



## PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

## NEWSLETTER – Week 24

14 March 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

This week has seen the Performing Arts Department put on yet another amazing show. We Will Rock You was performed over three nights with two different casts. It is great to see so many students wanting to be involved in the production. My personal highlight was seeing the students at the end of the third night congratulate one another and celebrate their collective and individual successes. There is a lovely supportive culture amongst the students, and this has been evident from the start of the rehearsals to the last show. Congratulations to all involved.

This week has also seen us internally promote 4 staff members to the position of Lead Teaching Assistant to further enhance our SEND offer. Congratulations to Mrs Hadwin, Mrs Chapman, Miss Mulchay and Miss Keating.

Our annual Piano Recital takes place on Thursday 20 March and tickets are on sale in the Music Department now.

A letter regarding this year's Y11 Prom has been sent out to parents/carers via Classcharts. We will be holding this year's event at Wentworth Woodhouse on Friday 27 June 2025. We look forward to celebrating with students at the end of Year 11.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Mr Ransome  
**Principal**

### Key Dates:

**Thursday 20 March**  
Piano Recital

**Thursday 20 March**  
Year 10 Interview Day

**Wk.com Mon 24 March**  
Year 12 Trial Exams

**Tuesday 25 March**  
Year 11 Online Parents  
Evening

**Tuesday 25 March**  
Golden Ticket Event

**Thursday 27 March**  
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and INSET days.

**[Wath Academy Term Dates](#)**

### **Easter Multi Sports Camp**

The camp runs for one day only on Monday 07 April. Please see our website for details [Wath Academy - Easter holiday camp](#)

### **Sports Scholarship Information Evening**

If you're interested in finding out more details regarding our Sports Scholarship Programmes, head to our next event on Monday 24 March 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm. Click here to register <https://forms.office.com/e/k8wJxcJ4U7>

### **Year 11 Online Parents Evening**

The second Year 11 Online Parents evening of this academic year takes place on Tuesday 25 March. The booking system is now open. Please use the following link <https://www.wathacademy.com/parentsevening> and the unique parent code which was emailed to parents/carers last week. Any enquiries, please email [enquiries@wathacademy.com](mailto:enquiries@wathacademy.com)

## WATH RUFC WILDCATS MAKE HISTORY

A huge well done to Lina, Lily, Delaney, Hayley, Isla and Olivia who made history last week for The Wath Wildcats as they played their historic first home game against the Rotherham Phoenix girls, with support from Doncaster Knights, and what a match it was! The Wildcats started off strong, taking a comfortable lead with Rotherham Phoenix eventually taking the win, but the Wildcats' performance was nothing short of amazing. The Wildcats displayed incredible determination and teamwork, making it a memorable game for everyone who supported in our community. Here's to many more fantastic matches for the Wildcats in the future!

If you would like to give girl's rugby a go, girls rugby will feature in our Enrichment programme for Term 3 and The Wildcats train Wednesday evenings 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm and Saturday mornings 9.00 am – 10:30 am at Wath RUFC.



## Student Achievement

Congratulations to Luke Swift in Year 8 who was part of the England team who won the Quebec PEEWEE Tournament. This is the first time in 20 years an English team has won the event, so this is an incredible achievement. Well done Luke, we are very proud of you!

Amy Lewis in Year 7 competed at Blackpool Winter Gardens with her cheerleading team RCL Rockets. She competed in two teams, both finishing second with no deductions. Well done Amy!!

Finally, Ffion King swam for Dearne Valley Swimming club in the Mad March Sprints on the 2 March and achieved 2 personal bests and won a medal for the under 12 50m freestyle! Congratulations Ffion.



## Year 13 British Biology Olympiad

Our Year 13 Biology cohort recently sat the Biology Olympiad, which is a challenging and rigorous national competition for post-16 students.

Elliott and Holly have achieved a bronze award, Mya a silver and Elliott a gold!

Elliott N will now sit the next round, eligible for gold winners only. If successful, Elliott could represent the UK in the International Olympiad! Good luck !!

[British Biology Olympiad – UKBC](#)

