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HFCS BULLETIN

Weekly bulletin for parents & carers

TIMETABLE: WEEK 2

Calendar

Year 13 Assessment Week

Monday 5th Feb





St Giles Trust Speakers (Yrs 9&10)

Year 12 Geography Fieldwork

Tuesday 6th Feb

Safer Internet Day

Wednesday 7th Feb

TfL Talks (Yrs 10 & Sixth Form)

Thursday 8th Feb

Year 7 Parents' Evening

4 - 6.30pm - Walthamstow Site

Please book appointments via School Cloud

Friday 9th Feb

Last Day of Half Term

Catholic Life Calendar

Gospel for Sunday 4 February 5th Sunday Ordinary Time Year B Mark 1:29-39 He cured many who suffered from diseases of one kind or another

Friday 2 February Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

Thursday 8 February Feast of St Josephine Bakhita



UK MATHS CHALLENGE

This week our students took part in the UK Mathematics Trust Intermediate Challenge. Students had to think with mathematical reasoning, precision and fluency! Watch this space for the results.

Headteacher's Update

Dear Parents/Carers,

We always enjoy seeing the children from OLSG and this week we were delighted to welcome them to the Film and Media Department. As part of their study of World War 2, Year 6 pupils visited Holy Family on Wednesday to make digital propaganda posters. A big thank you to Mrs Farrugia, Associate Headteacher and Head of Media, for organising this and to Joseph Bearfield and Maria Silvani in Year 12, who helped the children with producing their digital posters.

Meanwhile Mrs Scullion took some Year 10 English students to visit the national Guardian newspaper - they had a wonderful time and and got to make their own front page headlines!

After-school and Saturday intervention sessions have been taking place for our GCSE students - if your child is in Year 11 they should be regularly checking their Google classroom as well as the Year 11 noticeboard on the upper site for details. After the half term break, there will be a further set of prepublic examinations to check the progress of Year 11 students following the mocks. Students who did not achieve as well as they hoped in the mock exams must ensure that they are taking advantage of all extra support being put in place by departments and their Head of Year, so that they can maximise their grades in this next round of exams and be confident in the summer.

Finally, good luck to all of the students who took part in the UK Maths Challenge - you can see a photo of them at the top of this newsletter - we look forward to receiving their results.

Thank you all, as ever, for your ongoing support and prayers. God bless. Mrs Laws



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We are holding the first of this years fundraising events to support the HCPT pilgrimage to Lourdes this Easter.

FRIDAY | 9TH FEBRUARY

At Our Lady and St George's school - upper site Shernhall Street E17 3EA

Doors open at 7pm for eyes down at 7.30pm

Entry is free 3 books for £6 6 books for £10

There will be our usual super raffle and every first line and house wins a PRIZE! Bring your own drinks, nibbles, and as many family and friends as you can muster!



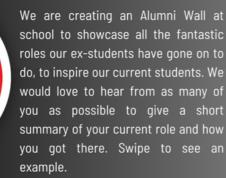
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LAUREN SMITH

SUBJECTS STUDIED AT HFCS

A Level Media Studies A Level Art A Level Re<u>sistant Materials</u>

AFTER LEAVING HFCS

- Apprenticeship BCE College
- BBC Apprenticeship Scheme

BROADCAST OPERATOR - BBC

Lauren is now a Multiskilled Technical Operator with BBC World News Studios.

ASPIRE

Click here for the Extra-Curricular Club timetable plus new KS3 Drama Club.

