

Brownlow Integrated College

Newsletter

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Welcome back to staff and pupils!

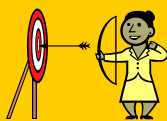
Welcome back to all staff and pupils and good luck for the coming year. In particular we welcome our new year 8 group and pupils who have joined us from other post-primary schools. This year we have our first Hungarian students who join our expanding International Line-up



This year work has just begun on building a **Fitness Suite and Drama Area** at the college. We are very excited about this new development. The project will take place over the next six months and has been funded by the Department of Education / Southern Education and Library Board to the value of just under half a million

pounds. Mrs Kinley is already planning productions for the next 5 years while the P.E department are planning for the next Olympics!

Rehearsals are now underway for the school **Pantomime Cinderella**. They run every Tuesday and Thursday after school. At present there are over 40 pupils involved in the production.



Exciting new clubs

A new after school Archery club will take place every Monday from 3.15 with Mr Ó Braonáin and Mrs Wallace. Due to over

subscription the names of ten students will be drawn (2 from each year group) every six weeks. Training is organised in six

week blocks over the year and will take place in the school hall beginning on the 24th of September.

Notices

Start your day the healthy way!



Breakfast club is up and running Mon-Fri 8:20-8.50am in Miss Gilmour's HE room. The price is 20p per day.

Parents are reminded to drop off and pick up pupils on the Tullygally Road due to the building works which will be ongoing until into the New Year.

Budding editors and journalists are welcome to Room 22 on Mondays after school to plan the monthly newsletter with Mrs Darrah. Interesting stories are needed so get your creative hats on!



Congratulations to Our new prefects for 2012-13

Jane Donnelly, Angela Tirol, Corrie Boyle, Cuan O'Brien, Mía Robinson, Arienne Cousins, Estera Obuchowska, Jenny Mcconnell, Rebekah Long, Jordan Smylie, Ben Russell, Dominik Rebecki, Kieran Donaghy, Adam Gracey, Zaiton Lamat, Ashley Robinson, Adam Balmer, Adam Jackson, Stephen Galwey, Ross Hume

This year's Head Boy and Head Girl are Scott Hughes and Jemma Parks and the Deputy Head Boy and Head Girl are Jack White and Teri Millar



Well done to all who interviewed for the positions. The standard of interview was very high and staff were impressed by the maturity, professionalism and confidence of all participants.

This year, for the first time, prefects are identifiable by their incredibly stylish and much envied new prefect's tie.



A GCSE Geography Fieldtrip to the Kilbroney River in the Mournes takes place on Tuesday 25th and Friday 28th Sept. We look forward to the photos of industrious Geography students for our newsletter.



The Samba band participated in "Land of the Giants" in June 2012 at Titanic Buildings in front of an audience of thousands. A DVD will be available in a few weeks time and the event photos will be posted to the school website. A fantastic event! Mrs Norton and the pupils involved had a great time!

House Cup Winners 2012

SPERRIN



Well done to the members of Sperrin house who retained the house cup for the second year in a row!

Key Camp 2012-13.

Year 11 pupils will embark on a brand new experience, unlike any other. The 1st to 3rd of October will see them start on the first of four Key Camp trips to Roscor Youth Village, Bellek in Co Fermanagh. On this trip they will meet new people (pupils from Lismore Compre-

hensive and Mulroy College), take part in outdoor activities and develop new skills surrounding business training. Check out next month's newsletter to hear how the first trip went. Pupils involved are:

Laura Heaney
Wiktorija Bigaj
Georgia Smith
Naomi Byers

Jade Mallon
Maeve McStay
David Mulholland
Matthew Gracey
Dylan Johnston
James Caufield
Dillon Todd
Tyler Burns

GOOD LUCK TO ALL!

