

ROEDEAN

BULLETIN 28

Monday 24 May – Monday 7 June 2010

This week: GCSE (Upper Five) and AS (Six One) on study leave

During the examination period, we keep trips, sports fixtures and extra-curricular activities to a minimum, so that girls can concentrate on their academic work.

Monday 24 May

From 15.00 Depart for Brighton & Hove Athletics (**Lower Four – Six Two**) at Withdean Stadium; return to school 20.30. Girls may be collected after their event from Withdean.

Tuesday 25 May

17.00 – 18.30 Rounders U14A&B v Brighton College & Brighton & Hove High School (H)

17.00 – 19.00 1st Cricket league match v St Bede's School (H)

Wednesday 26 May

09.00 – 14.00 **Upper Three** Geography field trip to Firle. A picnic lunch will be provided. Girls will need sun cream and hats or a waterproof jacket, depending on the weather.

Various times Departure times vary according to event. Brighton & Hove Athletics (**Lower Four – Upper Five**) at Withdean Stadium, return to school 20.30. Girls may be collected after their event from Withdean.

14.00 – 15.30 **Lower Five** GCSE Design & Technology unit examination

17.00 – 19.00 U15 Cricket league match v Helenswood (H)

Thursday 27 May

Friday 28 May

13.00 **Six Two** lessons end and study leave commences

14.00 – 15.00 **Lower Five** GCSE Business Studies unit examination

17.00 Half term holiday begins

20.00 **Six Two** Leavers' Ball, Hilton Brighton Metropole Hotel

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Monday 7 June

08.15 **Second half of term begins**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 10 June: Cake Sale, in Horizons Café from 15.00 – 16.00 hrs, at Roedean Senior School

All Senior and Junior school parents, girls, boys and friends of the school are invited to a coffee and cake afternoon. We will be raising funds for the NSPCC, following on from the talk about the work of the NSPCC and Childline, which the Senior School girls will have in Assembly on Monday 7 June. Please do come along and support this worthy cause. You can find details of the work of the NSPCC at www.NSPCC.org.uk

We would be extremely grateful for donations of cakes, biscuits, brownies, etc. These should be brought into school from Wednesday 9 June. Please take them to Lawrence Main House, or hand them in at Senior School Reception. Could you use this opportunity to bake with your daughter/son over half-term? Even the toughest revision programme could allow a bit of time for cookie baking...Many thanks in advance! *Julie Williams and Hazel Heron*

Saturday 26 June: Roedean Day, including Old Roedeanians' reunion day, Dance and Drama Showcase, Upper Three – Upper Four Junior Prize Giving, Art & Design Technology exhibitions and Sports Day.

VOLUNTEERING IN THE COMMUNITY

We have been contacted by Brighton and Hove Council who are running a scheme, aimed at encouraging young people aged 14-16 to volunteer in the local community.

Accreditation is available for this. Brighton and Hove provide a ten or twenty hours in-house certificate and a V50 national recognised certificate for young people who volunteer for 50 hours. These certificates are a great boost to any young person's CV or college/employment application.

If your daughter is interested in doing this in the summer holidays, please contact Raquel Buckland via raquel.buckland@bhvolunteers.org.uk or on 01273 726408/ 07904 256227.

THEATRE SUMMER SCHOOL

Theatre specialists, Earwig Productions, are bringing their unique Summer School to Roedean Theatre this summer. With over 25 years' experience, the Earwig team provide a fantastic opportunity for 7 - 17 year olds to work alongside their own professional performers acquiring, practising and perfecting a huge range of skills such as acting, improvisation, make-up, dance, circus and design.

The courses are one week long: Monday to Friday, from 09.30 – 16.00 hrs and run from 16 - 20 August and 23 - 27 August. For more details visit www.earwigproductions.co.uk or telephone 01273 725725.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Please contact Mrs Hazel Heron, Head of Middle School, regarding matters relating to day girls. Her email address is: hh@roedean.co.uk or alternatively you may contact her by telephone: 01273 667587.
- For a complete list of activities, including sports fixtures, please see the School Diary & School Calendar on our website.