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Jake is Three Nations Champion

Boxing for England, Y8 student Jake won the Gold Medal for England in the Three Nations Schoolboys' Championships.

After an unexpected late call-up from the England team, Jake travelled to the English Institute Of Sport in Sheffield and boxed for his country over a weekend in late April.

On the Friday he boxed the Scottish Champion, winning by a unanimous decision after giving his opponent a standing count in Rounds 1 and 3.

The next day he achieved a huge win by beating the Welsh Champion. In doing so, he achieved enough points over the bouts to make him the Three Nations Champion, thus earning his gold medal for England.

He is now being considered for selection to join Team GB in the European Championships.

Jake's family, friends and everyone at Barnhill are immensely proud of his progress.



Student Selected for Saracens

Y11 student Tejiri has joined Aviva Premiership rugby union team Saracens on a training scholarship.

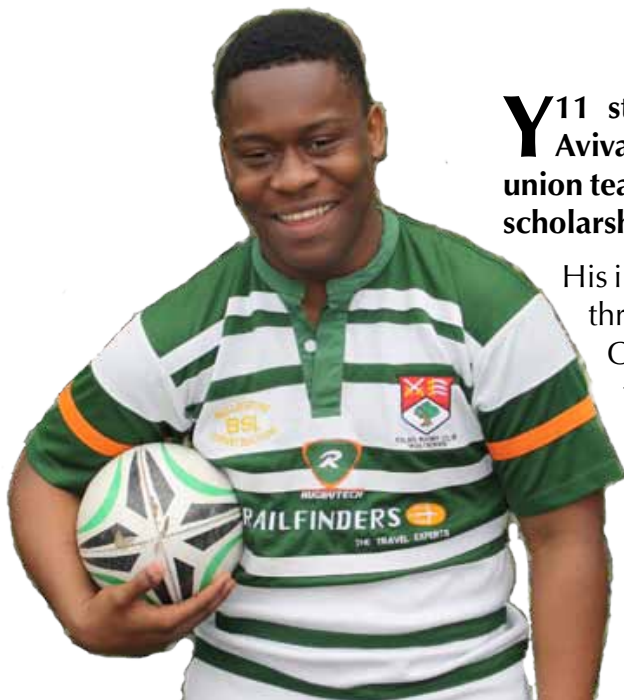
His initial training will involve three days at Oakland's College and two days training with Saracens.

Tejiri came to Barnhill from America a year ago where he played American Football for his school. He has now transferred his skills to Rugby Union.

Unbelievably, Tejiri had only played rugby twice when he first applied to Saracens. He was lucky to attend a trial which was held at Oakland's College in front of Saracens' coaches. Tejiri was then called back to attend the second trial.

With dedication and hard work he was successful and was selected for made it left wing and hopes to emulate current Saracens and England star Chris Ashton.

Tejiri starts his training in July and all of us at Barnhill wish him well!



Back to School

School starts again after Half Term at the normal time of 8.20am on Monday 3 June

HOUSE COMPETITION 2012-13

May 2013 - Latest points

House with most AFL Gazettes and Sports Day still to come!

Green	Blue	Orange	Red	Yellow	Purple
482	344	329	118	282	322

Schools Dance Festival / Battle of the Bands

Barnhill was pleased to host another Dance Festival in collaboration with the Yeading Cluster Schools on Thursday 25 April. More than two hundred people watched as over one hundred students from different schools danced their own interpretations.

In addition to our own, the event featured performances from students from Yeading Infants and Juniors, Charville Primary, Hayes Park Primary and Hedgewood School. With a festival theme of "regeneration" there were some truly excellent dance interpretations:

Yeading Infants produced a thought provoking dance about homelessness and raising money for regeneration, whilst Yeading Juniors danced with bright red costumes and great props. Hayes Park also performed an interpretation

of regeneration as did Hedgewood who even had a tree and a television in their dance!

Charville showed how dance has developed over time from the ballet to Hip Hop.

Barnhill Community High were able to show off their award-winning dance about the community clean up after the London Riots. This dance won the "Concept Originality Award" at the North London round of the "Rock Challenge" event held in Stevenage earlier this year.

Many of the contributing schools also created stunning artwork about the regeneration theme including Hayes Park's amazing tree demonstrating growth and many other fantastic abstract pieces from the other schools.



BARNHILL BATTLE OF THE BANDS

FREE ENTRY for band fans and audience

£££ CASH PRIZES!

Download the Application Form at www.barnhill.hillingdon.sch.uk

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TO ENTER THE COMPETITION, YOU MUST PLAY AS A GROUP, WHICH CAN BE 2 MEMBERS AND UP. YOU NEED TO HAVE A MINIMUM OF THREE SONGS PREPARED. YOU WILL BE JUDGED BY A GROUP OF PEOPLE WHO WORK WITHIN THE MUSIC INDUSTRY.

At the end of last term, we invited bands comprising talented students from several local schools competing for cash prizes.

Organised by Barnhill's music department and judged by influential experts from the recording industry it was a lively evening with some great performances.

In the end, Blind Faith, a three guitars and drum combo were selected as the winning band and main prize.



LRC Bookmark Competition / Lion King Trip



LRC Bookmark Competition

The Summer Term Bookmark Competition took place in April, with the results just announced.

An impressive 50 entries from students in Years 7-9 meant that the judges had a mammoth task relating the bookmark designs to a particular book. The designs were then judged on how bright and attractive they were.

The Top 3 winners received a copy of *The Northern Lights* by Phillip Pullman, and *Mortal Engines* by Phillip Reeve. They also received a £5 WH Smith voucher and an English dictionary.

The next ten students received a copy of a book of their choice from a selection and an English dictionary.

TOP THREE

Kashaf Rasool 7A
Kumar Gurung 80
Catherine Whitehouse 9.4

TOP TEN

Yabarna Thibaharan 7A
Osman Mohiuddin 7R
Kiera Jones 7H
Javeria Ali 7C
Kirsty Newell 7C
David Morgans 8N
Nitharshana Gnanaprahasan 9.2
Esha Kapoor 9.3
Azeeza Thaub 9.7
Ashleigh Vidler 9.7



The Lion King Trip

Disney's award-winning movie 'The Lion King', has roared into the West End with over 40 actors, singers and dancers performing the masterpiece.

A selection of Barnhill students from years 7-12 were lucky enough to see the musical at the Lyceum Theatre which is in the very heart of London's West End. It was here that we witnessed first-hand the true magic of 'The Lion King'.

For just over two and a half hours we sat and watched as the story of our childhood was brought to life on stage by a group of immensely talented actors, actresses, dancers, musicians and a parade of beautiful costumes that amazed everyone that saw them.

When the show had ended both Barnhill students and teachers alike left the theatre with a large smile on their faces as well as a warm feeling in their hearts. In my opinion, I think that all that went on the visit would agree that it was an awesome show and would highly recommend 'The Lion King' to anyone who has not yet seen it.

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IMPORTANT DATES

Summer Term 2013

- 3 Jun Back to school
- 11 Jun Sports Award Ceremony
- 21 Jun Year 13 Prom
- 28 Jun Year 11 Prom
- 1 Jul INSET Day, school closed to students
- 4 Jul Creative Design Summer Show
- 5 Jul Sports Day
- 9 Jul Year 7 Induction Day
- 15, 16 & 17 Jul - Schools' We Will Rock You - our Summer Production (see below)
- 19 Jul Last Day of Term
- 15 Aug A-Level Results Day
- 22 Aug GCSE Results Day

Autumn Term 2013

- 3 Sep First Day of Autumn Term for Year 7 followed by staggered start for other years (details tbc)
- 28 Oct to 1 Nov inclusive - Half Term
- 20 Dec Last Day of Autumn Term

Spring Term 2014

- 6 Jan First Day of Spring Term
- 17 - 21 Feb inclusive - Half Term
- 4 Apr Last Day of Spring Term

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