

WARWICK INDEPENDENT
SCHOOLS FOUNDATION

Shared Spaces

ARTS FESTIVAL 2022

11 JUNE - 23 JULY
FAMILY DAY 2 JULY



Full programme

GCSE & A Level Art Exhibition | 9 - 17 June | Warwick Hall

Lunchtime Concert Series | 27 - 30 June | from 1.30pm daily | Festival Stage

Invisible Cities | Throughout the Festival | Warwick Junior School playground

Chitty Chitty Bang Bang | 16 – 17 June | 7.00pm | Bridge House Theatre

Orchestra of the Swan Junior Masterclass | 18 June | 9.00am | Warwick Hall

Orchestra of the Swan Family Concert | 18 June | 4.00pm | Warwick Hall

Year 7 Concert | 21 June | 5.00pm | Warwick Hall

Warwick Prep Concert | 22 June | 7.00pm | Warwick Hall

Warwick Junior School Summer Concert | 23 June | 7.00pm | Warwick Hall

Spiteful Sisters & Disney's Aladdin | 23 – 24 June at 7.00pm | 25 June at 3.00pm | Bridge House Theatre

Justice in Motion – parkour residency | 25 June – 2 July | Various outdoor spaces

Central Warwickshire Music Centre Concert | 25 June | 2.00pm | Warwick Hall

Warwickshire Music Celebration Concert 2022 | 25 June | 7.00pm | Warwick Hall

Battle of the Bands | 28 June | 7.00pm | Festival Stage

Finlandia in a Day | 29 June | 4.00pm | Warwick Hall

Joseph & The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat | 29 – 30 June at 7.00pm | 2 July at 2.00pm | Bridge House Theatre

Party in the Park | 30 June | 7.00pm | Festival Stage

Family Day | 2 July | All day | See pages 7 – 10 for details

Future Fwd conference | 4 - 5 July | All day | Warwick Hall

Future Fwd Jubilee Conference for Sixth Formers | 5 July | 9.00am | Warwick Hall

Avalon Comedians | 21 – 23 July | Bridge House Theatre



Welcome to our Arts Festival brochure for 2022 – Shared Spaces.

A season of arts events and creative experiences celebrating our community spaces and promoting participation and engagement across the local area.

Following years of bubbling and understandably keeping our distance from one another, we felt it apt to theme this year's Festival around bringing people together once again into spaces we can all share. Warwick School, Warwick Preparatory School, and King's High School now occupy a single campus and this Festival is a celebration of the dynamic and exciting opportunities offered in this shared space.

When we attend a concert, a play or take part in a workshop or activity we share space with others – gaining genuine shared experiences. We hope this Festival provides spaces of all kinds: spaces to move and dance, sing and shout and laugh and play and dare we say rest and reflect too!

This programme has been compiled to give a flavour of the activities, performances, workshops, and showcases on offer this summer, so please check the Bridge House Theatre website for the most up-to-date information.

In particular, do join us on 2 July for a special Family Day featuring highlights from the previous month, performances, events, activities and displays all centred around the Steven's Quad (a new space as it happens), formed by the arrival of the King's High School/Warwick Prep Music department. This space will be the hub of the Family Day with a fabulous array of music and performance on offer. We think this quad will form a very special space to celebrate the arts and the spaces we can all share.

Mike Perry | Festival Director and Director of Drama, Warwick School



Visitor information



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Bridge House Theatre & Warwick Hall

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Please contact our Box Office or check the Bridge House Theatre website for full visitor and ticketing information including how to find us, parking, access facilities, public transport and more.

Warwick Hall

GCSE & A LEVEL ART EXHIBITION

9 - 17 June

No tickets required

Explore the incredible artwork of our GCSE and A Level cohorts in this special exhibition. Housed in the gallery spaces within Warwick Hall, visitors will be able to view a range of media and techniques.

ORCHESTRA OF THE SWAN MASTERCLASS

18 June | 9.00am - 3.30pm

Parental permission required to attend day

No tickets required for informal performance

A day of music making for primary aged pupils alongside Orchestra of the Swan. Open to orchestral instrumental pupils of grade 1 standard and above. We will be playing some fantastic music written especially for the event by Warwick School's Composer in Residence, Andy Derrick. There will be an informal performance for family and friends at 3.00pm.



WARWICK SCHOOL YEAR 7 CONCERT

21 June | 5.00pm

No tickets required

The Year 7 Music Scheme is one of the cornerstones of Warwick pupils' experience in their first year of senior school. Learning one of the 12 instruments of the orchestra with our inspirational music staff, and playing as a class band throughout the year, this concert celebrates all they have learned through the year, as they combine to form an enormous 140 strong orchestra. Don't miss this epic performance of works such as 'Mars' from 'The Planets', and Pachelbel's 'Canon - Disco Version'.

WARWICK PREP SCHOOL SUMMER CONCERT

22 June | 7.00pm

No tickets required

Join us for an evening of exciting & lively performances that will showcase the wonderful musical talent at Warwick Prep.

WARWICK JUNIOR SCHOOL SUMMER CONCERT

23 June | 7.00pm

No tickets required

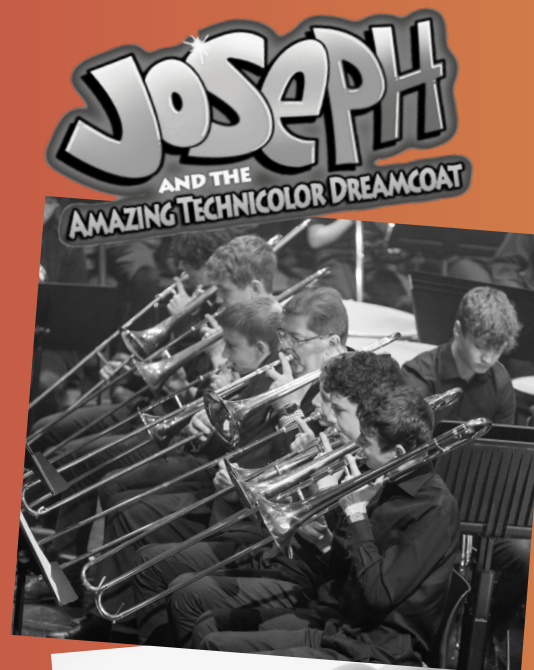
An evening of sunshine and sparkle as over 200 Junior School boys present their Summer Concert, showing everyone just exactly why we have one of the best music departments in the country.



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ARTS FESTIVAL 2022

Family Day

SATURDAY, 2 JULY



Join us as the Myton Road Campus comes alive with music, theatre, exhibitions and much, much more! Bring the whole family and enjoy the day exploring the spaces and creativity of our community.

The main focal point is the Stevens Quad, nestled between Warwick Hall and the Bridge House Theatre, where our Festival Stage will offer a fabulous range of musicians throughout the day with a special guest performance by James TW.

Bring a picnic or take advantage of the freshly prepared food available.

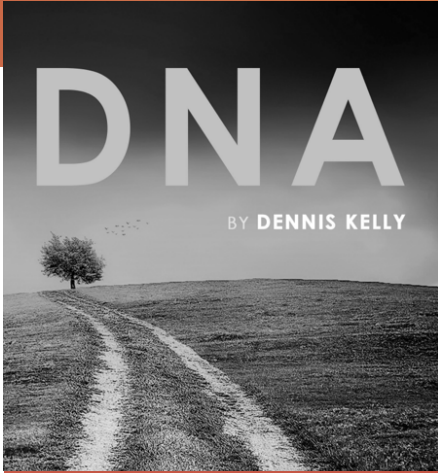
Elsewhere on the campus you'll be able to watch performances, have a go at parkour, and even get a fantastic aerial view from our tethered hot air balloon.

DRAWING LINKS BETWEEN FINE ART AND PARTICLE PHYSICS

Art department | 10.30am
No tickets required

The residency project with Ian Andrews culminates on 2 July with bookable workshops for adults, a viewing of the collaborative artwork and a talk by the artist outlining the research behind the project, previous exhibitions and a chance to view additional artworks created by the artist.

Ian Andrews is an artist and educator with a diverse practice involving painting, drawing, sculpture and film. As an educator he is committed to cross-disciplinary approaches and the development of a "creative curiosity" regardless of subject. Artistic themes include the primacy of drawing and the importance of "networks structures" whether neuronal networks that create thoughts in the brain, or the quantum "spin" networks of subatomic particles.



DNA BY DENNIS KELLY

Warwick School Drama Department | 12.00pm, 6.30pm
No tickets required
A very special sixth-form project directed by Fraser Venn.

DNA is a play about a group of teenagers, who could be described as a 'gang', who have accidentally killed one of their classmates. When they realise the terrible mistake they have made, they try to cover up this crime, but inadvertently implicate an innocent man in the process. At each moment when they could come clean, the group instead weaves a darker, more complex web of lies.

The themes and storyline of DNA make it unsuitable for younger children. 14+ advised. Please note there is no wheelchair access for this performance.

JUSTICE IN MOTION PARKOUR RESIDENCY

A specially erected Parkour Park on campus | 11.00am - 5.00pm
No tickets required
Come and learn some parkour skills, guided by the Justice in Motion team.

FAMILY DAY ON THE FESTIVAL STAGE

Festival Stage | 12.00pm - 6.30pm
No tickets required

Throughout the day the Festival Stage will present highlights of the recent concert series featuring ensembles and groups performing a wide range of pieces. Relax, come and go as you wish, bring a picnic perhaps or enjoy food from one of the special offerings onsite and enjoy live music in the wonderful surroundings of the Stevens Quad.

The day's music will conclude with a very special guest performance by James TW at 5.00pm.

PROGRAMME:

12.00pm - Jazz Lab
12.20pm - Big Band Purple
12.40pm - Little Big Band
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5.00pm - James TW
6.00pm - Super Tonics



TETHERED HOT AIR BALLOON FLIGHTS

Campus fields | 2.00pm - 5.00pm

Renowned for its spirit of adventure and discovery over the years, the Hot Air Balloon has inspired and excited adventurers and thrill-seekers alike. Here's your chance to enjoy a short tethered flight and enjoy the magnificent views over Warwick, the castle and the river. As this is a tethered "flight", the hot air balloon is secured to the ground by ropes at all times. **No pre-booking required.** You'll have the opportunity to make a charitable donation after your tethered flight.

CRICKET

Cricket pitches | 2:00pm
No tickets required

Watch Warwick School's U15A, U15B, U14A and U14B teams in action.



JOSEPH & THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT

Warwick Lower School Production
Bridge House Theatre | 2.00pm
bridgehousetheatre.co.uk

The sensational Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat tells the journey of Joseph, son of Jacob and one of the twelve brothers, and his coat of many colours. An amateur school production by arrangement with The Really Useful Group Ltd.

BRIDGE HOUSE YOUNG COMPANY PROMENADE PERFORMANCE

Shared Sixth Form Centre | 4.00pm

No tickets required

What was school like in Victorian times? Why have all the adults disappeared? Who killed the mop? Find out the answer to all these questions and more as the Bridge House Young Company present an anthology of devised work exploring the festival's theme, 'shared spaces'.

Beginning on the ground floor of the Shared Sixth Form Centre and moving between locations including Warwick's historic chapel.

OPEN GAMES EVENT

Warwick School Drama Department | 2.00pm
No tickets required

Theatre Practitioners Judi Walton, Pippa Church and Imogen Tong lead an hour of their favourite dynamic, imaginative and energetic drama games. Everyone welcome to play along.



JAMES TW - SPECIAL GUEST

Festival Stage | 5.00pm
No tickets required

Old Warwickian, James TW is performing as our special guest on the Festival Stage. Penning songs at a prolific pace since school, James TW speaks directly from the heart without filter. The platinum-selling UK singer and songwriter leans into wisdom gained on a personal journey from playing drums in his dad's band at the age of ten to performing on legendary stages such as Radio City Music Hall at barely 20 years old.

IMPROV FOR STARTERS

Warwick School Drama Department | 5.00pm

No tickets required

If you have enjoyed the comedy of 'Whose Line is it Anyway' or 'Mock the Week' you'll love this intro to comic improvisation led by Annaliesa Stevenson-Ray, Imogen Tong and the Foundation's very own improv troupe. With games and exercises that will get your funny bones moving, you'll learn some impro tips that will get you into and possibly out of all sorts of hypothetically sticky situations.



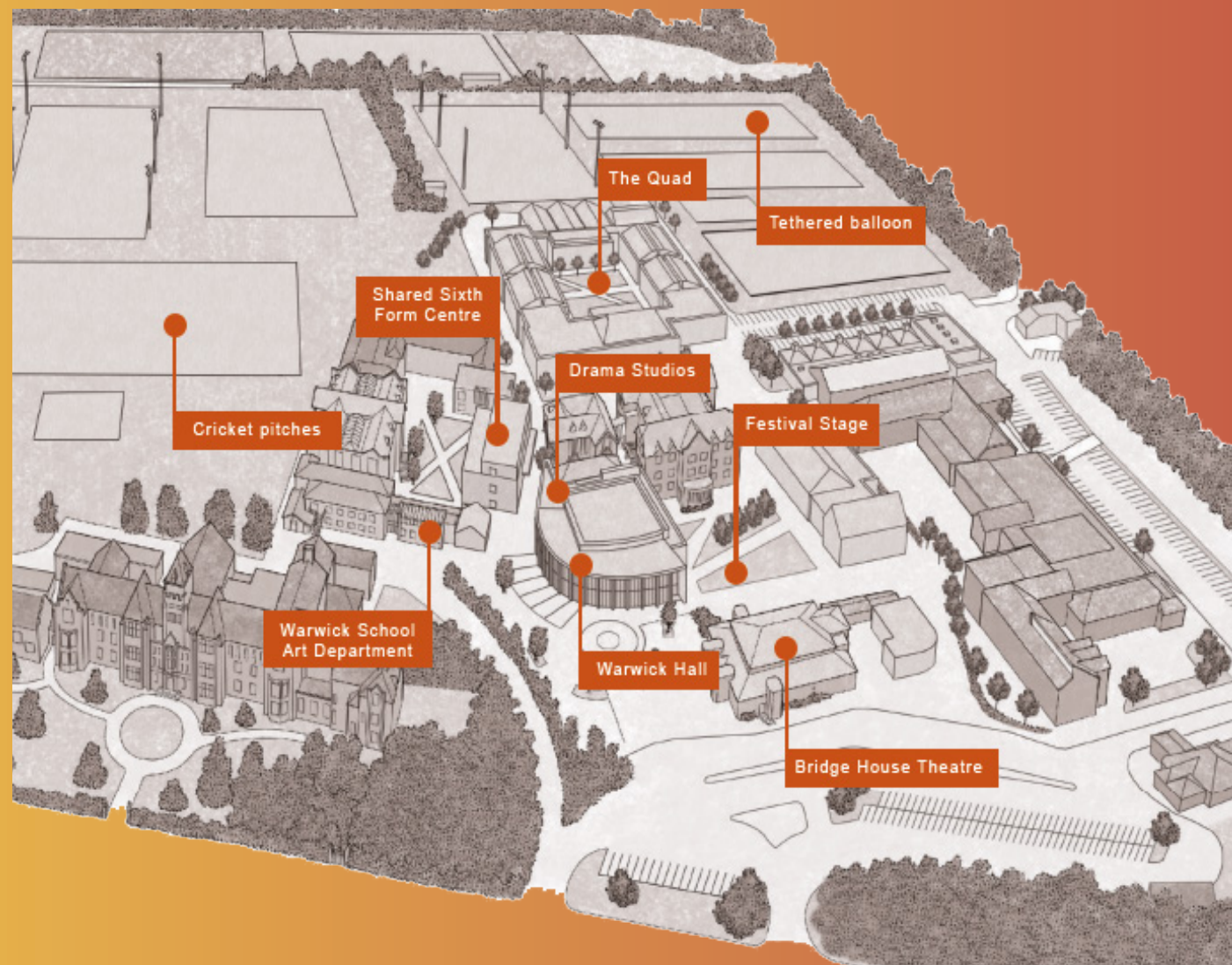
ESTELLA (THEATRE6)

The Quad, King's High School | 6.30pm

No tickets required

We are delighted to be joined by professional theatre company Theatre6 for this ground-breaking, imaginative and haunting new adaptation of the highly popular novel Great Expectations, which dives into the heart of one of literature's most unforgettable heroines - Estella.

Led by a band of three actor musicians, we follow the story of Estella's astonishing self-discovery set against a backdrop of live original music and visual theatre making. In this radical reworking, will Pip and Estella be together forever? Will Estella ever know the identity of her birth mother? Can she finally leave her dark past behind and step into the light?



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CENTRAL WARWICKSHIRE MUSIC CENTRE EVENTS

**CONCERT FEATURING CENTRAL
WARWICKSHIRE MUSIC CENTRE GROUPS**
25 June | 2.00pm

**Tickets: £6.50, concessions £4.50, children
five and under free**

bridgehousetheatre.co.uk

Concert featuring Central Warwickshire Music
Centre Groups, Suzuki Strings and a number
of UpBeat groups from Central Warwickshire
Schools.

**WARWICKSHIRE MUSIC CELEBRATION
CONCERT**

25 June | 7.00pm

**Tickets: £6.50, concessions £4.50, children five
and under free**

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A concert in support of the Warwickshire Music
Education Trust featuring:

- Warwickshire County Youth Wind Band
- Warwickshire Regional String Orchestra
- Pandemonium & Panissimo Steel Pan Groups
- Centre Warwickshire Schools' Orchestra
- North Warwickshire Schools' Orchestra
- East Warwickshire Schools' Orchestra
- South Warwickshire Schools' String Orchestra
- Warwickshire Youth Choirs



ORCHESTRA OF
The Swan

FINLANDIA IN A DAY

29 June | rehearsals all day, performance 4.00pm
No tickets required

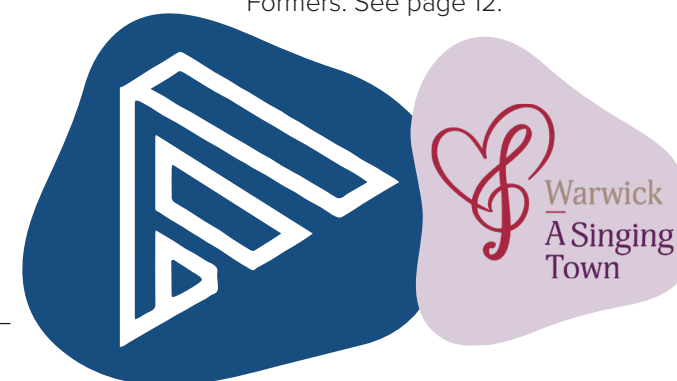
Senior music pupils from across the Foundation
come together for the day to rehearse Sibelius'
rousing masterpiece, Finlandia, alongside
members of Orchestra of the Swan. Come and
hear their performance of this spectacular work in
the equally spectacular Warwick Hall.

FUTURE FWD

4 - 5 July | All day

Tickets: Sixth Form event by invitation only.
Booking required for education conference -
futurefwd.org

Education conference plus conference for Sixth
Formers. See page 12.



Bridge House Theatre

CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG

Warwick Prep School Production
16 & 17 June | 7.00pm
Tickets: bridgehousetheatre.co.uk

Take a fantastic musical adventure with an out-of-this-world car that flies through the air and sails the seas. Based on the record-breaking West End production and the beloved film, and featuring an unforgettable score by the Sherman Brothers (Mary Poppins), Chitty Chitty Bang Bang JR. is one blockbuster that audiences will find "Truly Scrumptious."



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AND COMING SOON...

STAND-UP COMEDY EDINBURGH PREVIEWS

21 July | Jarlath Regan and Bilal Zafar
22 July | Glenn Moore and Bella Hunt
23 July | Heidi Regan and Simon Brodtkin
Tickets: bridgehousetheatre.co.uk

KHS Drama Studios

L6 DRAMA – DEVISED PERFORMANCE EXAM

28 June | 6.00pm
KHS Drama Studio
No tickets required

Join Warwick School and King's High School Drama students for their examination devised performances. Each performance has been developed from ideas generated by 'Bull' a play by Mike Bartlett. One explores the events surrounding Emily Davison's death at the Epsom Derby in 1913 – was it a deliberate act or tragic accident? The other piece explores war and conflict through the ages – showing how similar the outcomes and how little we learn.

SPITEFUL SISTERS & DISNEY'S ALADDIN

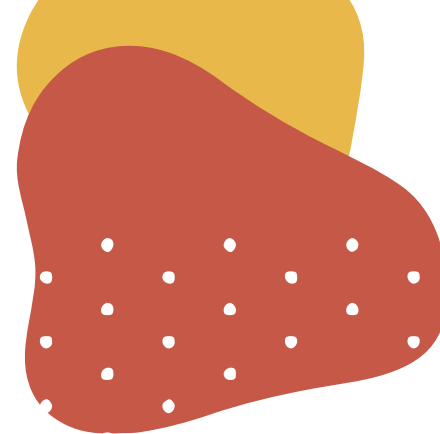
King's High School production
23 & 24 June | 7.00pm
25 June | 3.00pm
Tickets: bridgehousetheatre.co.uk

Let the talented cast and crew of King's High School transport you to Agrabah for a magical ensemble performance of "The Spiteful Sisters" from Arabian Nights, followed by the much-loved Disney classic "Aladdin". Prepare to be enchanted!

WS Art Dept ARTIST RESIDENCY WITH IAN ANDREWS

27 - 30 June | Warwick School Art Studio D7
No tickets required

Artist Ian Andrews is bringing an exciting collaboration to the Foundation, with students and a visiting physicist working together throughout the week to visualise and interpret particle physics research. The project will culminate in an open event on 2 July at 10:30am within the Warwick School Art Department (see page 6).



BATTLE OF THE BANDS

28 June | 7.00pm
No tickets required

Come and hear the awesome rock bands of Warwick School as they go head-to-head in this epic showdown, live on the Festival Stage. Not to be missed!

PARTY IN THE PARK

30 June | 7.00pm
No tickets required

The Foundation Symphony Orchestra presents 'Party in the Park', a concert of classical pops featuring music by John Williams, Beethoven, Elgar, Strauss, Prokofiev and more. Bring a picnic, sit back and enjoy some of the finest orchestral music ever written.

Grounds

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INVISIBLE CITIES

Throughout festival
Warwick Junior School playground

Referencing the book Invisible cities by Italo Calvino, students will engage in the creation, destruction, rebuilding and ephemeral nature of an imaginary city throughout the Festival week. Cardboard boxes will build, grow and change the city over the course of the festival whilst the story by Calvino is played to participants.

Festival Stage

FAMILY DAY ON THE FESTIVAL STAGE

2 July | 11.00am - 9.00pm
No tickets required
See page 6 for more information.

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JUSTICE IN MOTION

Parkour residency
25 June - 2 July
A specially erected Parkour Park on campus
No tickets required

A one week residency provides pupils with a fabulous experience using a specially constructed parkour park, supported by parkour performers. This residency will provide all those who take part with transferrable life skills, a chance for creative expression and exploration, and will facilitate their wellbeing and promote positive mental health.

The parkour park will be open from 11.00am - 5.00pm on Saturday, 2 July for anyone to come and try to learn some skills guided by the Justice in Motion team.



THE JUBILEE CONFERENCE FOR SIXTH FORMERS

part of  **FUTURE FWD**

Warwick Hall and various spaces around campus
5 July | 9.00am - 4.00pm

Warwick Independent School Foundation are excited to invite Sixth Formers to experience a day of exploration into how the world will change over the next seventy years. Students will be offered a range of talks from different subject specialisms and future-forward workplaces. They will have the opportunity to work collaboratively on projects, inspired by these topics:

- The Future of Artificial Intelligence
- Global Borders
- Global Health
- The Future of Arts Spaces

Kimberley Wyatt, Deputy Head (Teaching and Learning) at Warwick School says, "The Queen's Jubilee is a great moment to pause and reflect on how much has changed over the past seventy years and ready our young people for the next seventy. The topics have been chosen as they tie into the global goals, agreed to by world leaders in 2015. We hope to draw upon the knowledge of sixth formers to cast fresh light on these themes. With the help of real-world contributors, academics and facilitating staff, we hope that the students will enjoy the opportunity to imagine their futures in a creative, collaborative environment."



FUTURE FWD

ENABLING NEXTGEN

4 - 5 JULY

FUTURE FWD is a practical, future-focused, creative conference, with young people at its core - hosted at the Warwick Independent Schools Foundation.

For educational practitioners, leaders, and entrepreneurs, in education, business and industry.

Visit www.futurefwd.org to find out more and book your free place.