



A note from Mr Jefferies:



Mr Stratford



Mr Waters

I'd like to announce that recently, our Deputy Head Teacher for Culture, **Mr Stratford**, was appointed to the position of Head Teacher of Rednock School. Mr Stratford's new school is very lucky to have him: he has overseen huge improvements in the culture of the school since he took up the position of Deputy Head in 2019. The House structure with its highly effective team of Heads of House, the ladder of Rewards and Consequences and its huge impact on encouraging good behaviour, the countless events for students and parents, and many, many more things are thanks to Mr Stratford's leadership. In his time, attendance has risen above national averages, behaviour has improved throughout the school and the culture of the school has become one in which visitors always comment on the calm, friendly atmosphere.

Mr Stratford will be with us until the end of the academic year but when he goes we will miss his sense of humour, his calm demeanour and the wisdom he brings to decisions about school life. I wish him well in his future role.

Following a rigorous recruitment day, **Mr Waters**, who has worked closely with Mr Stratford since 2018, has been appointed to the role of Deputy Head Teacher for Culture. Mr Waters will be very well known to most parents and students. He brings a thorough knowledge of the role arising from his experience as a Head of House and Assistant Headteacher. I look forward to working closely with him in his new role next year.

- Mr Jefferies

Diary dates

Tuesday 27th June

- UCAS Fayre, Birmingham (all Year 12)

Wednesday 28th June

- Year 7 PTC

Thursday 29th June

- House Points Celebration - It's a Knockout
- New Year 12 Induction Day

Friday 30th June

- Year 9 Report 3
- Year 11 Leavers Day/Prom Day

w/c 3rd July

- Transition Week (we welcome new Year 7s to our school across the week)

Friday 7th July

- DofE Silver Qualifying Expedition

It's a busy end of term. Please check the school calendar for all upcoming dates.

House points

Our 2022/23 House Point winners will be announced soon!

Attenborough Frank

Hawking



Owens

Parks

Rowling



Reminder: Please complete Activities Week consent forms

Activities Week Trip Confirmations have been sent. Please complete the online consent form by Friday 30th June. Please note, you only need complete ONE consent form for each child.

School updates and news

Congratulations to our new House Prefects

We would like to congratulate our new Prefect team who were appointed last week. One of their first roles is to help with our Year 5 experience days which have started today. Thank you! - **Mr Taylor**

- **Attenborough House Prefects:** Emily K, Jasmine H, William C, Ruby R, Chice L, Eva B, Harry M, Jack H, Jojo H, Ruby W, Grace B, Oscar H, Anita L, Lana H, Leila H, Angelika D.
- **Frank House Prefects:** Cody H, Maisey S, Will N, Razina H, Charlie H, Cerys T, Ian R M, Julia M, Sebastien L, Hannah L, Daniel F, Sienna M, Olivia S, Jude D, Olivia P, Abigail S, James C, Emily S, Oliver B.
- **Hawking Prefects:** Alex A, Toby J, Sam J, Naiya M, Ellie G, Joseph H, Emily W, Caitlin A, Charlotte T, Finn J, Ella S, Grace B-P, Matilda H, Darcy R, Ruby L, Zoe C M, Izzy S, Mimi G, Sophia C, Willow Y, Luke J.
- **Owens House Prefects:** Emily S, Georgie J, Gordon W, Lulu S, Ellie B, Ollie M H, Vanessa E, Evie E, Tamina B, Poppy H, Lilia G, Peter Y, Amelia W, Euan J M, Lilly F, Robert H, Nancy R, Kayla S, Sam W.
- **Parks House Prefects:** Dylan T, Alice Y, Anna W, Dilyan Z R, Lottie C, Lia H, Caitlin E, Beatrice P, Ethan H-S, Sofie S, Spencer P, Esme P.
- **Rowling House Prefects:** Isabelle C, Scarlett J, India O, Charlie H, Daisy L, Bethany B, Hetty M, Lauren H, Chloe D, Kaiya W, Tahi M-L, Sam R.

More new books! Heartstopper collection



The library have purchased new copies of the popular Heartstopper collection of books and they will be available to borrow from next week. This graphic novel series about life, love, and everything that happens in between is extremely popular. Please check them out with the librarian.

As always, if there are titles you would like to see in the Library, please speak to us. - **Mrs Rimen, Librarian**

Athletics success @bournside_pe

Congratulations to Ollie B, Frank House, who has made it through to the National Athletics Finals, competing in the 400m hurdles. Good luck!



Celebrations are in order for Freddie after winning the Discus at the South West athletics meet. Freddie has now qualified at National Standard for both Javelin and Discus. Well done!



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Useful links:

[Sport fixtures](#)
[School calendar](#)
[Extra-curricular timetable](#)
[Link to updated Relationships and Sex Education Policy](#)

Careers at Bournside:

- [Teacher of Design Technology \(Design\)](#)
- [Teaching Assistant](#)
- [Lettings Shift Manager\(s\)](#)
- [Sports Centre Duty Manager and School PE Technician](#)



Unfortunately we are having an ongoing issue with our telephone system which is unlikely to be resolved before the end of term. If you cannot get through on the main school number, please email admin@bournside.gloucs.sch.uk or send your enquiry via MCAS. The team are very active on both and will get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you for your understanding.