



Diocesan Mass

Yet another busy week has flown past. It will culminate today with our Chaplaincy team going to the Diocesan Mass, which is taking place in Norwich. I am looking forward to travelling with them and joining staff and students from Catholic Schools across our Diocese, who are all gathering for a wonderful celebration of Catholic Education, led by Bishop Alan.

Peace

Our theme for the week has been Peace and Mr Reilly has led assemblies where students have reflected on what this means. This theme ties in with the International Day of Peace on 21 September. At a time when there seems to be so much political conflict in the UK and an escalation in conflict in the Middle East it is right to reflect on and promote the value of Peace in our community.

Bagel Breakfast

Our Bagel breakfast club is thriving! We are speedily toasting and buttering over 120 bagels every morning as students meet in the Dining Hall and eat breakfast together. All students are welcome to come and join us – bagels are free.

Open Evening

Staff are also busy preparing for our year 6 Open Evening, which takes place on Tuesday 1 October. We will be inviting many students to return to school that evening to help us and parents will be receiving a letter about this. School will close at **2.00pm** on that day to allow staff to set up for the evening. If you have children in Years 5 or 6 then please bring them along and prepare to be inspired!

CCF

Our CCF contingent has started the year in a positive manner and is still looking for new recruits. Any students aged 13 or over are welcome to apply to join. Please speak to Mr O' Hara for more details.

Kate Pereira

**Academic Tutoring
Year 11
23 September -
4 October**

Youth Dreams Project Scholarship

The lads have made a fantastic start to the year, the squad has increased to 22 which is brilliant news and will make training very competitive. The boys are working hard on and off the pitch; we went to Nandos last week for a team bonding exercise and it is fair to say the new recruits will not be entering X factor any time soon after they all sang a song individually. The boys completed a recovery session at the Regional Swimming pool on Thursday after fitness testing sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday. We have friendlies against TDA and Stamford this week and start our league campaign next Wednesday 25 September against TDA.



I am also delighted to mention that all Level 2 students from last year's programme successfully passed and will be staying to do another two years of the scholarship programme.

Please note YDP are running a football session every lunchtime (except on Wednesdays).

Dan Jarvis, YDP Area Manager

**Key Stage 4 Girls Mindfulness
Club**

Tuesday lunchtimes

Room 210



1.25 - 1.55pm

Extra-Curricular Activities 2019-20

Monday Lunchtime

ICT Club - Room 113
Chaplaincy Group - Chapel
Girls Bench ball - Sports Hall
Boxercise - Sports Hall
KS4 Girls Yoga - Room 501
EAL Homework Club - Room 209
Ukulele Club - Room 102

Monday After School

Homework Club - Study Centre
All Years Netball - Courts
KS3 Football (CA) - Astro
KS4 Football (PL) - Astro
Debating Society - Room 208

Tuesday Lunchtime

ICT Club - Room 113
Gymnastics(Dance) - Room 501
Indoor Cricket - Sports Hall
EAL Homework Club - Room 209
Chorum – Invited students only - Room 102
KS4 Girls Mindfulness - Room 210

Tuesday After School

Homework Club - Study Centre
Table Tennis - Archway (Sports Hall)

Wednesday Lunchtime

Board Games Club (Week 1) - Room 108
ICT Club - Room 113
Book Club - Room 110
KS3 Basketball - Sports Hall
KS3 Girls Yoga - Room 501
EAL Homework Club - Room 209
Choir/singing club - Room 102
Girls Club – Room 210

Wednesday After School

Homework Club - Study Centre
Girls Football – Astro

Thursday Lunchtime

School Newspaper - Room 106
Board Games Club (Week2) - Room 108
ICT Club - Room 113
KS3 Art/Doddle Club - Room 303
Indoor Athletics - Sports Hall
EAL Homework Club - Room 209
Band - Room 102
Thursday After School
CCF - Courts/Room 101
Homework Club - Study Centre
KS4 & KS5 Basketball - Sports Hall
Music Practice Theory (Invited Students only) - 102

Friday Lunchtime

ICT Club - Room 113
Boxing - Sports Hall
EAL Film Club - Room 209

Friday After School

Homework Club - Study Centre
YDP Boxing (Invite Only) - Sports Hall

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Year 10 Travel and Tourism Visit to Peterborough City Centre

Year 10 Travel and Tourism students experienced their first field work session this week as they ventured into Peterborough city centre. As part of their first module they have to produce a travel brochure about Peterborough, explaining its appeal to different groups of tourists. Students visited hotels, the bus and railway station, the river and embankment, key theatre, football ground, museum and Cathedral. We even managed to fit in a quick tour of the cathedral so the students could see the tomb of Katharine of Aragon. The students worked really hard to think about what the appeal of the attractions were to families and retired couples and they also walked a long way in their new school shoes (ouch!). They have begun their project in school and are finding it so much easier to complete it having visited the places for themselves. Next stop, Hunstanton!

Focus Day – 11 October 2019

Year 7 Visit to Belton House

Year 8 Natural History Museum

Parents are reminded that our first Focus Day of the year is only 3 weeks away and includes visits to Belton House for Year 7 and the Natural History Museum for Year 8. If you would like your child to go please pay using Schoolcomms / School Gateway as soon as possible.



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