



## eNewsletter: Friday 8th November 2019

### Notices to Parents and Guardians

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#### 'Saturday Lunchtime Jazz' with the Shrewsbury School Big Band, Saturday 9th November at The Morris Hall, Shrewsbury

This Saturday at 12.00 noon, the Shrewsbury School Big Band will be performing at The Morris Hall on Bellstone in Shrewsbury as part of the town's established lunchtime jazz series.

It promises to be a fun event - admission is free with a retiring collection, and refreshments will be available. Do come if you can - and please spread the word.

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#### Shrewsbury Foodbank Plus Christmas Fair, Sunday 17th November, 11am - 4pm in Quod

We're looking forward to hosting the Shrewsbury Foodbank Christmas Fair on Sunday 17th November in Quod. Our pupil team of Global Social Leaders are currently very busy getting ready for this, working alongside the staff of [Shrewsbury Foodbank Plus](#) and supported by the Shrewsbury School Parents' Association. There'll be lots of high-quality stalls selling gifts and food - and all in aid of the vital work Foodbank Plus does within the local community.

A reminder that donations of cakes, toiletries and items for the raffle will be gratefully received. They can be left at the School Reception on Saturday 16th November from 8am to 11am. Many thanks in advance for any help you can offer.

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#### St Cecilia Concerts, Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th November

The annual St Cecilia Concerts are a major highlight in the School's musical calendar, performed by the combined forces of the Shrewsbury School Community, Chapel and Chamber Choirs, Symphony Orchestra and Wind Orchestra. There's a real feast of musical treats this year, with a programme that includes the first movement of Dvorak's wonderful New World Symphony, Beethoven's dark and dramatic Egmont Overture, Aaratiunian's Trumpet Concerto with soloist Frank Coughlan (SH U6), and a radiantly serene and uplifting work by one of the UK's leading current choral composers, 'Requiem' by Bob Chilcott.

Further details are under 'Forthcoming Events' below. Performances are in the Alington Hall at 7.30pm on Saturday 16th and Sunday 17th November. Tickets are free and can be booked in advance at [www.ticketsource.co.uk/shrewsburyschool](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/shrewsburyschool).

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#### Carol Services

Shrewsbury School parents are warmly invited to apply for tickets to one of two Carol Services which will be held in the School Chapel; the first is on **Sunday 8th December (5.30pm)** and the second on **Tuesday 10th December (5.30pm)**. An application for tickets can be made by clicking this link: [www.ticketsource.co.uk/shrewsburyschool](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/shrewsburyschool). Parents and guardians have been sent an email with a password to use when booking tickets; this needs to be entered into the box next to 'Parents and Guardians'. Tickets for each service will be in great demand and will be issued on a first come, first served basis.

Please note that it is not compulsory for pupils to attend either of these services as there will be a whole-school Carol Service, for pupils and staff, at St Chad's Church in Shrewsbury on Monday 9th December.

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#### To Parents of all Third Formers

Your sons and daughters are all being given the opportunity to enrol for the Bronze level of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award and have been given a talk about this. Please see a letter from Lt Col Nick David, Director of Activities and D of E Manager, explaining how we run the Bronze Award at Shrewsbury: [Duke of Edinburgh's Bronze Award - Letter to Parents](#).

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### Latest News

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#### Highlights from the Tucks

Friday 8 November 2019

Film Fellow David Clifford and Teacher in Charge of Cross-Country Ian Haworth have captured in words and in film some of the tremendous atmosphere of competition and house spirit of this historic whole-school...

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#### Field Day

Thursday 7 November 2019

A tea party for 100+ local elderly people; an art day for local children; running sports events at two local primaries - just a few of the activities Shrewsbury School pupils got up to on Field Day.

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#### Giles Bell's Team of the Week

Thursday 7 November 2019

This week, the Art Department, the Three Amigos and The Big Draw...

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#### Shrewsbury wins Highly Distinguished Delegation Award at Royal Russell International MUN Conference

Wednesday 6 November 2019

The Royal Russell is one of the largest and most prestigious MUN conferences in the UK, attracting delegates from all over the world. Ella Biggs (M5) gives a fascinating insight into what it's like taking part.

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### Forthcoming Events

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All these events, and many others, are listed in detail in our website [Calendar](#)



#### Shrewsbury FoodbankPLUS Christmas Fair, Sun 17th November, 11am - 4pm (Quod)

Sunday 17 November 2019 11:00

Following the huge success of last year's inaugural event, we're very much looking forward to hosting the Shrewsbury FoodbankPLUS Christmas Fair once again this year. There'll be loads of stalls selling all sort...

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