



# St. Julie's Catholic High School

## Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning 10th June 2019

### Forthcoming dates for your diary...

#### 19<sup>th</sup> June

Golden Jubilee  
Celebration  
Liverpool Cathedral

#### 27<sup>th</sup> June

4:00-6:00pm  
Year 4 and 5 Open  
Evening

#### 28<sup>th</sup> June and 1<sup>st</sup> July

School INSET days



### Students Return From Exploring Paris

Students on the combined MFL and DT department trip to Paris at the Half Term have returned full of happy memories. The group stayed at a PGL centre in the outskirts of Paris, which left them well placed to take in some famous Parisian sights, including the Sacré Coeur, the Eiffel tower, the Arc de Triomphe and Champs Elysees. They also squeezed in a visit to Disneyland to enjoy some of the rides! Visit the [full story on our web site](#) for the photo gallery.



### Congratulations to Young Footballers

Never mind the Champions League and the League Two play off because 'Finals fever' gripped St Julies in the last week of term! Ten players from Years 7 and 8 played in the Merseyside Football final at Ruskin Sports Village in St Helens, and finished a very creditable 3rd place with 4 wins, 3 draws and only one defeat.



### Sixth Formers take studying Tourism to a new level!

Some of the Year 12 students studying the Level 3 Applied Diploma in Tourism had the opportunity to learn about what they will be studying in a practical way this week when they were able to make a guided tour of both the Liverpool Mercantile Waterfront UNESCO site and then the Royal Liver Building. [Read more here!](#)

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## Golden Jubilee Service

As part of our celebrations of the 50th anniversary of the canonisation of St Julie, we will be taking all students in Year 7-10 to Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King on Wednesday 19th June where they will gather with students from the other Notre Dame schools in the United Kingdom. More details will follow in a letter shortly, but this promises to be a fantastic celebration of an amazing woman!

## Standardised Tests for Students in Years 7, 8 and 9

[Updated information](#) about external assessments for students in Years 7, 8 and 9 has been circulated by Mrs McCourt this week.

## ADDvanced Community Network Summer Term Offer

Please follow [this link](#) for details of the Summer Term offer from ADDvanced Solutions Community Network, which offers a wealth of opportunities for parents of students with neurodevelopmental conditions such as ADHD, Autism Spectrum Disorder, Sensory Processing and Learning Difficulties.

## Free Design and Built Environment Workshop

Bookings are now available for limited free places on the PLACED Academy - an out of hours workshop programme for students who will be in Years 10, 11 and 12 next year who have an interest in building, design and architecture. [Learn more here.](#)

## Residential Opportunity for Visually Impaired Students

The Royal National College for the Blind have asked us to make parents aware of a great residential weekend opportunity for students with visual impairment.

The weekend takes place on the 26th and 27th October, and you can find [more information here.](#)

To make an application please use [this application form.](#)

## Weekly Attendance Round Up

The attendance at St. Julie's last week is shown in the table below.

Group	% Attend
Year 07	94.3
Year 08	90.7
Year 09	92.5
Year 10	93.1
Year 11	91.0
Year 12	90.0
Year 13	89.7
Totals	92.0

## Supporting Your Child During Exam Time

As begin the exam season, Young Minds have launched advice for parents about supporting their children.

Tips include:

- Encourage your child to take revision breaks and find a balance between studying and doing things they find enjoyable and relaxing.
- Make sure they are eating and drinking at regular intervals.
- Reassure them – reinforce that you are and will be proud of them no matter what happens.
- Remain positive and hopeful!
- Let them know their feelings are valid and normal, but also offer support and solutions where possible.
- Anxiety is often worst at night and this means it is useful to encourage good bedtime routine

You can find out more [here.](#)

## In-School Sickness

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

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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.

May we further remind parents that as well as contacting school on the day of each absence, students should be provided with a written note from parents on their return to school.

## 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

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.