



# AUTUMN NEWSLETTER



## Welcoming the Year 12s into JM6

With the start of the new year, we welcomed our new year 12s. With an exciting year ahead of them we wanted to find out how they are finding their sixth form journey so far and some events they are looking forward to. We asked a few of our new students to share their experiences and what they are looking forward to over their time in the sixth form.

**Most Enjoyed:** "Having my photo taken"

**Looking Forward To:**  
"Becoming a more independent learner"

**Most Enjoyed:** "The Informal"

**Looking Forward To:**  
"Preparing for Uni"

**Most Enjoyed:** "The Macmillian coffee morning"

**Looking Forward To:** "Becoming a Uni student"

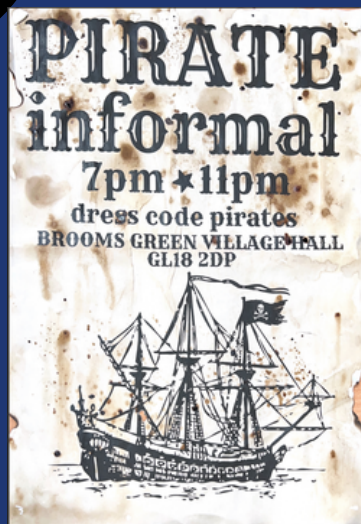
**Most Enjoyed:** "The independent study time so I can target my priorities"

**Looking Forward To:**  
"Doing my EPQ"

**Most Enjoyed:** "Free periods and the practical lessons in science"

## Informal:

On Friday 27th September, sixth form hosted an informal in Brooms Green Village Hall. Using the theme of Pirates, there was a great turnout with many great pirate outfits.





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## =Welcome=

### An introduction to Year 7

On the 25th of September, the student leadership orchestrated an assembly to year 7, providing them a warm welcome to the school.

It provided a great experience for both the Year 7s, and the student leadership team, and we hope that the year 7s will cherish the assembly for years to come.

### Upcoming events for JM6



- Halloween Informal – Friday 18th October
- Ice Quest – Wednesday 23rd October
- Sixth form open evening – Thursday 24th October
- Christmas Fair (more details to come) –  
Wednesday 27th November

## Christmas Fair





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## An introduction to the student leadership team

In the summer term, a new student leadership team was appointed, with each member bringing fresh ideas to continue to make the sixth form the best it can be. I'd like to introduce our new student leadership team.

They would like to provide you with some information about why they decided to join and what they are most looking forward to.

### **Sports Captains:**

#### **Fliss Cox:**

"I would say I became sports captain mainly for my love of sport and fitness. My main goal was to encourage as many people as possible to find their passion for sports or fitness."

#### **Spencer Atkins:**

"I decided to join the student leadership team as I would like to have an important role in trying to develop the sixth form and help organise sports. I would like to get more people involved in physical activity."





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### **Head students:**

#### **Olivia Blandford:**

"I decided to join the leadership team to take on more responsibility within the sixth form. I am passionate about making JM6 a spotlight of the school and planning events that make the sixth form inclusive for everyone. I look forward to planning out our events such as our upcoming Christmas fair and charity events like our annual Ledder Run."

#### **Thomas French:**

"I became head student to build upon my leadership and management skills. Furthermore, I wanted to represent my fellow students' voices in school matters and help bridge the gap between students and the faculty. Finally, I wanted to have a positive impact within the school and be able to make a difference in my peer's experiences within school.

I'm looking forward to hosting many fun and exciting events throughout the year!"

#### **Evie Rowlands:**

"I joined the JMHS leadership team because I believe in the power of coming to uplift our community and inspire each other to reach our full potential. I am looking forward to working with the sixth form and the lower school to create an environment where every voice is heard, and every student feels valued and empowered to make a difference."





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### **Subject Ambassadors:**

#### **Erin Hayter – Science:**

"I wanted to be part of the student leadership team as a science ambassador because I'm passionate about helping other enjoy and understand science. I love sharing my enthusiasm for the subject and encouraging students to see how exciting and important it can be. "

#### **Lotte Kroese – Performing Arts:**

"I became performing arts ambassador because it was a great way to advocate for the performing arts within the school."

#### **Theresa Thomas – Computer Science:**

"I became the computer science subject ambassador to advocate for an increased representation of women in STEM. By sharing my experiences and promoting the importance of diversity in technology, I aim to inspire more young people to pursue careers in computer science."





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### **Study Advisor:**

#### **Teodora Fotache:**

"I became study supervisor so I could support my peers within their academic careers and make a positive impact in people's lives within school and help them achieve the best grades they can. "

### **Charity Lead:**

#### **Zach Bereton – Burgess:**

"I was eager to join the student leadership team as the charity lead because I am passionate about making a positive impact in our community. I believe that leading charity initiatives can foster a sense of unity and compassion among students while also addressing important social issues "

### **News Editor:**

#### **Charlotte Wheeler:**

"I joined the student leadership team to make sixth form an inclusive and enjoyable experience for everyone. I personally enjoyed our Ledger Run for charity as the support we received made the experience really rewarding."



STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM



# STUDY SUPPORT



At JM6 we know studying can be overwhelming, so we want to provide everyone with all the support they need to ensure they are given the best opportunities possible. The student leadership team wanted to support our new year 12s and provide them with some advice and study methods to set them on the right path for their exams in year 13.

## **Teodora Fotache:**

My advice would be don't leave work to pile. Do small tasks rather than all at once. It will help you to stay organised and keep on top of your work. I would say always asking for help or support with your studies is key to revision. If you need any guidance you can ask the Student Leadership team or Mrs Hunt and we will be there to help you. I would also suggest going to the social events the Sixth Form host to give you a break. A healthy work/life balance is important to not getting burnt out.

## **Lotte Kroese:**

My advice would be to use your frees as much as possible and try not to use your phone during them. I suggest covering it up or putting it in your bag so you're not tempted to use it.

Also I would make sure you make time for yourself in and outside of school so you don't get too stressed or overwhelmed.

## **Evie Rowlands:**

My advice to Y12 is to start early and make your experience easier, personally, I used Brainscape to create my flashcards from the beginning. Most of all, enjoy your time at JM6!! My way to revise is using and making flashcards after each lesson, as well as making notes of what your teacher is saying as well as the power point. I then use mind maps and videos on Tutor2u etc to go over this content.





# Macmillan Coffee Morning

On Friday 27th of September, the sixth form hosted a Macmillan coffee morning to raise money for Cancer support and research. We invited students and teachers to bring baked goods and hosted a cake competition with Dr Holmes as a judge. We received an outstanding amount of baked goods and the support we received from teachers, students and parents was sensational. Overall we managed to raise a whopping amount of £812.39 and that is all thanks to everyone who contributed with their time, effort, baked goods or support. JM6 hopes that the Macmillan coffee mornings will become an annual event and looks forward to what the next one brings.

## Macmillan Coffee Morning Prize winners



Highly  
commended  
Lola  
Beacon



Third Place  
Teodora  
Holywell



Second Place  
Jasmine and Ruby  
Beacon and Holywell



First Place  
Ajax  
Midsummer



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