



St. Paul's RC Academy Monday 19th August 2019

School Prayer

God our Father

Thank you for being with us this day

Help us to grow and to become a community of many gifts

In which everyone is valued and supported to achieve all they can

May we always act in faith, hope and love

And show the values of St. Paul, our patron

Amen

*****PLEASE LET PUPILS KNOW*****

MASS 08:25 AM EVERY TUESDAY MORNING

Staff and Pupil Choir

There will be a choir rehearsal in Music 1 on Thursday lunchtime at 12.40pm. We will be rehearsing for the Community Mass which took place on Wednesday 11th September. New pupils and staff are more than welcome to come and join us!!

Legally Blonde Rehearsals

Singing Rehearsal – Tuesday lunchtime at 1.30pm in Music 1.

Acting and Dance rehearsal – Thursday afterschool, 3pm-5pm.

If you cannot attend then let Miss Holbrook know as soon as possible. Also, remember to return your sponsored walk permission slips!

FAO S6 Pupils: Apprenticeship Opportunity

Are you friendly and outgoing and have a genuine interest in Science and CDT? This could be the job for you!

There are 2 posts available as an Apprentice Technical Services Officer (School Technician). Essential requirements are one Higher in a Science subject (which could include Maths) and 2 National 5's, including English and another Science. This is a 3 year apprenticeship during which you'll gain an HNC and SVQ level 3. Please see Ms McFarlane for more details.

Career Ready Meeting: S5 Pupils

Can the following pupils please meet with Ms McFarlane P3 on Wednesday 21 August in the PSE/PE room?

St. Andrew's House: Steven Duncan, Shannon Gallacher, Riley Fraser Keerie, Nico Lukjanow, Luke Milne

St. Columba's House: Jessica Abbott, Hannah Christie, Casey Denton, Lucy Johnston, Savannah Standish

St. Margaret's House: Molly Campbell, Ellis Hornshaw, Cody Logue, Ellie Ritchie

St. Nininian's House: Emilie Clark, Natalie Davies, Nikkala Moran, Amy Thoms, Savannah Wilson

St. Patrick's House: Kayla Martin, Ellie McGlone, Conor Stewart, Ionna Young

'Ready, Steady, Cook!' Cooking Club

The H.E department will be running a new **cooking club** every **Thursday lunchtime in HE3 from 12.20pm - 1.10pm** (pupils should bring a packed lunch along with them).

This club is open to all **S2-S3 pupils** (regardless of whether you take HE as a subject) and is **free of charge**.

This is ideal for pupils with a keen interest in cooking & baking and/or want an opportunity to improve their skills.

The club can only hold **10 pupils each week** so **sign up sheets** will be available in the staff base for pupils to sign up. Every Monday the sheet will be refreshed to give new pupils an opportunity to attend - it is a **first come first served basis** so be quick!

The first club will start **Thursday 29th August** and sign up sheets will be available in the HE base from **Monday 26th August** - we look forward to seeing you there! 😊

Duke of Edinburgh

Meeting for all new Bronze and Silver participants 2019-20. The meeting will take place on Monday 19th August in Art Room 1. If you cannot make the meeting but wish to join the group see Mrs Butler or Miss Smith.

Time Out /LD

TO and LD is in RE2 on a Mon – Wed P5 and Thu/Fri P4

FAO Senior Phase Pupils

ALL pupils must enter and leave the school building by the main entrance during the school day. DO NOT use the doors beside the snack bar or canteen. This is for Health and Safety and Fire procedures. Thank you.

Basketball

Basketball club has changed to a Wednesday afterschool , 3:40pm – 4:45pm. New members are welcome. For more information speak to Mrs Butler, Maths 2.

Overdue Library Books

All books borrowed from the library last term are now overdue. Please return them as soon as possible – they are of more use to me in the library than lurking in the bottom of your schoolbag!

Thanks

Mrs Moug

Pupil Success

Jasmine Cressey competed for GB in her first International competition at Junior level this week. She was one of three GB skaters and 2 Swedish skaters and the age category is up to 19, Jasmine being the youngest skater there.

We are delighted and very proud to report that Jasmine won day 1 with a new PB score and day 2 she placed 3rd also with a new PB score, but the total of the two competition scores placed her in 2nd place overall, one of the Swedish girls only beating her by two points!

University Applications 2020

This years Higher Education Convention takes place on Thursday 29th August. Pupils NEED to apply using the link below - **as we are limited to 50 places please ensure suitability!**

The venue is - University of Dundee, Dalhousie Building. I have booked spaces for 50 S6 pupils although they need to register as individuals.
Details below:

<https://eventbookings.ucas.com/sr/event.aspx?e=99>

Pupils can copy link from S:\StPauls Subjects\UCAS Higher Education Convention 2019

Select to "Join a Group Booking" as a pupil.

Reference: **UCASBKN363624**

Our allocated time is 1:30pm - 3pm, pupils should meet at 1:15pm outside the building.

Speak to Guidance teachers for further information.

S1 Futsal Programme

This Friday, 23rd August, sees the re-start of the S1 futsal session in the games hall over lunch time. SFA coaches will be in attendance to arrange small sided games. Numbers are limited to 20 per week, so get along there fast after your lunch. S1 boys and girls welcome. Any queries see Justin Mulholland – Active Schools Coordinator in the PE Dept.

St Pauls LADS and Miss Fits

The world famous LADS and Miss Fits clubs will start again this week, LADS on Tuesday and Miss Fits on Thursday. If you intend to attend, please pick up a parental consent form from the PE base before the day of the club as you will need to have this in order to take part. For the first week only, the only activity on offer will be the fitness suite, please make sure you have the appropriate PE kit or sports wear. Any queries, please see Justin Mulholland – Active Schools Coordinator in the PE Dept.