



Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

New Sixth Form initiative aimed at boosting career opportunities



Truro School Connected is a new initiative which puts Truro School's Sixth Form students and alumni in contact with a vast professional network.

Consisting of alumni, past and present parents, governors and staff, the network offers students a wide range of advice and opportunities whilst choosing universities and career paths. Truro School Connected starts in the Sixth Form but will continue as a resource when needed, at any stage of life. It is there to advise those who do know what they want to do and those who are still working that out.

Nicky Berridge (pictured above left), Development and Alumni Relations Manager, said: 'In the former pupil community, Truro School has an abundance of talent, who are willing and happy to assist the School help its current students in progression on to universities and careers'.

Although all alumni are invited to Truro School, perhaps to give a talk, to conduct mock interviews, or to host a table at a business lunch, activities

are not limited to the School grounds. Alumni from all over the UK and around the world have signed up to be part of Truro School Connected offering to review CVs, become university representatives, or offer internships and shadowing days, all of which are key elements of the programme.

Jayne Grigg, Director of Admissions, said: 'It's really helpful to talk to someone who's just set out on their career or just started their university course in addition to somebody who is long-established in a particular field; there is help at every single point in the process. Not only that, Truro School Connected helps alumni help each other, so this isn't exclusive to current Sixth Form students.

[Read the full story online](#)

Diary Dates

Saturday 14 September

Art and English: Lower Sixth residential trip to Cape Cornwall. English returns 5.00pm

Upper Sixth: World Aims 'Global 2 Local'

Scuba Diving: PADI open water diving qualification - knowledge review (11.30am - 1.30pm) and practical training 2.00pm - 4pm

Sunday 15 September

Art and English: Lower Sixth residential trip to Cape Cornwall. Art returns 1.00pm

Upper Sixth: World Aims 'Global 2 Local'

Monday 16 September

Lower Sixth: A Level ALPS provisional grades distributed in tutor time

3rd Year Parents: Parents' Welcome Evening, Burrell Theatre, 6.00pm

Cricket fixtures: Boys-U14A vs Launceston College 2.30pm A

Music: Junior Musicians' Concert, Chapel, 7.00pm-8.00pm

Tuesday 17 September

2nd Year Girls and Boys and 3rd Year Girls: Immunisation day, Old Sports Hall, all day

1st Year: 1L and 1M Dyslexia Screener, C1 and C2, 9.15-10.50am

Girls' Hockey: U16 v Penair School (A) 4.00pm

Mixed Squash: U18 v Mount Kelly College (H) 4.00pm

Basketball: U18 v Mount Kelly College (H) 4.15pm

Duke of Edinburgh's Award: Information presentation evening, Chapel, 6.00pm

Drama: Edinburgh Fringe double bill- Butterbum, J with Stargaze Theatre and Bike with cube theatre, Burrell Theatre, 7.30pm



Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Bumble and Maverick



Truro School welcomes two new furry part-time members of staff

School dogs Bumble and Maverick have been greeted with literal open arms as they settle in to their role as help and support companions. The aim of having the dogs present is for them to be able to assist children who have special needs, suffer bereavement or who are upset in any way and are in need of calm, comfort, and space before being able to tell an adult what has upset them, or could even hear children read that may help improve confidence.

Truro School hosts Anti-Bullying Ambassadors training



Pupils from schools across the South West gathered at Truro School for a day of Anti-Bullying Ambassador training.

The old sports hall was filled with chitter chatter as pupils mixed around to problem solve a range of scenarios. The pupils were attentive, and respectful of each other's ideas, listening to one another's suggestions.

Wednesday 18 September

1st Year: 1K Dyslexia Screener, C1, 9.15am-10.50am

1st Year: 1H and 1J Dyslexia Screener, C1 and C2, 11.10am-12.55pm

Netball: U18, U16, U14 v Maynard School (A), 4.00pm

Squash: Mixed U18A vs Mount Kelly 4.00pm

Rugby: U16A and U15A vs Richard Lander School 2.30pm

Boarding: Chapel Service, Chapel, 6.15pm

Drama: Sixth Form Performance for Bike, Karamazoo and Butterbum, J. Plays

Thursday 19 September

1st Year: 1H, 1K, 1L team building day, Porthpean Activity Centre, 9.00am-3.45pm

Cornwall Sixth Forms Together: Economics and EPQ HoD meeting, EPQ session, Rooms 82 and 83, 10.30am-12.30pm, Economics session, Rooms 82 and 83, 1.30pm-3.30pm

Netball-SSP: U16, U15, U14, U13, U12 v Penair School (A), 4.00pm

Rugby: Boys U12A vs Camborne Science and International Academy 4.15pm

4th Year Parents: GCSE and Parent Information Evening, Burrell Theatre, 6.30pm

Friday 20 September

1st Year- 3rd Year: Tutor Period, 8.45am-9.10am

4th Year- Upper Sixth: Head of Year Assembly, 4th Year Dining Hall, 5th Year SBASC, Lower Sixth Chael, Upper Sixth Old Sports Hall, 8.45am-9.10am

1st Year: 1J and 1M team building day, Porthpean Activity Centre, 9.00am-3.45pm

Holy Communion/Covenant Service Chapel, 1.30pm



Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

A triple bill on Wednesday 18 September



Enjoy an evening of entertainment whilst raising money for Cornwall's first children's mental health unit, Sowenna.

Cube theatre are offering a free evening of entertainment in support of the Sowenna Appeal. A triple bill of 'Butterbum, J,' 'Bike' and a one-woman show by former pupil Izzy Wilkinson, 'Karamazoo' will be performed on Wednesday 18 September in The Burrell Theatre at 7pm.

Tickets are free, with any donations going direct to Sowenna to help continue the amazing work that they

Reminder - The Burrell cannot take card payments, and therefore cash donations on the night in aid of the Sowenna Appeal would be greatly appreciated

are doing to build a new safe space for young people with mental health issues.

"1 in 10 children and young people between the ages of 5 and 16 have mental health issues. There has never been a mental health facility in Cornwall for children and young people, Cornish children are regularly sent to facilities far away.

Sending vulnerable children far from home and requiring parents to travel long distances can have a devastating impact. Sowenna will open in 2019.

We are currently fundraising to provide facilities and equipment that go above and beyond the build and hospital beds funded by the NHS; icing on the cake items that will really make a difference to young peoples' recovery, health and wellbeing.

[Read the full story online](#)

Saturday 21 September

Athletics: Selected students ESAA Combined Events Championships, Exeter Arena, return Sunday 22 September

Diving: Open water qualification dive 8.15-6.00pm

Rugby: 1st XV, U16, U15, U14 v Mount Kelly College (H), 11.00am

Rugby: U13, U12 v Mount Kelly (A) 11.00am

Sunday 22 September

Diving: Open Water qualification dive 8.15-6.00pm

Athletics: Selected students ESAA Combined Events Championships, Exeter Arena, returns

A plea from the Music Department

Please can you make sure your son/daughter's instrument case(s) are clearly labelled with their full name. Many cases look the same and are easily confused. Many thanks for your help.

Prep Whole School Photograph

A reminder to parents of children who were in Prep Year 6 last year that there is still time to order a copy of the whole school photograph taken at the end of last term.

The deadline to order a photo to be delivered free of charge to Prep School for collection is next Wednesday, 18th September. You can of course still order a copy to be delivered to your home address for a small charge.

<http://www.tempest-groups.co.uk/items/14137>

Truro School Chapel - 92nd Anniversary Sunday 29 September 2019 Midday

You are warmly invited to join us for this celebration.

Guest Preacher: Revd Steven Wild, Chairman of the Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly Methodist District. The singing will be led by Truro School Chamber Choir which includes our girl choristers from the Cathedral.

Parking will be available in front of the Sir Ben Ainslie Sports Centre and disabled parking in front of the chapel.

All are welcome, Aubin de Gruchy (Revd)
Chaplain and World Aims Coordinator

01872 272763 ext 258 School 01872 271061 Home adg@truroscool.com



Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Alumni Dinner and Sports Fixtures



On Saturday 7 September the Annual Alumni Dinner and Sports Fixtures took place at Truro School.

The day began with Netball and Rugby fixtures in the SBA and on the sports fields. All teams played well with the alumni teams victorious in both matches.

In the evening, alumni, former staff, current staff and guests gathered in the Dining Hall for pre-dinner drinks

followed by a 3-course dinner prepared by Chef Manager, Andy Burt and his team. The evening specifically honoured the decennial anniversaries for classes of 59, 69, 79, 89, 99, 09 as well as some of the earliest female alumni.

Rachel Vaughan, Chair of TSA was delighted to welcome over 100 alumni, with their partners, from across the decades. The attendees had travelled from across the globe, including France,

Australia, Japan and Hong Kong and from all over the UK and were joined by Truro School's headmaster, Andrew Gordon-Brown, Director of Admissions, Jayne Grigg and Reverend Aubin De Gruchy.

Read the story and view the photo gallery online

Boarders have a jam-packed start to term



From kayaking to caving, and even spotting some Cornish wildlife, the boarders are bonding well and getting stuck in to all aspects of school life, just under two weeks in to term! It has been fantastic to welcome all the boarders to the new school year, and there are many adventures to look forward to.

To keep up with all their activities, visit the boarders' blog

View Boarders' Blog





Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Save the Date



FTS and Community Events 2019 / 2020

Autumn Term

Friday 27 September	Truro School Senior Quiz & Curry Night for parents and 1st and 2nd year disco in the Old Sports Hall for pupils (18h45 - 21h15)
Friday 11 October	Truro School Prep Quiz & Curry Night & Children's Movie Night (18h00 - 20h30)
Thursday 14 November	Truro School Senior and Prep Christmas Pudding making evening (19h00 - 21h00)
Date TBC	Truro School Senior Christmas Event
Friday 6 December	Truro School Prep Christmas Fair (15h00 - 17h00)

Spring Term

Saturday 25 January	Truro School 11+ 13+ entrance exam (09h00 - 12h00) Tea and coffee for parents in the Cafe
Friday 20 March	Truro School Prep Barn Dance – provisional date (18h30 - 20h30)

Summer Term

Saturday 16 May	Truro School Prep Triathlon – provisional date (09h15 - 12h30)
Saturday 20 June	Truro School Prep Summer Fete – provisional date (12h00 - 15h00)
Thursday 18 June	Truro School Senior 1st Year Gala Concert
Dates TBC	Truro School Senior and Prep Sports Day
Date TBC	Summer Ball (for all Truro School Parents - Senior and Prep)
Thursday 2 July	Truro School Prep Speech Day
Friday 3 July	Truro School Senior Speech Day



The Friends of Truro School (FTS) is designed to bring the strong and inclusive community of Truro School Senior and Prep parents, pupils and teachers together.

All parents and/or guardians of pupils at Truro School Senior and Prep are full members of the FTS. The FTS works to enrich our children's school experience, strengthen the school community, raise funds to help enhance the facilities of the school and ensure that our children get the most out of their time here.

Thank you very much for your support and we look forward to seeing you at events around the school.

Best wishes,
Laura Rundle and The FTS Team
Chair of FTS Committee
fts@truroscool.com



TRURO
SCHOOL

truroschoo.com | bulletin@truroschoo.com

Friday Bulletin

FRIDAY 13 SEPTEMBER: NEWS, NOTICES AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Book Now

FTS | Friends of
Truro School



Book your place now at the annual
Friends of Truro School Quiz and Curry Night

It's not about the winning, of course!
But it is about having a fun evening and meeting others

Date: Friday 27th September
Time: 6.45pm for a 7pm start – ends 9pm
Location: Truro School Dining Hall
(The event is planned to coincide with the Junior Disco)

There are 8 players to a team
Don't worry if you're not in a team,
as smaller groups can join with others
(please arrive early so we can put you in a team)

A choice of chicken or vegetable curry will be served at 'half-time'
Bring your own snacks & drinks, glasses will be supplied

£10.00 per person

Booking forms are available to download at
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/truro-school-quiz-and-curry-night-friday-27-september-tickets-71947792785?aff=affiliate1>

Closing Date for Tickets is Tuesday 24th September



TRURO
SCHOOL

truroscool.com | bulletin@truroscool.com

Friday Bulletin



TRURO
SCHOOL

Founded in 1880, Truro School is Cornwall's leading independent day and boarding school for boys and girls aged 3 - 18.

NURSERY | PREP | SENIOR | SIXTH FORM

Upcoming Open Events:

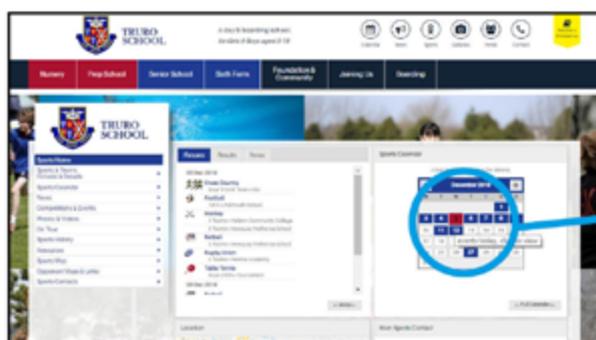
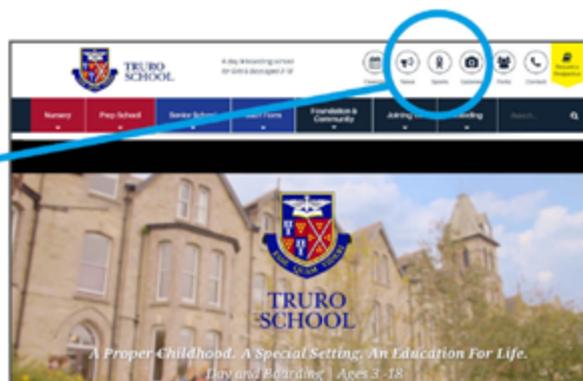
Sixth Form	24 September 2019
Senior	5 October 2019
Nursery	23 November 2019
Prep & Nursery	7 March 2020

Guided tours are available throughout the year. Please visit our website for more information.

www.truroscool.com

A quick guide to using the Truro School Sports Calendar

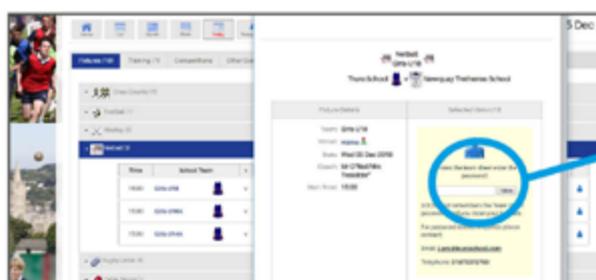
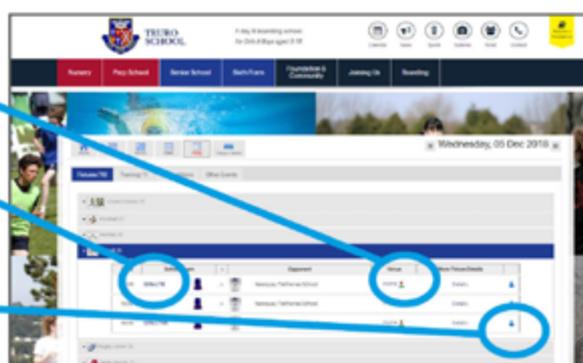
- Visit the Truro School Sports Calendar via the link on the main school website or direct at > <http://sport.truroschool.com>



- Click on the date you are interested in and then select which sport you would like to view.

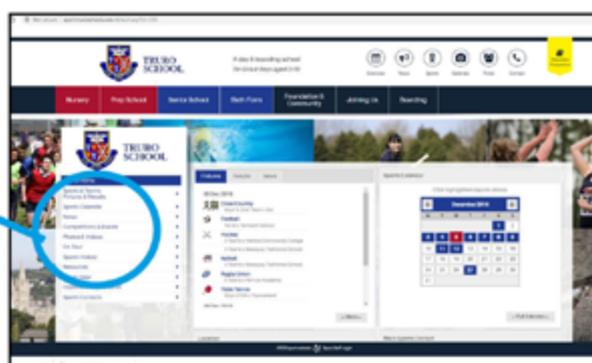
You will now be able to view further match details:

- To view a location map of the venue, click on the venue button.
- Click on the team name for more information about their progress, including a playing summary.
- You can also see the team selected for the fixture wherever you see the blue shirt image. Team selections are normally announced at least 48 hours before the match, often sooner.



- The team sheets are password protected. The password for this year will be emailed to you.

- If you are following a particular team or teams you can also select Sports & Teams Fixtures & Results from the main menu. Then select a particular sport and your team to see past results and upcoming fixtures.
- From any teams Fixture list you can "Spy" on the opponents recent results by clicking on the spyglass button.
- From any team's Fixtures & Results listings you can also download the entire fixture list to your personal calendar on your PC or mobile device. Any changes we make to our fixtures will be synchronised with your personal calendar whenever you connect your PC or mobile device to the Internet.



You can also download the Mobile Web App. Full instructions for how to get the most out of the Web App can be found online > <http://help.socscms.com/Page.asp?ID=175>



TRURO
SCHOOL
MUSIC

Junior Musicians' Concert

Featuring performances by our talented
Junior Music Scholars, as well as
Early Music Group and Junior Band

Monday 16 September 2019, 7:00pm

Truro School Chapel

All welcome (free entry)



TRURO
SCHOOL
MUSIC

CHORAL EVENSONG

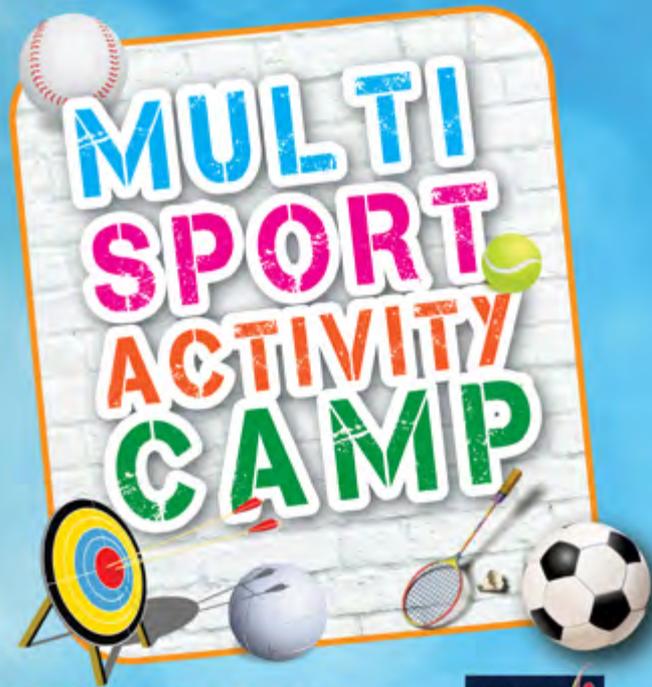


Join Truro School Chamber Choir & Wellington School
Chapel Choir for a reflective service of music and readings
in the beautiful surroundings of Truro Cathedral.

Thursday 26th September, 5:30pm

Truro Cathedral

All welcome (free admission)



MULTI SPORT ACTIVITY CAMP

OCTOBER HALF TERM
FUN FOR CHILDREN
AGED 6 - 14 YEARS
Monday to Thursday 0830 - 1730

£25 per day

*Contact 01872 246050 or e-mail: sport@truroschool.com for bookings/enquiries

Download an application form from www.sirbenainliesportscentre.com

Also available from the Sports Centre Reception, Truro School, Trennick Lane, Truro, TR1 3TH

Tel: 01872 246050 www.sirbenainliesportscentre.com



Truro School Swim Camp

SIR BEN AINSLIE
SPORTS
CENTRE



Monday 21st – Thursday 14th October

This 4 day swim camp run by ASA coach Lee Stanbury
from the Cornish Swim Academy provides an exciting
opportunity for 7-14 year olds of all club swimming levels
to improve the fine points of swimming.

Camp Timetable:

Monday: Front Crawl improvement + turns and starts.

Tuesday: Backstroke improvement + turns & starts.

Wednesday: Breast stroke improvement + turns & starts.

Thursday: Butterfly stroke improvement + turns & starts.

0830-1230

£25 per day (£80 all 4 days)

Multi Sport Activity Camp available from 1230-
1730 for an additional £12.50 (includes lunch)

To book please see our website
www.sirbenainliesportscentre.com

Or for more information e-mail
sport@truroschool.com or call 01872 246050



TRURO
SCHOOL





Hello from Truro School Cookery.

We are excited to announce the release of our Autumn and Winter courses.....upgraded website and new booking system too. They are beginning to fly out so take a look while they are still available.



We have got loads of courses for you to choose from this Autumn. A bonfire night Feast for Four for the adults, a Halloween spooky special for the kids. Our Friday Night is...series are back teaching everything from perfect Paellas to succulent steaks!

Also check out our Family Chef and Young Chefs days over October half term. We have so many dishes and courses to choose from click on the link below and find out more!

Also, is it still too early to mention the C word???

After last years successful Christmas cooking course, our 3 day Christmas masterclass is back!

- Three dates - 26/10, 30/11 & 14/12
- Over 15 dishes and even some gifts
- Learn everything from a classic Christmas cake to a beetroot cured salmon Gravlax

Take the stress out of the big day and have all the food ready to go! Canapés, chutney we are even going to make a curry sauce for the leftover turkey on boxing day!



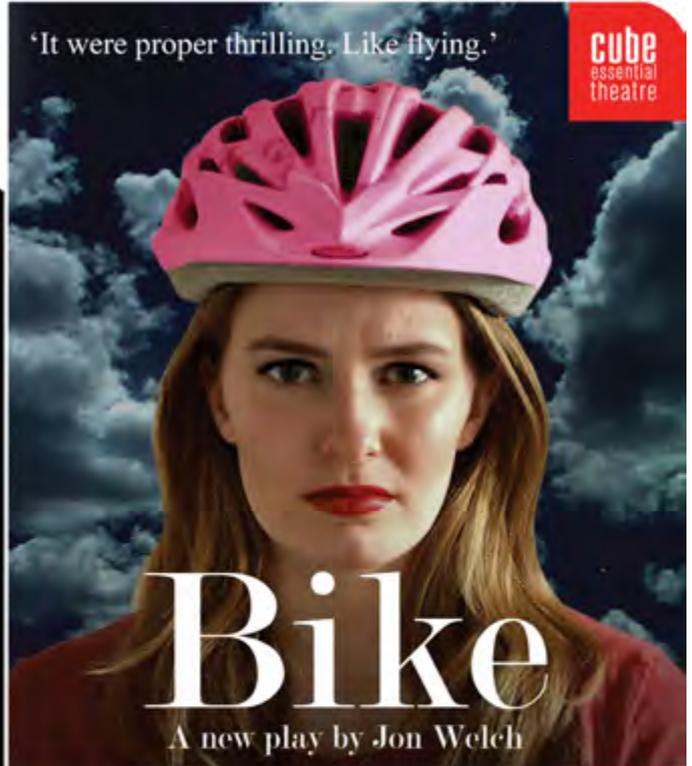
ST★RGAZE
THEATRE
presents:



Butterbum, J.

A new play by Benjamin Symes

Lost boy on a bridge, a hungry talking crow,
Old documents float on the river below.
A wharf building for sale, a copper sings reggae,
The Pope sees murder in the cold light of day...



Karen, 17, on her parents:
Loving and loveable; secret devotees of University
Challenge. Oh, and they're cops.

Karen's parents, on Karen:
Fearless cycling champion; a sweet natured young
ladv.

Stargaze Theatre and Cube Theatre with Truro School cordially invite you to a special event at The Burrell Theatre: A triple bill evening of Theatre for Sowenna Wednesday 18 September, 7pm

All proceeds of the evening will go to the Sowenna Appeal. Tickets are free and donations will be taken on the night. Tickets are available from the [Minack Theatre](#)

This year we took two shows to the Edinburgh Fringe Festival with 10 of our fabulous and talented students and we are really excited to share both shows back on home ground.

We performed the hugely successful 'Butterbum, J' by Benjamin Symes which received brilliant audience feedback "Butterbum, J is a sensitively written, empathetically acted, musically engaging new piece of theatre"

Along side this cube produced a professional show, 'Bike', with our very own Ben Oldfield, Johanna Egar and former pupil Milly Mitchell "Bike is a stunning piece - draws the audience in with a light but sure touch and something odd under a sheet, then turns on a sixpence to move through the darkest of territory before an astonishing and beautiful coup de theatre."

Also, we have former pupil Izzy Wilkinson performing the witty and moving monologue from Philip Ridley 'Karamazoo'. Izzy will be performing this along side 'Bike' on a mini tour and we are super pleased that she has agreed to perform it for us as well.

Importantly, the evening is in support of the Sowenna Appeal. A brilliant and much needed facility in Cornwall helping young people with mental health issues. We will also be opening the new Lilly Bar. The refreshments bar has had a new make-over and will now be run by Truro School's Leith's Cookery School in our newly refurbished Lilly Room.