

Stowe mail

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NEWS ROUND UP FROM STOWE



AS Drama

Once again it has been such a great pleasure for my colleagues and me in the Drama Department to see the realisation of the varied, eclectic and engaging AS Level Drama Practical Performances.

The 24 Lower Sixth Stoics involved on Thursday 21 January, deserve huge credit not only for their mature and sensible approach to the stunning work that was created but also for the way in which they supported, cajoled and encouraged each other throughout a long and stressful day in order to achieve their best.

Their unique self-devised scenes, linked so imaginatively and creatively to the theories and staging ideas of Antonin Artaud (visceral, challenging, dangerous and shocking!) were powerful and thought-provoking. As a clear and precise contrast, their sensitive and realistic 'text' extracts, drawn from a varied range of contemporary and classic texts, were performed with more than a nod to the ideas and rehearsal techniques associated with the Grandfather of modern realism, Konstantin Stanislavski.

Nick Bayley, Director of Drama



Holocaust Memorial Day: Don't Stand By

Wednesday 27 January, 8.00pm

To mark the second anniversary of the Chung Music School, we are holding a special event that attests to the power of music and art in people's lives even in the harshest of circumstances. Artists who have an association with Stowe will work with pupils to create an event in memory of Sir Nicholas Winton, one of Stowe's first pupils in 1923. He was an extraordinary man who saved so many lives during the time of the Holocaust and who left a lasting legacy of hope.

The event, a culmination of work between historians, artists and Stoics, will be a profound and humbling testimony of music, art and the spoken word in which the current generation of Stoics pay tribute to one of our first.

"Today there are more than 6,000 descendants of the original 669 children rescued by Sir Nicholas. His life serves as an exemplar to us all and we are proud to call him an Old Stoic."
Dr Anthony Wallersteiner, Headmaster

There will be a drinks reception for members and invited guests from 7.00pm.

Duration: 2 hours including interval.

To reserve your place please contact [Arts at Stowe](#).

Chance Organisation and Arts at Stowe present

TONY HADLEY

Legendary Lead Singer of Spandau Ballet

in Concert at Stowe

Friday 27th May 2016

Tickets £50 Ticket Hotline: 01432 355416
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Each year we try to deliver something special and this concert is no exception: people of a certain age will remember Spandau Ballet's memorable performances and this will be the occasion to revive the flamboyant fashions of the early 1980s. A very special evening is assured and Tony Hadley, legendary lead singer of Spandau Ballet, will sing a selection of the most iconic songs of the period with his exceptional band: the new romantic amidst the old romance of the beautiful grounds of Stowe.

As lead singer of Spandau Ballet, Tony Hadley has, over the years, earned the accolade of being one of pop music's greatest vocalists. His voice is recognised around the world, his band ushered in a period of New Romantics that would dominate music globally for a decade and is still iconic today. Spandau Ballet were the Eighties in-crowd band. They were independents, global superstars. They produced worldwide blue-eyed soul hits such as 'True', 'Gold', 'Communication' and 'Lifeline' and defined a generation. Tony Hadley has since had a successful solo recording career, starred as Billy Flynn in the West End production of Chicago and many will know him from ITV's 'I'm a Celebrity, Get me out of Here'.

Dr Anthony Wallersteiner, Headmaster



Picnics can be pre-ordered or you may bring your own. A bar will be available.

A limited number of VIP packages are also available.

For further information please contact: Chance Organisation

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RUGBY

On Friday 15 January, the 1st XV played an impressive game to beat Portsmouth Grammar School in the NatWest Cup 34-7. They now travel to RGS High Wycombe for the sixth round on Wednesday 27 January.

On Saturday 16 January, the Yearlings put three sides out against The Leys. The A team went down 24-22, however, the C team had an excellent 31-0 win and the D team outclassed their opponents to win 48-5.

Alan Hughes, Head of Rugby



SWIMMING

Congratulations to Will Perry (Fourth Form, Cobham) who won three silver medals at the National Para Swimming Championships on Sunday 13 December in Manchester. There were 300 other athletes competing in this long course event (50m pool) and he was swimming alongside Olympians and soon-to-be Olympians travelling to Rio for 2016. He swam the 100m freestyle in 1 minute 29.73 seconds, 50m freestyle in 38.48 seconds and 50m butterfly in 49.54 seconds and achieved a personal best in each race. Will has now been selected for the ASA Talent Spotlight Programme and Dave White, the ASA Swimming Pathway Officer, is soon to visit Stowe.

Six Stowe swimmers have qualified to take part in the Oxon and North Bucks ASA Country Swimming Championships on 7-8 February and 12-13 February. Alex Curtis (Upper Sixth, West) is racing in the 50m butterfly, Ollie Muhoho (Lower Sixth, Bruce) in the 50m freestyle, Lucas Davis (Third Form, Bruce) in the 400m freestyle, 50m breaststroke, 200m breaststroke, 200m individual medley and the 100m free prelims. Zoë Pollock (Fourth Form, Nugent) will be competing in the 50m freestyle and 50m backstroke, Kira Evans (Fifth Form, Nugent) in the 50m backstroke and Will Perry in the 50m, 100m and 200m freestyle and 50m and 100m backstroke.

Hester Pollock, Swimming Coach



A Resolution Kept

Each New Year countless promises of weight loss and gym attendance are made and many forgotten by spring. Last year, artist Deborah Last set an ambitious goal: to paint Stowe School and the Landscape Gardens every day for a year, a resolution she has kept. Throughout 2015 Debs explored the landscape in oils, capturing the light and weather of a moment in each day, wherever she happens to be. Her contemporary style of expressive colour and intriguing brush strokes blended with a traditional form of art creates a unique and beautiful series of paintings. Undertaking daily painting has further informed Debs' understanding of seasonal light and mood as she observed her favourite locations: The Grecian Valley, The Octagon Lake and the Mansion itself, altering in tone as the year progressed. "It is simply amazing what you can learn and achieve in a year," she said.

Debs' Daily Paintings can be found on her [website](#), as well as on [Facebook](#) and on [Instagram](#).

Collection for Refugees

With the colder weather to come and even more refugees leaving Syria and other war torn areas, it is essential that they receive supplies. The School is still collecting warm clothes and blankets/ sleeping bags and tinned or packet food to send up to the Oasis Trust which then takes the supplies to Europe. Please bring any contributions to the back of Chapel. This will be an ongoing project throughout this term.

The Revd Christopher Huxtable and The Revd Sue Sampson

The Allington family have kindly donated two bicycles from Broadribb Cycles, Banbury for the girls of Lyttelton to use around School. The very "cool" bicycles come complete with a basket for books, a loud bell, and helmets. The girls are delighted to have these at their disposal and are enjoying the Stowe version of the Boris Bikes.

Valerie Green, Lyttelton Housemistress



Lucky Lyttelton

Chapel

The Chaplains, on behalf of the two Charities, are very grateful for the generosity of Parents and Stoics who contributed to the retiring collection in support of Oasis Trust and Send-a-Cow at the December Carol Services in Chapel. £1,883 was divided equally between the two.

Oasis Trust (London) is helping to look after the immediate needs of refugees and asylum seekers, and to this end we have also separately appealed for (and already contributed two large loads of) clothing, sleeping bags, shoes, coats and hats. Thanks to those who have given these goods - we are keeping an open appeal for this ongoing work, where we take everything to join the local Buckingham and Brackley Churches' co-ordinating work, before it goes to London.

Send-a-Cow initiate and sustain local farmers in seven African countries, with seed, education, gender-equality support and animals. Two Send-a-Cow representatives came to address Chapel in November, and are returning as part of the Lent Sessions in March.

The Revd Christopher Huxtable and The Revd Sue Sampson



NETBALL

In the Bedford Modern Tournament on Saturday 9 January, the 1st team came third in their group beating Wellingborough 11-10 and Northampton High 22-0; however, they lost narrowly to Bedford Modern 4-2 in the play-off. The 2nd team travelled to Wellingborough and had an epic first match of the season. They were trailing 15-16 going into the final quarter but held their nerve to snatch a 21-20 victory.



The Senior 3rd team had a fine 24-4 win against Princethorpe on Wednesday 13 January and followed this up with a superb 41-26 win against Oundle on Saturday 16 January.

The 1st VII fought a thrilling game from start to finish against Bloxham on Wednesday 20 January. They implemented the key skills and tactics we had worked hard on throughout the week to put in a sterling performance and came away with a well-deserved win. The end of the first quarter was an extremely close affair ending 7-7. The Stowe team held their nerve and some fantastic interceptions from Alice Maclure (Fifth Form, Nugent) were capitalised on in the circle. The game ended 20-12 as Stowe managed to pull away in the final stages of the game. It was a superb display of determination, resilience and reading the game beautifully.

The 3rd VII also had a close match against Bloxham on Wednesday 20 January. Despite good defending the girls found themselves 9-2 down going into the final third of the shortened game. Daisy Price (Upper Sixth, Stanhope) found the net six times in the last 10 minutes to take the final score to 8-10 to Bloxham. This was an encouraging come back and the girls should be proud of the resilience they showed. Sophia Sander (Lower Sixth, West) was voted most valuable player after outstanding work as Goal Defence.

Lauren Ellis, Head of Netball

LACROSSE

The 1st team started their season in fine style with a 9-3 win against Moreton Hall in difficult conditions on Saturday 9 January. They experienced a spirited comeback after a slow start against a very talented Benenden side on Saturday 16 January but eventually ran out of time losing 11-7. The performance of the day came from the U14A team who lost narrowly by 6 goals to 4 against Benenden.

Kaitlan Biondi, Head of Lacrosse

FOOTBALL

Our footballers had an excellent start to the season against Wellingborough on Saturday 9 January. The 1st XI won 3-0 and 3rd XI won 9-0 with hat-tricks from Allwell Opuala-Charles (Upper Sixth, Grafton), Inigo Lendrum (Upper Sixth, Temple) and Federico Albertini (Upper Sixth, West). The U16As also had a fine 4-0 win. The 1st XI followed up their excellent win on Saturday 16 January with a fantastic 9-1 win against Uppingham.

Andrew Jackson, MFC Football

For weekly reports on all Stowe Sports visit our website

www.stowesport.co.uk



Fine Cell Work

Queen's House is looking to raise £1,000 to support our House Charity 'Fine Cell Work', a charity that trains prisoners in skilled needlework. Prisoners benefit from learning transferable skills which benefit the men and women once they are released from prison. More information can be seen on their [website](#).

A black tie event is taking place on Friday 11 March in the Marble Hall. The event will include a champagne reception, raffle and a talk from the Charity's Managing Director and an ex-prisoner.

Tickets are £15: please contact [Isobel Oliver](#) for tickets.

Organ Recital

On Sunday 10 January, Sixth Form Organ Scholars Alex Grinyer (Lower Sixth, Walpole) and Lewis Bell (Lower Sixth, Grenville) performed a fine recital of organ music in the School Chapel; the organ at Stowe being the second largest school organ in the country.

This was a special occasion as we heard music from the king of instruments that we do not hear daily in Chapel when we are walking in and out, and both recitalists presented us with many of the available and subtle colours found on the instrument within their musical programmes.

Alex began with Buxtehude's lively Toccata in F, full of scalic passages and with echo sections, followed by the wonderful and soft romantic work by John Ireland, The Holy Boy. Buxtehude inspired the master of the organ, JS Bach, and Alex concluded his recital set with Bach's Fantasia on In Dulci Jubilo. This chorale prelude is an old favourite that is full of improvisatory

passages. Famous for being played by the organ scholar at the end of the annual service of Carols from Kings, we could have been there!

Lewis continued with the baroque theme and the organ danced its way through the jaunty Prelude in C by JS Bach. This performance was followed by a set of variations by Sweelinck, a Dutch composer who set the scene in the 1500s in writing for the instrument. The first fugues to be written for the organ are found in Sweelinck's set of fantasias and although the composition requires little of the performer in terms of playing the pedals, the manual work is tricky for the fingers! Philip Moore's Paean was the concluding work and played with great competence. Philip Moore is the former organist at York Minster and it was pleasing to hear music by newer English composers, together with works by the ancient masters.

Keith Brown, Music Department

Eleven Days of Culture and Adventure



The PSHE Department at Stowe is delighted to be able to offer an 11 day trip to Vietnam from 22 October to 1 November 2016.

The trip will give Stoics an opportunity to visit the famous Cu Chi tunnels, the Reunification Palace in Ho Chi Minh City, spend a day visiting the Mekong Delta and visit remote villages. The trip encompasses the World Heritage Sites of Hoi An and Hue, culminating in an overnight private Junk cruise of Halong Bay, before a final tour of Hanoi. The trip will be limited to 12 pupil places only. Further details and an application form are available from [Ms McIntock](#). The deadline for deposits is Saturday 30 January.

HOCKEY

The boys' hockey 1st XI travelled to Cardiff for their Pre-Season this year to play in the Cardiff Mer Schools' Invitational. The squad started well against Pangbourne, claiming a convincing 1-0 victory. Next up were Stamford. Unfortunately the team did not play particularly well and were beaten 2-0 by a good team. On the Sunday they were first up at 9.00am to play Brecon College, knowing that a win would take them through to the final. After going down 1-0 in the first five minutes, the boys rallied and produced two good goals in the remainder of the match to clinch a well-deserved 2-1 victory in appalling weather conditions. This meant another showdown with Stamford and the boys were determined to reverse the result from the previous day. The team started well, working hard off the ball and moving the ball around the pitch nicely when in possession. Half time came and went with the score still 0-0, until Brandon Lee (Lower Sixth, Cobham) broke the deadlock with 12 minutes to go. The lead, however, was short lived, with Stamford firing home from a short corner only four minutes later. The last eight minutes were frantic to say the least, with Stowe down to nine men for some of it. The game finished 1-1, so into penalty shuffles we went. After both schools had taken their allotted five shuffles, the scores were still tied at 2-2, so it went into sudden death. Jack Dickerson (Lower Sixth, Cobham) made a great save and Brandon Lee scored his attempt, consequently securing the first trophy of the season for the 1st XI.

On Saturday 9 January, the 1st XI continued their fine start to the season with a stylish 9-0 win against Uppingham. There were also some stunning wins in the block fixture against Repton: the Colts As won 6-0, the Junior Colts Bs won 4-0 and the Junior Colts team won 7-0.

The 1st XI had a narrow 2-3 loss in the National Cup on Tuesday 12 January but bounced back with an excellent 6-2 win against Bloxham on Saturday 16 January. It was a good day all-round for the remainder of the Senior and Colts teams who all recorded victories against Bloxham. The 2nd XI won 1-0, the 3rd XI won 3-1 and both Colts sides won 2-0.

Luke Stone, Head of Hockey

SPORT IN BRIEF

Squash

The Senior squash team got their season off to a fine start by beating Oundle 4-1 on Saturday 9 January.

Fives

In the Junior Fives Competition on Sunday 10 January, Bruce beat Chatham in the final.

Equestrian

Katy Webb (Lower Sixth, Stanhope) attended an Eventer trial at Aston Le Walls on Sunday 3 January with her two horses and was placed 2nd and 4th in the 1m class and 4th in 1.10m class.



Classic Car Meeting

Saturday 28 May, Speech Day

I am delighted to confirm that following a most successful display of Classic Cars in 2015, Stowe will, once again, be hosting a Classic Car Meeting this year on Saturday 28 May 2016, coinciding with Speech Day.

We would very much like to attract a wide variety of classic cars, to help celebrate this event on the North Front of Stowe with its wonderful backdrop of the Mansion.

Please contact Caroline Whitlock, Old Stoic Event Co-ordinator, or call 01280 818349 if you would like to bring your classic car.

John Arkwright (Cobham 69)

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Upcoming events in January and February

Please contact Arts at Stowe or visit our website for tickets.



Second Soprano

Saturday 30 January, 8.00pm

A poignant tale presented by a virtuosic comedy duo and a piano. It is 1914, and as two sisters are torn apart by historic events, an astonishing narrative unfolds.

Second Soprano is the untold story of the nurses and entertainers who served in WWI. It is a stirring personal account and a tragi/comic tribute performed in a merge of physical comedy, post-modern tragedy, music hall tradition and rock 'n' roll.



My Pet Monster and Me

Tuesday 16 February, 2.00pm

Sophie Bucket lives on a farm with her Dad. She spends all of her time day-dreaming, but most of her time alone. If only she had a little friend to share her adventures.

One day, Sophie finds an egg. She keeps it warm, and out pops a cuddly, toothy, burpy, baby MONSTER! And so, the fun begins...



Ben Street – Dada: Art against Art

Friday 5 February, 7.00pm

Dada was the first art movement of the 20th Century to make deliberately nonsensical, sardonic and disruptive works of art. Forged in the midst of the First World War, artists set out to make art that challenged artistic traditions and refused to respect the conventions of art laid down centuries before. Though short-lived, Dada was one of the most influential cultural moments of the 20th Century and its influences can be felt in visual art, music and even literature.



From Vienna with Love

Wednesday 24 February, 8.00pm

Award-winning soprano, Helen Groves, is joined by accomplished and versatile musician and Head of Academic Music at Stowe, Alex Aitken, to perform songs by Brahms, Strauss and Berg in an evening which celebrates the legacy of three of Vienna's most influential Romantic composers.

University College London

Ten enthusiastic Lower Sixth economists travelled to University College London at the end of last term to attend several lectures. This allowed us to grasp a greater understanding of current economic affairs with prestigious economists talking about their studies. Waltraud Schelkle, a lecturer at LSE, explained the UK's current productivity and compared this to other European countries such as France.

The second speaker was Trevor Williams, the Chief Economist at Lloyds Bank, who gave us an insight into the financial sector, which was extremely valuable as many of the pupils are interested in pursuing a similar career in the future. He also explained the UK's current position on the inevitable credit cycle and how the different stages affect aspects such as inflation rates.

Our third lecturer, Beth Stratford, gave an interesting perspective on Ecological Economics, a concept we are not exposed to in the A Level syllabus. She posed fascinating questions such as 'Is infinite growth on a finite planet possible?', 'Can we price eco systems accurately?' and 'Is there a correlation between affluence and levels of happiness?' The current climate change debates in Paris made the lecture extremely topical, as we learnt that the faster we grow as an economy the more material use we need to dematerialise.

A behavioural psychologist, Nicholas Chater, explored the correlation between morality and the market. He included philosophical ideas such as utilitarianism that are intrinsic to our brains and explained how this thinking is dubious, as there are no absolute anchors. Our brains compare things and know no actual values. This was proved in various visual exercises comparing colours, which looked different but were actually the same. To conclude he used the thought-provoking quote by Oscar Wilde 'People know the price of everything, but the value of nothing'.

The last speaker was Madsen Price, founder of the Adam Smith Institute, who spoke about common economic misconceptions. The statement that 'we all have to live more simply because of global warming' was countered as he said we have to live more cleverly using modern technology. He sparked controversy with many pupils at the event when he said that we shouldn't 'impose taxes on the rich', a debate which was extremely interesting to observe. Many of the misconceptions that were proposed to us we had heard before and it was interesting to hear a new outlook.

We hope to continue discussing these and other topics, at the Fido Society for aspiring Economists and PPE pupils.

Annika Ormerod (Lower Sixth, Nugent)

CROSS COUNTRY

Six athletes travelled to Wigmore Park, Luton to represent Marshall Milton Keynes Athletics Club in the Chiltern League. MMKAC were currently top of the league with Bedford AC close behind with only two races left. The course was completely covered in mud with not much grass at all due to the weather, but the athletes were all excited to race and represent MMKAC for the first time. As well as the league fixture it was also the MMKAC Club Championships so medals were up for grabs. All the athletes ran extremely well on a tough course against very good opposition.

In the U20 Men, Harrison Dockerty (Upper Sixth, Chandos) finished 18th followed by Max Bashaarat (Upper Sixth, Temple) in 19th. Both ran superbly considering the long 10.4km course which is much further than they had raced before. In the U17 Men, Oliver Vince (Fifth Form, Cobham) finished 25th with Dan Jolker (Fifth Form, Cobham) 27th. In the U17 Ladies race Georgia Flawn-Thomas (Fifth Form, Nugent) was 1st in the MMKAC Championships winning gold and finishing in 15th place with Rosie Smith (Fifth Form, Queen's) finishing in 37th place.

Congratulations to all the athletes who will next be racing on Wednesday 3 February at the County Championships where we have 32 athletes entered which also brings with it the chance to qualify for the National Schools' Championships in March.

Kyle Bennett, Head of Athletics



BASKETBALL

INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION

In the Inter-House Junior basketball competition on Sunday 10 January, Temple beat Grafton 10-4 in the final and Nugent beat Queen's 12-8.

In the Senior Inter-House competition on Sunday 17 January, Bruce retained the Pearl Cup with victories over Walpole in the semi-final and Grafton in the final.

In the girls' competition Lyttelton came third, Queen's came second and Nugent came first.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS' U18 TOURNAMENT

A young team travelled to Wellington College for the Independent Schools' Basketball Tournament. The team was disappointed to lose the first game by the narrowest of margins, 10-11, against Winchester with Sol Boyd (Lower Sixth, Bruce), Oliver Pell (Lower Sixth, Bruce) and Seun Coker (Upper Sixth, Walpole) scoring the Stowe points.

The next game against Wellington was a must win in order to keep our hopes alive in the competition. The team stunned Wellington with a 16-14 victory with Captain Boyd hitting three 3-pointers. Pell, William Garrett (Fifth Form, Cobham) and Sandile Tilibe (Fourth Form, Temple) added to the Stowe total.

Pangbourne were next up and after a lacklustre first half the team hit form to win 35-4. This left the group finely balanced with Stowe knowing that a win against Harrow by 12 or more points would take them into the final.

Sadly it was not to be with Harrow pulling out their best performance of the afternoon to win the game 13-15.

This was a great effort from this young and inexperienced team which only contained two Upper Sixth players. We are already looking forward to next year's tournament.

STOWE v RADLEY

On Tuesday 19 January a full strength 1st team hosted Radley College. Stowe raced to an early 10-0 lead in the first few minutes through the inside play of Natse Jemide (Upper Sixth, Bruce) and the clinical finishing of Sol Boyd and Allwell Opuala-Charles (Upper Sixth, Grafton) on the fast break. Seun Coker was dominant on the defensive boards and Oliver Pell was a potent threat throughout the game. Sandile Tilibe looked sharp especially on the drive with Freddie Tufnell (Fifth Form, Chandos) and Alexey Sviridov (Fifth Form, Grenville) also registering on the score sheet in the first quarter.

The starting five extending the lead even further to finish the next quarter 50-23. The interplay between Boyd, Pell, Jemide and Opuala-Charles was a joy to watch. Pell brought up the 100 with the second of his two 3-pointers with Boyd and Tilibe joining in the act with a 3-pointer each in the final quarter.

The team thoroughly deserved their 102-37 victory and all credit to Radley for their commitment and team spirit throughout the match.

Isaac Michael, MiC Basketball



EVENTS

Stowe Parents

Please click on any of the events for more information. If you would like to book please email Stowe Parents.

A Taste of France at Stowe

With Willy Barrett's French Connection Band Saturday 16 January

The first Stowe Parents' event of 2016 featured an evening in the Music Room with a difference! Willy Barrett's French Connection Band has a wide-ranging repertoire from a café in Paris to a night out in New Orleans.

French singer, Aurora Colson took centre stage and certainly captivated us all with her compelling and expressive vocals, tackling everything from Bluegrass to acoustic blues with haunting melodies and a touch of Piaff thrown into the mix.

At the heart of the ensemble were the multi-instrumentalist, Wild Willy Barrett, with his

wry humour and banter, along with the talented Mary Holland and John Devine. Between them they played the guitar, cello, fiddle, banjo, keyboard and uilleann pipes. A most impressive and unique evening, which was well attended by Stowe parents, guests of Stowe Arts and a smattering of Willy's own dedicated fan base. We were particularly delighted that Dr Wallerstein joined us for this event.

As in any French venue, wine and cheese accompanied the evening and ensured we were well prepared for the snow that greeted everyone as they departed.

Thank you all for your support!

Linda Ellis, Grenville Upper Sixth Parent



WEDNESDAY
10
FEBRUARY

Beauty and the Beast

Join Stowe Parents for a finger buffet in the Chung Music School at 6.30pm, and then take your VIP seat at 8.00pm in the Roxburgh Hall for the Musical event of the year!



WEDNESDAY
02
MARCH

House Tour & Lunch

Stowe Parents are invited to explore the intricate history and restoration of Stowe House with Anna McEvoy, the House Custodian. The tour will be followed by a two course lunch in the beautifully restored Blue Room.



TUESDAY
22
MARCH

British Museum – Around the World in 90 minutes

Join Stowe parents for an exclusive guided tour of some of the most famous treasures of the Museum including the Rosetta Stone, Lewis Chessmen and the Parthenon frieze, as well as some lesser known but equally fascinating objects.

Champagne & all that jazz

Friday 29 January 2016
7.30pm

The Uglend Auditorium

A champagne and canapé reception with music from the fabulous **Stowe Big Band and Jazz Club**

Tickets £15 available from ssearle@stowe.co.uk or on +44 (0)1280 818268

All proceeds to go directly to the town of Glenridding in Cumbria after the recent floods. Glenridding has played host to the Stowe Big Band in 2014, and 2015 as part of their North of England Tour. Following their tremendous warm welcome, we hope to provide some support in return.



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