

Weekly Bulletin

FRIDAY 14 June 2024 SUMMER TERM WEEK 8

PRINCIPAL'S BLOG

Please read Mr Wilding's most recent blog - "Doing the right thing right - There is an even greater good!"

FROM THE OFFICE

ALL YEAR GROUPS

Preparing for Adulthood Event - 28 June

The Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead invite you to the '<u>Preparing for Adulthood: Information and next steps'</u> event for parents/carers of young people living in RBWM with special educational needs (SEND).

When: 10:30am - 1pm Friday 28 June

Where: Desborough Bowling Club, 10 Green Lane, Maidenhead SL6 1XZ

Who: Parents and carers of young people with special educational needs SEND)

who are considering their next steps following school (Year 10 onwards)

What:

- The key information and dates for a young person transitioning to college or employment
- An explanation of what supported employment options are available
- An opportunity to share your concerns and anxieties, and ask questions
- Information from key supporting agencies

Summer Fete - Saturday 29 June - tickets now available to order

Please click the link here to purchase your tickets!! Come and enjoy a day of fun with activities for the whole family, delicious food and vendors selling a variety of goods at our Junior School (SL6 4QQ). There is something for everyone at this summer event with our Year 7 - 9 Senior Girls running some of the stalls so parent support is much appreciated.



Sports Day - Thursday 4 July

This year's Sports Day will be taking place during the **afternoon** of Thursday 4 July at Thames Valley Athletics Centre. Further details will follow, but please save the date for now.

PTA Nearly New Uniform Sale - Friday 5 July 2.30pm-4.30pm

Any donations of good quality outgrown school uniform (blazers and skirts are always in demand) would be greatly appreciated by the PTA for their next sale in July. Please drop off any unwanted items to the school office before the sale. The event is on the stage hall with the entrance via the lower car park. All purchases are to be made via credit/debit card and not cash - thank you.

YEAR GROUP INFORMATION

Monday 1 July Sports Award Evening 6pm-9pm College Avenue All Senior and Sixth Form girls and parents Year 7 - Year 13 are invited to our annual sports award evening. The price of a ticket is £20 per person attending (deadline for tickets is now Monday 24 June) and includes a welcome drink and BBQ - please find information here that has been emailed home recently.

YEAR 7 ONLY

Christian Workshop

As part of the RS curriculum, next week the Y7 students will take part in a 1 hour Christian workshop at CCSB. The sessions will be led by Wayne Dixon from Christian Connections in Schools. It will be a great opportunity for the girls and boys to work together.

Wednesday 19 June - 7A (Period 1)

Depart SG @ 8.50am and head to SB Depart SB to return to SG @ 10.15am

Thursday 20 June - 7C (Period 3)

Depart SG @ 11.30am and head to SB Depart SB to return to SG @ 12.50pm

Friday 21 June - 7B (Period 3)

Depart SG @ 11.30am and head to SB Depart SB to return to SG @ 12.50 pm

YEAR 7 AND YEAR 8

Performance Arts Platform - Tuesday 25 June

6pm-7.45pm amended timings

Due to the number of different types of acts/solo performances now involved we are extending the evening to 7.45pm please see details below:

5.45pm: Arrival via the Atrium 6pm: Performances commence 6.45pm: Refreshment break

7.45pm: End

If you would like to attend and haven't confirmed yet please complete the <u>google</u> <u>form here</u> by Monday 17 June so we have an idea of audience numbers. We look forward to seeing you there.

If you are unable to make the evening please collect your daughter at 8pm.

YEAR 8 ONLY

Y8 British Library Trip - 24/25 June

You will have received a letter via email this week (Tuesday) about the <u>Y8 British Library</u> trip indicating whether your daughter is going to the British Library on Monday 24 or Tuesday 25 June. Please note the following:

- drop off at 8am to the Senior Girls' school (1 College Avenue, SL6 6AW)
- school uniform
- nut-free packed lunch, snacks, drinks
- pen and clipboard
- 4.45pm return to Senior Boys and Senior Girls respectively

HPV Immunisations - Thursday 27 June

Just a reminder to complete the <u>electronic form</u> to either give **or** withhold consent using school code **BK110153G**.

YEAR 10 ONLY

Sixth Form Taster Experience - Wednesday 26 June

Please find the <u>Year 10 Sixth Form Taster Experience invite</u> for pupils to find out what it's like to be a Sixth Form student. This will be within the normal school day so the usual arrival time/location applies. Full school uniform to be worn.

YEAR 11 ONLY

Return of Chromebooks

All Claires Court issued chromebooks and power supplies need to be returned to school prior to the end of term, so please leave these with the School Office/Reception at a convenient time post exams and by 11 July. The devices will be reset ensuring no individual personal data remain on them and then used as spares or placed into an ethical recycling service. Those continuing with us into Sixth Form will be issued a new chromebook for their Sixth Form studies. For these pupils staying with us for Sixth Form, there will be a Year 12 Induction day on Tuesday 9 July.

Thorpe Park - Thursday 20 June

Those who have paid for the Thorpe Park trip will have received an email on 24 May containing details of the final arrangements. Please note the following:

- All pupils to meet at Senior Boys SL6 8TE by 8.30am Thursday 20 June, estimated return to Senior Boys 5pm
- Please DO NOT drive into the Senior Boys school as coaches will be arriving/departing at the above times
- Pupils are representing Claires Court so sensible behaviour is required and expected at all times
- Remember to bring waterproof, suncream, lunch, drinks, money, medical items (e.g. inhaler, epipen) as required

Year 11 Prom - 21 June

If your daughter has a ticket to the <u>Year 11 Prom</u> we look forward to seeing you both from 6.30pm on Friday 21 June at Moor Hall in Cookham (SL6 9HQ). Please

note a welcome drink is included in the ticket price, after which your daughter might wish to bring money/card payment to purchase soft drinks at the bar.

Study Arrangements

Week Commencing Monday 17 June

Please complete the <u>google form here</u> by today **Friday 14 June** for next week. The final day for exams is Wednesday 19 June.

GCSE Contingency Days

Please find <u>GCSE Rules and Regulations Booklet</u> and note that all pupils must be available for a possible contingency day on **Wednesday 26 June** - all day.

Unwanted School Uniform - donations greatly appreciated

The PTA are holding a uniform sale on **Friday 5 July** and our PTA would appreciate donated good quality items to pop into their sale (blazers and skirts are always in demand). Please drop into the school office prior to the sale being held. Thank you in advance.

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