

# 2019-20 Alleyn's School Public Benefit Summary

**Educational Links** = There are 54 partnerships, 39 of which involve 247 Alleyn's pupils.

**Financial Support** = 109 pupils received means-tested financial support in excess of £2.1m.

**Sharing Facilities** = 698\* hours of access to facilities were provided to both local schools and community groups involving over 1,200 people throughout the year.

## EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

**London Academy of Excellence, Tottenham (LAET)**  
Governance, HoDs support, student academic enrichment opportunity

**Volunteering** Pupils from Years 10-13 volunteer at local primary schools; Watgate School for children with severe learning disabilities; Residential Care Homes for the Elderly; and provide computer skills support for the elderly in the community.

**Rhythm for Reading** Year 12 students act as reading mentors to Year 4 pupils at local Primary Schools as part of an innovative music and literacy project.

**Southwark Schools Learning Partnership (SSLP)** a consortium of maintained and independent schools promoting educational opportunities across the sectors for pupils and staff.

**Southwark Community Education Charity (Saturday Maths)** Four tutors teaching 52 Year 5 pupils from 12 local Primary Schools, with the help of over 48 Alleyn's pupil mentors from Year 11.

**Primary School Teaching** 96 Year 12 students took part in our Outreach programme with 8 partner Primary schools, benefiting over 600 primary school children. Projects included Animation, Art, Dance, Drama, Music, Rhythm for Reading, Science and Sport at our eight different partner Primary Schools; The Belham, Heber, Goodrich, Harris (East Dulwich), Elm Wood, St. Anthony's, Crawford and Rosendale.

**Year 8 Outreach Project** 48 Lower School pupils working with elderly people suffering from Alzheimer's Disease

**Dulwich Almshouse** 400th Celebration Orchard Project; continued invitation to School events and sending of letters, pictures and sharing of School music from the pupils for the residents to enjoy.

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

**Means-tested Bursary Support**  
Alleyn's funds 109 means-tested bursaries (of which 71 are fully funded) and we are fundraising to increase that number. These bursaries are funded from money received from The Dulwich Estate, The Worshipful Company of Saddlers and other donors.

**Additional financial support**  
Money from the Dulwich Estate and the Pupil Support Fund is able to assist some bursary recipients with free school lunches, transport costs, uniform grants and other incidental costs.

**Alleyn's Benevolent Fund**  
13 pupils have been fully or partly funded by the Pupil Support Fund, 12 of whom received full or partial support for Educational Visits. The PSF has also helped bursary recipients with the cost of travel and/or music lessons.

**EMA Equivalent Payments**  
We continue to provide discretionary financial support to pupils in Years 12 and 13.

## CHARITIES

£11,853 split between two School Charities: Sparrow Schools, South Africa and Southwark Mind. Houses raised £16,981 between 10 charities: The Change Foundation, 40Tude, Blood Cancer UK, CLIC Sargent, Royal Marsden, Women & Children First, ECHO (Evelina Children's Heart Organisation), Royal Orthopaedic Hospital, Emmaus and Child Bereavement UK. **Total raised = £28,834**

## GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS

Ongoing educational and financial links with: Kobe University Secondary School, Japan; Ganet's Adventure School, Malawi; Methodist Girls' High School, Freetown, Sierra Leone; Sparrow Schools, Johannesburg, South Africa.

## SHARING FACILITIES

**Girls United International Women's Day Event**  
Alleyn's worked alongside Girls United and Dulwich Hamlet FC to host their *Play Like A Girl* football tournament to celebrate International Women's Day.

The event also raised funds for the Girls United outreach programme that enables coaching and structured opportunities for local girls that may otherwise miss out on such support.

**Swimming Pool**  
Our swimming teachers delivered an intensive learn-to-swim programme for 60 pupils attending Heber Primary School during the October half-term.

A disabled swimmer has been given regular pool time to aid her development and assist in her classification as a competitive para-swimmer.

**School PE lessons, Sports Fixtures and Forest School**

The playing fields at Townley Road were made available to Heber Primary School and Harris Primary Academy, East Dulwich each week to deliver PE lessons and forest school activities. Heber continued to use the fields when pupils returned to School in the Summer term.

Mini-football pitches were used on Saturday mornings by the Lambeth & Southwark Primary Schools Football League helping to deliver a 36 team 9v9 competition for Year 6 pupils.

Friends of Goose Green Primary School used the playing fields to hold a fun run to raise funds.

Bishop Thomas Grant Secondary School used the Fives courts to introduce the game to their pupils studying GCSE PE.

**Access for the Local Community**  
Between April and July, for over 100 days throughout the period of lockdown, our playing fields were opened daily to the local community as a safe space to exercise, this was extremely well received and proved incredibly popular with many families.

**Venue Space For Charitable Purposes**  
'London Youth Games', 'Passing Notes Education', 'The Woodcraft Folk Youth Group', '5<sup>th</sup> Camberwell Beavers' 'Kings College Hospital Renal Unit' and the 'Southwark Police Cadets' were provided with access to venues in support of their organisation.

This allowed these community groups to meet, to perform, to fundraise or to spread awareness of their cause.

**School Performing Arts**  
80 pupils attending Harris Primary Academy, East Dulwich held a series of Christmas concerts for parents in our theatre, with assistance provided by the Alleyn's technical staff.

**Burbage Road Sports Ground**  
The ground hosted cricket and football matches on behalf of The Charter Secondary School, East Dulwich and Dunraven Secondary School, in addition to hosting a South London Schools Football Association representative fixtures.

Judith Kerr Primary School used the Burbage Road Sports Ground on a regular basis to run after school sports clubs.

\*The outbreak of Covid19 between March and July 2020 restricted the normal operations of the School resulting in the closure of facilities.

The School playing fields were opened daily throughout the period of lockdown for use by the local community for 1100+ hours; these hours have not been included in our above calculation.