



Weekly Bulletin

w/c Monday 6th December 2019

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Notices:

- **Christmas Jumper Day:** Please note that **Christmas Jumper Day is on Tuesday 17th December**, which is in aid of Save The Children. We are asking all students who would like to take part to make a donation of £1.
- **The Joe and Freddie Memorial Match:** Isla and Jess Atkins have organised a wonderful event in memory of Joe, their brother, and his friend Freddie. Both tragically lost their lives in Bolivia while on their gap year, having finished their studies at Cranbrook School. The event will focus around a football match—one of Joe's passions—and will include a hog roast, refreshments, music, auction, games and more. The event will take place on Saturday 14th December from 11:30am to 4:00pm at the Astroturf. All proceeds will go to the Sam West Foundation and Football Beyond Borders, charities set up by Cranbrook School alumni. For more information on how to get involved or to RSVP to the event, please head over to www.thejoandfreddiememorialmatch.com or to bid in the online auction, please visit: www.32auctions.com/joandfred
- **The Neuro-Ninja Hero Toolkit – A Course for Students and Parents at Cranbrook School:** The CSPA invites you to attend the first seminar in this series, entitled Well Being Is A Skill. It will be held on Tuesday 10th December in the Queen's Hall Theatre, starting at 7:00pm. Further information is available on the [notices](#) section of the website or on the [CSPA website](#). The seminar costs £5 / free to students. To register your attendance, please [click here](#).
- **The Day:** The CSPA have kindly paid for a whole school subscription to the news service 'The Day'. It is an incredibly useful resource for staff and students for tutorials and in lessons. It is also possible for parents to log-in with their children at home and access the student-friendly news. All parents and students have full access via: <https://theday.co.uk/> Username: cranbrookschool Password: Cranbrook2020 (please note, the upper and lower case letter choice is important).
- **Sports Practices for the Spring Term:** Here are the days in which sports practice will be taking place in the new year:
Boys hockey—U14 Mondays, Seniors (Yrs 11-13) Tuesdays, U15 Wednesdays, U12/U13 Thursdays.
Girls netball—U14 Mondays, U16/Seniors Tuesdays, U15 Wednesdays, U12/U13 Thursdays.
Students wishing to represent the school in A or B teams should attend training every week in addition to their games session. Training will run until 5:15pm. Netball will be in the Sports Hall and cage for all year groups for the first half of term, apart from Years 7 and 8 which will run in the cage on Thursdays. U12/U13 practices are open to all students that wish to develop their skills, but joining an outside club is always useful. Marden is our main link for hockey, Cranbrook is the local link for rugby, and Cranbrook, Sissinghurst and Marden for cricket. Please remember to provide black skins and grip gloves in addition to a full school PE kit to ensure maximum comfort in the cold weather. All fixtures are on the [SOCS website](#); timings are correct for netball but there may be slight variations with hockey so please check regularly. Thank you for your support.
- **Rowing Club:** The very popular Rowing Club, run by ex-parent Rob Miller, is looking for interested parents who are able to help out during training sessions at Bewl Water on Wednesday afternoons. Please contact Rob if you can help in any way: launches@bowlrowingclub.co.uk
- **London Half Marathon fundraising:** Mrs Hills (Blubery Head of House) is running in the London Vitality half marathon in March (aiming for a time of 2hours 30mins) to raise money for the Tanzania Link FUM charity. She is also completing a 10 hour endurance race (30miles) two weeks later and a 70.3 mile point to point triathlon in July. If you would like to contribute, her fundraising page is <https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/EllyHills>
- **Saracens Mavericks Netball Camp:** Pre-season netball camps will be taking place at Sutton Valance School on Friday 3rd January 2020, 10:00am—3:00pm for Years 7-10 girls. The price is £35. For more information or to book, please [visit their website](#).

New on the website:

- [Inter-house hockey](#)

Dates for your diary:

- Tues 10th Dec CSPA Seminar: The Neuro-Ninja Hero Toolkit - Wellbeing is a Skill, Queen's Hall Theatre, 7:00pm—8:00pm
- Sat 14th Dec The Joe and Freddie Memorial Match, 11:30am, Astroturf
- Tues 17th Dec Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save The Children
- Tues 17th Dec Cranbrook School Evening Carol Service, 7:30pm, St Dunstan's Church
- Wed 18th Dec End of term (12:30pm)
- Sat 25th Jan CSPA Burns Supper, 7:00pm

Links to attachments (this will redirect you to the school's website)

- [Futures](#)

For the latest news, visit www.cranbrookschool.co.uk/news/latest-news/

For the latest sports fixtures, updates and results, visit http://www.schoolssports.com/school/Fixtures_Teams.asp?id=364