



Student Notices

Week beginning 14th October 2024



Week B





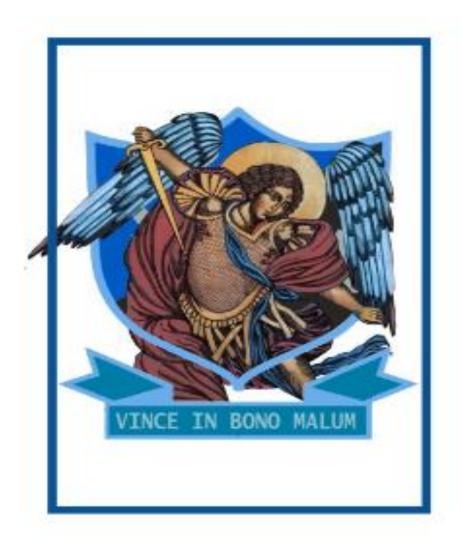




Prayerful intention this week

As well as your own private intentions, our community intention for prayer at the beginning of lessons is for...

We pray for the work of CAFOD and for all who work to bring God's love to others, and we pray for our parish community. May we be grateful for all that we have, willing to share with others and ready to act to challenge injustice so all people may share in the gifts of the earth.







Dear Lord, we pray that you would give us strength to be strong for You in the world today. Lord, you know the struggles that we will face today. Be with us as we go through them. Carry us if we are too weak to move. If we stumble in them, forgive us Father. When we succeed in them, we will praise You! You are worthy of all praise and honor. Amen **St Michael – Pray for Us** All the Angels and Saints – Pray for Us





Theme: Safeguarding

Catholic Social Teaching Links: Solidarity, Dignity



Tuesday AM – Year 9 and Year 10
Wednesday AM – Year 11
Thursday AM – Year 7 and Year 8
Friday AM – Year 12 and Year 13

St Josephine Bakhita



- For many years, Josephine Bakhita was a slave but her spirit was always free and eventually that spirit prevailed.
- Born in Olgossa in the Darfur region of southern Sudan, Josephine was kidnapped at the age of 7, sold into slavery and given the name Bakhita, which means *fortunate*. She was resold several times, finally in 1883 to Callisto Legnani, Italian consul in Khartoum, Sudan.
- Two years later, he took Josephine to Italy and went to Venice's Institute of the Catechumens, run by the Canossian Sisters. Whilst there, Josephine felt drawn to the Catholic Church. She was baptised and confirmed in 1890, taking the name Josephine.
- She was demanded to return to Africa, but the future saint refused to go. During the ensuing court case, the Canossian Sisters intervened on Josephine's behalf. The judge concluded that since slavery was illegal in Italy, she had actually been free since 1885.
- Josephine entered the Institute of St. Magdalene of Canossa in 1893 and made her profession three years later. In 1902, she was transferred to the city of Schio, where she assisted her religious community through cooking, sewing, embroidery, and welcoming visitors at the door. She soon became well loved by the children attending the sisters' school and the local citizens. She once said, "Be good, love the Lord, pray for those who do not know Him. What a great grace it is to know God!"
- The first steps toward her beatification began in 1959. She was beatified in 1992 and canonised eight years later.







Other Key Events this week;

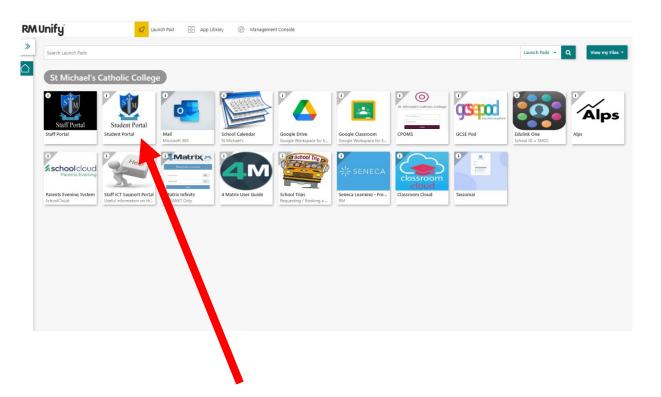
• Sukkot - 16th October







Have a look at the new Student Portal for links to key websites and useful information – find it on the RM **Unify Dashboard!**











Webmail

School Calendar

Seneca

Google Drive

Google Classroom



School ID = SMCC

Sparx Maths

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Sparx Maths



Revision Website

Extra-Curricular Timetable

Saturday & After School Clubs





Challenge





APB Reflection Sheet

Catholic Daily Oak Academy Trust Reflections

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Safeguarding Officers

School Help Advice **Reporting Page**



October: The Month of the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Join Miss Casey and the Yr12 Chaplaincy team in the Chapel to pray part of the Rosary **every Thursday breaktime** to reflect on this important month of October.

At this time Pope Francis has asked us to pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the edges of the world.

We have spare Rosary Beads, so please do come along!!



UTHWARK FOODBANK HARVEST 2024

Toilet Roll

Tinned Pulses

Pasta Sauce (500g)

Long-Life Juice (1L)

UHT Milk (Semi-Skimmed/Whole, 1L)

Tea Bags

Coffee

Jam

Biscuits

Tinned Rice Pudding

the trussel SOUTHWARK FOODBANK

COLLECTION

Please bring any available items you are able to donate under the stairs.

Deadline Friday 25th October.

The items on the left are the ones most in demand in Southwark at this time.



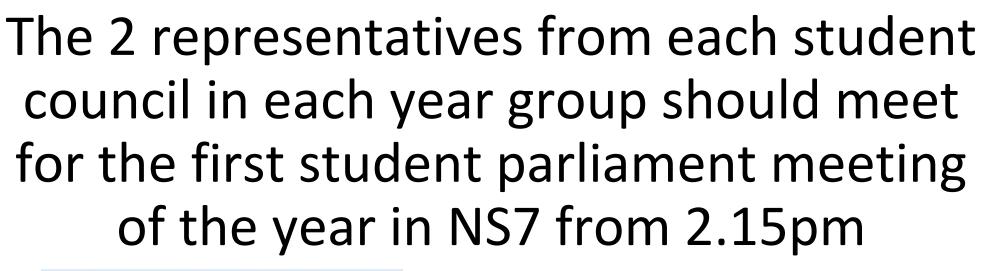
Do you want to be part of St Michael's brand new Chaplaincy Teams???

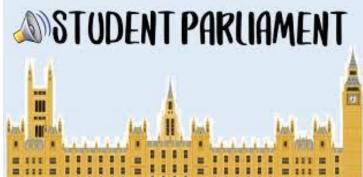
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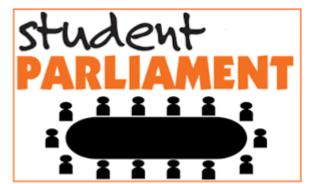
This is your chance to be part of an exciting new team whose work is focused on demonstration of RUAH . Open to ALL students in Years 7–10. Deadline Friday 18th October. Faith in Action students in Yr8 and Yr9 transfer automatically















Chaplaincy Meetings Week Commencing 14th October 2024

Tuesday 15th October - Year 8 Young Salesian Period 1 in F30
 Students will catch up on work missed

• Wednesday 16th October - Year 12 AM Registration in F30

Wednesday 16th October - Year 9 Young Salesian Lunchtime in F30

This is for current members not those in application process



Year 12 In House Retreat

An opportunity for Sixth Formers to reflect on their new position in the college and work together with a focus on Salesian values and Catholic Social Teaching in practice in the world today.

Wednesday 16th October P5 in School Hall - 12A and 12B

Wednesday 23rd October P5 in School Hall - 12C and 12D











DA COSTA CHARITY WEEK

Tuesday to Friday this week!!!

Hot chocolate mornings! Before school Tues & Fri Break Weds & Thurs Nando's voucher raffle! All week

Guess the number of sweets - win the jar! All week

> Guess the name - win the teddy! All week

TUCK SHOP 4a lunch - Weds & Thurs 4b lunch - Tues & Fri

TUCK SHOP

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL GO TO THE CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY! MAKE SURE YOU BRING COINS IN This WEEK TO SUPPORT THE CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY CRISIS FUND

WHAT DO THE CCS DO?

The Catholic Children's Society (CCS) supports disadvantaged children and families across London. They work with individuals of all faiths and none; our sole aim is to help those in greatest need. Their focus is to provide support as early as possible by helping vulnerable children overcome the challenges they face so they can achieve their full potential and have hope of a brighter future.

Crisis Fund

They operate a Crisis Fund which provides immediate financial support for families facing a crisis in their lives. This support makes a huge difference to families in desperate situations when they have nowhere else to turn.

Bereavement Support Programme

They provide training for school staff so they can deliver support groups for children who have experienced a significant loss in their lives. This programme helps children develop greater resilience, cope with their grief and feel less alone. It also helps prevent more serious mental health issues from developing.

Mental Health Services

We deliver professional counselling and therapy services on-site in over 70 schools. Each year we support hundreds of children who experience issues such as abuse, neglect, domestic violence and family breakdown. We also train school staff to support pupils with mental health needs.



Coming soon to St Michael's...

Readathon® Starting October 21st!







Readathon[®] is a sponsored read that gets you reading for fun... ...you raise money to buy books and storyteller visits for children in hospital...



What do I have to do?

- Choose whatever you want to read – anything goes!
- Ask family and friends to sponsor you
- Get reading!





Decide what you want to read... stories, comics, non-fiction – all reading counts!

Set yourself a challenge to read a number of pages, chapters, books, minutes.



- Choose what to read (or listen to) fact, fiction, audiobooks, blogs, comics... anything goes!
- Ask family and friends to sponsor you
- Once you've finished your Readathon[®] hand this card in at school

My reading list:



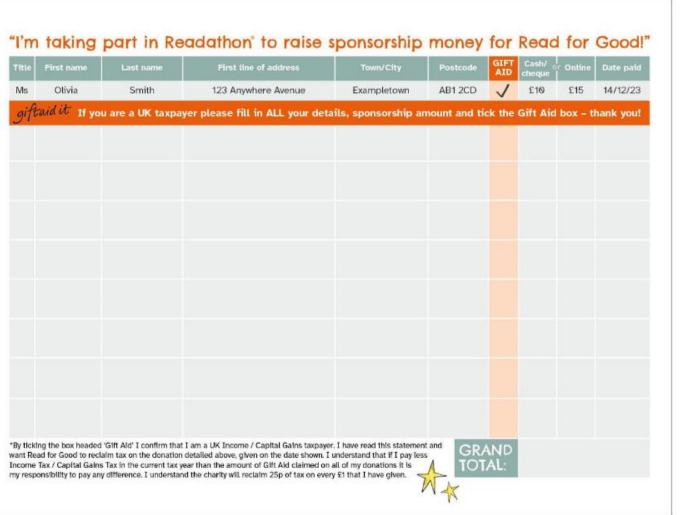
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Ask family and friends to sponsor you Make sure sponsors fill in ALL the boxes required

STAY SAFE! Never ask strangers to sponsor you





River Running club Reminder

Lunchtime <u>Running club</u> With Mrs Weatherley and Miss Cumber: Tuesday Period 4A - 12:15

Bring full PE kit, trainers and a water bottle

If you want to join the running club you <u>need to have signed the online permission form</u> **and see Mrs** Weatherley by Monday to add your name to list or you will not be allowed off site.

(Those on the list already can just turn up on Tuesday as normal)



- Be at the changing rooms for 12:15 on Tuesday to get a early lunch pass and grab a cold lunch, (we put these in the lockers to eat after our run).
- We will leave prompt at 12:25. Any one who is not ready to leave at this time will not be allowed to

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Martha W
Alexandra A
Deandre V
Conor G
Julia G
Sebastian H
Olimpia J
Ariana J
Dagmara K
Greta M
Michael O
Janka P
Robyn S



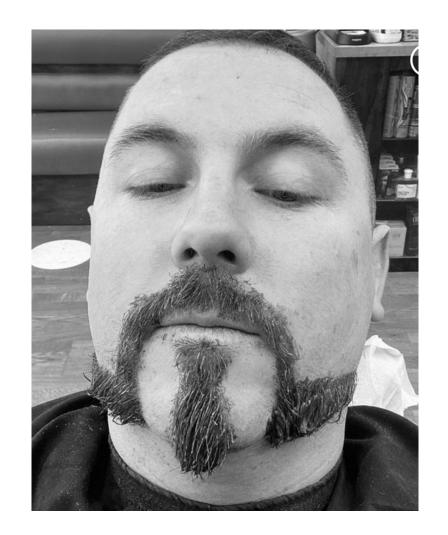
Movember is coming....



Will you join Mr Parker this Movember growing a Moustache to raise money and awareness for Men's Mental Health?

Which teachers do you think should participate?

https://uk.movember.com/mospac e/3102857?utm_medium=app&ut m_source=ios&utm_campaign=sha re-mospace



£££ Prize for 1st Place £40, 2nd Place £20, 3rd Place £10!!

Instructions

This competition is a expression piece, that puts YOUR thoughts and experiences at the forefront. We would like to know how you feel African identity has changed over time and the impact that music has had on this. We would also like to know how the current British-African culture has influenced you, or others in your community. This can be done through **music**, **poetry**, **art**, a **newspaper front page** or an **article**.

ENTRIES DUE FRIDAY NOVEMBER

Ground Rules

- Language and images must be appropriate and respectful.
- Your entries must be your own work and not copied.
- Your entries should reflect our British Values and Catholic Social Teachings (see the next slide for a reminder of our values).

NEWS



AFRICAN IDENTITY IN BRITAIN

Key Questions:

- What is your experience of the journey?
- Which artist do you feel has made a positive contribution to African identity and your personal experience?
- Has the growth in popularity of African music changed perceptions of African people around you?







Lost Property!

Please put your name on your belongings we have around 10 coats here in lost property in the office with no name on.

If you have lost a coat please come and check if it is here. Unclaimed items will be disposed of at the end of each half term as we have nowhere to store these items.

Thanks School office



Borough Market Project Year 8 – Wednesday 16th October – 4A

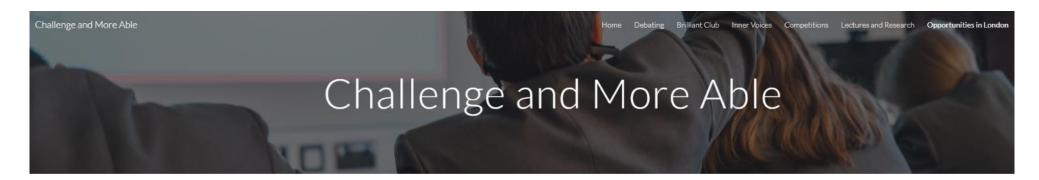
The below students in Year 8 will be involved this year with the Borough Market Enterprise Project on Wednesday 16th October 4a.







Things to do in London this Autumn!



Check out the updated Challenge and More Able webpage for more details:

https://sites.google.com/stmichaels college.org.uk/challengeandmoreab le/opportunities-in-london



Opportunities in London

London is an amazing place. Go out and explore it!

Use this guide to help you research the latest exciting events and exhibitions in London. We want to work in partnership with parents to help to stimulate your child, give them cultural capital and spark an intellectual curiosity in the universe and the human condition.

This document has been divided into free and paid entry.

Please note that this document is updated every term

Mr Magnoff



Eco-Committee 2024-2025 Friday 18th October



The first meeting of the Eco-Committee will take place on Friday 18th October – Period 5 in NS8

Please remember your laptop for the meeting!



Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	6th Form
Janka	Aceline	Maja	Khuyen	Roger	Evie H
Kitty-Rae	Nathaniel	Amelia		Ayomide	Ryan
Sophia	Maya				Omar
Susan	Reggie R				Tommy
Lily	Neriah				Tyler-May
Sadie E	Chiamaka				Ellie
Madalena	Rafael				Precious
Julian	Isabella C				Olivia
Alba					

Congratulations!

Isioma and Opeoluwa have been elected as the new Deputy Head Boy and Head Girl in Year 12!





Clubs/Societies Timetable



<u>Time</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
	Yr7-13 - Breakfast Club - Main Canteen	Yr7-13 - Breakfast Club - Main Canteen	Yr7-13 - Breakfast Club - Main Canteen	Yr7-13 - Breakfast Club - Main Canteen	Yr7-13 - Breakfast Club - Main Canteen
8-8.30am	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	All Yr's - Mass - Chapel
	KS4 - Football - Astro	All Yr's - Girls Basketball - Sports Hall		Yr8-13 - Choir - F22	KS3 - Homework Club - G20
8.30-9am					All Yr's Student Council (every 2 weeks)
	Yr7 - Global Scholars - TBC	KS3 - Games Club - G18	Yr9 - Music Band - F23	KS3 - Junior Band - F23	Yr8 - Choir - F23
Lunch 4a	KS3 - Spanish Film Club - NS5	Yr7 - Ukulele club - F22	Yr7 - Choir - F23	KS3 - Basketball - Sports Hall	KS3 - Samba Band - F22
(12.45-1.15pm)	KS3 - String Group - F23	KS3 - Dodgeball - Sports Hall	KS3 - Debate Society - S21		KS3 - Girls Get Active - Sports Hall
	Yr7 - Keyboard club - F22	KS3 - Girls Futsal - Sports Hall	KS3 - Table tennis - Sports Hall		
	KS3 - Running Club - Changing rooms		KS3 - Badminton - Sports Hall		
Lunch 4b	KS4+5 - Found in Translation - NS3	KS4/5 - Senior Winds - F23	KS4/5 - Guitar Group - F22	Yr10 - Music Band - F23	KS4/5 - Wind Band - F22
	Yr11 - Football - Astro	6th Form - Basketball - Basketball Ct	Yr10 - Football - Astro	KS4 - GCSE Music Singers - F23	Yr11 - Football - Astro
(1.45-2.15pm)	6th Form - Basketball - Basketball Ct		6th Form - Basketball - Basketball Ct	KS4 - SEND Games Club - G18	6th Form - Basketball - Basketball Ct
	Yr10 - GCSE Music Club - F22	KS3 - Maths Sparx HW Club - G19	Yr8/9 - Football - Astro	All Yr's - History Society - S09	All Yr's - Maths Problem Solving - S08
	KS4/5 - Girls Basketball - Sports Hall	KS3 - DT Club - G51	KS4 - Table Tennis - Sports Hall	6th Form - Debating Club - S22	Yr11 - GCSE Music Club - F22
	KS3 - Trampolining - Sports Hall	Yr7+8 - Science Club - S36		6th Form - Aspiring Medics + Dentists - G52	6th Form - Sports (Various) - Sports Hall
3.30-4.30pm	KS3/4 - STEM Club - G18	Yr9+10 - F1 in Schools - S37		KS3 - Christmas Show - G18	
	KS3/4 - Girls who Code - G19	KS3/4 - Brass Group - F23		KS4/5 - Basketball - Sports Hall	
		Yr7 - Football - Astro		KS3 - Gardening - Meet Library	
		KS3 - Badminton - Sports Hall		All Yr's - Maranatha Choir - F23	



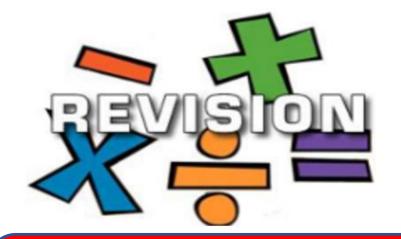
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G18

EVERY TUESDAY 4A LUNCHTIME

Maths Homework Club

Want to revise or be challenged with some Maths?





Want to complete your Maths homework?

Need help with a certain topic?



Open to all KS3 Every Tuesday 3:30pm – 4:30pm in G19



Homework Club

KS3 Homework club continues this week in G20

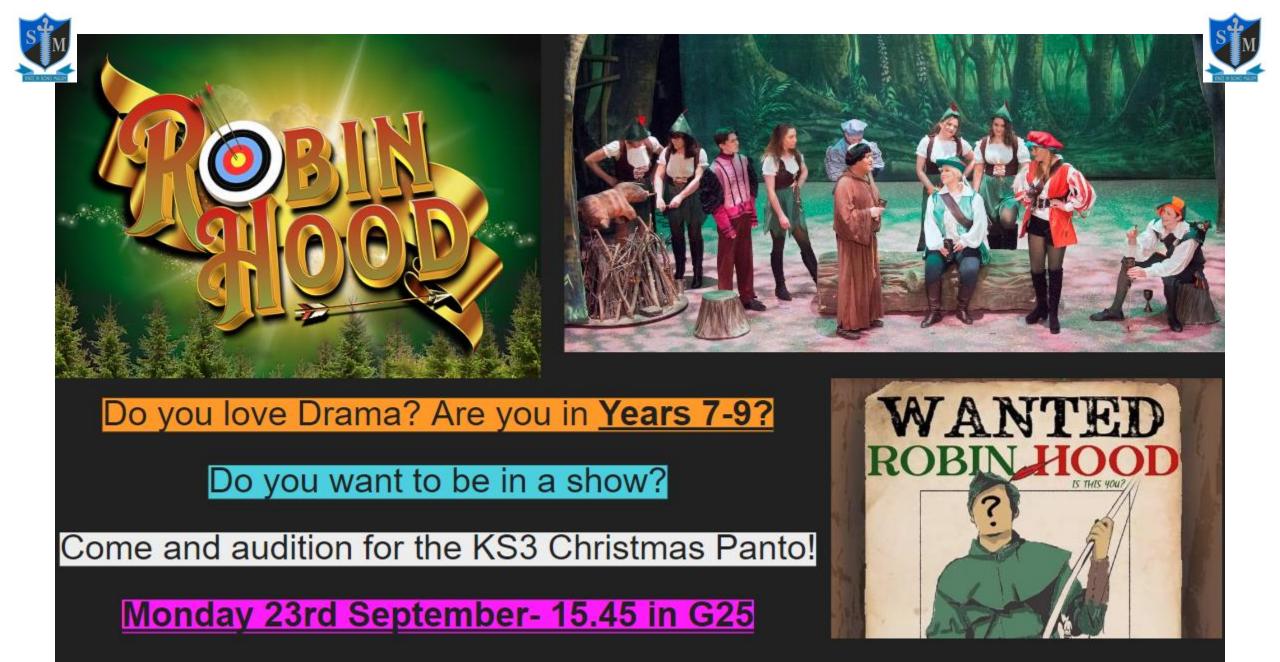




8am – 8.30am and 3.30pm – 4.30pm

Limited spaces available!







ROOM: S21 Wednesday: 4a Lunch (second half of lunch from 12.45) With Mr Devine & Mr Zanella





PE Sports Clubs this half term!



PE LUNCHTIME CLUBS

DAY	LUNCH	CLUB	LOCATION
MONDAY	4B	KS4 BASKETBALL	SPORTS HALL
TUESDAY	4A	KS3 DODGEBALL	SPORTS TALL
		GIRLS FUTSAL	
		KS3 RUNNING CLUB	MEET AT CHANGING ROOMS
WEDNESDAY	4A	KS3 TABLE TENNIS / KS3 BADMINTON	SPORTS HALL
	4B	KS4 DODGEBALL	SPORTS HALL
THURSDAY	4 A	KS3 BASKETBALL	SPORT HALL
FRIDAY	4A	KS3 GIRLS GET ACTIVE GROUP	G18
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PE AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

DAY	CLUB	LOCATION
MONDAY	KS4/5 GIRLS BASKETBALL	SPORTS HALL
	KS3 TRAMPOLINING	SPORTS HALL
TUESDAY	YEAR 7 FOOTBALL	ASTRO
	GIRLS FOOTBALL KS3 BADMINTON	SPORTS HALL
WEDNESDAY	YEAR 8/9 FOOTBALL	ASTRO
	KS4 TABLE TENNIS	SPORTS HALL
THURSDAY	KS4/5 BASKETBALL	SPORTS HALL
FRIDAY	SIXTH FORM SPORTS	ASTRO OR SPORTS HALL





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WISH YOU DID MORE PRACTICALS IN SCIENCE? COME AND JOIN US!

SCIENCE CLUB Tuesdays after school 15:30 - 16:30

S36 years 7-8

If you would like to be part of science club this term, you must come within the first two weeks, to ensure you hear important safety information. Anyone who starts after this time may not be allowed to take part.

15 spaces only – first come first served





G19 Every Monday from 3.30 -4.30pm



LEARN TO CODE AND CHANGE THE WORLD







KS4 Debating

Tuesday 4B Lunch @ 13.45

In F30

See Miss Casey for an Early Lunch Pass or if you want any more information

The St Michael's Gospel Choir THURSDAY AFTER SCHOOL

3:30-4:30PM

Jon P

See Mrs Laurence or Miss Casey to ¹ discuss the change of joining our new liturgical choir collective; **open to all year groups.**





Autumn Lecture Series at St Michael's Catholic College

This autumn we are delighted to announce another exciting line-up for the St Michael's Big Ideas lecture series in **G18**. Students from other colleges are welcome.

Free entry! Please contact us for more details: <u>d.magnoff@stmichaelscollege.org.uk</u>

Introduction to Advocacy Careers in Criminal Law

Catherine Collins KC Oxford University

Thursday 26th September, 3:45pm, G18

https://www.33knowledge.com/catherine-collins

"What is Dark Matter?" *Imagining the unseen and questioning the invisible* Dr Jed Young, *Kings College, University of London and St Michael's student 2011-2018*

Wednesday 13th November, 3:45pm, G18

Improve your life...and your UCAS application!



"Speaking Truth to Power" Nikki Schroeder, *Reach PLC* (UK's largest commercial news publisher) Wednesday 27th November, 3:45pm, G18

"Bermondsey – Art, Geology and History" Gail Dickerson – internationally famous artist and geologist

Thursday 14th November, Y9, 9:00am, F26 https://gaildickerson.com/

SSLP Science Christmas Lecture *December 2024, TBC*





Mass

8am

Friday mass continues this week in the chapel from 8am – all welcome!
11DA will be running mass this week





Breakfast Club Reminder

Breakfast club is running from 8am every morning from the **main canteen!**

All students can get **free** porridge and/or toast +

Free fruit now available at the request of the Student Parliament











Year 11 Study Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week A	Science	History	RE	English	Options
Week B	Science	Geography	MFL	Maths	Options

Week B





Mazzarello – 6067 Points

Savio – 5887 Points

Da Costa – 4835 Points

Bosco – 4040 Points

Rua – 3830 Points

St Michael's Catholic College Chaplaincy Events Calendar 2024-2025



October 2024	November 2024	December 2024	January 2025	February 2025
 Month of the Rosary Feast of Blessed Alexandrina DaCosta National Poetry Day Soap Run Launch of Harvest Festival Southwark Food bank collection Black History Month House Competition Black History Month House Competition Rosh Hashanah Yom Kippur (Jewish) Names for remembrance scroll Youngminds wear yellow day (10/10/24) World Teachers Day Harvest Family Fast Day Southwark Foodbank Harvest Appeal Recycle Week Yr12/13 Madrid Trip Year 7 Retreat Year 12 Retreat Charity Week – DA COSTA 	 All Saints' Day Diwali All Souls' Day – display remembrance scrolls in chapel Italian Exchange Students visit St Michael's Table Tennis House Competition Anti-Bullying Week Feast of St Andrew Talent Show House Competition Guru Nanak (Sikh) Christmas Card competition launch Year 12 Retreat 6th Form open evening Spelling Bee House Competition Remembrance Sunday Christ the King Year 8 Retreat Charity Week- RUA 	 Immaculate Conception World Aids Day Senior Citizens Hampers Christmas end of term service Christmas Jumper House Competition Christmas Dinner Christmas Doors House Competition Advent begins Hannukah (Jewish) End of Term Rewards Assemblies Year 11 Retreat 	 Epiphany Feast of Blessed Laura Vicuna Feast of St John Bosco House Dance Competition Launch of Upcycle challenge (DT) Holocaust memorial awareness House Competition Racial Justice Sunday Lunar New Year Year 13 Retreat Year 9 Retreat Year 9 Retreat Charity Week- BOSCO 	 Berlin (Yr12) Brussels (Yr10) LGBTQ+ History Month Upcycle challenge presentation (DT) Basketball House Competition Lunar New Year Safer Internet Day CAFOD Family Fast Day Ramadan Begins Charity Week- VICUNA





March 2025	<u>April 2025</u>	<u>May 2025</u>	<u>June 2025</u>	July 2025	To be scheduled
 Lent begins Shrove Tuesday Ash Wednesday Reconciliation services begin Feast of St David World Book Day Holi Purim World Poetry Day International Women's Day Feast of St Patrick Feast of St Patrick Feast of St Oscar Romero Mothering Sunday Earth Hour Science Week Victims of Slavery and the transatlantic Slave Trade Assembly Lent Charity Friday's Easter Liturgy Eid al Fitr End of Term Awards Assemblies 	 Earth Day Stephen Lawrence Day Feast of St George Poetry by Heart House Competition Chess House Competition Cultural Exchange Project visit from Salesian Institute of Florence World Autism Awareness Day Passover begins Holy Week Easter Sunday Charity Week – SAVIO 	 Month of Mary Yr13 Reflection service Feast of St Dominic Savio Feast of St Mary Mazzarello Ascension Feast of Mary Help of Christian Indoor Rowing House Competition Cultural Exchange Project visit to Salesian Institute of Florence (Yr8) Eurovision House Competition Mental Health Awareness Week Feast of the Most Holy Trinity Sunday 	 Pride Month begins Pentecost Yr11 Reflection service Year 11 Prom Year 13 Leavers Event World Environment Day Corpus Christi World Refugee Day Feast of St Peter and St Paul Tug-of-war House Competition Shavuot (Jewish) Sports Awards Evening Islamic New Year Charity Week – MAZZARELLO 	 Rome Trip (Yr9) Gilwell Park Trip (Yr7) Showcase 2025 Yr10/12 Work Experience Careers and Enterprise Week Careers Fair Arts & Enrichment Week Sports Day 2025 Nelson Mandela Day International Day Summer School 	 CERN Trip (Science Yr12) TBC

St. Michael's Catholic College

College Prayer

Lord, thank you for the gift of this day and the time to live and love in your world.

May we be brought to the fullness of life by the Salesian values taught to us by St John Bosco.

We ask St. Michael our protector to watch over us in our mission to overcome evil with good.

Amen

St. Michael, pray for us St. John Bosco, pray for us











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