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Dear Parents/Guardians

Mullins Memorial Lecture - 7pm Monday 12 March 2018

I am very pleased to invite you to come along to this year's Annual Mullins Lecture at BWS. This year the Lecture will be delivered by Alan Rusbridger, Principal at Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford and former editor of The Guardian. Alan will take as his topic 'Fake News. Post News. No News. What is the future for information and democracy?'.

There is no charge to attend the lecture, though there will be a retiring collection if you wish to contribute. Places may be booked via School Reception on 01722 333851 or rec@bws.wilts.sch.uk as soon as possible. There will be light refreshments available from 6.15pm.

I look forward to seeing you at this annual event.

Best wishes

S D Smallwood
Head Master

**Spring 2018 Mullins Memorial Lecture
7pm 12 March 2018 at BWS**

Alan Rusbridger

**“Fake News. Post News. No News. What is the
future for information and democracy?”**



On Monday 12 March 2018 Bishop Wordsworth's School welcomes Alan Rusbridger to deliver the Sixth Annual Mullins Lecture.

Alan Rusbridger first joined *The Guardian* as a reporter in 1979 and, after stints working for *The Observer* and the *London Daily News*, became Editor of *The Guardian* in 1995 – a post that he then held for 17 years. During that time he oversaw dramatic changes to the national media and also introduced the digital platform for the national newspaper. On stepping down from leading *The Guardian* Alan was appointed Principal at Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford.

The 2018 Mullins Lecture will start at 7.00pm at the school, with light refreshments available from 6.15pm and a question and answer session at the end.

Entrance to the Lecture is free, but by advance booking only. Please contact BWS Reception, bookings can be made by telephone on 01722 333851 or by emailing rec@bws.wilts.sch.uk.