St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

Weekly Notices Week (2) commencing 24 June 2024

Assembly

Y12: No assembly due to Newcomer Induction

On Monday morning we welcome current SA and SJF Year 11 into school, and on Tuesday morning students joining our Sixth Form from other schools. Please make sure you are in smart business dress and that you make everyone feel welcome. Thank you for your support.

Training Day

School is <u>closed</u> to students on **Friday 28 June** as it is a training day.

Reminder - Great Yorkshire Show. No teaching for Y12 on Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10

As you will already be aware, the Great Yorkshire Show takes place from Tuesday 9 – Friday 12 July this year. Due to the considerable number of students in main school attending the event at both St Aidan's and St John Fisher on **Tuesday 9** and **Wednesday 10**, it will not be possible to offer teaching in school for year 12 students on these days. Therefore, we are directing students in year 12 to spend these two days doing the following:

- Attending the GYS for one of the days in order to support the community in this important event
- Visiting Universities and attending open days where possible to help to prepare for UCAS applications following the careers day next week in school
- Completing on-line courses and on-line work experience opportunities
- Completing Core learning for their A-level subjects, posted on the class Teams by their teachers.

School will run as normal on Monday 8, Thursday 11 and Friday 12 July.

Library Closure – Monday 8 July

A reminder also that the Library will be closed for a stock check 8-10 July, so Y12 students should work in the study centre on 8 July (9 and 10 July – Y12 not in school – see above).

Volunteering at the Yorkshire Show

We are looking for eight students who would like to spend a day at the Yorkshire Show on behalf of St Aidan's and the Church on Show. We need **two students for each day of the show** and, in exchange for giving up two hours of your time in the morning and again in the afternoon to chat to the public and play some simple games, you get the rest of the day at the Show for free (that means an hour and a half of free time over lunch and the possibility of staying on from 3pm when our shift ends!) If you'd like to know more, please speak to or email Mrs Shores. First come first served!

Wednesday P4

Students should now be following the EPQ programme or have an additional non-contact period where they need to stay on the school site. Students <u>not</u> doing an EPQ, please **do not** use the study centre between **1.30pm and 1.45pm on a Wednesday p4** during this half term. Please note arrangements on Wednesday 10 July outlined above (GYS) – no Y12 in school.

Mock Election 2024

- 1. There will be an election hustings in the Drama Studio between 12.45 and 13.15 on Monday 24 June. This is a Q&A with the candidates. Get there early to submit your questions.
- 2. **Thursday 27 June** is the day of the whole-school election. Y12 should go to straight to the Main Hall between 08.45 and 09.00 where you will vote and register. Make sure you are wearing your lanyard as this is your voter ID.
- 3. The result of our mock election will be announced on **Thursday 4 July.**

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IMPORTANT – Students with Nut Allergies

Please discard wrappers from food products that contain nuts very carefully or better still do not bring them into school at all. Such products include chicken satay, Nutella products, Kinder Bueno (contain hazel nuts), Harvest Crunch with peanuts.

Exam Results Year 12 and Year 13

Please note if you are unable to collect your results in person on **Thursday 15 August** (Level 3 Results, i.e. A Levels/BTEC) or **Thursday 22 August** (GCSE Results) and you wish to nominate someone else to collect them on your behalf, you should e-mail Mrs Humphrey (<u>w.humphrey@staidans.co.uk</u>) your authority for us to release your results and to whom. Alternatively, you can leave a <u>large stamped addressed envelope with the correct postage on</u>, in the Sixth Form Office, **before 19 July**. Unfortunately, we are only able to e-mail results to students in exceptional circumstances on results day.

Y13 Signing In

If you are in school, <u>not</u> in an exam but in lessons or revising on school site, you <u>must</u> sign in in the Sixth Form Office so we know you are here.

Year 13 – access to your school email address after September 2024

It is school policy school that student email addresses and all linked files/Teams accounts are deleted at the end of September after a student has left school. It will not be possible after you have left to access any of the work on your school account, once it has been deleted. Please save anything that you may need in the future to your personal account so you do not lose it.

Pride Club

Every Monday, Pride Club gathers at **12:35 in Hi5** to celebrate and support the LGBTQ+ community within our school. Join us for engaging discussions, guest speakers, and events throughout the year. We're seeking our next group of leaders to help elevate the visibility of Pride Club. Whether you identify as a member of the LGBTQ+ community or as an ally, everyone is welcome. Please see Ms Reynard if you have any questions.

Dress Code

Please could we remind all students, and Year 12 in particular, that they should be wearing business attire to school. They are part of an 11-18 school and the students in the Sixth Form are role models for younger pupils. Whilst not an exhaustive list, students should not be wearing trainers (unless exempt), small t-shirts/strappy tops, revealing clothing or skimpy skirts.

School Production

We are delighted to announce that our production in November 2024 will be Annie!



Anybody who would like to audition for the show would be warmly welcome and all the details needed, are in the poster attached – see dates below.

Auditions

Tuesday 25th June 3.45 – 5pm Y9-12 MHL OR Wednesday 26th June 3.45 – 5pm Y9-12 MHL Wednesday 10th July 3.45 Call backs

Thank you.