



# TORQUAY GIRLS' GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

I hope you are well as we move towards the festive celebrations. I am writing to warmly invite you to two forthcoming events;

Firstly, this year's **School Carol Service** for all parents and friends will be held at St John's Church, Montpellier Road (above The Terrace), Torquay on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 6:30pm. The service will last approximately one hour and anyone who would like to join us will be most welcome. There will be a retiring collection in aid of Imprezza School, Kenya.

Secondly, rehearsals are going really well for our whole school production of '**Olivia**' the musical, loosely based on similar Oliver themes with characters and references to other Victorian characters in musical history. Seats usually sell out so get yours as soon as you can - they will be on sale after the holidays. Performances are **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> and Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> January, starting at 7pm**. Tickets are priced at £6 for adults and £4 for TGGs pupils and children under 16. These will be available from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2016, from the Box Office (Mrs Bloor, Room 7 at lunchtime). Performances not suitable for children under five and all must be seated.

## FLOTSAM AND JETSAM

### **Torbay Sexual Medicine Outreach Team**

From January 2016 the Torbay Sexual Medicine Outreach Service, already established in all other Torbay secondary schools, will be available to the students of TGGs. This confidential drop-in service provides the students with a safe place to ask questions and disclose anxieties or concerns and gives them the support to make healthy and informed choices about relationships and sexual health. More details can be found by [clicking here](#).

### **Local Disruption**

On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016 Torbay Council will commence works on a new shared cycle path from Shiphay Lane to Crownhill Rise, Torquay, which will initially follow Rainbow Drive – the driveway off Shiphay Lane that leads to Rowcroft Hospice. During this work there will be increased construction traffic entering into Rainbow Drive from Shiphay Lane and the existing unmarked footpath through Queens Wood to Crownhill Rise will be closed.

The last day of term is **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December** and we look forward to seeing the girls back on **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016**.

I wish you an enjoyable and relatively calm, festive break.

Yours sincerely

**Dr Smith**  
**Headteacher**

