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NEWSLETTER



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Coming Up

This Week - W/C 19.6.2017 (Week 2)

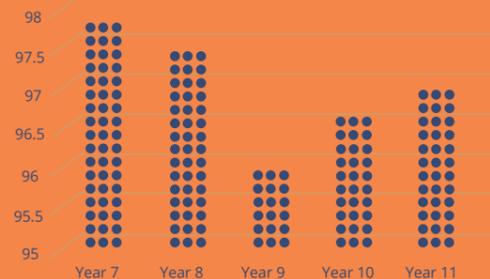
- JUN 19** D of E Practice
- JUN 20** D of E Practice
Full dress rehearsals - A Night at the Musicals
Institute of Physics - STEM Ambassadors Day
- JUN 21** Full dress rehearsals - A Night at the Musicals
- JUN 22** Full dress rehearsals - A Night at the Musicals
La Vina Restaurant, Liverpool
Lancaster Uni Visit
PSHE P2
SJP V SMCC Sports Day Yr 7/8
Whole school - A Night at the Musicals' cabaret style performance.
- JUN 23** Visit to Formby / Crosby Sand Dunes

This Week - W/C 26.6.2017 (Week 1) National of Sports Week

- JUN 26** DoFE Bronze Practice Expedition
HPV Year 8 Vaccinations
- JUN 27** HPV Year 9 Vaccinations
Year 7/8 Rounders Tournament
- JUN 28** University of Chester Year 12 Business Taster Day
- JUN 29** Cream Tea Day
SJP V SMC Sports Day Yr 9/10
- JUN 30** Rewards trip to Liverpool Water Sports Centre
Visit to the University of Liverpool

ATTENDANCE

12.06.17 - 16.06.17



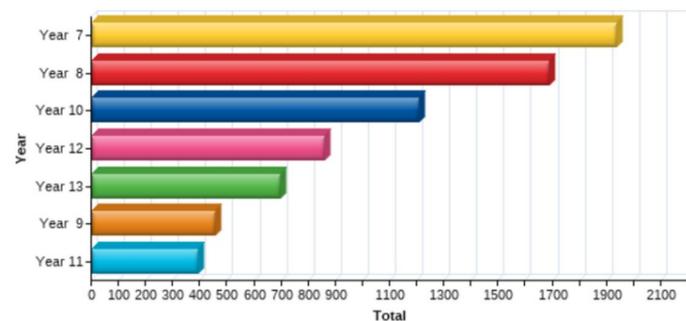
EXAM TIMETABLE

19 - 23 June

DATE	EXAM	BOARD	TIME
19.6.17	Chemistry A Level	AQA	9.00am
19.6.17	GCE Chemistry Energetics	AQA	9.00am
19.6.17	GCE Understanding Human Behaviour	EDEXL/GCE	1.00pm
19.6.17	GCE A2 Religion Studies	AQA	1.00pm
20.6.17	GCSE History - British Society 1931-51	EDEXL/GCSE	9.00am
20.6.17	Biology A Level	AQA	9.00am
20.6.17	GCE Core Maths	EDEXL/GCE	1.00pm
20.6.17	Sociology A Level	AQA	1.00pm
21.6.17	A Level History - Tudors 1485 - 1603	EDEXL/GCE	9.00am
21.6.17	Physics A Level	AQA	9.00am
21.6.17	GCE A2 Physics - Astrophysics	AQA	9.00am
22.6.17	Eng Lang & Lit A Level - Drama	WJEC/GCE	9.00am
22.6.17	Spanish A Level Listening/Reading/Writing	WJEC/GCE	9.00am
22.6.17	Psychology A Level	AQA	1.00pm
23.6.17	GCE Core Maths C4	EDEXL/GCE	1.00pm

VIVO REWARDS

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For one night only...

...Come and join us as we take a voyage through the world of musicals. Brought to you for one night only SJP's Performing Arts Department present a summer extravaganza entitled A Night At The Musicals. Set to take place on Thursday 22nd June at 6.30pm, the show will feature favourite scenes and songs from musicals old and new. The songs included will be from Bugsy Malone, Guys and Dolls and Wicked, to new and emerging musicals Ghost, La La Land and this year's Best Musical Award winner at the Tony Awards, Dear Evan Hansen. Tickets are priced at £3.00 (£2.00 concessions) and are available at reception. Be sure to secure your place soon! It's not one to miss!



Touch Rugby Tournament

On Wednesday 14th June, the year 7/8 Wirral schools touch rugby tournament took place at Oldershaw Rugby Club. The winner of this tournament represents Wirral at the Merseyside School Games in July, which in the past we have won. The girls were very successful, winning all of their games in the group stage and therefore progressing as the winners of the tournament. They beat Woodchurch, Wirral Grammar, South Wirral, Bebington High and Weatherhead, demonstrating excellent skills and team work throughout. They represented St John Plessington impeccably.



HEALTHY EATING WEEK

This week pupils across all years were encouraged to take part in Healthy Eating challenges as part of the British Nutrition Foundations Healthy Eating Week. On Thursday free fruit was given out on the yard at break alongside a "guess the ingredient" smoothie challenge and tasting session of a healthy Pea Pate. Students relished in the challenges and thoroughly enjoyed taking part. It was a pleasure to see the pupils and staff getting so much joy from such healthy snacks and hopefully everyone will continue to think about making healthier choices in the future.



WIRRAL FUSS

Wirral FUSS works to encourage the free distribution of school uniforms for re-use by families, without judgment of circumstances.

This is just a half-term reminder that our Hubs around Wirral are available to supply Free Uniform for Secondary School AND NOW ALSO Free Uniform for Primary School.

Our website <http://www.wirralfuss.co.uk/> lists which Hubs serve which Schools and there is a request form to reserve the items you need. All our contact details and the locations of our hubs are available on our website.

You can contact us at: wirralfuss@yahoo.co.uk or on 0151 632 6524

Thanks and best wishes
Andy Kemp
(Wirral FUSS Development Coordinator)



WEEKLY THEME - "BREAD THAT GIVES LIFE"



John 6: 51-58

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world.'

Then the Jews started arguing among themselves, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?'

Jesus replied to them: In all truth I tell you, if you do not eat the flesh of the Son of man and drink his blood, you have no life in you.

Anyone who does eat my flesh and drink my blood has eternal life, and I shall raise that person up on the last day.

For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink.

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live in that person.

As the living Father sent me and I draw life from the Father, so whoever eats me will also draw life from me.

This is the bread which has come down from heaven; it is not like the bread our ancestors ate: they are dead, but anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.

The Feast of Body and Blood of Jesus.

Changing our ways is never easy, just ask someone who is trying to lose weight and has signed up for Slimming World or Weightwatchers.

Chocolates and sweets and cream cakes seem to continually cry out to be eaten. It's not easy to change.

Our sin is a lot like our liking food that if we have too much of is not good for us. We can find ourselves locked into negative behaviour that we cannot get out of.

Most of us try so hard to move from hatred and anger or pride to something that is a better way of living. As Christians we do this by following the example of Jesus, and Sometimes this can seem like an never ending task for us.

But if we think about it isn't transformation at the heart of what happens during mass? The bread and wine are changed 'through the words of Consecration said by the priest into the Body and Blood of Jesus.' When we receive Holy Communion the real presence of Jesus enters us. This presence of Jesus inside us has the power to heal and change us.

This is what is at the heart of Communion. In Communion we receive the bread that gives us life and can transform us into living our life in a new and exciting way.

With all the horrible events happening in our country in these last few days and weeks, we have never been in such need of transformation.

Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, nourish me with your Body and Blood so that I may become what I receive in showing your loving presence to a world in such need.

Amen