

Alumni news and events

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News

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[Birmingham alum becomes second casualty of The Apprentice Boardroom](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/05/Tim-Stillwell.aspx](#))

University staff, students and alumni are among the biggest fans of fired The Apprentice candidate, Tim Stillwell.

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[Charitable donations to the University of Birmingham almost double in a year as giving to UK universities reaches record high](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Charitable-donations-to-the-University-of-Birmingham-almost-double-in-a-year-as-giving-to-UK-universities-reaches-record-high-.aspx](#))

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[Alumna becomes Writer in Residence at Museum of Carpet](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Alumna-becomes-Writer-in-Residence-at-Museum-of-Carpet.aspx](#))

Local writer, humourist and musician Heather Wastie (BA Mathematics and Music, 1977) has taken up the role of Writer in Residence at Kidderminster's Museum of Carpet.

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[Watch a piece of musical history at the screening of alumnus' film](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/04/Watch-a-piece-of-musical-history-at-the-screening-of-alumnus-film.aspx](#))

Birmingham has a proud tradition of introducing a range of varied music into British culture and a documentary produced by a Birmingham graduate is set to showcase the city's musical heritage.

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[Show your support for autism by wearing blue](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/03/26Mar-Show-your-support-for-autism-by-wearing-blue.aspx](#))

More than one in 100 children are on the autism spectrum. This World Autism Awareness Day (Tuesday 2 April), you can help us give every child the best possible start in life with support for our groundbreaking research and wearing blue.

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[The next chapter](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/03/The-next-chapter.aspx](#))

Final year Political Science student Raphael Sheridan is following in the footsteps of alumnus Brian Whitaker (BA Latin, 1968) as the current editor of Redbrick, the University's student newspaper, a role Brian completed more than 40 years ago and one which catapulted him into a successful journalism career.

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[A Goode Movie](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/02/A-Good-Movie.aspx](#))

Alumnus and Actor Matthew Goode (BA Drama and Theatre Arts, 1999) stars in psychological thriller Stoker, which will be released in Cinemas later this week.

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[The greatest row on earth](#) ([/alumni/news/items/2013/02/The-greatest-row-on-earth.aspx](#))

After being medically discharged from a Military training scheme in 2010, Pamela Relph MBE (BSc Physics, 2011) took up rowing and is taking the sport by storm. A London 2012 Paralympic Gold medalist as part of Team GB's LTA mixed coxed four, Pamela reflects on her unforgettable summer.

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