

WEBSTER GIRLS

April/May

Dear Parents

Summer term has started amongst the mayhem of some teaching staff and pupils being stuck in sunnier climes and missing the first few days of the new term. Mrs Dickens endured a torturous journey back from Florence which involved many hours at Geneva railway station and Mrs Ledsham managed to make her way back from Australia via Italy. An interesting start to the new term!

Notable events for this half of the summer term include Speech Day on Saturday 29th May which I know Mrs Daly brought to your attention in her Easter newsletter. As a reminder, this is a school day and all pupils (apart from Year 11) are expected to attend and of course, parents are most welcome to this celebratory event.

Sports Day takes place on Saturday 15th May. Our team is being organised by our sports captains Phil and Danni, and I am confident that Webster Girls will do well in this! Please encourage your daughters to take part and you are most welcome to watch the field and track events which take place on Big Side, the school's main sports field, with field events from 11.00am and track events 1.30pm onwards.

Summer uniform can be worn from Tuesday 4th May, maroon polo shirts (and maroon jumpers if cold). Black cardigans/hoodies are definitely not allowed and please do not let your daughters tell you otherwise!

This is very much the exam term with Years 9 and 10 sitting external exams as well as the public exams for Years 11, 12 and 13. Your daughters will be stressed, tired and no doubt grumpy at times (I know, I've got one!) but as the term progresses there are also many fun events too with field trips, the Year 9 Celebration Evening, Year 10 Mini Enterprise, the Junior Play and swimming sports all to come.

With best wishes for a happy term

Christine Newman
Head of Webster Girls