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# SARAH'S SUCCESS

A PRINCE Rupert School student has won this year's *Sixth Sense* Cup in recognition of the outstanding contributions she has made to the school.

Sarah Higham, a Sixth Form student at the Rinteln school was presented with the award in a whole school assembly to recognise the efforts of students throughout the years.

Mrs Sue Marshall, head teacher of PRS, addressed the school and said "We have been awarding the *Sixth Sense* cup for a number of years now and I always feel very humble when I hear about the contributions that the nominees have made towards the school.

"What is great about the cup is that the nominees have been chosen by their peers - their friends and their classmates who recognise the work they put in for the school.

"The contributions that have been made are very considerable - and last week, members of the school council looked at the choices and made a very difficult decision in choosing the winner."

Sarah's efforts helping out after school, being involved in the organisation of the school prom, and putting her musical talents to great use in the shape of a number of fantastic performances were just some of the reasons that she took the award.

Sarah was recently involved in a charity gig in Hohne, helping to raise more than €800 for good causes.

**by Tom Rumbold**

And the event also introduced a new award - presented by a guest of honour who used to attend PRS over 40 years ago.

Lois Hammond, chairman of the Wilhelmshaven Association told students at the school "It is wonderful to be here and wonderful to see the school after such a long time.

The Wilhelmshaven Association is a body of ex-PRS school members who have been reunited after years of searching, up to more than 40 years after they left the school.

And not only donating prizes for the awards ceremony, Lois

herself took the time to represent the association on a visit from UK, presenting the new award for outstanding contribution to Holly Walker, a conscientious and considerate student, who is "constantly putting others before herself."

In an emotional speech, Lois told the school, "The Wilhelmshaven Association are donating these prizes to connect the old PRS and the new PRS."

"As an association, we are very conscious we may not have many years left. In passing on this trophy, we hope to pass on the memories and the recognition that we are all part of a great tradition."



● Sarah was really happy to have won the cup this year. It was totally unexpected and a great surprise  
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