Spurring international collaboration

While we're on sport, congratulations to the men's second VIII, who joined the first in winning the Mathematical Challenge. While the teams were away, two other notable sporting successes took place: the men's first and second XI are preparing to give me some chin music. I hope that you have enjoyed this summary, but I am aiming to keep these shorter, and the fastest way to stay informed is to sign up for our college news and updates. You can do so by visiting our website and subscribing to our newsletter.

Local and Global Initiatives

One of the most exciting developments in recent years has been the launch of the Global Impact Lab, a new initiative that aims to support our researchers to work on global challenges. I'm particularly looking forward to the opportunity to connect our extraordinary researchers to those working to adapt to climate change. We are also expanding our property portfolio in North Oxford, to provide more graduate student accommodation. The first pair of Professorial shorts had appeared, unbidden. And someone had found the pre-lockdown croquet mallets in a dusty basement. Today, the quad is packed with activity, as students prepare for exams and break,

We hope that you're enjoying this summary, and that you'll continue to support our college in all its activities. As always, we welcome your feedback and suggestions for how we can improve our communications. Please feel free to get in touch with us directly.

Celebrating our college community

Our college community is made up of a diverse group of people, from students and faculty to staff and alumni. We are committed to creating and maintaining a welcoming and inclusive environment for all. I hope that you will continue to support our college and its activities.

Looking forward to the end of term,

Ciaran Martin
Principal
Hertford College

The Oxford Pride parade was a highlight of the term, with thousands of marchers participating. The parade was led by the Hertford LGBTQ+ society, and was joined by representatives from local schools and organisations. It was a fantastic opportunity to celebrate diversity and inclusion, and I was proud to see so many people come together to support the cause.

Meanwhile, BBC R4 remains Hertford's college radio station. You can catch up here with interviews, music, and discussions. I encourage you to tune in and see what's happening.

So much to say, so little time. The most important message I want to convey is that we are better for the time that people spend with us. Mia's final service was a testament to her remarkable career, and it's clear that she will be missed by all who knew her. Thank you for your support, and I look forward to seeing you all again soon.