

# King's High School

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Please follow this link <a href="https://khgs.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/">https://khgs.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/</a> to book your place at these events. This online booking system is now used for all forthcoming events, as it will be for booking into Parents' Evening bookings.

There is also a link on the Parent Portal page.

These events are open to all parents except where stated

### SIXTH-FORM OPEN EVENING The School Hall, King's High

We welcome Year 11 and their parents to our Sixth Form Open Evening to explore all on offer.

Wednesday 25 September 6.30—9.00pm

#### MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING The School Hall, King's High

In assembly time, the students will celebrate harvest and their donations will be sent to the Warwick and Leamington Food Bank. We invite parents to join us for coffee and cake to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Research. The flowers, which will be brought in by Year 7 students, will also be available to purchase.

Friday 27 September 10.00—11.20am

#### CHARITY FASHION SHOW The School Hall, King's High

The Environmental Action Group at King's invites you to a charity fashion show in aid of local charities. There will a chance to purchase items as well as buy delicious refreshments.

Friday 27 September 4.30-6.00pm

#### SECOND HAND UNIFORM SALE Dining Room, King's High

This is an opportunity to secure some additional uniform items. Further sales will be on Saturday 28 March 2020 and Saturday 20 June 2020 – 10.00- 11.00am.

**Saturday 28 September 10.00-11.00** 

### WARWICK WORDS: BEHIND THE BLUE DOOR -140<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY The School Hall, King's High

Millions have wandered past Eastgate, the Smith Street cottages and Landor House over the past 140 years, little knowing that they housed one of the country's leading girls' schools. These tardis-like buildings were also once home to chanting monks, an inn, and a cantankerous poet. Discover the history of girls' education from the shocks of introducing Euclid to young ladies in crinolines, to the creative educational powerhouse of the 2010s. Polly Beidas, King's High Old Girl and co-author of a new history of the school, will reveal the story of the ground breaking women, (and even some men!), who developed the school from just 21 Victorian pupils to today's 712 girls ready to face the modern world.

https://warwickwords.co .uk/index.php/whats-on

Festival Box Office **01926 33 44 18** 

Tickets - £7

Saturday 5 October, 3.00pm

## PASTORAL FORUM: "PREVENTING MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS IN CHILDREN" Dr Aric Sigman

The School Hall, King's High

We are delighted to welcome back Dr Sigman to King's High. An eminent psychologist, his research has led him to be invited to regularly brief Governmental committees and European parliamentary groups. A published novelist and impressive speaker, I am confident that he will give us an interesting insight into strategies to support our children. Do come along and bring your friends as well.

Tuesday 15 October, 7.00pm

#### YEAR 7 CONCERT The School Hall, King's High

For Year 7 parents

All Year 7 pupils present their first concert at King's, featuring individual, choir and ensemble performances, including the first glimpse of the students performing on instruments they have only just started to explore.

Wednesday 16 October, 7.00pm

#### INSPIRE LECTURE Innovation Room, King's High

Our first Inspire Lecture at our new site will be led by Dr Miriam Gifford, a Professor in the Life Sciences at Warwick University. Dr Gifford will speak on our theme of 'new beginnings', hoping to inspire all King's Scientists to aim high in their aspirations and grow as creative, independent thinkers. These lectures are a chance for students, parents and staff to gather to listen to an expert and have intellectual horizons widened.

Thursday 7 November, 4.30pm

#### SENIOR PRODUCTION - Little Shop of Horrors

#### **Bridge House Theatre**

King's High School and Warwick School are proud to present *Little Shop of Horrors*, the hilarious sci-fi horror musical with an electrifying 1960s rock/pop score. The nerdy florist assistant, Seymour Krelbourn, discovers a strange and interesting plant which he names "Audrey II" after his co-worker crush, Audrey. As he tends to Audrey II, he discovers that this foul-mouthed and demanding plant has a rather unique appetite and intends to take over the world! Will Audrey II succeed in world domination, or will Seymour and Audrey defeat it?

Tickets: £12 and £8 (concs)
BHT Box Office 01926
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www.bridgehousetheatr
e.co.uk

Come and join us for this charmingly tongue-in-cheek comedy, which will leave you thoroughly entertained.

Tuesday 12 - Saturday 16 November at 7pm (2pm matinee and 7pm evening performance on Saturday 16 November)

### YEAR 12 and PARENTS CELEBRATION OF ACHIEVEMENT: Guest Speaker: Rachel Findler The School Hall, King's High

For Year 12 Parents

In addition to Year 12 being presented with their GCSE certificates, we look forward to hearing from Rachel Findler who is ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in the world on the Free Skiing World Tour. She will share her amazing stories of travelling to mountains around the world and the hard work and determination it took to become a professional extreme skier.

Wednesday 13 November 2.15 – 3.40pm

### CHAMBER CONCERT The School Hall, King's High

Join us for an evening concert showcasing the breadth of talent across all instruments and genres in small ensembles and chamber groups.

Wednesday 20 November, 7.00pm

#### HEAD MASTER'S QUIZ The School Hall, King's High School

More details to follow

KHAPS invite you to book this date in your diary and join them for a quiz evening with Quiz Master, Mr Nicholson.

Friday 22 November, 7.00 – 10.00pm

### GCSE DRAMA COMPONENT 1 DEVISED EXAMINATION PERFORMANCE The Drama Studio, King's High

Limited places

You are warmly invited to watch our Year 11 Drama students perform their devised pieces.

Monday 25 (public dress rehearsal) and Thursday 28 November (examination performance) 2019 6.00pm

#### BAND STAND SHOWCASE Warwick Hall

Wind bands and big bands (including Foundation bands) perform their recital programmes in preparation for this year's National Concert Band Festival (NCBF).

Monday 25 November, 7.00pm

### GALA CARNIVALE BALL King's High School

Parents and friends from all Foundation schools are welcome to attend.

Tickets cost £100 per person to include; welcome drinks, a three-course dinner and spectacular evening entertainment.

Bookings can be made as individual tickets or tables of ten (preferred). Bookings of fewer than ten will be accommodated with other bookings to form a full table.

Proceeds from the Ball will go towards the <u>One Campus Plus</u> fundraising campaign to further enhance the educational opportunities available to pupils of the Foundation schools. There will also be a silent auction of exclusive items taking place throughout the evening.

Tickets

£100 per person

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Saturday 30 November 7.30pm

#### **NCBF REGIONAL**

Bands compete at Nottingham High School for a place in the National Concert Band Festival. The Finals are to be held at the Royal Northern College of Music in Manchester in early April 2020.

Sunday 1 December.

### LANDOR ASSOCIATION CAROL SERVICE St Mary's Church, Warwick

We welcome all parents and friends of King's High and Warwick Prep to join for the start of our Christmas celebrations.

Tuesday 3 December, 7.00pm

#### KING'S HIGH GALA CHRISTMAS CONCERT Warwick Hall

King's High School Music Department presents their traditional Christmas Concert. Come and join in the festive spirit and help us celebrate the Christmas season with music for all tastes including classical, jazz, rock and pop. The concert also features a world premiere of a spectacular new work by Brendan Ashe. This commission involves our school choirs but also choirs from across Warwickshire.

Thursday 12 December, 7.00pm

### AMNESTEA The School Hall, King's High

The school's Amnesty International group invite you to join them for tea and cake while enjoying live entertainment. Also there will be an opportunity to show your support for international human rights through signing cards for prisoners of conscience and buying books.

Friday 13 December 4.00—5.15pm

### WARWICK SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CRACKER Warwick Hall

One of the most popular dates in the calendar. Join our massed choirs and Brass Band for a festive feast of music, as Warwick Hall is transformed into a winter wonderland.

Friday 13 December, 7.00pm

#### KING'S HIGH CAROL SERVICE St Mary's Church, Warwick

Year 13 parents are invited to join the School for the end of term Carol Service. Unfortunately, we are unable to accommodate any other parents at this event but do hope you will join us for the Landor Association Carol Service on the evening of Tuesday 3 December.

Year 13 Parents

#### Thursday 19 December, 11.00am
