



St. Julie's Catholic High School

Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning 3rd March 2017

Forthcoming dates for your diary...

Year 8 Options Evening
Thursday 9th March

Year 12 Parents Evening
Thursday 16th March

Year 11 Parent Seminar
Wednesday 22nd March

Year 9 Parents Evening
Thursday 30th March

End of Summer Term for Students
Friday 14th July 2017

Start of Autumn Term for Students
Monday 18th September 2017



World Book Day 2017

Thursday the 2nd March marked the 20th annual celebration of World Book Day around the globe. At St. Julie's we embraced the day with lots of fun bookish activities including quizzes, reviews, discussions and – of course – lots of reading for pleasure!

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Year 9 Students Blog for Educate Magazine

Well done to our team of Year 9 bloggers who are writing for Educate Magazine. The first of the blog pieces, by Jessica Reid, discusses making options choices and is [available to read on the Educate website](#).



Year 10 Clean Up

Some of our Year 10 students have been doing their bit for our local community with a litter pick. During part of their work on PSHE day the students went out to Camp Hill to care for our environment in a very direct way by filling some bin bags!

Your list of contacts at St. Julie's

You can click any of the hyperlinked names below to send an email.

Progress Leaders

Year 7: [Miss C Bennett](#)

Year 8: [Mrs L Rainey-Barwise](#)

Year 9: [Miss J Clarke](#)

Year 10: [Miss C Corrigan](#)

Year 11: [Miss L Gawley](#)

Sixth Form: [Mrs A Jones](#)

Curriculum Leaders

English: [Miss C Sarson](#)

Maths: [Miss R Lee](#)

Science: [Mrs S Bruce](#)

RE: [Mrs S Foster](#)

MFL: [Ms H Mathison](#)

Humanities: [Mrs A Wood](#)

Performing Arts (including PE): [Miss J Roberts](#)

Technology (including Health and Social Care): [Mr P Radburn](#)

ICT and Social Sciences (including Sociology, Psychology and Business Studies): [Mrs D Black](#)

Why not visit our Websites?

[St. Julie's Main Website](#)

[Chaplaincy Website](#)

[English Blog](#)



Year 8 Class

Musical Casting

Well done to students in 8A who have been auditioning for parts in their class musical today.

A special well done goes to the main cast members: Bria Birkett as Nala, Erin Lynch as ZaZu and Abigail McDonough as Simba.

Data Point Reports

All parent/carers will receive their daughter's mid-year report by Friday 7th April.

Year 13 Mock Re-Sits

Resits for the Year 13 Mock Exams will commence on Monday 20th March.

Year 11 Elevate Programme

The final session of the Year 11 Elevate Programme will take place at 2:20pm on Wednesday 22nd March and will focus on effective revision techniques and will include: **Memory and Mnemonics:** Improving memory and information recall under pressure; understanding semantic learning, live association, chunking and triggers. Following on from this session Form Tutors will support students during form period and will link the sessions to video based activities and study support skills.

Year 8 Options Evening

Year 8 students and their parents are invited to an information evening on Thursday 9th March from

5pm to 7pm in the Dorothy Stang Theatre. The evening will be a chance for you to gain an understanding of the options process as well as a chance to ask any questions. Parent feedback in previous years has shown that the evening has been found to be very helpful and informative, and we hope to see you there.

Year 11 Parent Seminar

Wednesday 22nd March 5-6pm

Please [see this letter](#) to find out further information about the Parent Seminar event. This workshop will provide useful information for parents in preparation for GCSE examinations.

Summer Series Examinations

Parents of students in Years 11 and 13 will have received important information this week about the forthcoming Summer series examinations. The letter set out details about exam procedures and some very important rules, and a copy can be found [here on our website](#).

Parking

Parking continues to be hugely constrained during the construction of our new building. Could we once again ask all of our parents to respect the parking restrictions in and around the school site. Parents should not be bringing vehicles onto the school site at all, unless blue badge holders or to pick up an unwell or injured child. Thank you for your co-operation.