



## Open Evening



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Wednesday 26th June 2013 (6.30pm-8.30pm) Head Teacher's Talks at 6.30pm and 7.30pm

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Please note that College will be closing at 2.20pm on Wednesday 26th June 2013, due to Open Evening.

School buses will not be available - please make alternative arrangements.



## Library News



24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2013

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Times: Break, Lunchtime, 3.20 – 4.00pm

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## Literacy Corner

I and me



Sometimes it is hard to choose between I and me. A good tip, to help you to decide, is to take out the other person from the sentence.

FOR EXAMPLE: *The next door neighbours invited Dave and me to a barbecue.*

If you remove Dave from the sentence, it must still make sense. Me is the correct choice in this sentence.

TRY THE FOLLOWING:

James and \_\_\_ went to the school play. They asked if Julie and \_\_\_ wanted to go to town.

This present is for you and \_\_\_ .

You and \_\_\_ didn't leave the room in this mess.

The teacher asked Peter and \_\_\_ to stop talking.

REMEMBER: The pronoun I is always written as a capital letter.

## World Challenge Fundraising



Pupils taking part in the College expedition to Swaziland in July 2014 have been busy fundraising. On Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June 16 pupils spent their day bag packing in Asda, Birkenhead. The group managed to raise awareness of their challenge and raised over £700 towards their expedition. Well done to all and good luck with the rest of your funding raising.

## 'Crop to Shop'

In Geography Year 7 have been learning about where food comes from and how it gets from 'crop to shop'. In a class discussion it emerged that the father of one of 7VP works as an international beef importer and it transpired he was only too happy to share his experiences with us. Mr Hewitt, who works for Marfrig came into school to talk about his role which ranged from monitoring animal care to farming practices. It was fascinating to hear how GPS satellites are used to prevent unlawful destruction of the rainforest The whole afternoon was very informative and thoroughly enjoyed by all. A big thank you to Mr Hewitt for taking time out of his busy schedule.



## Street Child Africa



On Friday 7th June, the Street Child Africa Cup Final was played between 7SB and 7JB. The knock-out tournament started with 14 teams; a total of 70 boys from Year 7, each paying £1 to take part. All proceeds are going to our school charity, Street Child Africa.

The game started quietly with no goals in the first 15 minutes. Then the match burst into life with 7SB taking the lead. Five more goals followed to leave the game 3 - 3 at full-time. The referee (Mr Jones) selected 'golden goal' as the only way to decide who would be crowned worthy winners.

The partnership of Michael Collins and Matthew Wilde of 7JB proved unstoppable as they worked together to ensure 7JB lifted the trophy. A huge £70 was raised, making the real winners Street Child Africa.

## Scuba Diving

In preparation for their visit to Spain, 37 pupils from SJP travelled to Wallasey to practice their diving skills in calmer water. The day consisted of a health and safety briefing and a 30 minute dive in the swimming pool. All pupils experienced what it felt like to be completely submerged and had the opportunity to familiarise themselves with the kit. Excitement levels are now building for the real deal in Spain.

## Coming up

- Y9 Bronze Expedition: 23rd June - 24th June
- 6th Form leavers celebration - 28th June
- Y9 Bronze Expedition: 30th June - 1st July
- Open Evening: 26th June
- Summer Festival: 3rd July
- SJP Experience: 15th July - 17th July

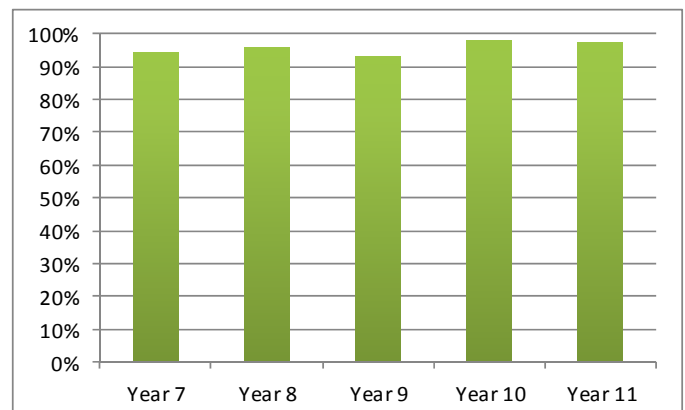
## Food Revolution



Food Revolution has continued to grow at SJP this week with Year 7 using strawberries from the poly tunnel in practical cooking lessons to make their 5-a-day fruit salad. They're now looking forward to picking their own salad leaves and herbs to use in in their kaleidoscope couscous salad next week.



## Attendance - 03/06/13 - 07/06/13



**Year 7 - 94.0% Year 8 - 95.9% Year 9 - 93.2%**  
**Year 10 - 97.6% Year 11 - 97.1%**

## Language Corner

### French fact of the fortnight

French is spoken as the first language not only of France but it is also the first language in many different countries across the world including parts of Canada and Africa. There are more than 75 million French speakers worldwide.

Your Challenge: - The largest French speaking city in the world has 9,000,000 inhabitants. Which of the following cities is the largest French speaking city in the world?

- a) Kinshasa (Congo)
- b) Abidjan (Ivory Coast)
- c) Dakar (Senegal)
- d) Paris (France)



The first 5 correct entries to Madame Smart in MFL 5 will receive a house point.

## Maths Corner

Here are some mathematical words without vowels. Can you figure out what they might be?

- NTRSCTN
- SQNC
- LKLY
- MTHMTCS
- TTL
- PRDCT
- XPLN
- CRCMCRCL
- DGR
- DGNL

Solution for last week



## Weekly Theme - 'Forgiveness'

### Luke 7: 36-50

When one of the Pharisees invited Jesus to have dinner with him, He went to the Pharisee's house and reclined at the table. A woman in that town who lived a sinful life learned that Jesus was eating at the Pharisee's house, so she came there with an alabaster jar of perfume. As she stood behind Him at His feet weeping, she began to wet His feet with her tears. Then she wiped them with her hair, kissed them and poured perfume on them. When the Pharisee who had invited Him saw this, he said to himself, "If this man were a prophet, He would know who is touching Him and what kind of woman she is—that she is a sinner." Jesus answered him, "Simon, I have something to tell you." "Tell me, teacher," he said. "Two people owed money to a certain moneylender. One owed him five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. Neither of them had the money to pay him back, so he forgave the debts of both. Now which of them will love him more?" Simon replied, "I suppose the one who had the bigger debt forgiven." "You have judged correctly," Jesus said. Then He turned toward the woman and said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I came into your house. You did not give me any water for my feet, but she wet my feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. You did not give me a kiss, but this woman, from the time I en-

tered, has not stopped kissing my feet. You did not put oil on my head, but she has poured perfume on my feet. Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven—as her great love has shown. But whoever has been forgiven little loves little." Then Jesus said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." The other guests began to say among themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?" Jesus said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."

The three hardest words that we ever have to say are 'I am sorry'. Often people think that the church is made up of people that are good all the time. In fact the church is for people who have to say those words, and do say them to God and to those they have offended. Thank God that the church is there for sinners! Jesus during his life on earth was told off many times by respectable people for spending time with the gamblers, drug addicts and prostitutes of his time. Jesus showed them real concern, sharing love can wipe wrongdoings.

**God of wisdom and love, from you all goodness comes. Help us who have done wrong to return to a life of thoughtfulness and love.**

