THE MOULSFORD UNION

The Positions Of Responsibility Are Announced!



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Emerson P has gone skiing again

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New Waffle Machine

The Bursar has invested in a waffle machine for the boarders

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Head Boy's Welcome

Moulsford is a school which helps us to succeed in many areas, but also to fail and learn that failure can move us forward. Moulsford has a plethora of opportunities from kayaking on the River Thames to judo inside our wonderful sports hall. We are also fortunate to have the opportunity of going on school trips, be it a music trip to see 'Phantom of the Opera' or going on the longest zip line in the UK. Everything seems possible at Moulsford!

Academically, Moulsford has a vast range of subjects, enabling us to explore the sciences, humanities, arts and languages. The topics and themes that we learn also help in later life. Moulsford provides the opportunity for boys to be involved in dramatic productions and musical soirees. The youngest boys start with a Pre-Prep nativity play, with many more opportunities for performance in further years, culminating in the main production in Year 7.

Games is hugely important at Moulsford, with football and rugby in the winter, and cricket in the summer. Moulsford also has a range of activities in the PE department, from climbing to dancing to hockey and many more.

The food at Moulsford is stunning - the kitchen staff are amazing and always receive high reviews from pupils and teachers, whether at breakfast, lunch, break-time snacks or dinner. My personal favourite is the outdoor barbeques in the summer!

We are so fortunate at Moulsford to enjoy such a wonderful school, with excellent staff, facilities and food! Boys are happy here and I am very proud to be the Head Boy of Moulsford Prep School.

Hunter R Head Boy Spring 2020

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SPORTS FIXTURES

SATURDAY 18TH MOULSFORD VS SHREWBURY HOUSE

U13

A 30-15 Won B 30-25 Won C 5-30 Lost

U12

A 10-5 Won B 15-25 Lost C 5-35 Lost

WEDNESDAY 22ND MOULSFORD VS LAMBROOK

U13

A 35 - 10 Won B 40 - 0 Won

U12

A 10 - 15 Lost B 10 - 20 Lost C 5 - 10 Lost

U11

A 10 - 45 Lost B 50 - 5 Won

U10

A 15 - 25 Lost B 10 - 10 Draw C 10 - 5 Won D 10 - 20 Lost E 35 - 35 Draw WEDNESDAY 29TH
MOULSFORD VS SUMMER
FIELDS SCHOOL

U13

A 20-15 Won B 10-45 Lost C 0-30 Lost

U12

A 20-20 Draw B 15-10 Won C 25-25 Draw

U11

A 15-35 Lost B 35-15 Won C 55-35 Won

U10

A 20-0 Won B 15-15 Draw C 10-20 Lost D 10-25 Lost E 40-45 Lost

Boarding

HUNTER R

This week in Boarding, our Bursar has donated a waffle machine; the boarding community greatly appreciates his donation. It has been a great success, with both boys and staff alike enjoying this addition.



The kitchen staff have helped massively by making the mix for the waffle machine and showing us how to use it properly. I am sure this will go on forever.

THANK YOU, KITCHEN STAFF



SPORT

SKIING, DANCE AND RUGBY

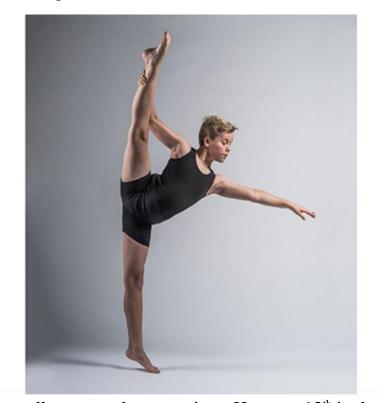
HUNTER R (CHIEF EDITOR/WRITER)

Emerson excels at the start of the Ski Season

Emerson P has had a strong start to the Alpine race season with a podium in his first competition of the winter. Emerson travelled to Pila, Italy at the weekend to compete in the Anglo Scottish Championships. In a highly competitive field of 60 Under 14 boys, Emerson took 2nd place in the speed discipline of Super G, narrowly missing out on 1st place by the smallest of margins. He also competed in the Giant Slalom but losing a pole on a gate early in the race meant he just missed the podium.

Emerson is now back in France and back to his academy Apex2100 and training ahead of his GB International races in Andorra in late January.





HUNTER R (CHIEF EDITOR/WRITER)

Kit dances to success

Last Summer, Kit S was offered a last-minute residential place at the Royal Ballet School Summer Intensive, which is highly competitive and selective. He had a great, extremely hard-working week at White Lodge, learning from top RBS dance masters and enjoying being in classes with boys from all around the world. Kit also got a place at Tring Park School for the Performing Arts in the dance and drama course.

Kit was then offered a place as part of Team GB for the International Dance Organization World Championships 2019, which took place in Germany in November. He was entered for three dance pieces - a duo,

small group and a team piece. He came 12th in the world. Enormous congratulations to Kit and well done!

RUGBY NEWS

Under 13 Matches this week



In the A's, Sam scored 2 with James T scoring 1

The A's are working on their 5th win in a row which is incredible because there are some pretty strong teams out there...

The A's were nice and tidy with the ball. They rarely left the ball on the ground and avoided contact by passing the ball at the last second.





Another Victory for the A's, that's their 6th win in a row. Sam W as always ran straight through the opposition scoring all the tries for the A's. Charlie H and Oscar T running straight at the opponents and crashing though, demolishing them. While Freddie F shot the ball to the other side with a great cross kick towards the wing.





Language Star of the Week

Félicitations (Congratulations) Angus L from 6A for being Languages Star this week!

500 Word Stories







CLOSING DATE: THURSDAY 22nd FEBRUARY, 7PM

It is super simple. All entrants must pen an original story, no more than 500 words in length, and submit it online. It can be about ANYTHING you want – space-ships, Grannies, insects, time travel. The list is endless!

Stories are judged anonymously, without regard to grammar, punctuation or spelling. The competition culminates in a broadcast extravaganza of live music and sensational story-telling every summer, at a special venue. Past venues have included The Globe and The Tower of London and Windsor Castle. 2019 saw a magnificent extravaganza come live from Windsor Castle. From the 112,986 entries - that's 56.5 million words, with the six winning wordsmiths announced on-air by celebrity narrators including David Walliams and Helen McCrory. Last year saw fantastic music from Busted, Tom Walker and Matilda the Musical as well.

I think it is a great idea to have a go. Maybe have a think what you want to write about and try make it funny so the judges want to read on.

We hope to publish some 500 words stories. If you want your 500 words on The Moulsford Union email me at mpsmedia@moulsford.com



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If you could have one thing for drink, biscuit and lunch in one day of the week what would it be?

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In the next edition I will announce the most popular answers.