2008 has been a truly remarkable year of celebration for the Inn. There have been so many significant 400th anniversary events that it is no easy task to decide which to single out. I think four deserve special mention. First, the Open Weekend in January. Not only did it succeed beyond our expectations in introducing large numbers of people to what we do, it also showed how well two Inns can work together in a common cause. Secondly, the Charter Day in June, attended by The Queen and The Duke of Edinburgh, which combined a moving ceremony in The Temple Church and a splendid reception in the garden. Thirdly, the Pegasus Celebration in July, where the joint efforts of our caterers, Treasury staff and gardeners provided a wonderful evening of festivity. Fourthly, the inaugural awards
ceremony in early December for the Inner Temple Book Prize, demonstrating our commitment to the pursuit of outstanding legal scholarship. The success of all these ventures depended so much upon the enormous help the Inn received from benchers, members of Hall and, in particular, our magnificent staff. We thank them all.

Where do we go from here? We need to build upon the successes of the past year and I am keen that we should give active support to the Bar Council initiative on diversity. We as an Inn are already very much involved in this area, as demonstrated by our recent day in the Inn for students from a number of state schools. I also believe that we should try to connect much more with our members countrywide and to this end I am proposing to visit each of the Circuits during the course of 2009.

Our main business, of course, concerns the education and support of students and of barrister members. I should like to pay tribute to the Education and Training Department, supported by many of our members, for the way in which it provides for the educational needs of the students. I often wonder, however, whether there are ways in which we could connect more with our barrister members. I shall be looking into this and would welcome any views.

Finally, may I on behalf of us all express our deep appreciation to Anthony May, our Treasurer for 2008, and to his wife Stella. Anthony provided inspirational leadership of the Inn throughout one of the most important years in its history. We simply could not have had a better person at the helm. Stella has given him wonderful support throughout and we are deeply indebted to them both.

VIVIAN ROBINSON QC
THE TREASURER

GRAND DAY
5 November 2008

On 5 November the Treasurer hosted a delightful Grand Day, in the presence of Master HRH The Princess Royal with musical entertainment from The Swingle Singers. The Princess Royal presented our Head Chef, Martin Cheesman, with a silver salver to thank him for 17 years of dedicated and delicious service to the Inn.
At an Awards Ceremony on 2 December 2008, Master Rix announced the winners of the Inn’s new prizes for outstanding legal authorship:

**Child Abuse: Law and Policy Making Across Boundaries**
by Laura Hoyano and Caroline Keenan (OUP)
£10,000 prize

Citations were given to two highly commended entries:

**Buying Social Justice**
by Christopher McCrudden (OUP)

**The Law and Economics of Article 82 EC**
by Robert O’Donoghue and Jorge Padilla (Hart)

A Young Author’s Prize was awarded to:

**Fundamentals of Patent Law**
by Matthew Fisher (Hart)
£2,500 prize

A distinguished panel of judges, chaired by Master Woolf had sifted and considered 79 entries in total for the two prizes, which were presented to the winners by the Treasurer. The prize was launched as part of the celebrations marking the 400th anniversary of the grant of the Royal Charter to Inner Temple and Middle Temple in 1608. The Inner Temple has close links with the many universities from which its student barristers come and the prize is designed to strengthen these academic links.

A full feature on the Book Prize will appear in the 2009/10 Yearbook.
AMITY DINNER
FOR MIDDLE TEMPLE
16 OCTOBER 2008
PRINCIPAL GUEST THE LORD MAYOR
OF THE CITY OF LONDON
At last November’s Private Guest Night, the Inner Temple unveiled the latest addition to its collection, a portrait in oil of Her Excellency Judge Rosalyn Higgins DBE JSD FBA QC, President of the International Court of Justice. Joel Ely’s portrait in oil captures Dame Rosalyn in formal attire at Court in the Hague. Joel’s work has featured on numerous occasion among those selected for the B.P. Portrait Award at the National Portrait Gallery, and in 2005 he won a B.P Travel Award.
NEW MASTERS OF THE BENCH

The Treasurer is delighted to announce that the following members have been elected as Masters of the Bench

JUDICIAL GOVERNING BENCHERS

Master Forrester
Master McCreath
Master Gregory Stone

BARRISTER GOVERNING BENCHERS
MICHAELMAS ELECTIONS 2008

Master O’Connor  Master David Green
Master Corbett    Master Wright
Master Bayliss    Master Eaton
Master Kay        Master Lavender

THE HONOURABLE SOCIETY
OF THE INNER TEMPLE
AND THE PILGRIMS

DINNER
To celebrate the 200th birthday of ABRAHAM LINCOLN

AT INNER TEMPLE HALL
on THURSDAY 12 FEBRUARY 2009
7.15 for 7.45 p.m.
Black Tie

Guest Speaker
PROFESSOR RICHARD CARWARDINE DPhil FBA*
Rhodes Professor of American History
at St Catherine’s College, Oxford

To book: 100 tickets for the evening are available to members of Inner Temple, with a limited number available for a spouse or guest, at £80.00 each.
Please contact Kate Peters on 020 7797 8250 or kpeters@innertemple.org.uk
Early booking is advised as the Inn only has a limited allocation of tickets.

*Professor Carwardine works on the history of the United States in the era of the early Republic and Civil War. In 2004 his political biography of Abraham Lincoln won the Lincoln Prize awarded by the Civil War Institute at Gettysburg College for the best book on the Civil War era.
For some time now we’ve been thinking that the Inn’s website is looking as tired as a first six pupil. So we’ve been busy polishing, preening and generally trying to make things better. Ah, hang it all, we decided on a whole new look. So the Inn will be soon unveiling its smashing new website. It is still in the same place and contains all the things it did before, but with a few little extra touches. We hope you’ll like the new look and find it much easier to navigate. Please take the time to go and see what we’ve done, and feel free contact the Treasury Office with any comments or thoughts.
LIBRARY NEWS

LIBRARY RESOURCES GUIDE
A new edition of Library Resources for the Bar, a guide to the collections and services offered by the libraries of the four Inns of Court, has just been published. Copies are available in the Library and in pdf format on the website.

LEGAL RESEARCH
A guide which aims to answer frequently asked legal research questions on EU law has been added to the Library’s web site www.innertemplelibrary.org.uk. The guide covers case law and legislation and includes suggestions for both print and electronic sources. This complements the FAQ guide on UK case law and legislation, which is also on the website.

SATURDAY OPENING
OPENING HOURS: 10:00-17:00

CALENDAR
JANUARY – APRIL 2009

JANUARY
3 January CLOSED
10 January Lincoln’s Inn
17 January Middle Temple
24 January Gray’s Inn
31 January Inner Temple

FEBRUARY
7 February Lincoln’s Inn
14 February Middle Temple
21 February Gray’s Inn
28 February Inner Temple

MARCH
7 March Lincoln’s Inn
14 March Middle Temple
21 March Gray’s Inn
28 March Inner Temple

APRIL
4 April Lincoln’s Inn
11 April CLOSED
18 April Middle Temple
25 April Gray’s Inn
On Friday 14 November, the Inn was delighted to welcome 70 year 12/13 students from 22 London state schools to the Inn to take part in an afternoon of activities aimed at increasing their knowledge of what is involved in training to be a barrister and what daily life as a barrister is like, and to reiterate that the Bar as a profession is open to able candidates with the appropriate intellectual qualities from any background. This was the second event that the Inn has held in conjunction with the National Education Trust (www.nationaleducationtrust.net).

The students first heard about the challenges involved in training for the Bar: study costs; the competition for pupillages; and the need to obtain good A-level grades and to aim for a 2:1 degree classification. Some of the myths surrounding study for the Bar were dispelled. Students were interested to hear, for example, that two thirds of recent pupillages went to graduates of Universities other than Oxbridge and that 43% of recent pupils had not studied a law degree but had instead followed the conversion course route to the Bar. They were also given information on the Inn’s scholarship awards and the type of extracurricular activities they should undertake whilst at school and University to help them prepare for a career as a barrister. The students heard from a current BVC student about his personal route from school to securing a scholarship and pupillage.

The students were then given a snapshot of a day in the life of barristers in different areas of law to illustrate how their daily routines can differ immensely. After hearing from practitioners in crime, commercial law, human rights and from a pupil at the employed bar, in this case the Government Legal Service, it was clear to the students that the Bar offered a diverse range of working opportunities, all differing in terms of court-time, time spent in Chambers, travel, and earnings.

Having sat and absorbed a significant amount of information, it was then time for the students, with the help of over 20 members of the Inn who...
had kindly volunteered to help with this event, to become more interactive. In groups they were taken on a tour of the Inn and were then able to sit down with practitioners and discuss questions such as: “why do barristers wear wigs”, “does a regional accent make a difference”, “do I need family connections in the law to succeed” and so on.

The final session of the day was an opportunity for the students to “have a go” at some advocacy (in a wig and gown if they so desired). Again in groups, they were given some basic information on a drink-driving case and guidance on conducting a plea in mitigation. They were helped to pin-point the key issues, as well as the sentencing options, by the practitioners present. A number of students then took the plunge and, gownned and bewigged, made their pleas to the judge. All present were impressed by the style and vigour of the pleas made though perhaps a little bemused by some of the sentencing suggestions... the death penalty, really?

Feedback from the students has been wholly positive with the overall feeling being that the event opened their eyes to the challenges ahead in terms of study and life as a barrister but also to the potential job-satisfaction of a career as a barrister. The Education & Training Department would like to thank all those members who helped at the event and, in particular, Simon O’Toole and Alastair Hodge who were of enormous help in planning the event.

The Inn will be continuing its work with the National Education Trust in 2009. If you have not yet volunteered to help but would like to do so, please don’t hesitate to contact Fiona Fulton on 020 7797 8171 or by emailing ffulton@innertemple.org.uk

Once again, we are looking forward to another busy year of mooting and debating, as well as the events organised by the Drama and Student Associations. Both Mooting and Debating societies will be holding large Inter-Varsity events on the weekend of January 30 – 1 February 2009 as well as a range of other activities throughout the year. Up-and-coming dates are announced to students via email but as usual we need barristers and Benchers to help with judging, so would any volunteers, please call Eamonn O’Reilly on 020 7797 8210 or email coreilly@innertemple.org.uk

POLICE LIAISON SCHEME 2008/9
PROMOTING GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN THE BAR AND THE POLICE SERVICE

BVC students participating in this year’s Inner Temple Police Liaison Scheme have begun their visits to Holborn and Kentish Town police stations. BVC students have been out on Friday and Saturday night shifts, accompanying officers on patrol, to learn about police station procedures and the way in which incidents are dealt with on the beat and a rowdy weekend night beat at that! Feedback received from students has been very positive including the comment from one student that “it was the most useful piece of work experience I have done in relation to becoming a criminal barrister so far other than a mini-pupillage”.

To reflect on last year’s visits and to kick off the 2008-9 scheme, a drinks reception was held on Wednesday 22 October. The evening was very well attended by Borough Commanders and their officers already participating in the scheme as well as a number of Borough Commanders interested in hearing more about the scheme with a view to joining. They were joined by a number of BVC students who had already participated in the visits. Master Roberts, Chairman of the scheme introduced the evening and both Helen Pagett and Ciorsdan Darby, former BVC students, spoke about their experiences on the scheme.

If you are an Inner Temple BVC Student interested in taking part in this scheme, please email Luci Parnell in the Education & Training Department at lparnell@innertemple.org.uk

THE INNER TEMPLE MOOTING, DEBATING & DRAMA SOCIETIES
ATTENTION INNER TEMPLE PUPILS!

If you have not yet notified the Inn of your pupillage, please do so immediately as you will need to complete the compulsory advocacy course which begins in the middle of January 2009! Failure to do so will result in you not being issued with a practising certificate.

The Inn will be holding a Refresher Evening (6pm-8.30pm) for pupils on Monday 16 March. This will be a final opportunity for you to practise your advocacy skills before embarking upon your second six. If you would like to attend, please call Beth Phillips on 020 7797 8209 or email bphillips@innertemple.org.uk

PUPIL SUPERVISOR BRIEFING SESSIONS 2009

Sessions to be held in London on:
Monday 2 February at Middle Temple
Monday 11 May at Inner Temple
Wednesday 8 July at Gray’s Inn
Thursday 10 September at Lincoln’s Inn

To book on to a session or for more information on becoming a pupil supervisor, please contact Jennie Collis on 0207 797 8207 or email jcollis@innertemple.org.uk

MOCK INTERVIEW SCHEME

The Mock Interview Scheme aims to help students develop their interview technique and build up confidence prior to a pupillage interview. This scheme is at its busiest in April/May and as such we are currently seeking barristers to help out with the scheme.

If anyone is interested, please contact Luci Parnell on 020 7797 8262 or email lparnell@innertemple.org.uk

PUPILLAGE ADVICE EVENING

This evening gives students the opportunity to talk informally to barristers on a one-to-one basis about different areas of law and to receive advice on applying for pupillage. The next Pupillage Advice Evening will be held on 24 March 2009. If any barristers can spare an hour and a half (6-7.30pm) to offer pupillage advice to students at the drinks reception on the above date, it would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Eamonn O’Reilly on 020 7797 8210 or email eoreilly@innertemple.org.uk

DINNER TO THE UNIVERSITIES

The Inner Temple will be holding its annual Dinner to the Universities on the 18 March 2009. The aim of this dinner is to establish links with undergraduates interested in coming to the Bar from Universities across the country. If you are a barrister who would like to attend this dinner please contact Luci Parnell on 020 7797 8262 or email lparnell@innertemple.org.uk
CAREER INFORMATION EVENTS
From time to time, the Inn is asked to participate in law fairs, careers events or talks at Universities in and outside of London. If you would like to volunteer to be a point of contact in your area, then please email coreilly@innertemple.org.uk and we will keep your name on file in case we receive a request from a university or careers adviser in your area.

BVC SCHOLARSHIP INTERVIEWS – URGENT REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS
In 2008 the Inn successfully interviewed every candidate who applied for an Inn scholarship. We would like to continue this policy in 2009 and as such we urgently need volunteers to help interview for the BVC awards this academic year. The interviews will be held on Saturday 14 and 21 March 2009. You should be over five years’ Call and be in independent practice or work as an employed barrister.

If you are willing to help please contact Eamonn O’Reilly on 020 7797 8210 or email coreilly@innertemple.org.uk to discuss what is involved more fully.

NEW PRACTITIONERS’ ADVOCACY & ETHICS WEEKENDS
The Inn is running two residential NP Advocacy & Ethics weekends at Wotton House (pictured) just outside London on the 24-26 April and the 12-14 June 2009. Each weekend is accredited for 17 CPD hours, including your advocacy and ethics NP requirement, and costs £250. For further information or to request a booking form, please contact Beth Phillips on 020 7797 8209 or email bphillips@innertemple.org.uk
EMPLOYMENT LAW CPD WEEKEND

Following the success of the Appellate Advocacy course earlier this year, the Inn continued its commitment to providing high quality continuing professional development for established practitioners by holding an Employment Law seminar at the Inn. On Saturday 29 November, 75 practitioners avoided the appalling weather outside and instead heard from experts in this field on various topics affecting employment law practitioners today. These included: the duty to consult on redundancies; religious discrimination; the legal implications of the use of information technology in the workplace; how to win Appeals; and remedies and tips for employment lawyers. Participants also discussed a series of practical ethical problems for employment lawyers. We were fortunate to hear from Master Slade, Master Simler, Alastair Hodge, Master Goudie, Martin Griffiths QC and Master Giffin. Some of the practitioners further avoided the appalling weather on the Sunday morning when they participated in specialist advocacy training. Feedback for the event as a whole has been extremely positive and the Inn looks forward to developing its CPD programme in the coming years. The Education & Training Department would like to thank all the speakers and advocacy trainers and in particular Alastair Hodge, Damian Brown and Martin Griffiths QC who organised the event.

EASTER EGG HUNT 2009

The Easter Egg Hunt party is a fun packed afternoon at the Inner Temple with the Easter Egg Hunt, games, face painters, a bouncy castle and entertainments taking place from 3pm onwards in the Garden, followed by a family tea in Hall.

To book please contact Kate Peters on 020 7797 8250 or email kpeters@inner temple.org.uk

SUNDAY
5 APRIL 2009
3:00PM – 5:30PM

TICKETS
CHILDREN £15.00
OTHER ADULTS £8.50
ONE PARENT FREE
INNER TEMPLE LECTURE SERIES 2009
INTERNATIONAL COURTS

23 FEBRUARY 2009
MASTER SCHIEMANN
“THE EUROPEAN COURT OF JUSTICE: WHAT DO WE DO?”

23 MARCH 2009
MASTER COSTA
“IMMIGRATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE CASE LAW OF THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS”

Drinks for Benchers in the Smoking Room at 18:00
Lecture/Debate 18:30-19:30
Drinks reception 19:30-20:30

Cost £11.30 for barristers, £6.20 for students

TO BOOK
Tel 020 7797 8250, Fax 020 7797 8178
Email jfenton@innertemple.org.uk
ANDREA BRUNSENDORF, HEAD GARDENER

This is one of my favourite seasons in the Garden – not because it is wet, muddy and cold, but because it is time for reflection, dreaming and gambling. Reflection as I think about what has or has not worked over the past year. Dreaming of how the changes I am making will look. Gambling that some tender plants will survive whatever a Central London winter throws at us. But most of all I love looking forward to the spring.

What I am sure of is that along the ‘War of the Roses’ border there will be another spectacular display of tulips, again underplanted with forget-me-nots, but instead of the unforgettable show of the ‘China Pink’ we used last year, you will see a dazzling display of orange and red with ‘Ballerina’ and ‘Red Shine’.

What I am not so sure about is what success we may have with the number of crocus bulbs we have planted. We are in fact conducting a trial, as the ubiquitous London pigeon considers a yellow crocus an epicurean delight – worse, he will even chomp his way through the yellow stamens of a blue or purple crocus - so we have put in a great variety to discover which can withstand such an appetite, and we will then chose the best pigeon-resistant ones to populate the banks of the Garden in the future. Another trial we are running is with several different types of miniature daffodil, set under various trees, with the intention that the best-performing of them will then be planted along the Broadwalk. Whichever varieties prove to be the strongest, you will have the cheering sight of the beautiful, delicate cups and trumpets to lighten the bleak winter months.

We are also in the midst of preparing the High Border for another colourful season after its triumph this summer. Vibrant tulips and alliums will be the heralds, followed by the combinations which satisfied me this year together with new varieties, new combinations, new colours. After all, if you don’t try to ring the changes you will never know what might have been.

These are the thoughts and challenges which make the wet and cold days seem far from miserable, and fill me with expectation and excitement for the coming year in the Inner Temple Garden.

HILARY HALE, GARDEN VOLUNTEER

There has been an increase lately in the number of men visiting the gardeners’ yard, proving the truth of the saying that ‘every man needs a shed’, as they pause to admire the handsome new tractor shed. It is a satisfying reaction to a project which has involved much expertise and professionalism to bring to fruition.

When it was agreed that a new and larger home was needed for the various pieces of garden machinery, our architect, Henry Thompson, and our surveyor, Rod Cunliffe, deploying patience, industry and diplomacy, saw the project through the lengthy planning process, triumphantly gaining approval for the first new building to be erected in the Inner Temple for several decades. Soon afterwards the contractors arrived. A couple of well-placed blows saw the old shed bite the dust and then it rained. And it went on raining. For some days the only activity was the pacing of architect, surveyor and contractor sending angry glances at the relentless covering of grey cloud. The gardeners wheeled their barrows round the site, wondering if a swimming pool had been ordered rather than a shed.

Eventually the skies cleared and, under the steady control of Paul Simmonds, the Inn’s Works Supervisor, foundations were finished, walls erected and the cedar roof completed, its crowning glory. It makes one smile, the corners of one’s mouth turning up to echo the shape of its eaves. It hints of the east, of the skyline of the Forbidden City. A Chinese functionary might have been tempted to add a lion, or perhaps Pegasus, at each corner, but such embellishment would detract from its nature. It is a shed, plain and simple, and one to satisfy the yearnings of every man, even an emperor.

FIT FOR AN EMPEROR

HILARY HALE, GARDEN VOLUNTEER
MARK JOHNSTON WOOD has joined the Inn as our new Director of Property and Head of the Estates Department. He was previously Property Director for the Salvation Army’s extensive property portfolio.

PAUL CLARK joined the Education & Training Department in October as Students & Scholarships Assistant. Paul previously worked at the British Academy where he was an Events Co-ordinator.

PRIYA PATEL joins the Catering Department as the new Deputy General Manager. She previously worked for Levy Restaurants at the O2 Arena, she has extensive experience having also run the catering department at Stationers Hall and worked for 5 years before that at the Royal Albert Hall.

CLARE RIDER
The Inn bids a fond farewell to the Clare Rider, the Archivist. Clare has worked for the Inn for 11 years during which time she has transformed the Inn’s archives into a modern resource for lawyers, historians and members of the general public. We wish her every success in her new role as Archivist at the Royal Chapel Windsor.

PETER WARD
On 18 December there was an informal gathering to mark Peter Ward’s 30 years’ service at the Inn. Originally from Bulawayo, Rhodesia (now Zimbabwe), where he was a linesman for the local electricity company, Peter joined the Surveyor’s Department in August 1978. He has served the Inn with distinction as Senior Electrician ever since, carrying out new installations and maintenance works. In his time here, he has known four Sub-Treasurers and at least 30 Treasurers, Admiral Homan and Sir John Pennycuick being the Sub-Treasurer and the Treasurer on his appointment. The Sub-Treasurer thanked Peter warmly for his hard work and dedication to the Inn.
HILARY EVENTS 2009

SUN 11 JANUARY, 11.15
FIRST CHORAL SERVICE OF THE
HILARY TERM

MON 2 FEBRUARY, 5.45 pm
CHORAL EVENSONG
CANDLEMAS: ANNIVERSARY OF THE
CONSECRATION OF THE ROUND
CHURCH, 1185
Followed by drinks in the Round (suggested
donation for drinks, £5.00).

SUN 8 FEBRUARY, 11.15am
CHORAL MATTINS
BLESSING OF THE DAVID LEWER
STAINED-GLASS WINDOW
Followed by lunch in Inner Temple Hall. To
book lunch, please contact Henrietta Amodio,
020 7353 8559, henrietta@templechurch.com

WED 25 FEBRUARY, 5.45pm
CHORAL EVENSONG
ASH WEDNESDAY

5 – 12 April
FROM PALM SUNDAY TO EASTER
A series of Musical and other Services.
Details to follow.

WED 6 MAY, 4.00pm
BBC CHORAL EVENSONG
Live broadcast

THURS 21 MAY, 5.45pm
CHORAL EVENSONG
Ascension Day. Three Churches Choral
Evensong: Temple Church, St Bride’s and
St Dunstan’s-in-the-West
Followed by drinks in the Master’s Garden for
the whole congregation.

THURS 18 MAY, 5.45pm
CHORAL EVENSONG
For High Sheriffs
Preacher: The Rt Revd The Bishop of Oxford
Followed by drinks in the Master’s Garden for
the whole congregation.

Events now on sale at
www.templemusic.org
PROCEDURES FOR BOOKING MASTERS OF THE BENCH:
- Private Guest Nights: sign in and give the name of your guest in the special Private Guest Night book. Contact: Kate Peters
- Call Nights: contact Elaina Soong
- Sunday Lunches not in Term: sign in the Sunday Lunch Book in the Smoking Room or contact Henrietta Amodio
- All other Dining Nights and Term Sunday Lunches: sign in the Diary in the Smoking Room by 4.00pm on the day or contact Kate Peters

MEMBERS OF HALL:
- Private Guest Nights: Kate Peters
- Call Nights: Elaina Soong
- Sunday Lunches not in Term: Henrietta Amodio
- All other Dining Nights and Term Sunday Lunches: Jacqueline Fenton
- All special dinners: Kate Peters

STUDENTS:
- Complete and return the application form or contact Jacqueline Fenton

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- Members Permit £2,150
- Residents Permit £1,100
- Motorbike Permit £330

DAILY PERMITS
- £20

HALF DAY PERMITS
- £11

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NO PERMIT?
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DIARY
HILARY TERM 2009

JANUARY

5 Treasury Office Opens
   Hall Opens
11 Choral Mattins in the Temple Church:
   First Service of the New Year
12 Hilary Law Sittings Begin
   Treasurer’s Reception for Benchers
13 Pupils’ Advocacy Introductory Evening
14 Treasurer’s Reception for Staff
15 Education & Training Committee
   Pension Scheme Trustees
19 Bar Liaison Committee
   Mentors’ Dining Night
20 Executive Committee
   Pegasus Scholarships Interviews
   Pupils’ Case Analysis Session
21 Council of the Inns of Court (MT)
   Pegasus Scholarships Interviews
   Qualifying Sessions Sub-Committee
22 Investment Sub-Committee
23-25 Pupils’ Advocacy Residential Weekend
26 Pupils’ & Students’ Affairs Sub-Committee
   Mixed Dining Night
29 Bench Table followed by Dinner for Benchers
30-31 Intervarsity Debating Competition
30- Highgate House Weekend

FEBRUARY

1- Intervarsity Mooting Competition
   Highgate House Weekend
3 Estates Committee
4 Books Sub-Committee
7 Pupils’ Advocacy Applications Day
10 Library Committee
11 Church Committee (IT)
   Private Guest Night
12 Abraham Lincoln 200th
   Anniversary Dinner
14 Pupils’ Advocacy Applications Day
16 Advocacy Training Committee
19 Circuit Committee
   Benchers’ Night
22 Pupils’ Practice Management Course
23 Bar Liaison Committee
   Education Day and Lecture Night
   (Master Schiemann)
24 Executive Committee

MARCH

1 Term Sunday Lunch
3 Estates Committee
5 Bench Table (Proposal Day)
6-8 Cumberland Lodge Weekend
9 Mentors’ Dining Night
11 Education & Training Committee
12 Hilary Term Call Night
14 BVC Scholarships & Exhibitions Interviews
16 Pupils’ Refresher Evening
18 Dinner to the Universities
21 BVC Scholarships & Exhibitions Interviews
23 Education Day and Lecture Night
   (Master Costa)
24 Pupillage Advice Evening
28-29 Advanced Advocacy Weekend
30- Hall Closes

APRIL

1 Council of the Inns of Court (IT)
   Books Sub-Committee
2 Bench Table
5 Children’s Easter Play in the Temple
   Church followed by the Easter Egg
   Hunt and Family Tea
5-12 From Palm Sunday to Easter:
   Temple Church Services & Music
7 Estates Committee
8 Library Committee
   Hilary Law Sittings End
9 Hall Closes