

# C ollege NEWS

*Our regular link with parents, students and friends in the community*

## Callington Sports Centre

During the May half-term Callington Sports Centre hosted another three-day holiday activity programme. The College took over the running of the Sports Centre in June 2004 and since then they have organised activities each holiday which have improved each time and have been very well attended. The College is committed to improving youngsters' fitness, health and well-being.

Activities included the Cornwall County Football Association programme for youngsters aged 5 to 14. There was also a fitness day run by Dougie Bruce, Community Coach which included Body Jam and Body Combat.

The Sports Centre has very strong links with Plymouth Raiders, and a three day camp is

organised during the Summer holiday. The Summer holiday programme will also include Trampolining, Netball, Hockey and Gymnastics days which will be run by coaches. All these activities were extremely popular when they were run during previous holidays.

The Summer Activities are being run for youngsters aged 8 to 14 years old, although the Football and Gymnastics will be open to 5 year olds, during limited periods. The programme is being run on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays starting on 2<sup>nd</sup> August until 25<sup>th</sup> August. To book a place or for further information telephone Ashley Rowland, Sports Centre Manager, on 01579 383477.

## Uniform

A reminder for parents about uniform for September 2005. The basic uniform is the **college sweatshirt or a college polo shirt**. These items are only available from the college. Please note that only college polo shirts and sweatshirts are allowed. **College hoodies** are also available, as are **college fleeces**. No other types of hoodies are allowed. **Plain coats**, not cardigans or hoodies, are allowed. The rest of the uniform is plain **black trousers or skirt**, and **black shoes** (trainers are not allowed, a medical note is needed if trainers are worn).

Finally, **we do not allow any piercings except**

**one stud in each ear, and no jewellery**. We have high standards at Callington and we expect everyone who joins the college to share these standards. Please follow our uniform code and we can then concentrate on the education process.

Uniform can be purchased during the Summer holidays from Reprographics between 10.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon. Please telephone to check availability before making a special trip on 01579 386017.

**All circular letters to parents, calendar and information about events will be posted on the college website –  
[www.callingtoncommunitycollege.co.uk](http://www.callingtoncommunitycollege.co.uk)**

## Calendar

Saturday 9th July – Evening at Sterts – Music from Callington students

Monday 11th July – Year 8 Experimental School Week;  
Tuesday 12th July – Year 9 Sports Day  
Wednesday 13th July – Year 10 Celebration Evening  
Thursday 14th July – Year 9 Celebration Evening

Monday 18th July – Friday 22nd July – Challenge Week;  
Year 10 Work Experience Week

Monday 25th/Tuesday 26th July – Year 6 Induction Days  
Tuesday 26th July – End of term – College closes at 12.25 p.m.

## Staff Training Days

The college will be closed to students on five days for staff training. These are Monday 5th September, Friday 21st October, Friday 25th November, Thursday 5th and Friday 6th January 2006.

## Calendar 2005-06

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September: Year 7 Induction  
Year 10 'Go For It' Training  
(Years 12 and 13 invited students only)

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September: Year 12 Induction  
Year 7 Induction  
Year 10 'Go For It' Training

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September Years 8 and 9  
Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September Years 11 and 13  
Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September All Years in college

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September Year 7 Residential to Porthpean

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> December End of term  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October – half term

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2006 Start of Spring term  
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April End of term  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February – half term

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April Start of Summer term  
Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July End of term  
May Bank Holiday: Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May  
Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June - half term

## School Crossing Patrol Relief

Cornwall County Council urgently requires a Relief School Crossing Patrol in Callington to cover for absent School Crossing Patrols.

Details: School term time only  
Training and uniform are provided  
Mondays to Fridays as required  
£5.63 per hour (£10872 pa pro rata)

Contact: Sandra Amy, SCP Co-ordinator.  
Telephone 01872 327886 or e-mail:samy@cornwall.gov.uk

## Investors in Education Business Partnership Award

Sarah Caldwell, Year 13 student at the College, is seen receiving the Education Business Partnership Award for Work Related Learning at St. Mellion Golf and Country Club recently. The award is made by Cornwall EBP following a very thorough assessment of the experiences gained by students at the College. These included visits and speakers in relation to the curriculum programme, work experience and Community links. Community partners nominated to receive a certificate recognising their excellence in developing and sustaining curriculum links between education and business included: Duchy Plastics, Carol Whibley, Rob Bradford, Cornwall Care (Pengover House) and Celliwic Pre-School Nursery. The College is extremely grateful to all business and community partners for their continuing good will and support.



*Pictured left to right: Andrew Petherick (Science Teacher), Lisa Wood (Careers Co-ordinator), Sarah Caldwell (student), Judy Picot (14-19 Curriculum Co-ordinator) Mike Grocott (i/c Careers), John Wheldon (Assistant Headteacher)*

## Design a Fireworks Poster

The Callington Town Annual Fireworks Display is on Saturday 5th November at 7.00 p.m. at the college. Students are invited to produce an advertisement poster for the fireworks display. Posters must include date/time/sponsored by Ginsters/ held at the college. You may use any medium you like and the poster can be A4 or A3 size. Do not forget to put your name and tutor group on the back of the poster. All posters must be returned by Monday 12th September to Mr Dew. There will be a prize for the best poster and judging will be by Ginsters in early September. If you need any further details please see Mr Dew.

## Change to College Day

A reminder to parents and students that the college day is changing in September. The college day will start at 8.35 a.m., five minutes earlier than this year, and will finish at 3.00 p.m.