



FIELD HOUSE NEWSLETTER LENT 2010

UNISON

After finally deciding on "Summer Nights" from Grease, rehearsals started the first week back in the Lent term. Unison was a joint effort from the upper sixth this year, with advice on outfits, dance moves and the final composition of the song. Although every night practices took their toll, everyone's hard work paid off in the end. The judge was very impressed with our fun attitude and presence on stage and commented on our effective outfits. Winning runner-up girl's house in the end was an amazing achievement, and our unique celebrations really caused a stir!

Abi Sumner



HARMONY WINNERS FOR THE THIRD YEAR

Having won the harmony competition for two years running, the anticipation for this year's competition was very high. Harmony always takes a lot of work by those involved, this year Ellie, Sarah, Amelia, Phoebe, Emma, Joey, Sammy and Caitlin performed Peanut Vender. We performed the piece confidently on the night but the standard presented by the other houses was very high, therefore making the judge's verdict all the more exciting. Congratulations to everyone involved and special thanks must go to all the supporters who encouraged the singers and enabled them to lift the trophy for the third time.

Phoebe Whittome



MUSIC COMPETITIONS

The individual music competitions this term have proved just how musical the house is, with five of the winners out of the six competitions coming from Field. Ellie Holroyd won best popular and classical classes in the senior singing competition. Amelia also won a junior singing class. Then Joey Holroyd achieved the junior strings winner title on her cello and Hattie Rayfield claimed the cup in the senior strings class on her viola. Overall, the music competitions were a huge success, with everyone taking part performing to an extremely high standard. Well done to all those who took part in the competition this term!

CHARITY CABARET

This year's Charity Cabaret was again considered as one of the best events of the year. We were proud to have a number of us involved in this excellent performance, including Ellie Holroyd, Carmen Mok, Hattie Rayfield, Amelia Anderson, Alexa Chapman, Katie Wright, Sammy Evans and Joey Holroyd. We were also honoured to have with us members of the Mercian Regiment and The Rifles to share their experiences in Afghanistan. For all the efforts and generous donations almost £600 was raised, which will be going to Help for Heroes, our Lent Charity.

Carmen Mok



NETBALL

Once again a good netball season for the Field girls! Being the only house to get two teams in to the final really proves our determination and teamwork within the house. The senior B team had a cracking semi-final, dominating the court with excellent results, winning all their matches and reaching the finals. However the finals didn't quite go as well, losing by one goal in extra time. The juniors also played amazingly and there was a tremendous effort throughout. The last match was against Mitre, it was very close, but unfortunately Mitre just beat us as the final whistle blew.

The senior A's started a little apprehensively, but it wasn't long before we were playing to the best of our ability! The centre court players were amazing at capitalising the 50 50 balls. Phoebe Whittome and Meg Byas were all over the court and had some amazing passes. Charlotte Jaques and Carla Peters were incredible as WD and Ellie Holroyd and Flo Stewart-Sandeman worked wonderfully together, gaining advantage on the rebounds. Finally the shooters Harriet Hunt and Sarah Parkin converted the possession in to goals! Great skill was shown by all the players from Field House, the final score being 21 to 14. Well done to all 4 teams!

Sarah Parkin

B-BLOCK MAKE-UP

This term we had a girly evening where we had a makeup demonstration. We got shown how to apply foundation, lipstick and how to do smokey eyes with various degrees of success. To finish the evening off we had Domino's pizza. Unfortunately I arrived late and when I arrived I found everyone sitting around Mrs. G's dining table in front of small mirrors and a big make up display. Everyone was busy applying the basics: cleanser and toner. We were taught that to wear foundation it is better to use powder and from Lucy we learnt that we had to check the colour of the foundation we use otherwise you can end up a bit orange! We asked the lady how to do smokey eyes. Mel, Vaselisa, Annie and I tried to give it a go but got interrupted in the middle by pizza! Gloria and Imogen chose to go 'au natural'. For Hannah it was a completely new experience as she tries to avoid wearing make up as much as possible, but we hope she felt it went successfully. It is a shame that our favourite day girl Maddy missed it and we are sure she would have enjoyed it had she been there. It was a really good evening and we all had a great time!

Caitlin Brooks



Thank you to everyone who helped us achieve our successes this term, have a good rest over Easter and prepare for an even more successful summer term.