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# Teaching Newsletter

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All of us from the Primary Care Teaching Team wish you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



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#### Workshop dates for 2018

#### Weston GP Teacher Workshop 13th March 2018

North Somerset Academy, Weston General Hospital, 13th March 9 am—1 pm

This workshop will include future developments of undergraduate medical teaching at Bristol, clinical reasoning, feedback and more. It is suitable for established and new GP teachers and GPs who have not taught medical students and are keen to find out how they and their practice could get involved.

To book, please email phc-teaching@bristol.ac.uk

#### Would you like to learn more about talking with patients?

Why not join researchers and learn about *Conversation analysis*. This is a recognised tool for analysing recorded interactions between patients and providers in different health care settings. **Dr. Rebecca Barnes**, an experienced researcher in the School of Population Health Sciences at Bristol University is offering a **two day course on 16th and 17th Jan. 2018**.

For more information see

https://www.bristol.ac.uk/medical-school/study/short-courses/introduction-to-using-conversation-analysis-to-study-health-care-encounters/

## App of the month

## **Hearing Tests** *tested*

For December Trevor Thompson recommends

Free app for iPhones by Yuichi Sakashita <a href="https://itunes.apple.com/gb/app/hearing-test-ear-age-test/id1067630100?mt=8">https://itunes.apple.com/gb/app/hearing-test-ear-age-test/id1067630100?mt=8</a> This was tested against a professional audiogram and found to be highly accurate - see <a href="http://www.safetyawakenings.com/hearing-test-apps/">https://www.safetyawakenings.com/hearing-test-apps/</a>

For Android I recommend one just called **Hearing Test** that you can get here <a href="https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=mobile.eaudiologia&hl=en\_GB">https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=mobile.eaudiologia&hl=en\_GB</a> This is the one I use. You can either recommend it to patients to do at home or several times I have used it diagnostically and even screenshotted and placed in an ENT referral. You'll need to leave a set of headphones at work. I wouldn't worry about the calibration phase - we only need a ready-reckoner. Alas, I have also confirmed the damage I did as lead singer in a Punk Rock band in the early 1980s!

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### A book under your tree...

#### The Boys In the Boat by Daniel James Brown

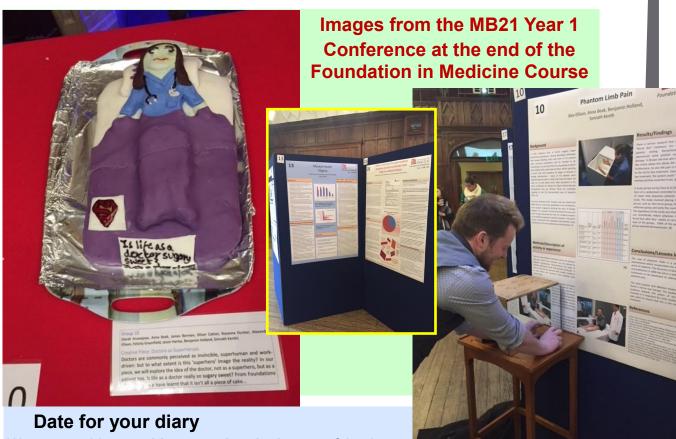
An extraordinary and inspirational true story. This book is told against the backdrop of the Great Depression and the Nazi uprising in 1936. It follows Joe Rantz and eight other working-class American boys who unexpectedly exchange



the sweat and dust of life in 1930s America for the promise of glory at the heart of Hitler's Berlin. Stroke by stroke you hear how Joe Rantz strives to regain his shattered self-regard, to dare again to trust in others.

#### Something to catch up on...

TV documentary: Not very chrismassy, but for a close look at drug taking see the current BBC series **Drugsland**. This a documentary series which travels deep into the world of drug users and dealers. It is set in Bristol with the first episode, '**crack alley**', focusing on a street off the Gloucester Road. It focuses on the personal impact of drugs and homelessness in Bristol.



Want to combine **teaching, travel and adventure**? Look no further than **PHASE Worldwide**, a Bristol based charity. To find out more about this charity or if you are interested in going to **Nepal** with them come to the meeting at **11am on Sunday 14**<sup>th</sup> **of January.** Venue TBA.

https://phaseworldwide.org/ (ctrl and click)

