

School Uniform Event

Castle Quay have partnered with the Banbury Uniform Exchange and are hosting a School Uniform Event at the Centre on **Saturday 29th July 2023 11am – 4pm** and we would be very grateful for your support to make the event a success.

Banbury Uniform Exchange aims to encourage the people of Banbury and surrounding villages to donate old school uniform. As you may be aware the Banbury Uniform Exchange is based at Hanwell Fields, and due to its location may not be accessible to all. We hope by running an event in Castle Quay, which is a central location that is easy to travel to, we will be able to help more families in Banbury that may be struggling.

Foodbanks

This email is just to let you know that The Warriner School is now a referral agency for the Banbury Foodbank – if you need a foodbank voucher, please email l.armstrong@warriner.oxon.sch.uk and Mrs Armstrong will arrange this for you. There is no criteria of need in order to qualify for the voucher and below is a link to a list of locations where you can collect the food parcels from. <https://banbury.foodbank.org.uk/locations/>

Any questions please email Mrs Armstrong

Drama Plea

To assist with the upcoming production, we are looking for the following props:

Old fashioned Television (non-working order as will be taken apart)

Tiny old-fashioned desk, trolley or table on caster wheels

Kalax Unit 3x2 or 3x3 (not a Prop)

Banbury Organ Day:

St Mary's Church, Banbury is hosting Banbury Organ Day which takes place on Saturday 15th July 2023. The day contains events for keyboardists of all proficiency levels. The Young Organists' Workshop (10am - 11am) is led by two expert organists/pedagogues and is perfect for young pianists interested in a new challenge/learning the organ. There is also an opportunity for young organists, who can sign up to play in a masterclass environment (2pm - 4pm) with esteemed Concert Organist, RCO affiliate and Founder of the Oundle International Organ Festival, James Parsons. Further details and booking forms can be found online at: <https://www.banburystmary.org.uk/banbury-organ-day>

Banbury Early Music Day:

St Mary's Church, Banbury is also hosting Banbury Early Music Day which takes place on Saturday 29th July 2023. The day contains events for singers and instrumentalists of all levels. There is a 'Come and Sing' Motets and Madrigals event in the morning (10am - 11:30am) for more experienced singers, not to mention the BRAND NEW 'Banbury Young Baroque Musician' competition (4pm - 5:30pm), with a judging panel of experienced musicians. ABRSM List A pieces/pieces of music composed before 1750 would be ideal for this event. Entrants can upload their music and ask for an accompanist via the online form on the St Mary's website. The winner will receive a competition certificate as well as the opportunity to use St Mary's Church

(free of charge) for a private concert in front of family and friends. Further details and booking forms can be found online at: <https://www.banburystmary.org.uk/banbury-early-music-day>

'Be a Chorister Day' 2023:

St Mary's Church Banbury is recruiting for the next generation of boy and girl choristers on Saturday 2nd September 2023. Come and attend the first recruitment event for our growing choir and find out what it is to be a chorister at Banbury's civic church. This is a fantastic opportunity for both primary and secondary age pupils with a talent for singing to experience the various elements to being a chorister at a church/cathedral. Please book your place using the link below: <https://www.banburystmary.org.uk/event/17724344>

Oxfordshire Football Association

We are currently welcoming applications from young leaders, volunteers and players **aged 14 - 24** to join our Youth Leadership Team for the 2023-24 season.

You can find further details below along with a link to our website which has the online application form.

Join the OFA Youth Leadership Team for 2023/24

Our Youth Leadership Team (YLT) is open for applications for anyone wanting to join and get involved. The team has previously been involved in such projects as a Wildcats Festival, Referee Development Workshop, and supported the OFA with gaining consultation from young people to further shape how we can improve the game.

It is an ideal opportunity to play an active role in developing football across the county, to have your say and develop skills for University applications or CVs.

The deadline for applications is Friday 14th July.

[APPLY NOW](#)

For more information, please contact Michael Thurlow (Football Development Manager) via Development@OxfordshireFA.com

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