



DEVIZES SCHOOL NEWS

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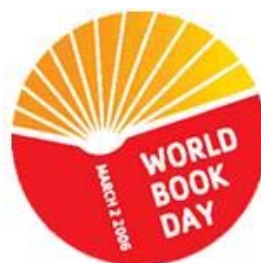
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WORLD BOOK DAY 2006

World Book Day (2nd March) celebrates the world of books and reading.

This year, the LRC hosted a group of Year 7 pupils from Rowdeford School.

They enjoyed their time here, comparing the two schools and sharing a story or other interesting books with one of our students. We tried to find a book that matched their interests. They particularly enjoyed having an individual story "just for them".



Our students found it quite a challenge but appeared to enjoy themselves. This worthwhile event could not have taken place without their fantastic efforts. Thank you!

Mrs P Lee - LRC Manager

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Dates for your diary.....

MARCH

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| 14th | Year 11 Maths
Modular Exams |
| 15th | Governors' Meeting
6.30p.m. |
| 20th - 24th | Year 10 Work
Experience Week |
| 31st | Last Day of Term 4 |

Easter Holiday
3rd April - 17th April 2006

APRIL

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| 18th | TD Day |
| 19th | First Day of Term 5 |



Puzzle a week!

KILLER SUDOKU

The object is the same as the normal puzzle; to fill each 3 x 3 grid with the numbers 1-9 so that each row and column in the puzzle has the numbers 1-9 in them. The dotted lines tell you the sum of that section. If the sum is 4, then the numbers can only be 1+3, 17 must be 9 + 8, 23 must be 9+ 8 + 6. However, you cannot have a double numbers in any section, even if it goes into another 3 x 3 grid. So a sum of 10 cannot be 5+5, it is 9+1, 8+2, 7+3 or 6+4. Good tip: remember each 3 x 3 grid, each row and each column has to add up to 45 (the sum of 1-9) Have Fun!

18	18	7			6	8	14	7
			10	15	8			
	6	9			1	7		15
8			13		12		16	
	6	9		9				9
	15	8	16	16		11	5	
6								11
14	8	18	14		3	11		
					13		5	

4	9	5	6	2	7	8	1	3
3	8	1	5	9	4	7	2	6
7	2	6	3	1	8	9	5	4
6	5	8	2	4	1	3	9	7
2	3	4	7	6	9	5	8	1
1	7	9	8	5	3	4	6	2
8	4	2	1	3	5	6	7	9
5	1	3	9	7	6	2	4	8
9	6	7	4	8	2	1	3	5

HARD GATE SCHOOL

A SERIALISATION BY ALEX BROWNE - 10CYS

The car was damaged and rusted from many nights of rain. At first glance it appeared to be painted in two colours that blended in well with the rusty brown and silver junk. George dived to the floor, hoping he hadn't been noticed. He wondered what the teacher was doing there.

He looked closer and noticed that it was one of the science teachers. Mr Crost was a very tall teacher. His face was clean-shaven for every lesson that he taught in the school day. At the weekends, when he was rarely seen, it was rumoured that his face was shaved at least eight times a day.

In fact he shaved so much that by the fourth time he must have been shaving the air that clung to his face. He washed himself regularly. George could always tell as there was always a smell of perfume and aftershave in his science lessons. Crost's shoes were always sparkling with polish, yet more evidence that his personal hygiene was of the highest standard. So the question returned to George's mind, what was his teacher, the cleanest of his teachers doing in a smelly, dirty, filthy junkyard? George tried to crawl closer but as he did so, his hand edged a small bolt off of the pile it was resting on and it echoed on a metal barrel with

a chime that sounded like an alarm to Crost. The teacher leapt up and stared around at the wasteland of junk. His eyes zoomed in and out making sure there was no one there. George raised his head and his fluffy hair drooped down over his brow. He lifted his neck and stared at Mr. Crost who had abandoned his excavation of the vehicle and was heading off to the rip in the fence. George's eyes followed him as he skulked away and he again pondered the strange behaviour of his science teacher.

Look out for next issue's instalment!

NBTA ENGLAND TEAM - FINAL SELECTIONS

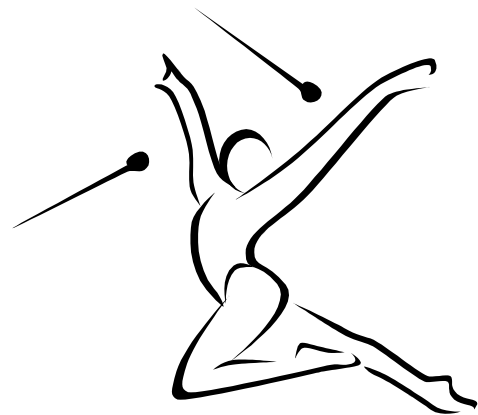
The final selection took place in Bournemouth for the NBTA England team, to compete at the World Championships in Eindhoven, Holland at Easter.

Huge congratulations to Emma Williams, 11SYB on her place in the Junior Twirl Team and reserve for Junior Dance Team.

Hannah Williams, 9DCJ was selected to represent in Preteen Solo, X-Strut, Junior Twirl and Dance teams and is reserve for Preteen 2-Baton.

Wishing you the very best of luck and enjoy the

twirling in a major championship.



BRITISH SCHOOL'S JUDO COMPETITION

Fantastic results from the British Schools' Judo Competition, held at Bath University on Saturday 18th February 2006.

The School is extremely proud of the following players who conducted themselves very well and performed brilliantly to win 6 medals at this national competition. This really is a remarkable achievement for any school to have so much success at a schools' competition and we thank the local judo club and parents for all their support with this event.

Eight players from Devizes Judo Club were representing Devizes Sports College at this championship.

Laura McCullar (12AJV)	won gold in the U70 kgs, 16-19 year old group
Rachel McCullar (8NAM)	won silver in the U48 kgs, 11-14 year old group
Hollie Gorton (7GLH)	won bronze in the U48 kgs, 11-14 year old group
Charlotte Giles (10JAJ)	won bronze in the U57 kgs, 14-16 year old group
Emily Dickson (10JAJ)	won bronze in the U70 kgs 14-16 year old group
Natalie South (13JML)	won bronze in the U63 kgs 16-19 year old group

Also representing Devizes Sports College were Kevin Ottaway (11GXH) U66 kgs, 14-16 year old group and Nathan Gorton (10ECA) U60 kgs 14-16 year old group.

Congratulations to all the performers for representing the School so successfully. An outstanding performance!

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DEVIZES SCHOOL PARENT GROUP

QUIZ NIGHT!

THURSDAY

23rd March 2006

7:30 PM

MAIN HALL

DEVIZES SCHOOL

£10 PER TEAM OF 4

BAR & Raffle

TO BOOK PHONE VAL: 01380 721030

OR JUST TURN UP

Go on it'll be a laugh !!!

DEVIZES SCHOOL PARENT GROUP

CAR BOOT SALE

Saturday

18th March 2006

10.00 - 12.00

(9.00 am for sellers to set up)

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Nursteed Road entrance (opposite Moonrakers)

£5 per pitch

entry BY Donation

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