



CLASSROOM



A GIBRALTAR COLLEGE NEWSLETTER WRITTEN BY STUDENTS

BUSINESS EVENT BY KATIE PHILBIN

A2 Business Students exhibited several business proposals on Friday 7th at the Charles Hunt room. The purpose of this challenging event was for students to work as a team with the aim of receiving feedback on their potential strengths, possible risks, and potential interests from local businesses.

On the 7th of February, my A2 Applied business class organised an event as a part of our course. Held in the Charles Hunt room in the John Mac, we presented our final business proposals, thus in a way closing a big chapter in our course's journey. For me it represented quite a lot.

I found out about the event early last year during my AS year. The thought of having to talk in front of people was scary enough to make me consider dropping the course. I simply could not fathom talking in front of people about anything, let alone a business proposal that was my own, to only then have it assessed by others. It was simply terrifying to me!



Thankfully, at the time, I was participating in Young Enterprise, and we had to do a talk in front of over a hundred people for the final. We were talking about something so important to me, mental health, so many people pushed me to do it. Consequently, it was feeling how rewarding that experience was that prepared me for this challenging event.

There were harder questions to answer at our business event, and rightfully so. However, due to all of our hard work, whereby we had to plan extensively before the event, prepare everything purposefully and work as a team, in turn allowed us to ensure the event run smoothly... almost surprisingly so. It was extremely fast paced, so much so, that as soon as it started, it was over. The unified sense of relief and pride was almost tangible.

To the people nervous about doing the event next year, I understand. It is daunting, but you get to show and share your hard work with your friends and families. Ultimately, you get to choose a business that you are passionate about and that is right for you. It is so worth it!

CULTURE EXCHANGE WITH MOROCCO

The Gibraltar College was fortunate enough to play host to a plethora of art and musical talent from some Moroccan artists. Students enjoyed some live music and were invited to attend some amazing workshops. This was a truly unique experience, which was engaging, educational and above all entertaining.



2019 AUTUMN POETRY COMPETITION

Two of our A-Level Spanish learners scooped first and runner up prizes in Gibraltar's own prestigious 2019 Autumn Poetry Competition in the 'School Years 11-13 category. Congratulations to the winner Vanda for her poem 'Mi Recuerdo Mas Amado' and Leah Borg (Runner-Up), for displaying such creative talents and depth of expression.

SCHOOL YEARS 11- 13: WINNER

Mi recuerdo más amado

by Vanda Adrienn Szilagyi

Perderte, mi amor
 Dejé mi vida sin sentido
 Nuestros momentos perfectos
 Ahora recuerdos adorados
 Lo que te hicieron en nombre de Dios
 Me hizo perder la fé por completo
 Aunque mi pecado más perfecto
 Fue tenerte a mi lado
 Todo empezó contigo
 Mi amigo, mi compañero
 Nuestras miradas secretas
 Sonrisas llenas de dulzura
 Nuestro amor oculto correspondido
 Los Encuentros secretos a medianoche
 Un futuro juntos imposible
 Este ardor que tuve por ti
 Fuimos dos hombres enamorados
 Dispuestos a perderlo todo
 Simplemente por tener
 Un momento más, juntos
 Juego de vida o muerte
 Un amor puro pero antinatural
 Una Sociedad de normas estrictas
 Monstruos con sus armas
 Sangre de tus heridas
 Odio de su ignorancia
 Mi amor, mi vida
 Mi recuerdo más amado



WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATIONS

As part of World Book Day celebrations, the college will proudly be hosting a series of creative writing workshops led by the amazing Ms Jackie Anderson. Creative workshops led by her will be from February 25th – March 3rd 2020.


“ QUOTE OF THE MONTH


“Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new.” Albert Einstein

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BOOK OF THE MONTH

Why not try delving into the incredibly intricate world of murder mystery? – The College library has an entire section devoted to the mistress of mystery, Ms Agatha Christie.





Student of The Month

RAHIMA BEGDOURI

Acted as a translator for our Culture Exchange event, and volunteered her time to help in whatever way she could!

STAFF SHOUT OUT OF THE MONTH!

*Mrs.Perez, Mrs.Serra
 & Mrs.Cavilla
 OUR WONDERFUL LSA'S FOR
 THEIR HARD WORK AND
 EXTRA HELP!*

Whats on this month...

YOUTH ARTS JAMBOREE:
 Tue 17th Feb – Thur 5th Mar 2020

LEVEL 1 FS MATHS EXAM:
 Tue 25th Feb 2020 AM & PM

SHROVE TUESDAY (PANCAKE DAY):
 Tue 25th Feb 2020

TRAFFIC FREE TUESDAY:
 Tue 25th Feb 2020
 --Walk, Cycle or Bus--

ASH WEDNESDAY:
 Wed 26th Feb 2020

REAL MADRID vs BARCELONA:
 Sun 1st Mar 2020 @9PM

ST DAVID (WALES):
 Sun 1st Mar 2020

COMMONWEALTH DAY:
 Mon 9th Mar 2020

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS:
 Mon 9th, Tue 10th & Wed 11th
 Mar 2020

ST.PATRICK (IRELAND):
 Tue 17th Mar 2020