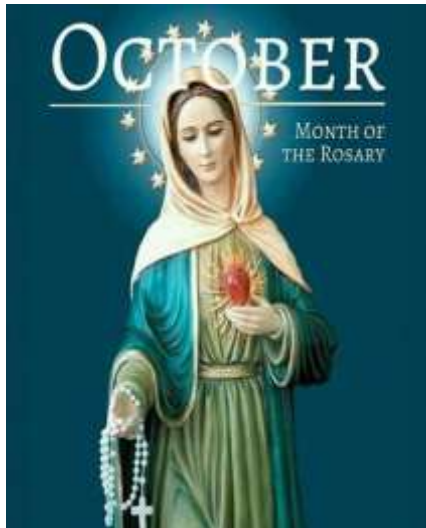




# Student Notices

6th October 2025





# Prayerful intention this week

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

All those who were killed and taken hostage during the 7<sup>th</sup> October attacks in Israel 2023



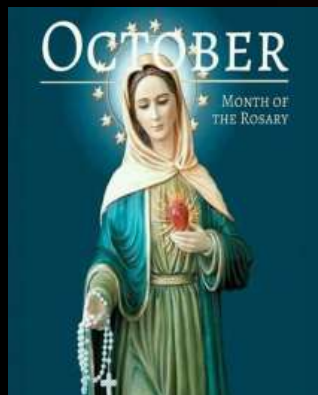


# Prayer

Lord, as we step into a new month, let us embrace it as a season of transformation. The shift in the natural world reminds us that change is an integral part of Your divine design. As nature reveals its beauty and prepares for the winter, let my spirit also be prepared for the shifts and turns that come my way. Lord, let this month be a time of introspection, growth, and renewal. Just as the trees shed their leaves, help me to let go of any burdens, regrets, or negative thoughts that might hinder my progress. As we witness Your creation transition gracefully, may we also move with grace, adaptability, and faith throughout this month and beyond.

***Ecclesiastes 3:1*** – *To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven.*

Mary our mother, we come to you with our needs and ask you to help us this new month. Hail Mary, full of Grace...



**Amen**

**St Michael – Pray for Us**

**All the Angels and Saints – Pray for Us**



# Assemblies this Week

**Theme: Black History Month**

**Catholic Social Teaching Links: Solidarity and Peace**



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



*Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver“*

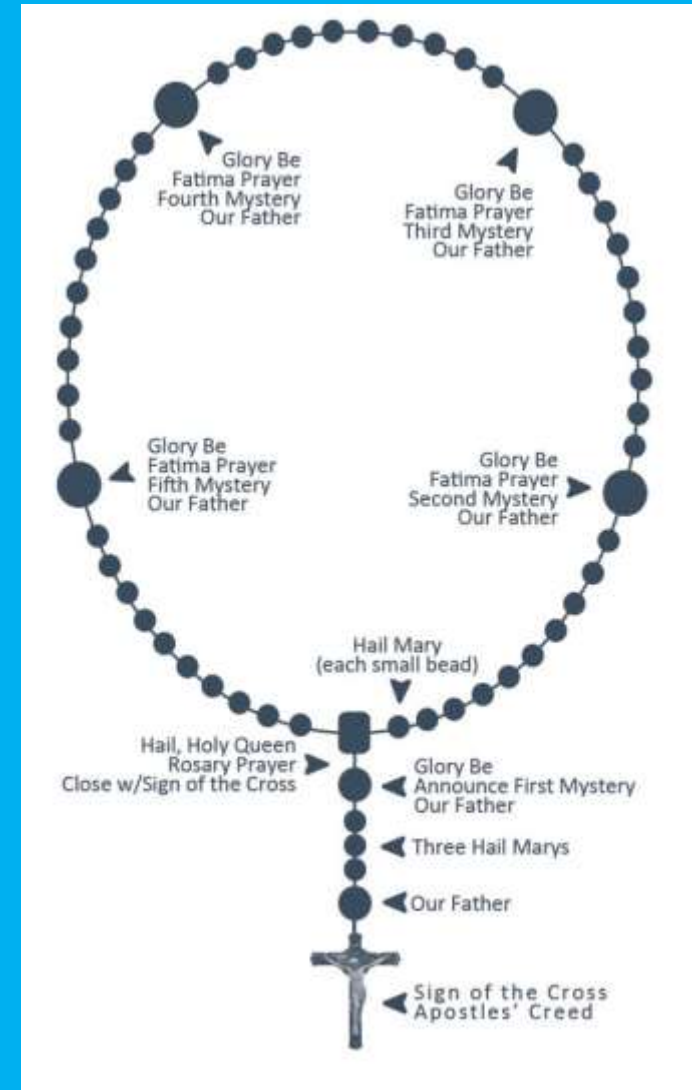
**2 Corinthians 9:7**

# Rosary in October

Starting on THURSDAY 9th October please join the Young Salesians in the Chapel for a decade of the Rosary at breaktime on Wednesdays, Thursday and Fridays.

All are welcome!

We have spare rosaries!





St Michael's students who are part of the Inner Voices Choir had the honour of performing at The Clooney Foundation for Justice Awards with John Legend at The Natural History Museum on Friday. George Clooney joined the rehearsals and spoke to students about the purpose of the foundation which champions free speech and women's rights around the world.







# DaCosta Charity Week









# Da Costa charity week Hot Chocolate Sale



Outside the internet cafe  
from 8:15-8:30am and from  
3:30-3:45pm Tuesday 7th  
and Wednesday 8th  
October



50p per cup  
£1 with marshmallows



Soft drinks, sweets, chocolate,  
crisps. All sales go to charity.

# Da Costa Charity Week Tuck Shop

Break time,  
Undercroft. All week  
starting from  
Monday 6th  
October





# STM Squid game edition – 7DA for Da Costa charity



For £1, you can put down your name and form on this ticket. Tickets will be sold throughout the whole week starting 6<sup>th</sup> October. Then, Miss Nguyen will draw randomly 5 names from the bucket.

The prize is Squid game's dalgona sweet, minted condition, sealed in a box, shipped all the way from South Korea.

**Raffle ticket – Play Squid game Dalgona sweet**

Name:  
Form:



**Raffle ticket – Play Squid game Dalgona sweet**

Name:  
Form:



We also have a bake sales (cookies, cream cakes and many more) during period 4a on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October. Welcome welcome!



# Drama Theatre Trip

## Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October – 7.30pm

On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October Year 10 and Year 11 GCSE drama students will go to the Young Vic Theatre to see Entertaining Mr Sloane in the evening.



Name	Reg	Name	Reg
Oluwatobiloba A	10SA	Nathan A	11RU
Koby A	10BC	Toriallee A	11MA
Naomi BG	10MA	Oceane A	11MA
Riley C	10SA	Valentina B	11RU
Efemena E	10MA	Yousef C	11SA
Rasharn F	10MA	Harry C	11VI
Lilly G	10MA	Tony N	11RU
Ayden GA	10BC	Camille N	11SA
Ceriyah-Lea K	10SA	Chidinma O	11SA
Kaya M	10MA	Chialuzue O	11RU
Blessing O	10BC	Tatyana O	11RU
Jemima O	10VI	Cindy O	11RU
Nshira P	10MA	Ayooluwa S	11MA
Fantay R	10VI	Donella S	11SA
Amelia S	10RU	Luch ZL	11MA
Bobby S	10SDA		
Agnes W	10MA		

# CAFOD Leadership Programme

## Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October

The following Year 12 students have been selected to take part in the CAFOD Leadership programme and will have their first session on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October



Keziah A
Chisom D
Jeremy D
Catherine D
Sophia H
Adrian JS
Hardian K

# Rugby Festival

## Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October

The below students in Year 7 and Year 8 will be taking part in the first Rugby Festival of the year!

### Rugby Team names

Lucas G	Jordan A
Love L	<u>Muna B</u>
Lance B	Gabriel T
Kofi B	Martins O
Chris W	Oliwer KB
Frankie D	Ethan A
Nickolas Q	
Anthony PP	
Stanley S	
<u>Nahome H</u>	





# Sports Fixtures this week!

The following 6<sup>th</sup> form students will be competing in Basketball against City of London School in Blackfriars.

Those involved should meet at 3.15pm on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October in the main canteen



Franck  
Franklin  
Thien  
Paul  
Bryant  
Uyoisa  
Denziel  
Chuk  
Kesandu  
John



# World Mental Health Day

## Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October

Students and staff are invited to wear an accessory that is yellow to mark World Mental Health Day on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October.

Full school uniform should be worn as normal with the addition of a yellow accessory

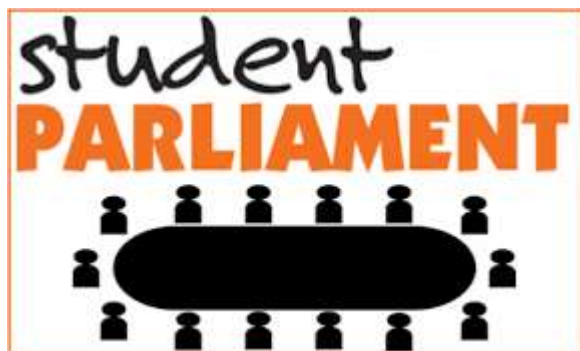


# Student Parliament Meeting

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October

2 representatives from each year group's student council are invited to attend the first Student Parliament meeting on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October period 2 in NS2

Student Councils in each year group should meet this week to discuss topics for the Student Parliament meeting





# Year 7 Choir

Yr.7 choir-takes place at 12.15pm -12.45pm  
on Wednesdays!

Come along and join!!

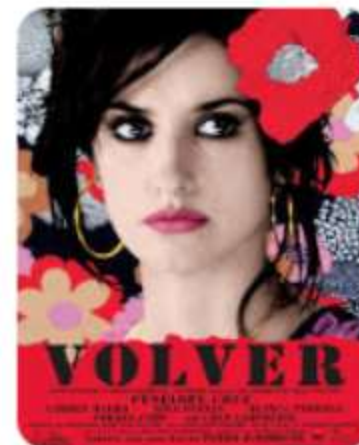




# MFL film club

Every Thursday 12.45pm 4A  
NS5

Starting after half term





# St Michael's Festival







# St Michael's Festival



**Thank you all for your  
support!**

Winners of games and  
raffles announced next  
week!

**We managed to raise  
£415!!!!**



# Readathon®



**Starting October half term- Friday 24th October**  
**37,800 minutes pledged so far!**

You have one month to read as much as you can and track the minutes using our online tracker.

You can get sponsors to challenge you and raise money for the charity- or just take part in the challenge for an opportunity to win a £15 Amazon voucher and other exciting prizes for the runners up. Those who have already signed up- you have been invited to the google classroom and will receive details of how to start and log your minutes on there



After an amazing launch event on Friday, there is still time to sign up- speak either to Miss Cumber (NF2) or your English teacher before the half term holiday to make your pledge and add your details



Meetings for Librarians take place every Monday PM from (15:15-15:30) in the library. Please tell your form tutor in the morning if you are attending.

*Monday afternoon  
15:30-16:30 will be  
library club!*

MEETINGS WILL BE HELD EVERY MONDAY AT 15:15-15:30 IN THE LIBRARY.

PLEASE SPEAK TO MISS CUMBER IN NF2 IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A LIBRARIAN.

# LIBRARIANS

1. Keep our library neat and organised- sort displays, organise book donations, keep the shelves sorted
2. Help with events like book clubs, World Book Day, Reading challenges and charity readathons!
3. Earn house points, rewards and be part of a great community
4. Learn new skills- leadership, events organisation



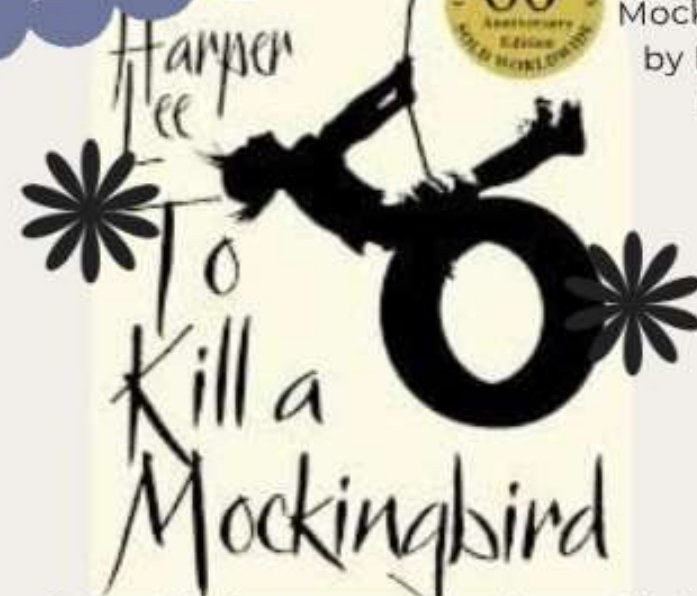




## BOOK RECOMMENDATION OF THE WEEK

DON' T FORGET TO CHECK  
OUT ALL OUR NEW BOOKS  
IN NF2. WHY DON' T YOU  
WRITE A REVIEW?

Book  
Recommendation



To Kill a  
Mockingbird  
by Harper  
Lee

'Shoot all the bluejays you want, if you hit 'em, but remember its a sin to kill a mockingbird.'

A lawyer's advice to his children as he defends the real mockingbird of Harper Lee's classic novel-a black man charged with the rape of a white girl. Through the young eyes of Scout and Jem Finch, irrationality of adult attitudes to race and class in the Deep South of the 1930s. The conscience of a town steeped in prejudice, violence and hypocrisy is pricked by the stamina of one man's struggle for justice. But the weight of history will tolerate only so much.

# YOUR OLD BOOK IS A NEW BOOK

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVEN'T READ IT**

Donate your used books on any subject, academic, non-academic, novels and picture storybooks, magazines, comics

Donation Drop Off : **In the library**

Library Book Donation Box    Before school, break, lunch or after school







# Extra-Curricular Timetable – Autumn Term



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8-8.30am	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
	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	KS3 - Homework Club - G20	All Yr's - Mass - Chapel
		Yr7-13 - Basketball Skills - Gym	Yr7-13 - Strength & Conditioning - Gym	Yr7-13 - Choir - F22	KS3 - Homework Club - G20
		6th Form - Film Project - NF3 (P1)			Yr7-13 - Basketball Skills - Gym
8.30-9am					All Yr's Student Council (every 2 weeks)
Lunch 4a (12.45-1.15pm)	KS3 - Racket Sports - Gym	Yr9 - Science Boost S36	KS3 - String Group - F23	KS3 - Guitar Group - F22	KS3 Girls - Girls Get Active - Gym
	Yr7/8 - Choir - F22	KS3 - Running Club - Gym	KS3 - Dodgeball - Gym	KS3 - Basketball - Gym	KS3 - Choir - F22
		KS3 -Band - F23	Yr7 - Choir - F22		KS3 - Band - F23
Lunch 4b (1.45-2.15pm)	KS4 - Band - F23	6th Form - Found in Translation - NS3	KS4/5 - Basketball - Gym	KS4/5 - Volleyball - Gym	KS4/5 Girls - Girls Get Active - Gym
		KS4 - Band - F23	KS4/5 - Model UN/Debate - F16	KS4 - Guitar Group - F22	KS4/5 - Band - F22
			KS4/5 - Wind Ensemble - F23	KS4 - Singers - F23	
3.30-4.30pm	Yr7-12 - STEM/Lego Club - G18	KS3 - Art Club - F26	Yr7-13 - Digital Design Club - G19	KS4/5 - Basketball - Gym	6th Form - Sports Activities - Gym
	All Girls Basketball - Gym	KS3 - Science Club - S36	Yr7 - Football - Astro	Yr8 - Football - Astro	
	Yr9 - Football Club - Astro	KS3/4 - Girls Football - Astro		Yr7-13 - Trampolining - Gym	
	Yr7-13 Girls - Girls who Code - G20	KS3 Boys - Basketball - Gym		Yr7-13 - Gospel Choir - F23	
		Yr7-10 - Brass Group - F23		6th Form - Debating Club - S22	





# Get Creative with the Digital Design Club!

Do you love getting creative and making things? Join us to learn how to design and make your own amazing projects using digital software and a digital cutting machine



This club is a fantastic way to develop your design skills and explore new technologies, with projects such as:

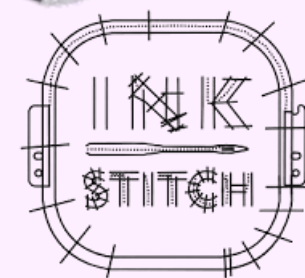
- Designing custom stickers and vinyl decals
- Creating your own personalized Christmas decorations
- Embroidering your own unique designs on tote bags and clothing

## What we'll be using:

**Inkscape:** powerful vector graphics software

**Silhouette Studio:** software for digital cutting

**Ink/Stitch:** for digitizing embroidery designs



**When?** Every Wednesday

**Time:** 3.30pm - 4.30pm **Room:** G19

**Come along and bring your ideas to life!**

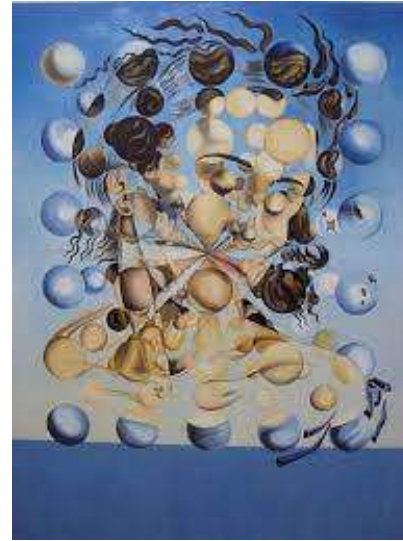
# 6th Form Debate Club 25/26

S22 Thursday Afternoons





## Madrid - Toledo Trip - February Half Term 2026



Any A-Level student interested in experiencing first hand two of the most culturally and historically interesting cities in Europe. You will be not only visiting one of the most elegant and friendly capitals of the world and trying its unparalleled art, cuisine, history and architecture but you will also visit the former capital of the Spanish empire, Toledo, *The city of The Three Cultures*: Jewish, Christian and Muslim and learn why it has been so important to European and world history.

If you are interested, please contact Señor Kelly. He will tell you what you need to do and give you details of the visit. Places will be allocated on a first come first served basis.



# St Michael's Catholic College

## Chaplaincy Events Calendar 2025-2026



<u>October 2025</u>	<u>November 2025</u>	<u>December 2025</u>	<u>January 2026</u>	<u>February 2026</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Month of the Rosary</li> <li>● Feast of Blessed Alexandrina DaCosta</li> <li>● National Poetry Day</li> <li>● Soap Run</li> <li>● Launch of Harvest Festival Southwark Food bank collection</li> <li>● Black History Month House Competition</li> <li>● Yom Kippur (Jewish)</li> <li>● Names for remembrance scroll</li> <li>● World Teachers Day</li> <li>● Harvest Family Fast Day</li> <li>● Southwark Foodbank Harvest Appeal</li> <li>● World Mental Health Day/Week</li> <li>● National Hate Crime Awareness Week</li> <li>● Diwali</li> <li>● Feast of Blessed Michael Rua</li> <li>● Year 7 Retreat</li> <li>● Year 12 Retreat</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week – DA COSTA</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● All Saints' Day</li> <li>● All Souls' Day</li> <li>● Italian Exchange Students visit St Michael's</li> <li>● Table Tennis House Competition</li> <li>● Guru Nanak Day</li> <li>● Anti-Bullying Week</li> <li>● World Kindness Day</li> <li>● Feast of St Andrew</li> <li>● Talent Show House Competition</li> <li>● Guru Nanak (Sikh)</li> <li>● Christmas Card competition launch</li> <li>● 6<sup>th</sup> Form open evening</li> <li>● Spelling Bee House Competition</li> <li>● Remembrance Sunday</li> <li>● Christ the King</li> <li>● Year 8 Retreat</li> <li>● Korean Exchange students</li> <li>● Advent begins</li> <li>● St Andrew's Day</li> <li>● International Men's Day</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week- MAZZARELLO</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Immaculate Conception</li> <li>● World Aids Day</li> <li>● Human Rights Day</li> <li>● Senior Citizens Hampers</li> <li>● Christmas end of term service</li> <li>● Christmas Jumper House Competition</li> <li>● Christmas Dinner</li> <li>● Christmas Doors House Competition</li> <li>● Hannukah (Jewish)</li> <li>● Winter Solstice</li> <li>● End of Term Rewards Assemblies</li> <li>● Year 11 Retreat</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Epiphany</li> <li>● Orthodox Christmas</li> <li>● Feast of Blessed Laura Vicuna</li> <li>● Feast of St John Bosco</li> <li>● Feast of St Francis De La Sales</li> <li>● House Dance Competition</li> <li>● Holocaust memorial awareness House Competition</li> <li>● Racial Justice Sunday</li> <li>● Burns Night</li> <li>● Year 13 Retreat</li> <li>● Year 9 Retreat</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week - VICUNA</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● LGBT+ History Month</li> <li>● Basketball House Competition</li> <li>● Lunar New Year</li> <li>● Safer Internet Day</li> <li>● Charity <u>Friday's</u> begin</li> <li>● Yr12/13 Madrid Trip</li> <li>● Yr8 Florence Trip</li> <li>● Ramadan Begins</li> <li>● Shrove Tuesday</li> <li>● Ash Wednesday</li> <li>● Reconciliation Services begin</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week - BOSCO</b></li> </ul>



## St Michael's Catholic College

### Chaplaincy Events Calendar 2025-2026



<u>March 2026</u>	<u>April 2026</u>	<u>May 2026</u>	<u>June 2026</u>	<u>July 2026</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Feast of St David</li> <li>● World Book Day</li> <li>● Holi</li> <li>● Purim</li> <li>● World Poetry Day</li> <li>● International Women's Day/ Month</li> <li>● Feast of St Patrick</li> <li>● Feast of St Joseph</li> <li>● Feast of St Oscar Romero</li> <li>● Mothering Sunday</li> <li>● Earth Hour</li> <li>● UK Science Week</li> <li>● Victims of Slavery and the transatlantic Slave Trade Assembly</li> <li>● Annunciation of the Lord</li> <li>● Lent Charity Fridays continue</li> <li>● Easter Liturgy</li> <li>● Eid al Fitr</li> <li>● International Day of Happiness</li> <li>● End of Term Awards Assemblies</li> <li>● Salesian Conference</li> <li>● Palm Sunday</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Holy Week</li> <li>● Maundy Thursday</li> <li>● Good Friday</li> <li>● Easter Sunday</li> <li>● Earth Day</li> <li>● Stephen Lawrence Day</li> <li>● Feast of St George</li> <li>● Anniversary of death of Pope Francis</li> <li>● Nail bombing anniversaries</li> <li>● International Chernobyl Disaster Remembrance Day</li> <li>● Poetry by Heart House Competition</li> <li>● Chess House Competition</li> <li>● World Autism Awareness Day</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week – RUA</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Month of Mary</li> <li>● Yr13 Reflection service</li> <li>● Feast of St Dominic Savio</li> <li>● Feast of St Mary Mazzarello</li> <li>● Ascension</li> <li>● Feast of Mary Help of Christian</li> <li>● Indoor Rowing House Competition</li> <li>● Eurovision House Competition</li> <li>● Mental Health Awareness Week</li> <li>● Eid-Al-Adha</li> <li>● Trinity Sunday</li> <li>● Rome Trip Yr9</li> <li>● Brussels Trip Yr10</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● All Are Welcome Month begins</li> <li>● Pentecost</li> <li>● Yr11 Reflection service</li> <li>● Year 11 Prom</li> <li>● Year 13 Leavers Event</li> <li>● World Environment Day</li> <li>● Corpus Christi</li> <li>● World Refugee Day/Week</li> <li>● Windrush Day</li> <li>● Feast of St Peter and St Paul</li> <li>● Tug-of-war House Competition</li> <li>● Sports Awards Evening</li> <li>● <b>Charity Week – SAVIO</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gilwell Park Trip (Yr7)</li> <li>● Yr12 Paris Trip</li> <li>● Showcase 2025</li> <li>● Yr10/12 Work Experience</li> <li>● Careers and Enterprise Week</li> <li>● Careers Fair</li> <li>● Arts &amp; Enrichment Week</li> <li>● Sports Day 2025</li> </ul>



# Mass

8am

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Friday mass will continue on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October in the Chapel from 8am – all welcome!  
**11DA will be hosting our form mass this week**





**G19 Every  
Monday from  
3.30 -4.30pm**

girls who  
code

**LEARN TO CODE AND  
CHANGE THE WORLD**



# SCIENCE CLUB

FIRST SESSION TUESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER

Every Tuesday  
After school  
S36  
Years 7-9





# Debate society: KS3

Enjoy, argue, learn

Challenge, speak, think



**ROOM: G09**

**Tuesday: 4a Lunch (@12:40)**

**Speak to Mr Devine**

Speak up!

Interesting topics!

Passionate  
about debating?





# 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**





# Homework Club

KS3 Homework club begins  
Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September in G20

**8am – 8.30am**  
**and**  
**3.30pm – 4.30pm**

Limited spaces available!





# House Points as of 06/10/2025



Mazzarello – 6869 Points

Rua – 6342 Points

Da Costa – 5440 Points

Bosco – 5276 Points

Vicuna – 4525 Points

Savio – 4327 Points





# Safeguarding Team



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# 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**

