



St. Julie's Catholic High School

Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning 3rd December 2018

Forthcoming dates for your diary...

6th December
Year 7 Parents
Evening

17th December
Year 10 Parents
SENCO Coffee
Morning



St. Julie's Geography department supports Operation Christmas Child

Pupils in Year 8 have been busy volunteering in recent weeks helping Ms Jones from the Geography department organise the creation and collection of Christmas shoeboxes to be sent to children across the world who otherwise would not receive a Christmas present. You can read more in the [full story on our website](#).



Year 7 Grow Their Mindset in Assembly

Students in 7 Rigby have led an inspiring assembly this week exploring a 'growth' mindset. The assembly centred around growth principles by exploring the word itself. You can find out what each of the letters stood for in the [full story on our website!](#)



Dance Students Explore London Culture

On Friday 70 students from Years 9, 10, 11 and 12 visited London as part of their Dance courses. The trip included a workshop at the famous Pineapple Dance studios and a trip to the Royal Opera House. Find out more about their adventures in the [full story on our website](#).

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Year 11 Get a Taste of Sixth Form

This week 23 Year 11 students got a taste of Sixth Form teaching when they attended the English Literature taster event. This helped them get a feel of what the A Level course is like and will also help them to make those all important decisions next Summer about their courses. The full schedule of taster lessons can be found [on our website](#).



Knowledge Brewing for BTEC Scientists

The Year 13 BTEC Scientists were invited to visit Chapter Brewing Company in Runcorn to learn about the industrial application of enzymes. The students saw all the processes involved in the life cycle of making beer. They learnt how the temperature, pH and concentration of enzymes were regulated to ensure consistent quality of product and also how sanitation and quality control were a vital part of the production process.



Ministry Team Celebrate With OLA

On Saturday, 24th November, members of Overwhelm – St. Julie's Music Ministry Team – joined the parishioners of Our Lady of the Assumption, near Belle Vale to celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, the final weekend of the Church year. [Read all about it here](#).

Wellbeing Boxes

Mrs McCourt circulated a letter to parents this week about 'wellbeing boxes' in classrooms. You can find a [copy of the letter here](#).

Careers Updates

Our [careers updates page](#) is carrying a link to the November Apprenticeships parent pack.

Year 11 Mock Exams

Mrs McCourt has recently circulated information to parents of Year 11 students regarding the January mock examinations. You can see a [copy of the information here](#).

'Elevate' Activities for Year 10 and 11 students

Throughout this half term we will be running a number of activities with 'Elevate' a national educational advisory service. You can find out more about what is happening in letters circulated this week to parents of students in [Year 10](#) and [Year 11](#).

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In-School Sickness

At this time of year, sickness is often prevalent. We have a system in place in school to support students that are feeling unwell. Pupils must not phone or text home and arrange to be collected and parents should only arrive at school to collect a sick child once they have spoken to relevant staff in school. In any instances of sickness or more general upset, pupils must report to staff for assistance and cannot under any circumstances remove themselves from lessons and remain unsupervised. Pupils contacting parents themselves usually causes unnecessary worry and distress to parents. Parents arriving at school unannounced cannot always be seen by staff and may have to wait before being able to take their daughter home, if this is what they wish to do. We would ask that parents/carers support the school with this system.

Administration of Medication

It is the responsibility of parents/carers to inform the school of their child's medical needs before the student joins the school, or as soon as a new medical condition is diagnosed.

Parents/carers **must complete** the appropriate Form ([Form 3B](#)) [Parental agreement for school setting to administer medication](#). **A member of staff cannot administer medication for your daughter unless the completed form is returned to school. Written permission from parents/carers is required** for students to self-administer medicine(s). A Request to Self-Administer Medication Form must be completed (see Form 7).

In instances where a pupil feels unwell during the school day, they should speak to their Progress Leader at break or lunchtime. The normal expectation would be that, if a pupil has been deemed well enough to attend school, then they ought to remain in school for the full

day. Pupils must not use mobile phones to contact parents during the school day to request to be picked up from school. If their Progress Leader deems it necessary for the pupil to be sent home, they will ask the Admin Team to contact parents. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Parking

We're delighted that phase two of our building work is approaching completion but we do still have contractors on site completing surface work and line painting. Can we please remind people that:

- There is no on-site parking for parents or carers
- Parking is not allowed on the yellow 'zig-zags' in Woolton Street or on double yellow lines, including those on Speke Road between Watergate Lane and Manor Road
- Please also do not use parking facilities reserved for the use of other organisations, such as Woolton Day Nursery

All local schools and nurseries have asked their School Liaison Police Officers to support in ensuring that no young person is put at risk of harm by illegal or inappropriate parking. There is ample free, safe and legal parking available on High Street, a two minute walk from the school which pupils can reach without crossing any roads.