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## *An important message from the Chairman of our Trust Board*

The Department for Education has agreed some very exciting plans for the expansion of our Trust which include a proposed multi-million pound building programme. The letter from Dr Richard Fletcher can be found on the home page of the Trust website ([www.burytrust.org](http://www.burytrust.org)).

## *GCSE, AS and A level examinations*

The main written examinations are now upon us and all students should obviously check their timetables and other instructions carefully each day. **We wish all those students taking examinations every success with the forthcoming papers.**

## *The All-Through Trust Draw*

Our PTA is selling draw tickets at all the major events between now and the final performance of 'Oliver' at The Apex on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July. The money raised will pay for the Trust's minibuses next year. For details see the poster overleaf. Tickets are also available from reception.

## *Uniform*

Instructions for ordering uniform for existing students for September will be published in 'The County Courier' at half term. This will include information on purchasing skirts and trousers for girls. New students will order their uniform at the intake evenings, as indicated in the individual letters about those evenings.

## *Year Group Photographs*

Proofs of the **year 11** and **year 13** group photographs were issued today. If students would like to purchase a photograph, orders must be received by **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May**.

## *Year Group News*

### **Years 9 and 10**

Students in years 9 and 10 have now been informed to which activity they have been allocated on **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July**. For those students heading out of school, a letter will be sent home in the next fortnight with further details.

Students will be asked to make their activity choices for Monday 27<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June (**year 9**) and Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June (**year 10**) via an online questionnaire next week.

### **Year 10**

Thank you to those invited parents who attended Thursday's **parents' evening**. We are confident that the students will remain "on track" for the remainder of the year. All parents will receive their children's annual report in July.

## *Fixtures*

17.05.16

U15 B rounders (Stowmarket, Sudbury & Stour Valley) at Stour Valley

U14 B rounders (Mildenhall & Samuel Ward) (h)

18.05.16

U15 boys' C tennis v St Benedict's A at King Edward VI

U15 A rounders (TGS, Stowupland & King Edward VI) at King Edward VI



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All proceeds will go towards supporting our Trust Bus, which is used across all sites of the All-Through Trust



To be drawn at The Apex,  
Bury St Edmunds, on Saturday 9 July  
during the last performance of Oliver!