

4th Edition - December 2017

# Franklin Newsletter



## House Staff

### Head of House

Miss J Stanley

### Student Support Officer

Mrs J Glynn

### Tutors

F1	Mrs Moodie Mrs Wallace
F2	Mr Harvey Mrs Whitnell
F3	Mrs Hanna Mr Ball
F4	Mr Ellis Mrs Ambrose
F5	Mr Vosper Mrs Simpson
F6	Mr Rose Mrs Kay
F7	Miss Brough Mrs Snook
F8	Miss Roberts Ms Dynowska
F9	Miss White Mrs Thomson
F10	Mrs Roper Mrs Cureton
F11	Mrs Wager Miss Jimoh
F12	Mrs Thurston Mrs Glynn
F13	Mr Riches Ms Brown

## ***A note from the Head of House***

It has been a very busy and enjoyable term with KS3 and KS4 presentation evenings, Year 11 mock exams, Year 9's trip to Belgium, Year 11 and 9 academic tutorials, lots of interhouse competitions and our first house charity event. Next term, Year 9 begin their options process and Years 7 and 8 students have their academic tutorials.

In terms of house points, we had a slow start but we have picked ourselves up from 5th place and we are now in 3rd place but I hope to see another rise in house points in January to help us get back to the top, where we belong!

Wishing you all a very merry Christmas and I look forward to seeing you in the new term, for another successful term!

Best wishes, Miss Stanley.

## **Christmas Fayre**

I am overwhelmed with the efforts from our student council reps who worked so hard to organise the Christmas Fayre which took place on Wednesday. We had everything from cakes, sweets, hot chocolate, crafts, Tombola, games and a visit from Santa! It was lovely to see everyone working together and getting into the festive spirit! Thank you to everyone for their hard work and generosity! We raised £167.81 which is brilliant, so thank you once

## **My first term at Notley...**

At first I was a little bit scared about joining Notley High but I was also very intrigued. After my first term here, it is safe to say that it is awesome here and I love coming to school.

*Grace Parsons, Year 7, F4*

Don't forget that students must have a bike pass to cycle to school as we still have lots of students riding in without passes. See Mrs Glynn for a letter.





## Star Students

F1	Matthew Hart
F2	Owen Hicks
F3	Charlotte Parker
F4	Grace Parsons
F5	Henry Wright
F6	Laura Hartwell
F7	Charlie Hooks
F8	Olivia Tubbs
F9	Aleyna Salih
F10	Bethany Bartrum
F11	Hannah Bishop
F12	Beth Chittock
F13	Emily Stirrup



### Interhouse Update

We have had a huge range of Interhouse competitions this half term ranging from cross country, football penalty shootout, netball shootout, football and handball. We have had a good attendance at all these events from across the year groups so well done and thank you!

A particular shout out to some of our year 7's who have entered lots of Interhouse competitions - Well done to Harley Nicholls, Cody Nicholls, Abasin Rahimi and Leah Oxford! A particular shout out to our wonderful sports ambassadors who have done a great job in motivating students and staff to sign up—thank you!

Aside from sport, the library has continued to run some amazing house competitions and the MFL department created a fiendishly difficult quiz, which unfortunately Franklin did not win but it is the taking part that counts!

Last but not least, the English department has launched Accelerated Reader for the year 7s and 8s, which has led to many more house points for our book

### Attendance

**Overall attendance for the term is 96.0%**

100% attendance is certainly possible, but in the event of a child being away from school it is essential that the parent/carer informs the school of the reasons for absence.

#### Absence lines:

Year 7	01376 556347
Year 8	01376 556348
Year 9	01376 556349
Year 10	01376 556350

### Key Dates

Wednesday 31st January: KS4 Courses Evening  
 Monday 12th February—Friday 16th February: Half term  
 Thursday 1st March: Jack Jordan's fashion show  
 Year 10 academic tutorials—Tuesday 13th March  
 Wednesday 21st March: Spring Concert

**Wishing you and your families a very Merry Christmas and all the best for the New Year!**

**We return to school on Tuesday 2 January 2018  
 which will be a Week A**

