

**Big Questions and Alternative Answers  
The Year 12 Conference**

Day	Mon July 5th		Tues July 6th		Wed July 7th	
<b>Schools</b>	Wellsway	120	Norton Hill	120	Beechencliff	120
	Chew Valley	107	Writhlington	30	Hayesfield	100
	Somervale	40	Ralph Allen	92	Oldfield	30
	<b>Total</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>250</b>
	10 workshops: 27 max.		9 or 10 workshops: 27 max.		10 workshops: 25 max.	

**PROGRAMME**

Time	Room	Activity
<b>9.30</b>		Arrive at Bath Spa University
<b>9.45-10.15</b>	UT.G01  MT. G01	Group 1: Keynote Speech Mon/Tues: Lat Blaylock <i>'Believing in nothing: nihilism for people born in the 1990s'</i> Wed: Stephen Pett <i>'into the labyrinth...'</i>  Group 2 : Performance Mon: sacred chant and masked dance from the monks of Tashilhunpo Tibetan Buddhist monastery Tues/Wed: Rim Bim and group Nyahbinghi reggae drumming performance
<b>10.25-10.55</b>	UT.G01  MT.G01	Group 2: Keynote Speech: Mon/Tues: Lat Blaylock <i>'Believing in nothing: nihilism for people born in the 1990s'</i> Wed: Stephen Pett: <i>'into the labyrinth...'</i>  Group 1 : Performance Mon: sacred chant and masked dance from the monks of Tashilhunpo Tibetan Buddhist monastery Tues/Wed: Rim Bim and group Nyahbinghi reggae drumming performance

11.10-11.50		Workshop A
11.50-12.10		Break and Refreshments
12.10-1.00		Workshop B <i>and Evaluation (10 mins)</i>
1.15		Depart

## WORKSHOP A 11.10-11.50

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<b>A1</b> UT.G06	Lat Blaylock <i>'Creative Evil: an exploration of the imagery of rage and despair'</i>	Lat Blaylock <i>'Creative Evil: an exploration of the imagery of rage and despair'</i>	Stephen Pett <i>"Why should I lead a good life when The Good Life is on offer? Adverts, authority and happiness."</i>
<b>A2</b> MT.G01	Why do monks dance? Tashilhunpo monks discuss their performance	Rim Bim and reggae drummers discuss their performance	Rim Bim and reggae drummers discuss their performance
<b>A3</b> UT.G06	Louise Pope (Chew Valley) <i>Is it ethical to create life?</i>	Denise Cush (Bath Spa University) <i>Why do Teenagers become Witches?</i>	Mary Read/Tanya Laurenson (Hayesfield) <i>What is beauty?</i>
<b>A4</b> CP.101	Linda Hall (Wellsway) <i>So what do you think? Moral issues in the media</i>	Joel Mellor (Ralph Allen) <i>Are 'near death experiences' hallucinations?</i>	Ian Millstead (Beechencliff) <i>The Doctor and the Divine (Dr Who)</i>
<b>A5</b> CP.G12	Kevin Tingay (Bath Interfaith) <i>How can different faiths live together?</i>	Imam Rashad Azami (Bath Interfaith) <i>What does it mean to be a Muslim?</i>	Tracy Johnson (Culverhay) <i>Do we have a moral responsibility towards the planet?</i>
<b>A6</b>	Jane O'Hara (Bath Interfaith) <i>The Tranquility Zone</i>	Jane O'Hara (Bath Interfaith) <i>The Tranquility Zone</i>	Jane O'Hara (Bath Interfaith) <i>The Tranquility Zone</i>
<b>A7</b> UT.112	Gary Webber (Bath Interfaith) <i>Does religion bring about more peace or more conflict? A Jewish perspective</i>	Gary Webber (Bath Interfaith) <i>Does religion bring about more peace or more conflict? A Jewish perspective</i>	Gary Webber (Bath Interfaith) <i>Does religion bring about more peace or more conflict? A Jewish perspective</i>
<b>A8</b> UT.113	Imam Rashad Azami (Bath Interfaith) <i>What does it mean to be a Muslim?</i>	Paul Reid-Bowen (Bath Spa University) <i>Is there a God gene?</i>	Iftikhar Malik (Bath Spa University) <i>What do we seem to know about Muslims?</i>
<b>A9</b> TN.G17	Ros Fielder (Somervale) <i>Auschwitz: to be or not to be, that is the question</i>	Ros Fielder (Somervale) <i>Auschwitz: to be or not to be, that is the question</i>	Ros Fielder (Somervale) <i>Auschwitz: to be or not to be, that is the question</i>
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<b>B2</b> MT.G01	Graham Lever (Tibetan Buddhist) <i>Mind Beyond Death? A Tibetan Buddhist View</i>	Catherine Robinson (Bath Spa University) The Lion of Judah: Rastas, Reggae and Haile Selassie	Kevin Tingay (Bath Interfaith) <i>How can different faiths live together?</i>
<b>B3</b> UT.G06	Louise Pope (Chew Valley) <i>So why are you a Buddhist?</i>	Denise Cush (Bath Spa University) <i>Why do Teenagers become Witches?</i>	Mary Read/Tanya Laursen (Hayesfield) <i>What is beauty?</i>
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