

Trinity 2017

Gather 17

George and the Dragon



Art and Design Exhibition



Fashion Show



Gather 17, the school's end-of-year creative arts festival saw a packed programme take place during the last few weeks of term. The festival, which included 11 events across three weeks, delivered a wide-range of performances showcasing the talents of Norwich School pupils.

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New Cricket Academy Launched With Sussex County Cricket Club

The school launched a cricket academy in partnership with Sussex County Cricket Club to provide a route for talented cricketers in East Anglia to be involved in an elite development programme. The launch was attended by Sussex Director of Cricket, Keith Greenfield, and Academy Director, Carl Hopkinson, as well as Vice-Captain, Ben Brown. For more information, email: sussexcricketacademy@norwich-school.org.uk.



Under 15 Champions In Twenty/20

Norwich School Boys U15 team were crowned Norfolk Twenty/20 Cup winners in the county round of the National Cup at Redmayne. They beat Thorpe by 138 runs before playing Litcham in the final. After a convincing innings of 153 for 8, they restricted their opponents to finish 74-7 for their 20 overs. This resulted in Norwich School winning by 79 runs and taking the county title.

Great Season For Girls Cricket

All teams performed well, with the U13 girls claiming the title of Norfolk Champions at the Lady Taverners Norfolk Schools competition.

The U15s won the Norfolk County 8s Tournament with the U14 team coming a close second.





Rowing crews win double gold at the National Schools Regatta

At the National Schools Regatta, the J15 1st VIII won the school's first-ever gold medal for an eight, with the J15 2nd VIII taking a bronze medal. This was topped off by the J16 coxed four, who also secured a gold medal in their category. The U5/L6 girls raced in coxless quads and did an amazing job of qualifying for the D final in their first ever appearance at the



The 1st VIII pre-qualified once again for Henley Royal Regatta off the back of a 3rd place at Marlow Regatta and some good performances at Nottingham City Regatta and Ghent Regatta.

The J15 and J16 coxed fours also raced in Nottingham at the prestigious Junior Inter Regional Regatta with the J15 securing bronze medals and the J16 silver.

U16 Sailing Team Enjoy National Success

The U16 sailing team won the trophy for being the top placed school at the prestigious RS Feva National Championships this year.

Their success continued when Will Pank (L5P) and Finlay Campbell (M5S) finished first in a fleet of 104 boats at the Itchenor Schools Regatta, contributing to the team's best performance ever in the 3 day event.



Sport

Sports Day

A beautiful sunny day ensured that the Lower Close provided the perfect backdrop for Sports Day.

Eleven records were broken this year all by girls and there were some outstanding performances on both the track and field.

Final results were:

1st - School

2nd - Repton

3rd - Valpy



Norwich School Wins 'Fastest School' At The ERSA Schools Race

Norwich School entered five teams into the Eastern Region Snowsports Association (ERSA) Schools' Championship event at Norfolk Snowsports Centre. Around 400 athletes from across the country attended the biggest-ever ERSA Schools Race.

There were some great individual performances from our pupils, which all contributed to Norwich School winning the highly acclaimed 'Fastest School' for the overall competition.

The Arts - Gather 17

Gather 17 was a festival of creative arts to be remembered - an art and design exhibition, three plays, two music concerts, one fashion show, a book festival, several dance performances at The Lord Mayor's Procession and a Gala Night! The performances took place at venues across Norwich including The Forum, Blake Studio, Norwich Cathedral and the Open.



The Arts - Gather 17

Gala Night



Norfolk Children's Book Festival



Instrumental Concert



Art and Design Exhibition



Choral Vigil

“One of the Best British Schools representing the Arts.”

School House Magazine, 2017



‘Bloom’ At The Crypt Gallery

Art and Design Gap students, Rachael Cocker and Emily Leason, showcased the work they have created during their residencies at Norwich School in ‘Bloom’, a beautiful exhibition in the The Crypt Gallery.



Music In The Trinity Term

The Intermediate Orchestra represented Norwich School at the annual Dyers’ Schools’ Concert, held in the beautiful Southwark Cathedral, London. The concert included memorable solo performances from pupils and fantastic combined school ensembles from the four schools taking part.

There were amazing recitals in Norwich Cathedral throughout the year as part of the Making Musicians series, by both current pupils and ONs.

The annual Deveson Music Prize took place, with varied and energetic performances throughout the day. The guest adjudicator was Michael Nicholas, pictured below with the junior winners, Charlotte Pollard (L5P) and Edward Maxwell-Preston (U4P). Michael spent 23 years in the post of Organist and Master of The Choristers at Norwich Cathedral.



The Junior and Intermediate Concert at The Assembly House was a great chance to hear several of the music groups come together on one night. There were performances from Überbeats (pictured left), Intermediate Orchestra, Junior Choir, Junior Guitar Group, Saxology and the Concert Bands.



Academic News



Young Enterprise Awards For Inceptum

Over fifty lower sixth pupils took part in Young Enterprise. Particular congratulations go to Inceptum, led by Tom Osborne, who picked up two awards at the county finals including Best Product.

The group designed Norwich: A Colouring Guide For a Fine City, which has sold hundreds of copies both locally and internationally.

National Chemistry Competition Success

A team of Annabelle Eccleshall (L6V), Matthew Hanrahan (L6B) and Justin Lok (L6R) were crowned champions of the regional heat of the RSC Young Analyst Competition. The team was required to work through a series of tough experimental tasks within a strict time limit. The team showed both great organisation and outstanding technical ability and stormed to victory.



Sectional Day

This year's Sectional Day saw the Lower 4 take part in a day of medieval activities at Norwich Castle and The Catholic Cathedral, whilst the Upper 4 attempted Crystal Maze style challenges on the Lower Close. The fifth form focused on climate change, energy and a visit to Hethel Engineering Centre.



Norwich School Host The Norwich Model Arctic Council (NORMAC)

This was the only conference of its kind at a secondary school anywhere in the world. For two-and-a-half days, pupils from schools across Norfolk, London and as far afield as Bilbao, Spain, played the roles of diplomats attending the Arctic Council as part of an innovative experiential learning programme.

For more about NORMAC, visit www.normac.org.uk



Outreach and Community

Mental Health Event For Norfolk Schools

An event organised by Norwich School brought together approximately 500 students from schools across Norfolk for a unique day of activities focused on mental health and body image. The day was led by Natasha Devon (MBE) and her Self-Esteem Team co-founders, Nadia Mendoza and Grace Barrett.



The Royal Norfolk Show

Despite the rain, the Norwich School stand at the Royal Norfolk Show again provided the perfect setting for pupils, staff, ONs and parents to share experiences of the school.



We were delighted to provide a wet weather home for the GoGoHares, which will be decorated and on display in and around Norwich in 2018 as part of Break Charity's sculpture trail. Norwich School is a proud sponsor of GoGo Hares - look out for our Hare next year!

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Nelson House Complete Charity Challenge

Nelson House successfully ran the 970km length of Britain around the Lower Close athletics track to raise money for Nelson's Journey and the RNLI. A total of 2425 laps were completed and a fantastic £2375 raised.



Question Time Style Political Debate

The Norwich School Debating Society brought together a collection of local speakers for a Question Time style political debate in the run-up to the snap general election. The event was attended by pupils from Notre Dame and CNS schools. The speakers present were: Andrew Wiltshire, Conservative spokesman for Norwich South; Councillor Mike Stonard for Labour; Councillor James Wright for the Liberal Democrats; Green Party leader in the Norwich City Council, Martin Schmierer and Councillor Jonathon Childs for UKIP.

Pupils Raise Money For Vulnerable Children

Sixth formers have been raising money and awareness for various charities as part of their Community Service Programme.

Their campaign, 'Buy a Brick: Build a School,' raised over £800 for La Casita. They sold and painted polystyrene bricks and then built a wall in the Bishop's Palace, representing the building work that the money will go towards in Buenos Aires.



Trips

A wide range of trips took place during Trinity term; from foreign exchanges to a rowing camp in Brive, pupils visited destinations both near and far.



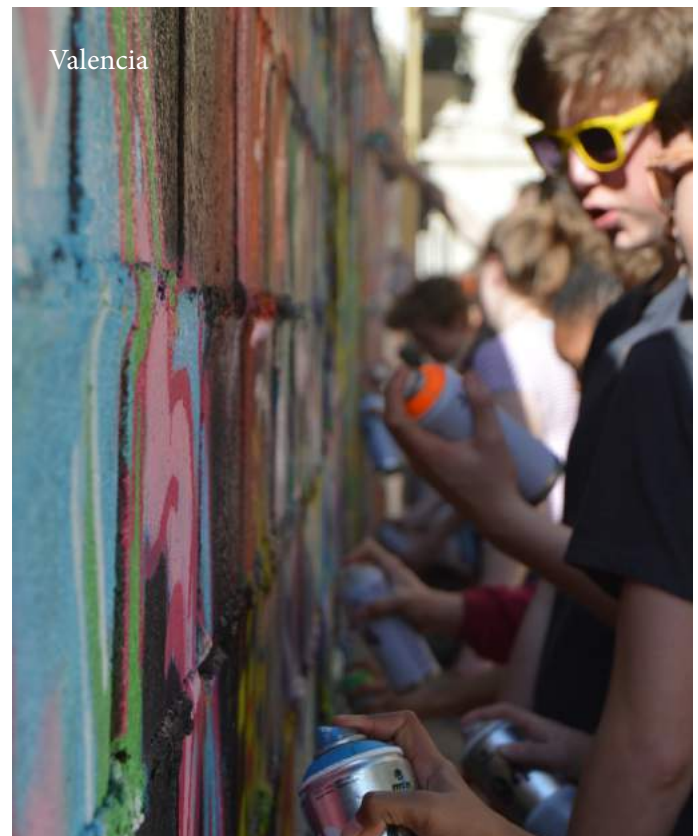
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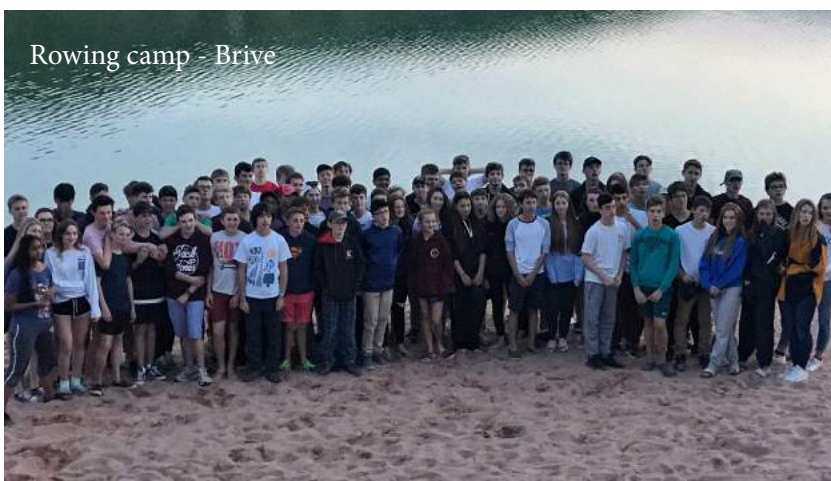
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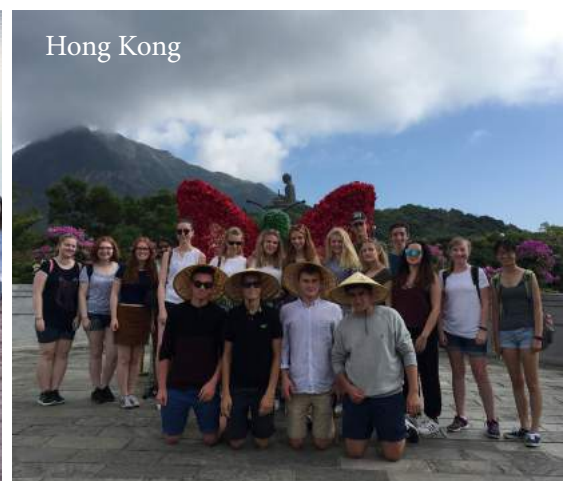
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Rowing camp - Brive



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Trips



Classics trip - Greece



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Battlefields - France



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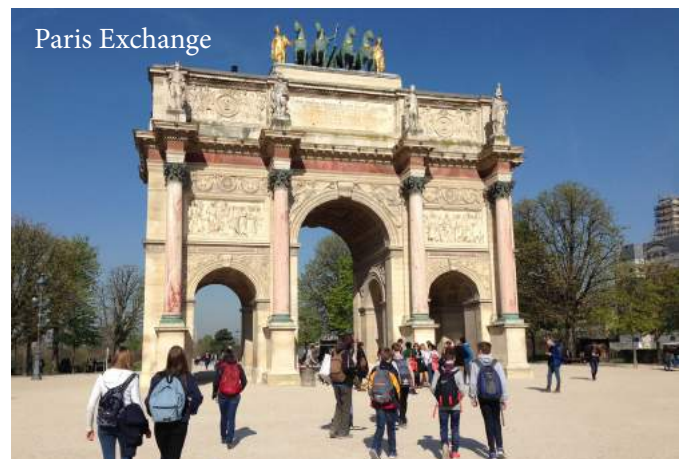
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Paris Exchange

Individual Achievements



Freddie Steward

Freddie Steward (U5V) has been awarded a place at the Leicester Tigers Academy. His selection comes off the back of four years training with the Tigers on their Developing Player Programme.

Caroline Simmons (L6P) was highly commended for her essay entered in the Corpus Christi Essay Competitions 2016-2017.

Laura-Rose Cooke (U5C) and **Eleanor Hayward (M5S)** were both selected for the England Women's Artistic Gymnastics squad following their success at the English Gymnastics Championships at Loughborough University in April.



Miles Lukoszevieze

Miles Lukoszevieze (U5S) has been offered a place on the Junior Acting Course this summer to become a member of the National Youth Theatre.

Tennis prospect, **Frances Evans (L6P)**, won the Aegon British Tour Women's Open in an all Norwich School final against **Monica Raviraj (M5V)**.

Natasha Lee (L4S) won the Creative Writing Competition at the Norfolk Childrens' Book Festival.

Perry Cooke (L5C) hit the nation's television screens in ITV's talent show The Voice Kids UK. He was selected to be on Team Will!



Perry Cooke

Joshua Wiggins (L5E) has been selected to play at the Eastern England Hockey Performance Centre.



Joshua Wiggins

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