



Winter in the woods | Photograph: Miss Pierre, Modern Languages

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House Performing Arts 2017



Queenswood's actors, musicians, dancers and technicians did themselves – and their Houses – truly proud at the House Performing Arts Competition on Sunday 29 January 2017. The girls had the challenging task of staging a 15-minute potted version of an existing piece of musical theatre.

Q Debaters win through to ESU London Regional Finals

We are delighted to report that our senior Debating team has won another round of the English Speaking Union debating competition, held here at Queenswood on Thursday 26 January 2017.

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Great excitement as plans are submitted for the Queenswood Hall



The Governors are delighted to announce that the School has applied for planning permission to construct the Queenswood Hall. The planners' decision will be announced in April 2017. The Hall will be built on the footprint of the existing Palaestra, offering an excellent facility with a focus on indoor hockey, netball and badminton, as well as many other sports.

Queenswood shop to be run by Stevensons



We are pleased to announce that from the February half term Stevensons will be running our school shop. They are very experienced in terms of retail and run similar operations at a number of other schools. There will be changes to the payment systems, which will involve parents crediting an account. We will give more detail on in due course.

The 'Leap of Faith' - Into the Sixth Form at Queenswood



The main concern of Queenswood girls in Year 11 is not just the jump from GCSE, but also adapting to the unknown life of a Sixth Former. These differences shouldn't feel like a shock, but more an adventure waiting to be discovered.

By Jess Hurley, Lower Sixth

Hugely successful weekend for Queenswood fencers



Six Queenswood fencers achieved superb results at the Eastern Regions Youth Championships on the weekend of 28-29 January. The girls, who all train with the Paul Davis Fencing Academy, each picked up a medal, and all have qualified for the British Youth Championships in April.

Queenswood Music and Drama Scholar Eleanor stars in new film project



It's been an exciting start to the New Year for Music and Drama Scholar Eleanor Grant, who spent a week on location in the New Forest filming for an education project. She had a fantastic time, made some invaluable new contacts and learnt so much in terms of working in front of the camera.

