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## SCHOOL AIM

“To provide a Christian environment in which young people are safe, secure, cared for and happy, and are able to develop into articulate, confident and well-qualified citizens of the world.”



## Music Recital and Awards Evening

From Director of Music, Mrs Madden: “Our Year 7-10 musicians excelled at our inaugural *Music Recital and Awards Evening* on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. We are so proud of over 60 performers, who entertained the audience with their ensembles such as String, Woodwind and Guitar Groups and solos on piano, strings, woodwind, brass, vocals, guitar and drums. The students showcased their talent and skill in a supportive, friendly and nurturing environment, many of them having the courage to perform in public for the very first time and they acknowledged their appreciative audience with a deep bow and a big smile! The Year 10 Music GCSE ensemble brought the evening to a rousing finale with their rendition of 'Don't Stop Believing' by Journey.

The highlight of the evening was the presentation of awards to Year 9 and 10 for their long-standing commitment to musical ensembles throughout their time at Trinity - students received a certificate and a Trinity Music pin-badge to display on their blazer for being consistently part of an ensemble since Year 7. We are looking forward to presenting further awards to long-standing members of Choir and Steel Pans at our Summer Showcase Concert. Special congratulations go to Ben (Year 9), Ella and Sam (Year 10) who received an Outstanding Commitment award for being dedicated members of no less than 5 ensembles since Year 7! Congratulations and well done to all our musicians."

### **Duke of Edinburgh**

Our Duke of Edinburgh Award expeditions for our Bronze and Silver candidates have been in full swing over the past few weeks, with visits to Blackstone Edge, the Yorkshire Dales, the White Peaks and Crompton Moor. Our thanks go to Mr Kirsten and the whole Duke of Edinburgh Award team for organising and leading these great opportunities.





## **Sixth Form updates**

From our Sixth Form Academic Mentor, Ms Hall:

"Year 12 Health and Social Care students recently enjoyed a visit to the Thackray Museum of Medicine and University of Leeds open day last Friday. They completed a session called 'What is Medicine' and looked at the development of antiseptic and antibiotics from the Victorian era up to present day as well as looking round the interactive exhibits in the museum. They also had a look round the University as it was a perfect opportunity as the Leeds open day was on at the same time!

As previously mentioned in the newsletter, some of our Year 12 girls are involved in a professional mentoring programme called the Girls Network working with women from a variety of professional backgrounds. In addition, our students have access to a number of workshops and talks such as 'Body Positivity' and 'Women of Colour Networking Event'. The first of these workshops kicked off last week and the girls enjoyed a great session discussing Body Positivity and approaches to the fitness industry."



## **Parent Governor Election Result**

Further to our recent parent governor election, we are pleased to announce that Tandie Ncube has been elected as our new parent governor. Tandie's term of office will start next month for a period of four years, and she will join two existing parent governors on our governing body. We would like to thank all parents who took the time to vote in the election.



## Year 8 Football

Well done to our Year 8s on the achievements in the finals of the Manchester United Emerging talent tournament. It was a brilliant performance, and the team didn't concede a goal in the whole tournament - unfortunately they just lost out on winning based on goal difference. Special mention goes to Michael, who was the player of the tournament.



## And finally...

**...SAVE THE DATE: Summer Music Showcase!**

featuring our school Orchestra, Stage Band, Senior Choir, Gospel Choir, Year 9 & Senior Steel Pans and Year 8&9 Rock Bands

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July, 7.30pm, Drama Studio.**

Mr Julian Nicholls  
Head



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