

An Overview of Mary Ward 400th Anniversary Events and Activities

SEPTEMBER 2008

- **Weds 3:** Autumn term begins
- **Mon 8:** Beginning of year Mass
- **Weds 10:** Arts Award and Duke of Edinburgh's Award presentation evening
- **Mon 22:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sara Murray (Buddi, confused.com)
- **Fri 26:** School Council's 'world's biggest coffee morning' for Macmillan Cancer Care
- **Fri 26 - Sun 28:** Community Partnership Schools Conference in Oxford
- **Sun 28:** 'Double Decade' alumnae reunion



OCTOBER 2008

- **Weds 1:** 1:00pm - 1:30pm
Brenda King MBE (ACDiversity)
- **Fri 3:** School Council's 'Jeans for Genes' event and Hunger Lunch in aid of CAFOD
- **Mon 6:** 'Girls Go Green' eco-day
- **Weds 8:** 1:00pm - 1:30pm
Sara McVittie (Texperts)
- **Mon 13:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Judy Clements OBE (IPCC)
- **Weds 17:** 'Walk to Rome'
- **Mon 20 - Fri 31:** Half term



NOVEMBER 2008

- **Sat 1 - Fri 7:** Week of focus on the life and times of Mary Ward
- **Mon 10:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sandi Rhys Jones OBE (The Simons Group Ltd)
- **Weds 12:** 6:30pm
Dragonesses' Castle - a fun, all-female version of Dragons' Den
- **Mon 17:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sarah Hunt (EquityFD and EquityFC)
- **Weds 26:** 1:00pm - 1:30pm
Lisa Buckingham (Financial Mail on Sunday)

DECEMBER 2008

- **Sat 6 - Sun 7:** RH Benson Nativity Mystery Play
- **Mon 8:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sonia Brown MA, BA (National Black Women's Network)
- **Tues 9:** Christmas Concert at West Road Concert Hall
- **Weds 17:** Carol Service at OLEM; Autumn term ends

JANUARY 2009

- **Weds 7:** Spring term begins
- **Mon 12:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sr Jane Livesey, CJ (Former Headmistress, St Mary's, Shaftesbury)

MARY WARD 400 DAY:

- **Fri 23 :** 4:00pm - 5:15pm
Baroness Perry of Southwark (Conservative peer, House of Lords)
- **Thurs 29:** Mass in York Minster
- **January and February:** Exhibition on the life and times of Mary Ward

FEBRUARY 2009

- **Weds 4:** 1:00pm - 1:30pm
Clare Logie (Women in Business, RBS)
- **Mon 9:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Sheetah M Mehta & Olly Donnelly (Shivia and Innovative Social Ventures Ltd)
- **Mon 16 - Fri 20:** Half term

MARCH 2009

- **Mon 9:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Helen Bearfield-Smith (Teenage Cancer Trust)
- **Sat 14:** 'Day of Recollection' - for Sixth Form, staff, alumnae, local community
- **Mon 16:** 1:00pm - 1:30pm
Dr Shaheena Janjuha-Jivraj (Senior Lecturer, Entrepreneurship, University of Reading Business School)
- **Sat 21:** Concert at OLEM, with music performed by past and present students
- **Mon 30:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Jo Fernandes (The Glanfield Children's Group & St Mary's alumna)

APRIL 2009

- **Weds 1:** Spring term ends
- **Tues 21:** Summer term begins
- **Mon 27:** 4:15pm - 5:15pm
Isobel Shaw (Journalist and travel writer)

MAY 2009

- **Mon 4:** May Bank Holiday
- **Sun 10:** Pastonians' Annual Reunion Luncheon
- **Mon 25 - Fri 29:** Half term

JUNE 2009

- **Sat 20:** Concert at West Road Concert Hall
- **Mon 29:** Junior School prizegiving
- **Tues 30:** Senior School prizegiving

JULY 2009

- **Fri 3:** Summer term ends



There is no charge for any of the Mary Ward year talks, but we will be collecting funds for St Mary's School Fair Trade projects at the end of each session, to which guests are welcome to donate.

All details correct at time of going to press.