



# St. Julie's Catholic High School

## Weekly Newsletter

Week Beginning 18th June 2018

### Forthcoming dates for your diary...

#### 18<sup>th</sup> June

End of Year Exams for Years 7, 8 9 and 12 commence.

#### 20<sup>th</sup> July

Finish for Summer Holidays at 3:15pm



### Success for St. Julie's in Writing Competition

Congratulations to four of our amazing students, who have been celebrated for excellent diary entries in the city-wide competition 'In My Life'. A particularly special well done goes to Emily in Year 8 who won the overall secondary school award! You can find out more about what the students did in their competition work as well as comments from the judges in [our full web story](#).



### Pan European Postcodes

The Modern Foreign Languages department have recently become partners in a pan-European e-twinning initiative which encourages international links and co-operation between schools. Year 8 students have broken ground on the project with a postcard exchange with a class of students in Spain, but with the interesting twist that all students are communicating in French.



### Humanities Challenge Graduation

This week we celebrated the completion of some stars of Year 7 and 8 who have been attending the Humanities Challenge Club at lunchtime for the last 6 weeks with Mrs Bashford. They were set the task of researching and presenting their response to the task title; 'Overpopulation, Save or Forfeit?' [Find out more](#) in the full story!

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### Progress Leaders

Year 7: [Mrs C Maguire](#)

Year 8: [Miss C Bennett](#)

Year 9: [Mrs L Rainey](#)

[Barwise](#)

Year 10: [Mrs J Navarro](#)

Year 11: [Miss C Corrigan](#)

Sixth Form: [Mrs A Jones](#)

### Curriculum Leaders

English: [Miss C Sarson](#)

Maths: [Miss R Lee](#)

Science: [Miss N Pye](#)

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](#)

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## Year 11 Exams

### Draw to a Close

This week has seen the last of the full year group exams for Year 11 which was the final exam for the majority of students. We were very happy to celebrate this milestone with some sweet treats of cakes and cookies! Conduct throughout the highly stressful exam season has been excellent and all of the girls can be proud of the good work that they have done. We would like to say a big thank you to all the parents of Year 11 students for your hard work in supporting your daughters through a challenging time, and we hope they will make you proud on GCSE results day which this year is on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> August.



## Gliding Into Science Club

This week the Year 7 Science club had fun looking at some of the different forces at work in flying. They made Hoop Gliders, constructed from two different sized hoops of cardboard attached to a drinking straw. When the gliders were thrown like a dart, this forward force, called thrust, allowed air to flow through and around the hoops. This air flow created lift, which caused the gliders to sail through the air. The girls experimented with different sized

hoops, number of hoops, length of the straw, straw placement and even adding wings and fins. The different models were then tested in a classroom 'fly off'.

## Humanutopia Event for Year 10

Please [follow this link](#) for a letter circulated last week by Mrs McCourt to parents of students in Year 10 about a forthcoming event.

## End Of Year Exams

Please [follow this link](#) for a letter circulated last week by Mrs McCourt to parents of students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 12 about end of year exams.

## Medical Appointments

Parents should always provide an official appointment card or letter from the practice stating time and date of appointment and time out of school should be kept to a minimum - pupils should always attend before an appointment and return to school after an appointment where at all possible. If parents are unable to provide an appointment card or practice letter then parents will either need to collect their daughter in person or office staff will have to contact parents by phone to confirm that they wish for their daughter to leave school. This is part of our safeguarding commitment to all pupils.

## 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**

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**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).

## Parking

Can we remind people of the following:

- 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.