



**St. Paul's RC Academy
MONDAY 21ST JANUARY 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

READ OUT: Pupil Notice - Please Read Out to Pupil

Duke fo Edinburgh Bake Sale

Staff and pupils are invited to a Bake Sale in the Assembly Hall at Interval on **Wednesday 23rd January**. A wide selection of tasty sweets and cakes will be on sale so please come along to help us raise money for the Duke of Edinburgh Expeditions. Anyone interested in helping please speak to Miss Smith in Art.

Fitness club

Thursday lunch time from 12:30pm-1pm the fitness suite will be open to all pupils. Please let Mr Mc Nulty know of your interest.

Mr Mc Nulty

Waterpolo

Friday lunch time from 12:30pm-1pm waterpolo training will take place. This will be in preparation for a few games coming up.

Mr Mc Nulty

Basketball Trip

There are only 10 places to see the British Basketball League Trophy Final on Sunday 10th March 2019 at Emirates Area, in Glasgow. If you want to attend this event, then a consent form must be return to Mrs Butler by Thursday 31st January 2019 to confirm their place. The cost for the day will be £20, must also bring money to spend on the day for food and items they wish to buy at the Arena. For more information and consent forms see Mrs Butler (Maths 2).

Theatre Club

Following a great turn out last week for the theatre club I am currently arranging our first Theatre trip. This will be an evening trip to see Arthur Miller's "All My Sons" at Dundee Rep on the 26th February. This is classic modern morality play by one of the foremost American dramatists of the 20th Century. Tickets will be around £9 and there will also be an opportunity for a discussion session with the cast and crew following the show. If you are interested in going please let me know – I will be distributing permission sheets in the coming weeks.

Dr Leader

Drama Club

Drama club will continue this Tuesday in Mangamanuthu Hall after school. We will be looking at a spoof version of "Romeo and Juliet" and also Arthur Miller's play – All my sons. **Dr Leader**

S2 Dighty Group

Can group members who wish to attend the activities beginning this Wednesday 23rd please remember to return their forms to Phillippa by Tuesday 22nd January. **Phillippa – Health and Wellbeing Worker**

Drama Club and Theatre Club

Theatre Club – This is a **new** club for anyone interested in seeing top quality theatre productions. We intend to arrange trips to see theatre productions in Dundee and throughout Scotland and also live screenings of productions from London and elsewhere throughout the year. To hear more about this come along to Dr Leader's Room (Science 9) at 12:50 on Thursday (this week)

Drama Club – will begin again on Tuesdays. New members are welcome from all years. We will be choosing plays for presentation during the coming year and working on all aspects of performance. Meet in the Hall after school at 3:50

PE Activities Jan 2019

Please make sure you check the notice boards for new activities for Jan 2019

Tesco Bags of Help

The St Paul's Garden Project has been put forward for the Bags of Help charity fund as of 1st January 2019, so if you are shopping in Tescos please remember to put your tokens in the box for St Paul's

**The store taking part is: Kingsway
spread the word!**

THANKS

Modern Apprenticeship Opportunity

A local company (Pacson Valves) has informed us of a vacancy which has arisen in their workplace. If you are 16 or over, have an interest in Administration and are keen to leave school and 'learn whilst you earn', this may be the job for you! Please see Ms McFarlane or Michele and Maureen, our careers advisers for more details.

Miss Fits

A reminder that Miss Fits has changed from a Wednesday to a Thursday. Starts at 3pm and finishes at 4pm.

S5 and S6 Girls

On Thursday 17th January and for the following 3 weeks, the new Miss Fits session will have an extra opportunity for you. Coaches from FFD CrossFit, will run a females only, staff and S5/S6 fitness session from 3-4pm. This is a great opportunity to start the new year off in a positive, healthy way and could be the experience you need to get active in 2019! No sign up required, just come along with your sports kit and a bottle of water. Any further queries see Justin – Active Schools (PE Dept)

Gooooooooooooo....House Games!

After a fantastic first tournament back, things are hotting up in the points department! The S1/2 football skills did not disappoint with St Andrew's taking the top spot on goal difference from St Pat's, while St Margaret's and St Ninians shared third place with identical statistics for their four games. 100, 50 and 25 points are therefore awarded to the respective teams This Friday lunch time sees the S3 and S4 pit their whits for bragging rights. Boys and girls can sign up with their house captains - St Margaret's – Ben

Wilson and Brian Smith, St Ninian's – Robbie Lammond and Jessica Thomson, St Andrew's – James Hunt and Callan Shepherd, St Columba's – Billy Young and Leighton Quinn, St Patrick's – Kaela Fraser, Jak Fraser and Dawid Lupina. These guys will be recruiting a team of ten players for their house to play against the other houses in a game of 7-a-side football. Check out the notice board at the start of the PE corridor to see an updated league standing of the competition so far. See you on Friday – Good Luck! – Justin – Active Schools (PE Dept.)

Trampolining Club

The trampolining club will start again on the 21st January. Any pupil who is keen to attend and hasn't already done so, should collect a consent form from the PE Dept. before going along for the first time. Justin - Active Schools (PE Dept.)