



St. Julie's Catholic High School

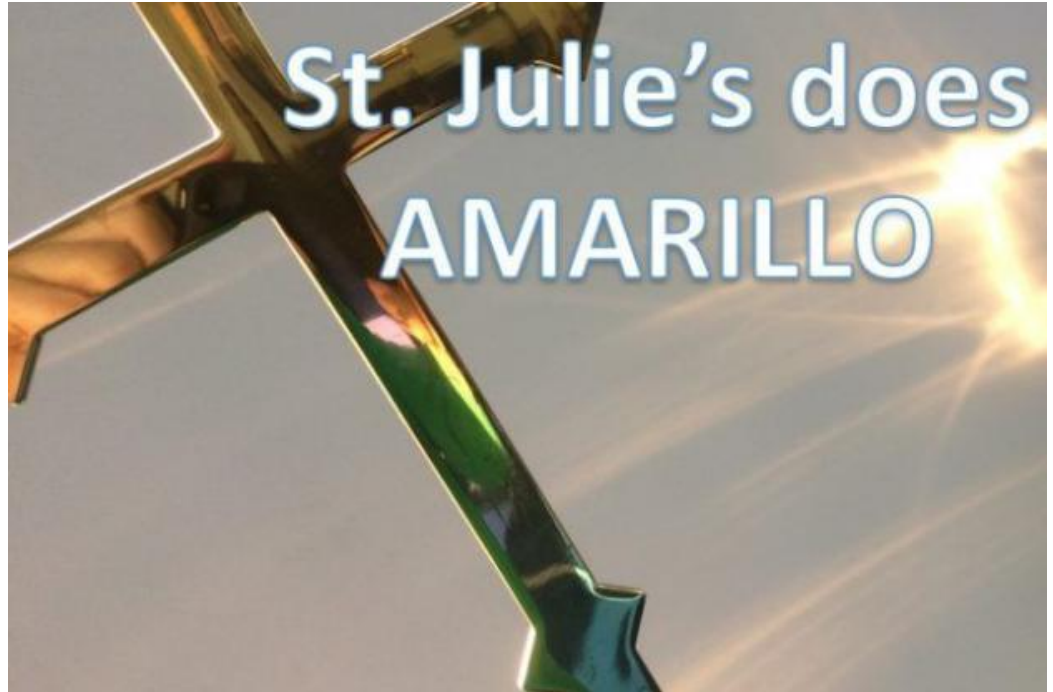
Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning 18th May 2020

Forthcoming Dates for your Diary

Following the Prime Minister's statement on the 10th May Mrs McCourt has written to all parents. Please see the news item in the newsletter.

Please continue to follow the Government's daily briefings for the latest guidance.



Happy Feast Day!

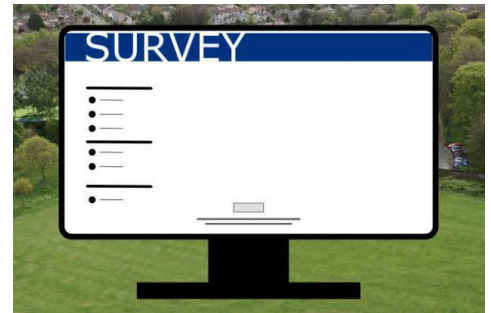
As we were unable to celebrate the Feast Day of St. Julie's with a celebration in school, we invited staff and students to celebrate in a collaborative video that we hope will raise a smile for everyone. The question remains – does anybody know [the way to Amarillo](#)?



Letter to all parents and carers

Letter to all Parents

Mrs McCourt has written to all Parents and Carers following the Prime Minister's announcement on Sunday 10th May. A copy of the letter is [available here](#).



Parent Survey

It would help us know what has worked well out of the activities provided over the last five school weeks and what has proved difficult to achieve using remote learning. This information will help us to make adjustments to our remote learning programme and, where possible, provide additional support. If you could [complete this survey](#) it would be really helpful for us.

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Stars of Lockdown – Week 2!

Our second round of 'lockdown star' certificates have been issued and the photos are coming back in! Congratulations to all of our hardworking stars for their outstanding efforts, and thanks to Cara and Brooke for sending in photos to us!



Baked to Perfection!

During each week of lockdown, Mrs Whitfield has been putting up lots of recipes on the VLE for Hospitality and Catering classes to try out at home. The students have been cooking at home and developing skills they have learned in school. This will not only help to improve the practical skills needed for their exam but is also a lovely way to relax after doing their home school work every day. Have a look at the photo gallery in the [full story on the website!](#)

Letter to Sixth Form Applicants

There's a letter in the post to all of the applicants that have applied for a place at our Sixth Form. You can also [read a copy here.](#)



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Online Lessons Available at Oak National Academy

We'd like to remind parents that your daughter can access a full suite of online lessons via the [Oak National Academy](#). This includes 180 lessons (approx. 25 minutes per lesson) for all topics and ability levels. This is a DfE approved programme and will continue to support your daughter's learning at home.



Thursday at Seven

This week's reflection took us back to the cobbled streets of Namur. To find out what that has to do with branding, join the reflection at the [Chaplaincy Website.](#)



Wellbeing Bingo!

Eyes down for a full house! Help look after your wellbeing with this [wellbeing bingo poster](#) created by Miss Izquierdo-Collins. Cross off the square when you've completed an activity and see if you can get the full set. We love to publish photos of our students so if you can take a photo carrying out an activity that you're happy to share on the

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website then please send it through to wellbeing@stjulies.org.uk using your student email!



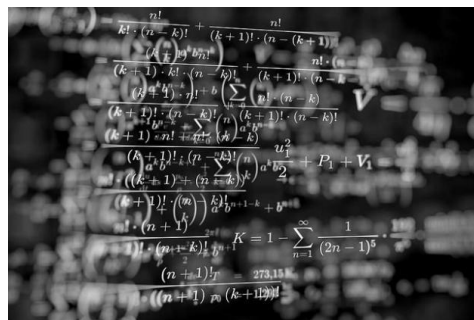
Free Access to Advanced Level Textbooks

The wonderful people at Springer Publishing have opened up access to over [400 University Level textbooks](#) that will help you in your studies now and give you a head start for University. The most painful part of Freshers' Week is the first trip to the University bookshop to drop a lot of money on textbooks, so take advantage of this opportunity while you can!



Live Sessions from Edge Hill University

This is a reminder that Edge Hill University are offering some live sessions that are useful for students in Years 11-13 even if you're not intending to study there. We've previously posted a link in the Careers Updates section, and you can find this resource linked in the [VLE CIAG course](#) if you need to come back to it. You can find a timetable and how to sign up [here](#).



Free Online Maths

Lessons from Pearson

Pearson had an amazing turnout for Tuesday's pilot live Maths lesson they have made some tweaks for future lessons. Don't be afraid to dip into lessons not planned for your year group as you may still find very useful content. The full timetable can be found [here](#), and the link to join the lessons is [here](#). All lessons will be recorded and made available to watch on the site shortly after the session.



Knowledge Power-ups: Humanities

We've been signposting our students on an individual basis to some great activities to help bolster both their knowledge and their muscle when applying for courses. This week we're highlighting some of the resources we've linked to in the Humanities sector. Read [the full story](#) to find links to resources.

What's Going on in School?

As well as continuing grounds and premises work, teaching staff have this week been completing critical work on the rigorous judgements required for the examination awarding bodies this year.

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Careers Updates

This week we've got links to 400 online events hosted by Higher Education institutions across the country. On the Apprenticeship front we've got the latest parent pack from Amazing Apprenticeships and there are still some live vacancies in Liverpool. We'd also like to know what you want to see in the Careers pages. Read more on the [updates page](#) on our website!

GCSE Pod Webinars for Parents and Carers

In order to help support the increased demand of their service, GCSE Pod are running some free webinars with different sessions aimed at teachers and parents. To take advantage, and learn how to use this service to its full potential with your daughter, follow the [link here](#) to see the programme and sign up to a session.