

## **Residential Report to Governors –March 2018**

The latest member of the care team (MB) has settled in very well and brings a great deal of skills/knowledge to the boarding house team.

The last fire drill took place on 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018 and took only 20 seconds for 11 pupils and 7 staff to safely exit the building.

We have not had any physical interventions so far this academic year within the boarding house. The last one was 18<sup>th</sup> July 2017.

The staff IPP/appraisal process for April 2017 – March 2018 was effective with targets being set appropriately and staff responding well to these. New targets are currently being looked at for the coming year.

A member of the care team is due to complete a 3 day St John's ambulance first aid in March.

We have had successful boarding placements started for a year 6 pupil (CS), a year 7 pupil (JB) and a year 8 pupil (WW). Another year 8 pupil (BB) is due to start boarding this week.

The student social worker is currently carrying out a cyber-safety project with the residential pupils. This is happening on a Wednesday evening and is being received well by all.

RS (year 10) gave a "youtube safety" presentation to the boarding pupils. This was to help support him in his understanding of the safe use of social media and streaming sites.

The boarding house are accessing Integr8 street dance sessions on a Wednesday evening which is going down well.

Myself and all staff are extremely proud of the January 2018 OFSTED inspection findings/report and are impressed with the way that residential pupils interacted during the inspection. The findings have also been shared with the pupils who are proud of their success.

An action plan is in the process of being compiled to address the fabric of the building. This will include the shower rooms, bedroom doors, curtains, bedding etc.

Residential pupils attendance currently stands at 97%.

Environmental health carried out an un-announced inspection of the boarding provision on 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2018 where we were awarded 5 stars for our health and hygiene rating.

Dan Healy – Head of Care

