i>	C. T. Li
<i>Chemistry</i>	T. M. Tang
<i>Design and Technology</i>	K. T. Lau
<i>Physical Education</i>	L. A. Honey
<i>Photography</i>	A. A. Clarke
<i>Drama</i>	L. J. Edmanson
<i>Film Studies</i>	S. J. Sendell
<i>Business Studies</i>	J. K. Stuart
<i>Economics</i>	M. I. Oddy
<i>Computing</i>	E. S. Casely

## Upper Sixth Form Subject Prizes

<i>Religious Studies</i>	E. A. H. Crawford
<i>Johnstone History</i>	E. A. H. Crawford
<i>Beavan English</i>	A. F. Babington
<i>Fisher Memorial French</i>	S. A. McKelvey
<i>Spanish</i>	L. P. Ferris
<i>Greek</i>	S. L. Anderson
<i>Temple Memorial Latin</i>	S. L. Anderson
<i>History</i>	Q. Zhang
<i>Ancient History</i>	R. P. Paxton
<i>Geography</i>	A. J. W. Winterton
<i>Mathematics</i>	J. Sheng
<i>Coles Memorial Physics</i>	L. A. MacBean
<i>Duckworth Memorial Mathematics</i>	L. A. MacBean & M. Peper
<i>Coles Memorial Chemistry</i>	M. Peper
<i>Batterbee Award for Biology</i>	I. Harvey
<i>Coles Memorial Biology</i>	V. Margesson
<i>Lowe Memorial Biology</i>	J. Lilly D'Cruz
<i>Design and Technology</i>	B. L. C. Whyte
<i>Art</i>	B. C. Prevett
<i>Photography</i>	J. C. Berry
<i>Drama</i>	V. C. L. Cox
<i>Film Studies</i>	E. C. D. Carlton
<i>Music Technology</i>	A. J. Cotter-Stone
<i>Psychology</i>	A. E. Young
<i>Economics</i>	A. A. Routledge
<i>Physical Education</i>	J. L. Mudge

## General Prizes

<i>Lawrence Sail Prize for Poetry</i>	F. M. de Lisle
<i>Sainsbury English</i>	L. A. MacBean
<i>Pope Cup for Music</i>	L. A. MacBean
<i>F.G. Swan General Music</i>	L. A. MacBean
<i>Kemys-Jenkin Memorial English</i>	A. E. MacBean
<i>Kelly Cup for Music</i>	A. E. MacBean
<i>Senior Music</i>	A. E. MacBean
<i>Harman English</i>	R. T. S. Sanders
<i>Donald Owen Junior Reading</i>	O. G. Mustard
<i>The Blundellian</i>	J. L. Hayward & O. O. Baxter-Wright
<i>Woodwind</i>	V. C. L. Cox
<i>Reginald Thompson Prize for Piano</i>	S. A. McKelvey
<i>Singing</i>	M. I. Oddy
<i>Senior Strings</i>	A. E. Young
<i>Camerata Cup</i>	A. E. Young
<i>Orlando Schenk Cup for Speech and Drama</i>	E. W. D. Keefe
<i>Keats Medal for Rhetoric</i>	E. C. D. Carlton
<i>Head Master's Prize for Reading in Chapel</i>	E. C. D. Carlton
<i>David Ogborne Prize for Stage Management</i>	O. E. Tobey
<i>Art</i>	P. R. Thomas
<i>Photography</i>	L. J. Steer
<i>Way Cup</i>	L. J. Steer
<i>Junior Design &amp; Technology</i>	B. O. Reade
<i>Bisiker Cup for Outdoor Pursuits</i>	F. H. B. Evans
<i>Price Cup for Sport</i>	Z. G. Bess
<i>Girls' Cup for Sport</i>	J. L. Mudge
<i>Junior CCF</i>	J. E. Boylett
<i>Senior CCF</i>	C. W. Bodington
<i>Janet A'Lee Memorial Trophy</i>	A. D. Hamilton on behalf of '3' Section
<i>Joe Panther Prize</i>	C. Routledge
<i>Estudio Campana Art Award</i>	H. C. C. Williams
<i>Blundellian Lodge Salver</i>	A. C. Cros
<i>James Galley Memorial Prize</i>	O. E. G. Handyside
<i>Chairman of Governors' Prize</i>	S. L. Anderson
<i>Governors' Leaving Prizes</i>	C. W. Bodington, E. C. D. Carlton, E. A. H. Crawford, C. R. Grainger, M. G. Hague, V. Margesson, S. A. McKelvey, L. K. Mitchell, J. L. Mudge, M. Peper, A. A. Routledge, C. M. Swarbrick
<i>The Ondaatje Hall Medal</i>	Q. Zhang
<i>Peter Blundell Prize</i>	B. J. Grayson
<i>Viscount Amory Prize</i>	T. E. Cole
<i>Heads of School</i>	L. P. Ferris, R. P. Paxton

## Prizes

Many of the named prizes were generously presented by, or in memory of, Old Blundellians, Masters, Governors and Benefactors. Over the years, some have been adapted to reflect changing mores. Descriptions of some of these prizes are given below:

**Joe Panther Prize:** Presented to the Year 11 pupil who has made most academic progress during the year. The legacy of a past member of Common Room, first awarded in 2000.

**Janet A'Lee Memorial Trophy:** Presented to the winning Section of the CCF Endurance Competition.

**The Price Cup for Sport:** Presented in 2001 by Christopher Price OB. Awarded to a pupil who is pre-eminent in one or more of the traditional Blundell's sports.

**Girls' Cup for Sport:** Presented in 2007 by Charlotte Vantreen OB. Awarded for excellence in and contribution to Girls' Sport at Blundell's.

**Keats Medal:** Blundell's oldest prize awarded for rhetoric on chosen biblical and English texts. In memory of Richard Keats, Master, 1775-1797.

**Blundell's Lodge Salver:** Presented for charitable enterprise by Blundell's Lodge, who donate a cheque to the charity of the year.

**Way Cup:** Awarded as a junior version of the Peter Blundell Prize (see below). In memory of an Old House cleaner, Ken Way, who died aged 40 in the early 1980s; presented by his wife.

**The James Galley Memorial Prize:** Presented in 2001, in memory of James Galley OB. Awarded to a Blundellian who has used great determination to overcome a handicap of any sort.

**Governors' Leaving Prizes:** These acknowledge thoroughly good citizens who have contributed widely to the welfare of the School.

**Chairman of Governors' Prize:** Started by Admiral Grenier, (who retired as Chairman in 1996), this award is given for contributing to the well-being of the School.

**The Ondaatje Hall Medal:** Presented in 1989 by Sir Christopher Ondaatje. This award has particular emphasis on the promotion of international understanding.

**Peter Blundell Prize:** Awarded for unobtrusive but wholly thorough, reliable and decent contribution to the School by manners, bearing or achievement.

**Viscount Amory Prize:** Presented by the Governors in 1980 on the retirement of Viscount Amory as Chairman. Awarded for outstanding example of character and personality, often (but not necessarily) in the face of some difficult circumstances.

**Full Colours  
2010 – 2011**

<b>Academic</b>	S. L. Anderson E. A. H. Crawford Q. Zhang
<b>All Rounder</b>	L. A. MacBean
<b>Athletics</b>	M. Peper
<b>Cricket</b>	Z. G. Bess C. R. Grainger
<b>Drama</b>	E. C. D. Carlton
<b>Football</b>	B. J. Grayson
<b>Hockey</b>	S. I. Birchmore A. J. Cotter-Stone A. B. Dawson S. R. Malcolm V. Margesson J. L. Mudge
<b>Outdoor Pursuits</b>	C. W. Bodington
<b>Music</b>	V. C. L. Cox A. E. MacBean A. E. Young
<b>Netball</b>	S. R. Malcolm
<b>Rugby</b>	Z. G. Bess T. E. Cole B. G. Goss J. Lilly D’Cruz R. P. Paxton G. N. Woofenden W. F. H. Yard
<b>Squash</b>	J. L. Mudge

## Further and Higher Education Course Entries

Between August 2010 and June 2011 the following places have been notified

H. G. Acfield	Bath Spa	J. P. A. Manning	Manchester
F. E. Auger	Liverpool	K. S. Maynard	Cardiff
H. S. Barr	Cardiff	H. Mills	Oxford
N. L. Beckett	Southampton	A. S. L. Milnes	Leeds Met.
C. A. Berry	Reading	C. E. Newson	Westminster
A. M. Blackmore	Bristol	S. Nixon	Plymouth
H. J. Bruce	Harper Adams	B. R. Oddy	Bath
E. C. T. Cadenhead	Lancaster	C. K. Offord	Oxford Brookes
T. J. Cardale	Southampton	S. C. O'Kelly	Hartpury College
W. J. Carrick-Smith	BUWE	D. L. Oliveira	Manchester Met.
A. L. Clarke	Oxford Brookes	T. J. Parish	York
O. J. Clarke	Newcastle	A. J. Payne	Royal Holloway
J. K. Cushway	Leeds Met.	C. J. Purcell	BASPA
H. D. M. Dixon	Reading	M. M. Rampley	Reading
V. H. A. Doyne-Ditmas	Bristol	J. C. Ricketts	Oxford Brookes
J. L. Durban	CUWIC	J. S. Rossiter	Bath
Y. Feng	Lancaster	K. Sangov	Surrey
H. J. Frankpitt	Newcastle	A. M. A. Schicht	Bristol
A. L. Gash	Cornwall	C. I. Simonson	Southampton
H. S. L. Goody	Southampton	C. L. Smith	Newcastle
J. V. D. Gordon	BUWE	A. J. Southwick	Swansea
M. J. Goss	BUWE	S. M. Southwick	Birmingham
R. H. D. Harpur	Royal Welsh Coll. of Music	R. G. Spencer	Keele
C. R. B. Horne	Portsmouth	J. C. Strong	Gloucester
G. R. G. House	Bristol	L. J. Swan	Liverpool
H. B. Hugo-Stanley	Liverpool	E. H. A. Thomson	Bournemouth
R. N. Hunt	Newcastle	J. A. Voysey	Reading
S. H. P. Keatley	York	N. M. Waddington	Leeds
T. A. H. Lett	Lancaster	A. C. K. Walpole	Cornwall College
H. Li	Nottingham	S. R. Ward	Leeds
M. Y. Liu	Middlesex	W. R. R. Watson	UCL
B. R. F. Loader	Oxford Brookes	E. E. Wessely	Bath
A. J. Longstreet	Birmingham	J. E. C. Whyte	Exeter College
T. W. Love	Bedford	C. F. Wong	Kent
W. P. McBarnet	Oxford	N. K. Wong	St Andrews
H. J. D. McDowell	Durham	A. J. H. Yard	Oxford Brookes
D. R. Malcolm	Oxford	J. A. York	RAC
		X. Zhu	Bristol

## **ADDITIONAL HIGHLIGHTS & ACHIEVEMENTS**

### **Academic**

*UK Senior Mathematics Challenge:* Gold ~ O. Doroshenko, L. A. MacBean, C. H. Yeung and Q. Zhang, 7 Silver and 17 Bronze

*UK Intermediate Mathematics Challenge:* Gold ~ J. T. Curtis, G. de Falbe, C. R. Findlay, T. B. J. Golden, T. J. D. McPherson, E. J. Nash, J. T. Saupe and J. P. Zhang, 14 Silver and 21 Bronze, Best in School ~ G. de Falbe and J. P. Zhang

*UKMT Junior Mathematics Challenge:* Gold ~ C. J. Brown, J. J. Harvie, A. Liu, L. M. Watt and T. J. Whitehead, 9 Silver and 18 Bronze, Best in School ~ C. J. Brown

*Devon Senior Mathematics Team Challenge:* 3<sup>rd</sup> Place ~ E. A. H. Crawford, C. T. Li, L. A. MacBean and J. Sheng

*Devon Intermediate Mathematics Team Challenge:* Silver ~ G. de Falbe, T. B. J. Golden, T. J. D. McPherson and S. C. Simonson

*UK Junior Mathematics Team Challenge:* B. J. Charles, C. M. Hamilton, M. Le Chevallier and J. C. Perring

*Blundell's in partnership with the Culm Valley Small Schools Association:* Mathematics Day and Sports Day

*British Biology Olympiad:* V. Margesson ~ highly commended, I. L. A. Murphy ~ commended

*Year 10 British Biology Challenge:* Gold ~ J. H. F. Bremner, B. K. Clark and G. de Falbe, 10 Silver and 7 Bronze

*'Top of the Bench' Chemistry Competition:* Winners ~ M. O. C. Baughan, E. S. Combe, N. S. Cotton and C. M. Hamilton

*Chemists International Olympiad:* Silver ~ M. Peper, Bronze ~ J. Lilly D'Cruz and L. A. MacBean

*Year 12 Royal Society of Chemistry Analysts Competition:* C. T. Li, T. L. H. Ryder and T. M. Tang

*Smallpiece Trust Enrichment Course:* A. R. Everett

*Pilgrims Opticians Frame Design Competition:* Overall Winner and Best Technical Category ~ G. S. Acott

*English Speaking Union:* Local Round Winners ~ F. A. Dickinson, J. A. D. Hawkes and O. E. Tobey, Regional Finals Best Questioner ~ F. A. Dickinson

*Observer Mace Debate:* Regional Finals Runners-up ~ J. R. R. Foan and C. C. W. Gare

*Model United Nations conference:* Most Distinguished Delegate ~ A. R. Everett, Delegates' Delegate ~ E. C. D. Carlton

*Senior Debating:* Winners ~ A. R. Everett and E. W. D. Keefe, Best Speaker ~ E. W. D. Keefe

*Junior Debating:* Winners ~ H. M. Keevil and H. G. R. Sexton, Best Speaker ~ O. G. Mustard

*School House Debating:* Winners ~ H. A. Bunting, E. S. Combe and C. M. Hamilton, Best Speaker ~ C. M. Hamilton

*Junior Inter-House Public Speaking:* Winners ~ Petergate,  
Best Speakers ~ H. M. Keevil and O. G. Mustard  
*Senior Inter-House Public Speaking:* Winners ~ Westlake Boys,  
Best Speakers ~ E. A. H. Crawford and C. C. O'Kelly  
*Public Speaking:* Best Questioner ~ F. A. Dickinson  
*School House Recitations:* Year 7 ~ J. R. Lane, Year 8 ~ I. H. Phillips,  
Best in House ~ S. E. Bateman  
*Head Master's Essay:* 1<sup>st</sup> Prize ~ C. I. G. Bremner, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize ~ A. R. Everett

*National Trust's Poetry Competition:* Runner-up in age group ~ F. M. de Lisle  
*The Times Spelling Bee:* Runners-up ~ C. J. Brown, H. R. Nash,  
A. J. Stoneman and T. J. Whitehead  
*German Linguafest:* Year 10 Group ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

*RHS Gardening Competition at Rosemoor:* Runners-up ~ Most Original  
Garden, H. A. Bunting and R. H. Southwick

*Honours Award for outstanding work:* M. O. C. Baughan (2), E. C. Beckett,  
E. G. Blackmore, V. E. Boylett, L. E. Brades-Payne, C. I. G. Bremner,  
G. M. Bricknell, W. J. Browne, E. C. D. Carlton, B. J. Charles (2),  
E. S. Combe, W. L. A. Cookson, N. S. Cotton (3), L. M. Gibson, E. C. Gresswell,  
C. M. Hamilton (3), L. Kalsi, M. Y. Lam, Y. N. Lam, H. Le Gassick,  
L. A. MacBean, J. H. B. Mettam, E. S. Miller-Hunt, S. C. Mills, L. K. Mitchell,  
O. M. Mitchell, C. S. Montgomery, H. E. Morris, E. J. Nash, H. R. Nash,  
C. V. Orrell, M. Peper, B. C. Prevett, G. V. R. Robbins, I. S. Sanders-Dutton,  
C. P. Seymour, E. R. J. Taylor, T. J. Whitehead, H. C. C. Williams

*Blundell's continues to be the Regional Training Centre for Newly Qualified Teachers*

## Lectures and Talks

Lee Pascal	<i>Study Skills</i>
Colonel Michael Kingscote	<i>Leadership Training</i>
Major General Howes, Royal Marines	<i>Leadership Training</i>
Biology Society: Lecture on Extinctions to School House	<i>'Going Going Gone'</i>
Biology Society: Christmas Meal	<i>'An Evening of Biological Wonders'</i>
Tori James	<i>Wellington GA Lecture: 'On Top of the World'</i>
Royal Geographical Lecture	<i>An Expedition through Zaire</i>
Lois Pryce	<i>Lois on the Loose!</i>
Toni de Laroque	<i>The Maldives: Climate, Conservation, Culture</i>
Freddie Knoller	<i>Auschwitz survivor</i>
Dr Diane Aston	<i>IOM<sup>3</sup> Smart Materials</i>
Physics Society: Sixth Form Lecture	<i>The Science of Science Fiction</i>
Gavin Collet	<i>Forensics</i>
Dr Andrew Shaw	<i>Partners in Crime</i>
Bill Pirie	<i>Safe Driving: 'Avoid the Knock on the Door'</i>
John Norton	<i>Alcoholics Anonymous</i>
Charlotte Bayliss	<i>Drugs and Alcohol – A True Story</i>
Nicky Bayliss	<i>PSHCE Sexual Health</i>
Simon Hewitt	<i>Teenage Cancer Trust</i>
Emma Cole	<i>HIV and Aids</i>
Barbara Malcolm	<i>'Womb for Improvement – In Search of the Perfect Baby'</i>
Jo Webber	<i>Business: Jo Amor</i>
Baroness Dean of Thornton le Fylde	<i>House of Lords</i>
Oliver Blackwell	<i>Creative Design and Problem Solving</i>
Tim Bowler	<i>Creative Writing from a Novelist's Perspective</i>
Craig Cox	<i>Football Controversies</i>
Martin Corry	<i>Blundell's 1<sup>st</sup> Team Sports Dinner</i>

## Charities

John O'Groats to Land's End cycle rides	Exeter Leukemia Fund, CLIC Sargent, Breast Cancer Care, Devon Air Ambulance
Sponsored Walk	CLIC Sargent
Blundell's Got Talent	Exeter Leukemia Fund, Sri Lanka Cricket Tour
Pig Racing and Auction of Promises	Sri Lanka Cricket Tour
Home Clothes Days	Childreach International, CLIC Sargent, 'Raise the Roof', Rotary Club International ~ End Polio Now
South West One Day Event	Children's Hospice South West, Devon Air Ambulance
North Close Valentine's Roses	Children's Hospice South West
Sixth Form Dinner Dance	'Raise the Roof' and House of Hope - Nepal
Coffee Mornings	MacMillan Cancer Care
Wine Tasting	Myasthenia Gravis
Sponsored Swim	Lincoln College Oxford Vacation Project
Gorton House Candy Canes	Crisis at Christmas
The Russell Catering Tent	BIBIC – British Institute for Brain Injured Children
Tennis Tournaments	Save the Children
Concert and Supper	The Army Benevolent Fund
Soft Toys Auction	Orang-utan Appeal UK

## **Careers Education and Guidance**

*Visits to:* Future Engineers (Exeter University), Sport Academy (Exeter University), UCAS Higher Education Convention (Westpoint), Oxford and Cambridge Student Conference (Cardiff), Careers Convention (Taunton), Big Bang Fair (Exeter University), Hospitality Management (Silverstone), Gap Year Fair (Exeter University)

*Visits from:* Royal Veterinary College on Tour, Materials Science at Oxford, Glasgow University, Peterhouse College Cambridge, Army, RAF and RN Liaison Officers

*Careers Lunches:* Talking Psychology, Accountancy ‘a flexible career’, ‘Where will your ideas end up?’

In addition to the Futures Programme:

Year 13 ~ Study Retreats, Scholars’ Debates, MedAccess mock medical (dental/veterinary) interviews, Mentors lunch & meeting

Year 12 ~ Oxford Taster Day, Oxford and Cambridge preparation event, Futurewise insight and taster courses

Year 11 ~ Work Experience preparation event, Health and Safety Briefing and Placements

Year 9 ~ ‘What’s My Line?’

Work Experience (in addition to the Year 11 Programme) ~ A look at Royal Marine Life – 6 students, Army Leadership Insight Course – 2 students

## **Visiting Preachers**

*Harvest Festival:* The Reverend Professor Douglas Davies, Durham University

*Remembrance Day:* The Reverend Robert Charles, Vicar Emeritus, Budleigh Salterton

*Confirmation Service:* The Right Reverend Bob Evens, Bishop of Crediton

## Visits and Trips

*Biology:* Genetics and Evolution Day ~ Paignton Zoo, Year 12 Electron Microscopy Trip ~ Plymouth University, Ecology ~ Westward Ho!

*Chemistry:* Year 9 Great Egg Race ~ Plymouth University, Year 13 Spectroscopy visit ~ Bristol University, Chemistry Society Dinner

*Physics:* Year 12 Materials Enrichment Day ~ Oxford, GCSE Enrichment Day ~ BAE Engineering, Year 10 Young Engineers Day ~ Exeter University

*Mathematics:* Year 10 Mathematics Adventure Day ~ Escot House

*English:* Year 13 'King Lear' ~ Stratford, Year 10 'The Canterbury Tales' ~ Montecute House

*Geography:* Year 13 River Data Collection ~ Exmoor/River Exe, Year 11 CA Data Collection ~ Exmouth, Urban Studies and River Management ~ Exeter, Coastal Geomorphology ~ Dawlish, River Exe Studies, Wellington GA 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference ~ Taunton, Orienteering Killerton House, Exeter Meteorological Office

*History:* The World War I Battlefields trip ~ Belgium and France, Residential History/Geography Trip ~ Italy

*French:* 'Realites Francaises' Revision Day, Sixth Form French Raclette lunch

*German:* Year 9 German Breakfast and Sauerkraut Tasting

*Spanish:* Study Trip ~ Salamanca

*Psychology:* Behaviourism ~ Paignton Zoo

*Economics:* Revision Conference ~ Cheltenham Ladies' College

*Classics/Latinists:* Roman Baths visit

*Ethics/Religious Studies:* Conference ~ Yeovil

*Design and Technology:* Sixth Form visit ~ HEPCO Motion Systems Tiverton

*Graphics:* Clothes Show Live visit

*Gifted and Talented:* Year 10 Study Day ~ Yeovil, Extended Project Qualification Research ~ Exeter Library

*International Students:* Roman Baths visit, Open-top Bus Tour ~ Bath, Occombe Organic Farm visit, Brunel's SS Great Britain and Bristol Museum, Chinese New Year Celebrations, International Film Night

*Boys' Cricket:* Sri Lanka Tour, Presentations and Barbecue

*Hockey:* England Hockey Foundation Skills Coaching Workshop

*Rugby:* Senior Rugby Coaching Afternoon

*Tennis:* Wimbledon visit

*Fives:* Wayne Enstone Coaching sessions

*Field Day Trips:* including Paignton Zoo, Cheddar Gorge, Surfing ~ Bude, Williams Cup, Cricket ~ Exeter University, Millhouse Retreat, Fly Fishing, Plymouth Aquarium, Orienteering ~ Killerton House, Exmouth, @ Bristol, Exeter Meteorological Office, Ashmolean Museum, Eden Project, French Cookery, Torrington 1646 Civil War Centre

## Activities

In addition to the Sports offered within the Games Programme during the year, pupils have opted for the following Activities:

Biology Society, Chemistry Society, Physics Society, Psychology Society  
Critical Thinking, Debating Society, International Workshop  
Amnesty International, Debating Society, Photography Club  
Film Making, Photo Journalism, Junior Music Club, Chamber Choir  
Street Jazz Dance, School Musicals and Plays, Making Costumes  
Jewellery Making, Drama Club, Stage Crew, Drama Dog TV  
Blundellian Magazine, Book Group, Year Book, Anime Club, Board Games

Cookery, Gardening Club, Going Wild Club, Falconry, Archery  
Learn to Massage, Green Enterprise Scheme, Young Enterprise Scheme  
DT Extended Projects, Computer Programming, Rocket Club  
Car Restoration, Practical Driving  
Horse-Riding, Equestrian Team, Road Cycling/Mountain Biking  
Kayaking, Fly Fishing, Scuba Diving, Waterpolo  
Girls Football, Girls Cricket, Cricket Nets, Basketball  
Volleyball, Fencing, Fives, Squash, Rugby Sevens, Table Tennis  
5-a-side Football, Pilates, Yoga, Self Defence, Tae Kwon Do

Art/Crafts Club, Junior Art Club, French Film/Satellite News, Greek  
French Film Club, Try a new language,  
Confirmation Classes, Community Volunteering  
Duke of Edinburgh Expedition Preparation

Activities run by Sixth Form Students: Costume Making,  
Glee Club, Chinese Language and Culture,

Duke of Edinburgh Award: 29 pupils currently working towards Awards  
2 pupils working towards their Gold Awards  
Duke of Edinburgh Volunteering ~ Helping in a Homeless Charity  
Helping in a Club for Children with Learning Disabilities  
Coaching Sport to Young Club Members, Life-Guard Duty  
Helping with a Primary Schools After-School Club  
Helping Disabled Persons in own Homes

Sixth Form Sports Leadership Award ~ level 2: S. I. Birchmore,  
T. E. Cole, M. G. Hague, J. Lilly D'Cruz, S. R. Malcolm,  
V. Margesson, J. L. Mudge and R. P. Paxton

5 School House pupils achieved 1 Star Sabre Proficiency Award  
~ H. A. Bunting, X. J. Jaeger, A. Marutyan,  
E. F. S. Rees and T. J. Whitehead

## **Music**

Choral Concert ~ Jenkins 'The Armed Man Suite', Vivaldi 'Gloria' ~ soloist Siona Stockel OB, Barlow 'The Marriage Ceremony', Mozart Violin Concerto No.3 ~ soloists Alex MacBean, Laura MacBean and Amelia Young  
Choir Trip to Venice including service in St Mark's  
Jihlava Gymnazium Choir visit  
Chamber Choir Concert at Uplowman Church  
Big Band Concert at Dulverton Church, Big Band Picnic Concert and Big Band Concert in aid of the Tiverton Museum  
Concert in aid of the Masonic Trust for the Education of Girls and Boys  
Music Scholars Masterclass with Lisa Warren OB,  
Music Theatre Workshop with William Pool OB  
House Music Competition, Westlake Music Evening  
Junior Department Music Festival, Prep Schools'/Junior Schools' Orchestral Day  
School Musical ~ Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat  
Year 7 Musical ~ Alice in Wonderland  
Concerts: Lunchtime, Music Award Holders', Brass & Woodwind, Soul Band & Open Mike, Piano, String, Teatime, School House Teatime, School Concert  
Jihlava Gymnazium Choir, Joint Senior and Prep School, Sax Octet: Reed Rage

### *Examinations*

Associated Board, London College of Music (Musical Theatre), Trinity Guildhall  
100+ individual examinations taken including Grade 8s for  
V. C. L. Cox ~ flute, L. F. Dunk ~ clarinet, A. R. Everett ~ piano,  
A. E. MacBean ~ violin, L. A. MacBean ~ piano and violin,  
A. R. Williams ~ oboe, A. E. Young ~ violin, Q. Zhang ~ piano  
Music Theatre for E. J. Mayes and M. I. Oddy

## **Art**

### *Exhibitions and Places visited*

Haldon Forest, Broomhill Sculpture Park, Salcombe Sands  
Woolacombe Beach, Tate Modern, Muybridge at the Tate Britain,  
Shadow Catchers at the Victoria and Albert Museum  
Otterton Mill, Exeter Degree Shows, Saatchi Gallery

### *Exhibitions and Visitors*

Saatchi Gallery Schools' Sculpture Competition ~ C. M. Hamilton,  
W. M. Scott and S. C. Simonson all in Top 10 plus work exhibited  
Gloss Gallery ~ O. O. Baxter-Wright, J. C. Berry, L. Kalsi,  
A. K. Lindley, C. C. O'Kelly and B. C. Prevett work exhibited  
Best of the West, A Level Exhibition, GCSE Exhibition,  
Year 9 Exhibition, School House Exhibition  
Chris Hedley-Dent ~ 'Different Spaces' Exhibition  
Francesca Dawson (illustrator)  
Ruth Weston (sculptor)  
Vicki Barfield (painter)  
Lizzie Watts OB (performance artist)  
Fine Artists & SAS Royal Academy Life Drawing Workshop

## **Drama**

*Visiting Professional Theatre Performances*  
Guildford School of Acting: *'Zipp The Musical'*

Year 13 Improvisation Master-class with Caroline Quentin  
Year 13 'Performing Berkoff' with George Dillon  
'The Crucible' directed by visiting Director James Rochfort  
'Metamorphosis' workshop

### *Theatre Trips*

Sixth Form to '7734' at the Northcott Theatre  
Year 12 to 'Land Girls' at the Northcott Theatre  
Year 10 to 'Betty Blues Eyes' at the Novello Theatre

### *Performances by pupils*

School Play: 'The Ghost Train' by Arnold Ridley  
Year 9 and 10: 'The Crucible' by Arthur Miller  
Year 8: 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe' by C. S. Lewis  
LAMDA Presentation Evening

A2 Devised Performance: 'Euphoria' AS: 'Metamorphoses' and '4:48 Psychosis'  
GCSE Devised Performances: 'Hard to Swallow' and 'Medicine and Madness'  
GCSE: 'The Long Road' and 'Sweeney Todd'

### *House Performances*

Francis House: 'Some Treasure Island' North Close: 'It's not you, it's me'  
Old House: 'Are You Being Served?' Petergate: 'Run for your Wife'  
Gorton House: 'How to succeed in High School without really trying'

### *LAMDA (The London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art)*

26+ examinations in Speaking Verse and Prose,  
Using Spoken English, Reading for Performance, Acting Solo, Devising Drama Solo,  
Acting Duologue (12 distinctions, 12 merits, 2 pass)  
E. S. Casely, L. C. H. Cree, T. B. J. Golden, E. L. G. Mountbatten  
Grade 6 ~ Bronze Medals

20 pupils represented Blundell's in 10 classes at the Devon Performing Arts Festival  
(Eight 1<sup>st</sup> Places)

## **Outdoor Pursuits**

### *School House Programme:*

Year 8 Camp to the Quantock Hills for outward bound activities, Longleat House & Animal Park, Crealy Adventure Park, Quad Biking, Horse Riding (Exmoor), Woodlands Adventure Park, Paintballing, Coasteering, Devon County Show, Outdoor High Ropes Adventure, Hydrozorbing, Sumo Wrestling and Surf School

### *Adventure and Leadership:*

Paintballing, Endurance Karting, Williams Cup, School Monitor Team Building event, Watersports, Dartmoor Experience, Multistage Rocket Competition

### *Ten Tors:*

Successful 35-mile ~ 5<sup>th</sup> overall, 45-mile teams and our first ever 55-mile team in the history of the event

### *Devizes to Westminster:*

2 crews finished in under 24hrs and our first ever staff team to compete in the event

### *CCF:*

Weapons Training, Live Firing Range Day, Summer Camp to Cornwall, Beating the Retreat, Leadership Rifles Regiment course ~ 2 students

### *Sub-aqua:*

International Dive Show, 5 trainee elementary divers and 3 trainee club divers

## Sport

### Rugby

National Schools Barbarians	U14	J. A. L. Maunder
National Schools Barbarians	U13	F. H. Neusinger, C. P. Seymour, B. G. Steer
Rosslyn Park	U18	Reached the Quarter Finals
	U13	Reached the Final 16

### Girls' Hockey

Devon	U17	H. J. M. Sansom, H. L. Watts
	U16	J. E. Boylett
	U15	J. F. Atkins, E. G. Blackmore, B. O. Reade
	U14	V. E. Boylett, G. M. Bricknell, I. M. Pyne, A. T. Smith
West of England	U17	H. J. M. Sansom, H. L. Watts
	U15	J. F. Atkins, E. G. Blackmore, B. O. Reade
	U14	V. E. Boylett, G. M. Bricknell, I. M. Pyne, A. T. Smith

### Boys' Hockey

Devon	U17	R. J. David, H. R. Briggs
Devon	U15	O. J. Clarke

### Cricket

Devon Champions	U14	
	U13	
Devon	Senior	Z. G. Bess
	U19	Z. G. Bess, C. R. Grainger
	U17	J. A. L. Maunder, S. J. R. Wyatt-Haines
	U15	D. M. Bess, A. E. Chilcott
	U14	J. A. L. Maunder
	U13	D. R. Pyle, B. G. Steer, W. G. Thompson
Somerset	U12	C. Cabburn, B. G. Phillips
	U16	B. H. Rose, L. B. Williams

### Ladies' Cricket

Devon	U16	E. P. Carr
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## Sport

### Athletics

National Finals	Senior	M. Peper
	Inter	B. J. Clarke
South West Championships and Devon County	Senior	T. A. Fayers, M. Peper, K. E. Robbins, T. L. H. Ryder
	Inter	R. J. David, J. A. D. Hawkes, C. J. Kvesic
	Junior	B. J. Clarke, B. O. Reade

### Fives

National Champion	U16	S. J. R. Wyatt-Haines
National Doubles Champions	U16	J. I. Grandfield, S. J. R. Wyatt-Haines

### Squash

Devon	Senior	J. L. Mudge
South West	U18	J. L. Mudge

### Target Rifle Shooting

South West Champions	U18	C. W. Bodington, C. A. Silcock
South West Champions	U16	H. E. Bodington, R. G. Silcock

### Equestrian

National Schools JwS	Open	A. E. Batting, R. N. Batting, E. J. Mayes, L. M. Watt
UK Schools Eventing Championships	Inter	R. N. Batting, E. E. Selby
	Junior	L. M. Stuart, 1 <sup>st</sup> ~ L. M. Watt
British Eventing	U18	R. N. Batting
South West Show Jumping Champions	Open	A. E. Batting, R. N. Batting, A. A. Clarke, E. E. Selby, M. K. Simonson

### The Russell

Winner ~ M. Peper
1 <sup>st</sup> Girl ~ C. Routledge
1 <sup>st</sup> Junior Boy ~ H. A. R. Charteris
1 <sup>st</sup> Junior Girl ~ V. E. Boylett
Berry Barker Balance Cup for Endeavour ~ E. R. Hedley-Dent