

Articles about Charters School in the Local News September 2009

NEWS



Anna in starring role with 15 A* grades

CELEBRATION: Record-breaking performance for Charters

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STUDENT Anna Tuddenham gained a whopping 15 A* grades as Charters School pupils and staff celebrated a record-breaking set of GCSE results this year.

Overall 85 per cent of students achieved five or more A*-C grades, the highest ever results for the school. Pupil Rachel Ellis achieved 10 A*'s with another 15 students achieving at

least five A* grades.

Headteacher Marcia Twelftree said "We are all delighted with the outstanding success of this year's pupils after all the hard work they put into preparing for their examinations.

"I would like to thank my committed and conscientious staff who have worked alongside the pupils and encouraged them, throughout their school careers, to achieve their potential.

"I would also like to thank the parents of our pupils who have worked with the school to encourage and support their children and have played a vital role in enabling the pupils to achieve their best.

"The vast majority of our students will be moving on to our sixth form to begin their A-level courses or the wide variety of vocational courses that are available. "We look forward to their continuing success.



HIGH FLIERS: Anna Tuddenham, above left, and Rachel Ellis and, left, Claudia Obag and Luke Smith

GCSE RESULTS 2009

School	% passed 5 or more A*-C	% passed 5 or more A*-C inc English and maths	A*-G
Brakenhale School	n/a	20	95
Charters School	85	n/a	100
Easthampstead Park	n/a	56	100
Edgbarrow School	76	72	99
Garth Hill College	70	46	97
Licensed Victuallers	92	100	100
Marist School	100	n/a	100
Ranelagh	91	82	100
Sandhurst School	60	n/a	99

n/a denotes figure not available

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£200,000 pitch for school

SPORTY pupils at Charters School in Sunningdale may soon have a new synthetic grass sports pitch where they can to show off their talents.

The Royal Borough wants to build the all-weather pitch, along with perimeter fencing, six floodlights, as well as access and ancillary

works at the Charters Road-based school.

The £200,000 development would see a 40x60 metre pitch built, within the school's existing grass school playing fields.

Mark Camp-Overy, leisure project officer at the council, said that they hoped to start the project some time in

April next year.

Funding for the pitch is being secured solely through Section 106 contributions, which is money acquired from property developers.

Council planning chiefs are set to make a decision on whether to give the application the green light at the start of November.

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Pupils check out extra-curricular clubs



WHAT'S TO DO: Charters School Year seven pupils check out activities at the freshers' fair

School stages freshers' fair

ALL Charters School's 240 new year seven pupils were invited to a 'freshers' fair' as the school's extra-curriculum clubs advertised what was on offer.

Alongside the more usual PE and sports clubs were fencing, kick-boxing and squash – not to mention creative writing, pot-

tery, science, music, environmental science, design technology and chess.

Ivan Wright, assistant head-teacher, said: "This is a fantastic opportunity for our year seven pupils to check out all the school clubs on offer and sign up for any that interest them.

"As always, the response

from the pupils was amazing."

Year seven pupil Georgina Maxfield said, "I think the freshers' fair is a really good idea as it gives the pupils lots of ideas of what sports and activities they'd like to try.

"I have signed up for three clubs with some new friends."

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