

Achievements Update  
6<sup>th</sup> February - 10<sup>th</sup> February 2017

Forty Years of Outstanding Service!



On 2<sup>nd</sup> February Mrs Sandra Kent 'celebrated' 40 years of working at Trentham High School. This is an incredible achievement. Mrs Kent has been a wonderful stalwart of our school, constantly cleaning and tidying up after generations of students. It is certainly not unusual for Mrs Kent to be in school very early in the morning, as well as late at night, to ensure everything is just as it should be for our students' learning environment to be the best it can be. Without doubt, Mrs Kent sets an amazing example of dedication and loyalty with her positive and hardworking attitude. We are very much looking forward to the next 40 years! The picture shows Mrs Kent receiving a gift of our appreciation. Many thanks to Mrs Johnson for writing the above tribute, it is much appreciated.

## Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Award 2015-2016

All pupils who started their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award have now successfully completed it. This is a huge achievement so well done to all. They had to dedicate a great deal of time to developing a skill, volunteering, physical fitness as well as completing the expedition. Nine of these pupils have now started their Silver Duke of Edinburgh award. Thanks to Mrs Lightfoot for forwarding the above the information.



## **Mathematics Success**

The UK Mathematics Trust (UKMT) is a registered charity whose aim is to advance the education of children and young people in mathematics. The UKMT organises national mathematics competitions and other mathematical enrichment activities for 11-18 year old UK school pupils. In the last academic year over 600,000 pupils from 4,000 schools took part in the three individual challenges, the UK's biggest national maths competitions.

The Intermediate challenge is aimed for Years 11, 10 and 9 and later in the year the junior challenge for years 8 and 7.

A Big well done to the following students who took part in the UKMT Individual challenge.

### **Year 11**

Kieron Alway - Best in Year Silver certificate  
Dawson Bailey - Best in Year Silver certificate  
Kyle Cullen - Silver certificate  
Joshua Roberts - Silver certificate  
Thomas Washington - Silver certificate  
Lily Culham - Bronze certificate

### **Year 10**

Lucy Leak - Best in Year Gold certificate  
Kian Banks - Silver certificate  
Harrison Lee - Silver certificate  
Alina Griffiths - Bronze certificate  
Heidi Cooper - Bronze certificate  
Maisie Wilcox - Bronze certificate  
Charlie Dean - Bronze certificate  
Nathan Brown - Bronze certificate  
Ellie Jones - Bronze certificate

### **Year 9**

Jack Lloyd - Best in year Bronze certificate  
Esme Cheung - Bronze certificate  
Sofia Dawkins - Bronze certificate  
Jamie Eddolls - Bronze certificate  
Rebekah Marsh - Bronze certificate

Many thanks to Mr Hussain for passing on this fantastic information.

(The link below will give you access to last years' intermediate competition if you would like to have a go).

<http://www.ukmt-resources.org.uk/IMC15.html>

## Under 14's Basketball



### Blythe Bridge High School 21 - 35 Trentham High School

On Tuesday evening the under 14 basketball team travelled to Blythe Bridge for their latest fixture. The team played very well on the evening scoring in every quarter of the game. With Caleb Galloway, Tom Attwell, Jack Owen and Oliver Drakeford using their height to dominate underneath the basket, and collecting the all important rebounds, the score board kept ticking over. Ben Wood, Cameron Turner, Lennox Chong and Daniel Collins always threatened with their dribbling skills, whilst Henry Pulfer and Jaden Pennant contributed with some important 'baskets'. Well done lads!

## And Finally...

### Top performers for Merits this week:

Well done to Caitlin Meakin (GJBL) and Karamdeep Sohal (PABO) on achieving the most Merits this week (6). Well done to the 459 students who managed to get one or more Merit. The students who were awarded 4 or more Merits are highlighted below. Keep up the good effort.

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|-----------|--------------|------|---|
| Caitlin   | Meakin       | GJBL | 6 |
| Karamdeep | Sohal        | PABO | 6 |
| Oliver    | Drakeford    | DFHI | 5 |
| Amy       | Lees         | CSHE | 5 |
| Sam       | Marsh        | SJJO | 5 |
| Mudassar  | Ali          | SEHA | 4 |
| Zlatko    | Angelov      | PYOC | 4 |
| Callaghan | Ayres        | GLGA | 4 |
| Siobhan   | Challinor    | GJBL | 4 |
| Rachel    | Crawshaw     | CJGI | 4 |
| Joel      | Davies       | GLGA | 4 |
| Katie     | Donaldson    | CJGI | 4 |
| Connie    | Halket       | GLGA | 4 |
| Keeley    | Hall         | CNRO | 4 |
| Sumer     | Hill-Yates   | CJGI | 4 |
| George    | Hughes       | GLGA | 4 |
| Elliott   | Jackson      | GEBA | 4 |
| Samanta   | Kaur         | SMPA | 4 |
| Callum    | Lowe         | SLGR | 4 |
| Robert    | Malam        | DFHI | 4 |
| Harry     | Oliver-Elson | CJGI | 4 |
| Kirsten   | Penk         | GJST | 4 |
| Calum     | Ralston      | CCAI | 4 |
| Jacob     | Smith        | SLGR | 4 |
| Star      | Spooner      | DJWT | 4 |
| Elijah    | Stone        | GSEM | 4 |
| Ella      | Stone        | CHMO | 4 |
| Keeley    | Whitehurst   | PIHU | 4 |
| Millie    | Wright       | DOAN | 4 |