



NEWSLETTER

Regular news updates from All Saints School, Lessingham

KEY DIARY DATES

28th — 20th April: Easter holidays

April 22

20th: Staff and students return to school

20th: Seatbelt Safety NCC

21st: No College (Easton half term)

25th: Whole school photo

25th-29th: Year 11 Mock week (3)

May 22

2nd: Bank Holiday

5th: World Maths Day

3rd: Junior Trip - Time and Tide Museum

5th: Theatre performance for Years 9/10/11

9th: Y8/9 PE UEA

13th: Yr 10 trip to Warner Bros. studios

30th—3rd June: Half term

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Numbers to contact for help

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Norfolk children's support line:

Text 07480 635060 or call 0344 800 8029

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Thank you to all our students who have worked hard this term, enjoyed some fun activities and trips and make our school a wonderful place to be.

We hope you all have a great Easter break and look forward to seeing students when we return to school on Wednesday 20th April.

If you have any concerns over the holidays, please email the office and we will do our best to support you.



Year 11

Exams:

Summer 2022 Exam timetable – please see attached.

All students have highlighted the relevant exams that apply to them, please get in touch if you're unsure as parent/carer.

GCSE Results Day:

25th August 2022

Year 11 last day:

Friday 1st July

Additional details will follow regrading activity week arrangements, work experience, last day arrangements and the leavers meal.

Reminders:

Covid19 Testing: Current government guidelines are for students to continue testing twice a week. If this changes, we will let you know. Students who normally test at school will be tested on Wednesday 20th April and then continue on Mondays and Thursdays from the following week.

Uniform: Students should return to school in summer uniform—blue polo top instead of shirt and may also wear grey tailored shorts.

Thank you.....

A huge thank you to all of the City College Drama students for their performance on Tuesday and to Gill & Amanda (Road safety team) from NCC for hosting the performance.

A message from Gill that we would like to share with you all at home:

Good Morning Karla

Many thanks from us all for yesterday.

It was an absolute pleasure spending the day with the pupils and staff from All Saints Lessingham. What a privilege for us all.

The pupils, from the youngest to the older year 11's were amazing. From the moment we arrived with the fantastic welcome, right through the day until we left you, we were treated so well.

We would like to congratulate your pupils on their good manners and warmth, their confidence in asking questions, and the joy they passed on to all the team. The actors, the technical crew, Andy from NFRS and Amanda and I, felt it such a privilege to have been part of your school for the day.

All Saints is such a lovely school....with excellent staff and amazing students.

It meant so much to all of us in the TIE team.

We will send you the details for future events and Crucial Crew Information, and we look forward to working to support you in the near future.

Gill

We look forward to welcoming them all back in the future.



Theatre in Education

Norfolk drama students are performing at your school to deliver important road safety messages through drama. These messages are important whether you are a cyclist, pedestrian, driver or a passenger.

Helping to Educate and raise awareness of the dangers and vulnerabilities when growing up and the choices that young people make as they gain more responsibilities and freedom.

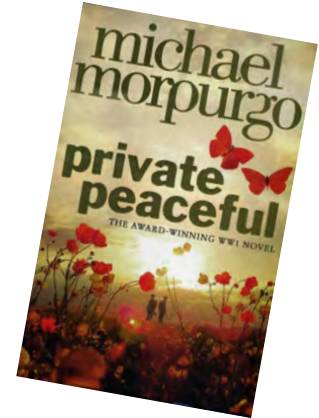
We also welcomed Andy, representing the Police and Fire with his key messages...Andy was really impressed with the student engagement and Archie's understanding of the importance of safety around fire.

Year 9

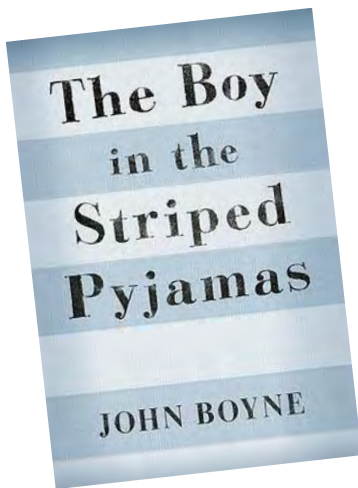
This Half Term has flown by for Y9. We have been learning about World War One and World War Two and linking our study of History with the books *Private Peaceful* and *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas*. In PHSE we have been learning some facts about drugs and alcohol and how to keep ourselves safe. We have also had an emphasis on Speaking and Listening and learned how to do a formal debate. We have enjoyed several trips out of school - which you can read about in Hollie and Paige's articles below.

We welcomed two little furry friends into school for the last day (thank you Mr Boughton!) and they join with us to wish you all a very Happy Easter break.

The Y9 team would like to thank all our brilliant students for working so hard and for bringing so much joy to each day!



On Wednesday 2nd March 2022 (my 14th birthday!) we went to Norwich for the afternoon. It was a trip for people that did their homework regularly and brought it in on time. We went to a book shop called Waterstones to have a look for some more books for our school library. The books there were very interesting.



Our trip was to the careers fair at the Norfolk Showground. We got there by mini-bus. When we were there it was very busy and quite loud as there were lots of different schools there, but it was very fun! We walked around all the different stalls and looked at the ones we thought we might be interested in to find out more about future careers and places to study post 16.

There were loads of different kinds of stalls like games, competitions and you could even hold a snake! If we had any questions we could ask the staff working at the stall and they could give us extra information. My favourite thing was holding the stick insect! We got to take home lots of free things like pens, leaflets and other little things from all of the stalls.

It was a fun day and really helpful to get us thinking about our futures. Thanks to Miss King for organising it.



PE

Juniors and Year 7 had a brilliant afternoon at Bure Valley School for a Golf Festival, they had lots of fun and showed excellent teamwork skills.



Drama

In a recent Drama lesson year 7 were creating 'Still Images'. They created many different individual and group scenes, finishing with an interpretation of Sherwood Forest. Can you guess what they all are?



Upper Juniors



Learning about planet distances to scale on the playground

Theo presenting his future career as a pilot.



Discussing careers with Miss Prat and showing that your diagnosis doesn't define you or your future.

Yummy pancake eating



Had a great time with Megan Rix the author. The dog was very happy to see everyone .



Lower Juniors

During our Golden Time, Archie created a Batmobile out of Hedgeblocks



Danny is pleased to see that the seed he had planted is growing tall and strong. We have learned that plants need air, warmth and water to grow.



Teamwork makes the dreamwork. Archie and Terrel are building a greenhouse to plant their seeds in.



Statistics in Maths – Phoebe created tally chart, bar graph and a pictogram based on the colours of sweets.



Measuring in Maths – Ashton's jump was the longest.



Tilly making cinnamon whirls which just so happen to be Ms Dangerfield's favourites!!!



Well done to the students who earned the most house points this term. A brilliant effort Rosie, Caitlin, Phoebe, Theo, Rio, Cameron and Alex. Keep up the great work. They were able to choose a treat from the Head Girl Jasmine and Senior Prefect Rose.



It was lovely to see students enjoying the sunshine during their guided reading this morning.



Congratulations to Grace who recently took part in the Ipswich Gymnastics Competition. Grace competed in an age group of 14/15 year olds in Floor, Bar, Beams & Vault, achieving 4 gold medals. She's now focused on achieving a nomination & place for the Great British Special Olympics team, for the world games in Germany next year.