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City of Norwich School Weekly Newsletter

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YEAR 9 SATs

Congratulations to Year 9 students on your sensible and well-prepared approach to this week's SATs. These national tests are taken by all 14 year olds in the country and it's important that everyone does their best. Mr Baker has commended students on their behaviour and levels of organisation so well done, Year 9!

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS

Public written examinations commence on Mon 12 May for GCE and Mon 14 May for GCSE examinations. All students have been issued with individual exam timetables which give them the dates of their particular exams, the rooms they need to be in and the seat they are sitting in. All candidates need to be outside the appropriate exam room 30 minutes before the exam is scheduled to commence to allow time for everybody to enter the exam room, ensure that everybody is correctly seated and to check that all candidates have the equipment they need to sit the examination.

Coats and bags are not allowed in any examination room. Candidates need to make separate arrangements for their belongings when they are taking examinations.

The last day of GCSE examinations is Thurs 19 June and for GCE examinations it is Tues 24 June.

YEAR 11 LESSONS

Y11 lessons continue, as far as possible, all the way through to 23 May. Thereafter, study facilities will be available each day for Y11 students to use between exam papers.

YEAR 12 LESSONS

With AS examinations commencing next week, Y12 lessons end this Friday. Lessons resume on Wednesday 11 June. Good luck, Year 12 students, as you approach these important examinations.

THE PLANTATION - NO THROUGH ROAD

We remind students and parents/carers that The Plantation, Christchurch Road, is a private road and not a through road. Students should not use this route to and from school.

THE SPINNEY CENTRE HOLIDAY CLUB

The Spinney Centre at Earlham High School run a Holiday Club for children aged 10 - 16. Holiday Club runs through out the year during all school holidays and is open 8 am - 6 pm daily, at a cost of £11.50 per day. Holiday Club does various activities including arts and crafts, sport and trips to Redwings Horse Sanctuary. For further details or to book, please ring 01603 251189.

ATAXIA UK

On Thursday morning, it was a pleasure to be able to present to Ataxia UK a cheque for £1257.28. the cheque was presented to representatives of the organisation by students and staff including Ashley Bowhill, Y11. Various fund raising activities have taken place over the last few months in aid of Ataxia UK including a New Year's Day Run by Mr Laycock, Mr Merrywest, Mrs Selwood and Mrs Green.

YEAR 10 REPORTS

Teachers have been writing reports on the progress of Y10 students in each subjects. These will shortly be sent home via students and any comments or concerns can be passed back to Form Tutors who will forward these, as appropriate.

Y10 GEOGRAPHY FIELDWORK

Next week, Y10 Geography students are participating in field work in Norwich city centre. Information about this has already been passed out to students and parents/carers by Mr Bewick.

SPORTING ROUNDUP

- Monday - Table Tennis (All years; 3:05 - 4:15)
- Tuesday - Tennis (All years; 3:05 - 4:15)
- Rounders
- Wednesday - Athletics (All years; 3:05 - 4:10)
- Street Dance (3:15 - 4:15)
- Thursday - Rounders
- Cricket (Y7 & 8; 3:05 - 4:15)
- Friday - Limited overs Cricket (Y9, 10 & 11; 3:05 - 4:15)

Needed - Any old trainers or blue/black tracksuit bottoms you may have unused at home please donate them to the PE department. Credits available for all donations made.

NEXT WEEK IS WEEK 1 KS3 EARLY LUNCH, KS4 LUNCH AT 1.35 ABSENCE LINE

Y7: ☎ 274017, Y8: ☎ 274068, Y9: ☎ 274069, Y10: ☎ 274070, Y11: ☎ 274071, Y12/13: ☎ 274072

PASTORAL SUPPORT LINE

Years 7, 8 & 9 Suzanne Edwards 274054; Years 10 & 11 Vanessa Wilde 274029; Years 12 & 13 Kym Blake 274060

NEW EVENT THIS YEAR
CNSA FAMILY PICTORIAL TREASURE HUNT

Friday 16th May 2008, 5.30 – 9pm

Start from school between 5.30 and 6.30pm

Get your team together, small or large (max 6) and come along on the day to the school to get your question sheet. Then find the answers in the local area.

The hunt will finish at the school for a bbq with a bar, entertainment and a prize for the quickest team with the most correct answers. £2 entry per team. All teams must be back at school by 7.30pm.

Each team must include an adult.

To give us an idea of numbers please ring to book or if you would like to volunteer to help. please ring Jo Thompson 632416

The Spirit of the Age
Music from Renaissance Europe



with

Minstrels Gallery

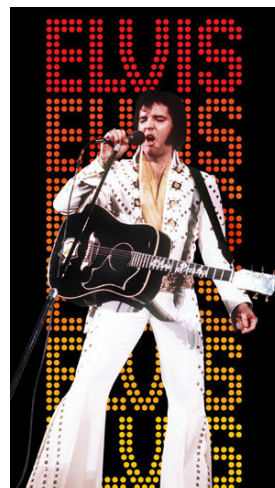
Friday 9th May 2008 at 7.30pm
In the Arc

Tickets £8/£5 on the door (including wine and snacks)

www.minstrelsgallery.com

Contact Thea Abbott for more details on 274050 or email t.abbott@cns-school.org

Elvis Tribute Night



21st May 6.00–9.00pm in the Arc

Tickets £4 in advance – £5 on the door available from the finance office

All proceeds in aid of Cystic Fibrosis

Great acts, raffle with fantastic prizes, Elvis accessories on sale.

Contact Thea Abbott or Liam Archer-West for more details