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Sullivan Upper School Monthly Newsletter

Dates for Diary - May 2015

2-4 May	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Practice Expedition	
4 May	May Day Bank Holiday	School Closed
8-9 May	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Expedition	
12 May	Sports Day	Weather Permitting
25 May	Exceptional Closure Day	School closed for Pupils



Congratulations to Cathryn Lynch on winning the NI Young Musician of the Year competition 2015.

The Sullivan Singers were runners-up in the BBC Radio Ulster School Choir of the year competition.



The U14 boys **hockey** team won Bronze at the All-Ireland John Waring trophy.

Tom Uprichard (9G) won 8 medals (3 gold, 2 silver and 3 bronze) in the Ulster Age Group **Swimming** Championships in March.

Sophie Todd (11G) and Kathleen Smart (11G) have qualified for the Irish Gymnastics **Trampoline** Finals to be held in Limerick on Sunday 10 May. They will be 2 of only 3 girls from their age group to qualify from Northern Ireland.

Some of the Year 12 pupils who received their Bronze **Duke of Edinburgh's Award** earlier this year.



Congratulations to 25 pupils in Year 13 who were recently awarded their Silver **Duke of Edinburgh's Award** - Chris Ball, Calvin Ballard, Anna Brady, Chris Cree, Grace Douglas, Andrew Duffield, Joanna Gallagher, Anna Gregg, Alison Kirkwood, Joanna Kirkwood, Sarah Leitch, Margot MacMahon, Jamie Marks, Rebecca McKelvey, Michael Montgomery, Jonny Parsons, Fiona Patterson, Ellen Pauley, Holly Peterson, Nameer Shahzad, Rory Sproule, Claire Tough, Alan Waring, Louis Watts, Cameron Willis



Congratulations to Emma Hanna (Year 9) who was selected to run the London Mini **Marathon** as one of the 10 best Cross country runners in her age group. She really enjoyed the experience and in a field of 300 runners Emma came 52nd in a time of 19.19mins.

Read Aimee Finlay's report on the History **Krakow trip** on the web-site:

<http://www.sullivanupper.co.uk/index.php/2015-01-20-11-36-10/latest-news-new/557-history-trip-krakow-tour>

Amy Rothwell (12F) won the U16 singles **tennis** event in both the Brookfield Junior Open and Templeogue Junior Open.



Year 8 attendees at the NI Book Award Drama Workshop which was at the Lyric Theatre.



Sam Rutherford 8C has been selected as part of a team of six to represent Northern Ireland at the Eric Twiname Championships 2015 at Rutland Water UK. He is one of the youngest sailors on the NI squad.

Congratulations to Bethany Currie (Year 10) and Harry Sheridan (Year 9) in gaining their black belts in Taekwondo.



Success at the Euro Quiz 2015

Adam Rainey, Ross Gourley, Harry Baird, Christopher McKie, Ollie Butt and Max Woods represented Sullivan Upper in the regional heats of the Euro Quiz 2015 on Tuesday 21 April at City Hall. The team achieved joint fourth in the competition.

