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St Richard Reynolds Catholic College Bulletin

■ **Editorial**

Wow! What a fantastic term.

GCSE and A-Level assessments, fundraising, great learning, student leadership interviews, co-curricular clubs returned, College Parliament, Year 11 EPQ, SRR Podcast, Speak Out Challenge, Pope John Paul II Award, Virtual Music Festival, inter-house competitions, the list is endless...

This edition of Acta is a showcase of all that is great about St Richard Reynolds Catholic College. The phasing out of lockdown is offering all of us the chance to regain our freedom and with that in mind, please take note of the wonderful extra curricular opportunities that have been arranged for the students for the second part of this summer term. It promises to be an active and fun few weeks ahead.

Whilst May brought rather wet conditions, we haven't let that dampen our spirits and with warmer, sunnier and brighter weather now emerging, our students are coming back **better, stronger and together**.

The Editors

Important Dates 2021	
May	
31st May - 4th June	Half-term
June	
7th	Start of half-term (Week A1)
7th - 10th	Yr 12 Transition Week
11th	Yr 11 Celebration Event
22nd	Leaver's Mass (5:30pm)
24th	Yr 13 Leaver's Ball
29th	Feast of St Peter & St Paul
July	
1st	Primary Sports Day
2nd	Inset Day (Whole College)
7th	High School Sports day
15th	Celebration of Success Eve
16th	End of Term (half-day)

Front Cover: *Isabella Basset-Romo, mixed media self-portrait*

■ **Message from the Principal**

I had forgotten what an exciting time of year this is. As I write there is the babble of happy voices coming from the courtyard of Year 13 after their leavers service and last week we shared in the Year 11s joy as they finished formal lessons and moved on to A Level tasters. We are also excited about the numerous school trips that can happen as we approach the next milestone of the 21st of June and the important transitions our Year 6 students will make.

When I talk to our Year 13 students about what has shaped them throughout their time with us, they regularly mention the love, listen, challenge and inspire message which no doubt has along the way involved tougher forms of love. Many also mention the consistency of message between home and school and how their parents and carers have supported and challenged them. We believe that happy young people come from a working partnership between school and home and reading this copy of Acta is one of the ways we foster and develop consistency between home and College that is essential for a successful education.

I am so very grateful that we have a supportive parent body - exemplified by the many positive communications we regularly receive and always so gratefully received. Please don't ever underestimate the impact of a positive email, card or letter and thank you for taking the time to do so.

The work of FoSRR is an example of how supportive our parent body is across both the Primary and High schools. Thank you to all those parents who have been able to support this group over the years and especially during the last year. So do please take time to peruse the lots in FoSRR's current initiative the **2021 Summer Auction** and make a generous bid!

Clearly we are a community made up of unique individuals - hopefully each on a mission to help each other become the person that God has created us to be. Sinners striving to become Saints would be another way of describing the life journey that perhaps we are all on; so it goes without saying that we all make mistakes, every day. However, I do hope we also believe that if we are truly sorry for our actions and demonstrate this contrition through our future actions then we can live a more fulfilling life.

Some of our young people are more susceptible, by their very nature, to making poor choices but we

firmly believe that through working with supportive parents we know that teenagers in particular, can be successfully supported by positive relationships, encouragement, tough love and positivity. These are aspects of College life that I encourage and promote all the time through our totem, Love, Listen to, Challenge & Inspire.

I am sure that your children commented to you about the assemblies that were so well delivered earlier this term by a group of our year 11 students (with Mrs Simmons) that focused upon **Safer Spaces** around College. The assembly message was developed in the aftermath of the brutal murder of Sarah Everard and the subsequent testimonials on the *Everyone's Invited* website (mentioned in the last edition of Acta). One of the key messages was having the courage to 'call out' inappropriate behaviour; something that will take time - but time which will have been well spent if it changes societal behaviour for better

Whether they mentioned the Safer Spaces assembly or not, I hope that you and your children have healthy discussions about such events and websites - and more pertinently, that you discuss their use of social media. Please ensure that your children are aware that you are fully supportive of the College's view about social media use. I hope that you are aware of - amongst other things - the well publicised age restrictions for particular Apps, the content of their everyday social media traffic, their contacts and particularly important - the amount of time they actually spend on social media platforms. If you are not, then I suggest you take some time quickly to change that situation. The College cannot be held responsible for your child's use of social media, yet there is an increasing impact on College life as a result of the misuse of it by an increasing minority of our young people.

I would be concerned if your daughter or son was reluctant to show you any aspect of their phone's contents. Feel free to contact us for help and support if you face any challenge with this.

Congratulations to Year 11 and 13 for successfully completing their academic years. In the case of Year 13, having completed their journey with us, we wish them well as they begin their next stage without us. We have a number of events planned to celebrate these memorable rites of passage.

In light of my comments at the beginning of this piece - feel free to contact me to comment on its

content, or simply to register what you think of Acta. Have a restful and peaceful half term break as we move closer to the end of the Covid restrictions.

God bless and may St Richard Reynolds always pray for us.

Mr R. Burke
Principal



[Letter to Secondary Schools for Pentecost 2021](#)

■ **Fundraising**



We have our '**SRR Virtual Music Festival**' available for all to watch in their own time. We have raised over £1,000 and if you haven't donated and want to, please get in touch. To view the festival, please simply click on this [YouTube link](#). Thank you to Olivia, Mo, Josh and Lucia for their performance, an amazing watch. We look forward to doing this all live in the near future...

Other School Fundraising Ideas

10P organised a cake sale during lunch break to raise money for the college fundraising campaign.



■ **Our Catholic Community**

For the first half of this term we observed Easter-tide and continued to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

This term is a great one in terms of the liturgical season, where we collectively build up momentum after the Feast of the Ascension to the birth of the Church at Pentecost.

Earlier in the month, we were able to focus on our College Saint, St Richard Reynolds, and remember how in 1535, he was executed in London for refusing the Oath of Supremacy to King Henry VIII of England. A zoom Mass was celebrated by Canon Peter Newby from St Margaret of Scotland Parish. This followed almost 2 weeks later with the Feast of the Ascension, and Monsignor Bill Saunders from Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish in Sheen kindly celebrated another zoom Mass for our whole school community.

Although we have been unable to be physically together on these occasions, our students still participated in classrooms and Hugo and Honor (Head Boy and Head Girl) read the Word, with Y9 students creating the prayers of intercession.

Youth Alpha

We are delighted to be leading a Youth Alpha course with a group of Year 9 students. Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith. Here at SRRCC, we provide a safe space for honest and open faith conversations and are supporting each other in our faith journey. The students have been thoroughly engaged in the material and in the discussions that follow. It is a privilege to listen to our young people. Mrs Fernandes, Science Technician, says, "I can't tell you how good I feel that I am part of this whole programme. There is a lot we can learn from our children."



"I am really enjoying the Alpha Course because it helps me strengthen my relationship with God. I also really like it because I can share my opinions with my friends, and it is a great opportunity to meet other people in my year group. I think that it is an important moment to talk to God too and reflect on my beliefs and choices."

(Camilla Roccato 9F)

This term Mrs Walker has also been teaching the primary school children about Reconciliation and Prayer and was struck by the children's desire to know more about their faith and to engage in the church's rich and profound tradition.



Prayer for Gaza and Israel

Please pray for the people of Palestine and Israel at this difficult and dangerous time.

A prayer for the Holy Land



We pray for the many people whose lives have been torn apart by conflict in Gaza and Israel.

*We remember those who have died,
Those who have lost loved ones,
The injured and people without food,
Shelter or medical supplies.*

We also pray for those who have the power to bring peace.

Fill them with wisdom, compassion and kindness.

Amen

Mrs Walker
College Chaplain

■ Half-term House LORRIC points

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Total
Bakhita House	6729	3402	2709	1654	1044	15597
Francis House	6292	3778	2469	2009	735	15380
Kolbe House	6668	4120	2357	1877	858	15928
Line House	5488	3452	2738	1908	951	14595
Molla House	7216	3359	2677	2061	1185	16543
Porres House	5680	3515	2909	1921	739	14779

■ College Parliament 2021

After our elections before Easter, the following students were elected to the College Parliament:

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10
Izzy Bunney	Kyle Sequeira	Nicole Redemann	Eddie O'Sullivan
Will Manley	Lukas Glasheen	Ollie Saulet	Rose Redmond
Rachel Humphrey	Poppy Cove	Freya Morgan	Romeo Sogol

There have been two meetings this term (socially distanced of course) and we've discussed key issues that affect our College. In our most recent meeting, Mrs Goddard, Vice-Chair of the Governing Body, joined us to discuss the proposed changes to the uniform policy and obtain valuable feedback from the students. In addition, the Parliament consulted on plans for a new Inclusivity Forum, which will be a student-led platform to discuss and debate inclusivity and diversity.



A College Parliament session taking place in Lawrence Hall included a selection of students elected in both the High School and Primary School.

■ Head Boy & Head Girl 2021/22

Mr Butcher interviews our newly elected Head Boy/Girl: **Hi Leila and Julien! Great to have the opportunity to speak to you about your new roles. How about we start with an introduction with who you are?**

Julien: My name is Julien Scott-Barate, I have been a student at St Richard Reynolds for over 5 years. I am currently in year 12 and I am studying Economics, Maths and History. Through my tenure at St Richard Reynolds I have achieved the position as head boy.

Leila: My name is Leila Caulfield and I am Head Girl. I have been a student at St Richard Reynolds Catholic College since Year 7. I am currently in Year 12 and I am studying Psychology, Sociology and Philosophy and Ethics.

What are you most excited about?

Julien: I am most excited about shaping and changing the future of this school, through working with other year groups and the student leadership team. My aim is to promote the idea of societies which I am very passionate about, students going out and seeking their own goals and aims at St Richard Reynolds.

Leila: During my time as Head Girl I am most excited about helping St Richard Reynolds to grow and develop and representing the school. My aim as Head Girl is to raise the profile of the House Saints and the House system and I am looking forward to seeing what the next year brings. I am passionate about making sure that all students have their voices heard and I am hoping to be able to achieve this by working alongside the student leadership team and students in the lower years.

What advice would you give to students in the younger years?

Julien: I'd tell them to act on advice teachers give you. It really helped me when I was completing my GCSEs.

Leila: Organise your time and make sure you check your diary/Google Classroom regularly. If you plan your time well, it helps when things become stressful around exams

Do you still have your white stones from Year 7?

Julien & Leila: Of course!

Favorite subject in the school?

Julien: Do we have to say history because you're asking us Sir?

Leila: That's really difficult to answer! But I picked Psychology, Sociology and Philosophy and Ethics for A Levels.

■ **Enrichment Week July 2021**

As part of the College's Fun, Faith & Future initiative, the College is currently organising an Enrichment Week for our students in the final days of the academic year. The aims of the Enrichment Week will be to provide opportunities for students to experience a variety of fun and diverse activities, reflect on their progress and faith, and set goals for the future.

The Enrichment Week will begin with Sports Day on Wednesday 7th July (Primary Sports Day is Thursday 1st July) and end with the Celebration of Success Evening on Thursday 15th July.

As part of Enrichment Week, the majority of our students will be invited to attend an off-site trip. Year 5 and 6 students will visit Walton Firs, Year 7 and 8 students will visit Bushcraft Residential, whilst students in Year 9 and 10 will visit Thorpe Park.

In addition, students will experience alternative curriculum days. The aim will be to offer sessions to students that we would not normally offer, for example archery or lacrosse. The entire College will be off timetable for these two days and this provides teachers and staff with an opportunity to teach and lead fun and exciting sessions for our pupils. If you are interested in supporting the College with the alternative curriculum days, please complete the Google Survey, which can be found via the link: [Alternative Curriculum Support](#)

■ **SRR Podcast**



Thanks to Year 12 students Lucia Laffan and Eddie O'Sullivan we have two new Podcasts to share with you.

The first features a discussion about the Royal Family and the second the important topic of 'Everyone's Invited'. We hope you enjoy listening to the latest instalments.

SRR Podcast 5 on [End of the Royal Family?](#)

SRR Podcast 6 on [Everyone's Invited and Sarah Everard.](#)

■ **School Lunch: Yr 7 and 8 Review**



We have been working with a group of year 7 and year 8 students to get their feedback on our current school lunch provision. This will continue after half term as we are looking at how our school lunches will look once Covid restrictions are lifted and we will communicate this in due course.

The year 7 and 8 students have provided some valuable feedback and we have identified some immediate improvements that can be actioned as we start after half term, including:

- Use of blackboards outside the canteen outlining the choices on offer that day so that students know which queue to join.
- Continuing the Pasta King option that has proved to be popular with students but improving the salad bar and bread options to go with this.
- Introducing theme days again.
- Increasing the options available to students, including increasing the number of jacket potato fillings and changing some dessert options.



Departmental News

Design & Technology



Year 10 Product Design pewter castings



Year 7 Speakers

Religious Education

Mia Wingfield (Yr 12) has won the University of Exeter's runner up prize for best written work on the topic of 'What role should religion play in a post-Covid world?'. Mia's entry was chosen out of hundreds across the country. Click on the link above to read her fabulous entry. Well Done Mia!

Modern Foreign Languages

The MFL department is excited to announce a new course starting this September for the incoming Year 7s: Maximum Classics! SRRCC students will now have the opportunity to spend a year exploring the ancient world through mythology and literature, history and archaeology of both the Greeks and the Romans. Civilisation topics will range from Achilles and the Olympics to mosaics and Boudicca. The course will also introduce the basics of two ancient languages - Greek and Latin - in a way which is designed to support students' vocabulary building and grammar in English.

This term the current Year 9 have been trying out the Ancient Greek taster sessions and were pleasantly surprised to find that they already knew a lot of the Greek alphabet from their Maths and Physics lessons. They were soon able to read transliterated English words as well as real ancient Greek words and start finding some of the many derivations in our own language.

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to write		
bios life	βιος	biology bionic
metrein to measure	μετρειν	metre metric
skopein to look at	σκοπειν	scope telescope

Well done to Freddie F, who was the fastest to recognise this famous team's name:

Μανχестερ 'Υνιτεδ

The knowledge that our students gain from studying Classics sets them up for success in other subjects, such as English and History, whilst also being an enjoyable subject in its own right. Appreciating other cultures, whether ancient or modern, has never been more important and we can't wait to launch this new course in the autumn. Valete!

Biology A level field trip



Our A level class went to Bushy Park to study aquatic and terrestrial habitats and understand how to use scientific sampling techniques to study distribution of different species. Well done to all the students on the trip who were a credit to the school and tackled the demanding analysis with confidence and resilience.



Junior Maths Challenge Results

Year 8	Award
Kieran McNelis	Gold
Edward Harrison	Gold
Beatrice Battaglia	Silver
Annabelle Thomas	Silver
Julian Batten	Silver
Lukas Glasheen	Silver
Clara Parker	Silver
Matthew Garrigan	Silver
Benedict Marshall-banks	Silver
Oliver Wojnar	Silver
Livio Rapisarda	Silver
Eadoin Brown	Silver
Shane Kenny	Silver
Rita Abou Chahine	Silver
Alice Weir	Silver
Zara Dunne	Bronze
Andy Duong	Bronze
William Thwaites	Bronze
Ewan Carlin	Bronze
Isaac Clarke	Bronze
Lucian Joyce	Bronze
Marcus Laffan	Bronze
Lucas Uribe Granados	Bronze
Poppy Cove	Bronze
Jonathan Blackwood	Bronze
Alex Joyce	Bronze
Thomas Doyle	Bronze
Celeste Jopling	Bronze
Maia Onabanjo-James	Bronze
Year 7	
Gabriel Beda	Silver
Klara Kucerova	Silver
Ben Norman	Silver
Alfie Varghese	Silver
Aidan O'Hara	Silver
Elena Kingstone	Silver
Julia Szymanska	Silver
Sara Diana	Silver
Will Fisher	Silver
Hugo Adamson	Silver
Saskia Fahey	Bronze
Erin Hartney	Bronze
Amelia Marshall	Bronze
Alex Byerley	Bronze
Will Manley	Bronze
Dora Richardson	Bronze
Amelia Wrona	Bronze
Mateo Andaya-Elorriaga	Bronze
Daniel Jolly	Bronze
Freya Byrne	Bronze
Liam Jeffers	Bronze
Sam Orrock	Bronze
Daniel Simms	Bronze
Jimmy Clelland	Bronze
Elizabeth Compton	Bronze
Kaden Sabado	Bronze

Drama

Year 8 students have been creating some live scripted performances.



Year 9 students explored the Designated Designer unit creating some costume designs out of newspaper.



We also created some fantastic set and lighting designs with lego and coloured filters.



Year 10 students have been creating their devised Drama performances.



HEAD OF YEAR UPDATES

■ Year 7

Once again Year 7 has had a fantastic half term. The students have continuously impressed me with their enthusiasm and efforts across academic, fundraising and extracurricular activities. Each form has been busy raising money for our school charities, 7M have been busy selling their movie tickets and 7K have had great fun trying to guess the sweets in the jar, to name a few. The sportsmanship that was shown at the inter house competition, also demonstrated the kind, determination of our students - with B house taking home the championship- I know the students are all looking forward to sports day!

With what has been an incredibly difficult year to transition- the students have shown their resilience. I am excited for all the fun events planned for the last half term, especially the Year 7 camping trip.

Ms S. Thompkins



Liam 7F did a sponsored cycle & helped raise money for his form



The Year 7 Girls rounders team finished victorious in a recent fixture

■ Year 8

Year 8 have had a fantastic half term back at school and over the past seven weeks, I have seen a positive change in the cohort which has also been commented on by a number of my colleagues. Their confidence has grown and Year 8 are feeling more settled and established after an unprecedented transition to secondary school, demonstrating their resilience and maturity. This half term, Year 8 have been getting involved in co-curricular clubs and I have seen great enthusiasm in lessons. A number of Year 8 students have taken part in a focus group, working with the canteen staff to help improve student satisfaction. I have also been impressed with the fundraising efforts that have been made so far. I look forward to seeing the rest of the fundraising activities and events after the half term break.

I wish you and your families a happy half term and look forward to seeing Year 8 back for what plans to be a fun and faithful end to the school year.

Ms J. Corbin



Year 8 organising and running a cake sale for their form time fundraising efforts



Year 8 Gaelic Football participants creating a super team!

■ Year 9

We have successfully navigated our way through another post lockdown half term, I for one am very much looking forward to this break, so I can only imagine that you are too. Especially seeing as many of the restrictions that were in place over Easter have been relaxed. That being said, it is still important to keep ourselves safe and remember that we still need to wear our masks on public transport to and from school. There have been a number of successes this half term both in and outside of lessons. The PE department have been pushing the return of Extracurricular clubs which have seen some fantastic attendance figures and our year 9 Rugby team won both the A and B competitions in the recent 7's tournament. Rounders matches are starting to come in so I look forward to hearing about our success there too! There has also been a bit of a buzz in the art department as a number of staff members have had their celebrity status increased as a result of being the subjects of lessons focussing on portrait drawing skills. I have included a very small example of some of the amazing portraits I have been given. Once the wall is completed I will post a photo of all of them on the school twitter page for you to see.

You will be receiving your confirmation letters relating to your GCSE options this week which gives you all something to look forward to in September, please remember that even though there are some subjects that you may not be continuing with next year it is still vitally important that you continue to work hard and develop all the skills you will need to make you a successful GCSE student.

I wish you all a restful break and look forward to seeing you all for the final push in what has been a very challenging year for everyone.

Mr B. Gibbs



Year 9 Rugby Triangular Cup Champions

■ Year 10

Well done Year 10 on another successful half-term. You have settled back into a brilliant routine and established fantastic learning habits.

Each tutor group has been contributing to our fundraising by running a weekly lunchtime tuck shop - please continue to bring in a small amount of change each Friday. Well done for everyone's efforts so far!

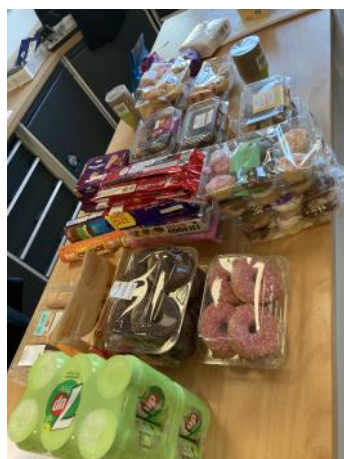
It has been wonderful to see students actively engaging in lessons. I was very impressed observing Geography classes drawing the world map with chalk, and designing land formations in sand. Keep up the good work!



As we approach Mock Examinations ensure you are following a revision timetable, and utilising the revision resources placed on your tutor google classroom. Hard effort will lead to success and mastery. Fail - Learn - Win.

If you need any assistance, or have any questions please ask your tutor or myself.

Ms J. Kieser



Year 10 Lunch-time tuck shop to raise money for charity.

■ Year 11

It has been a pleasure watching you grow, mature and progress over the last 5 years. I am so proud of the way you have responded to all of the challenges you have faced throughout your GCSEs. Each and everyone of you has demonstrated resilience and adaptability - key characteristics needed to be successful. I know that you will all continue to excel over the next two years, whether that be in our Sixth Form or elsewhere.



From **Monday 7th - 10th June**, you have the Year 12 Transition Week - during this time you will follow a bespoke programme which will provide you with further information and advice about preparing for your start in Sixth Form in September. On Friday 11th June, you will attend a Liturgy/assembly followed by a surprise celebratory event and BBQ. Please rest, recuperate and reconnect with friends and family over May half term. I hope that this week provides you with an opportunity to spend time with your loved ones.

Many thanks,
Ms K. Hayles



■ Year 12

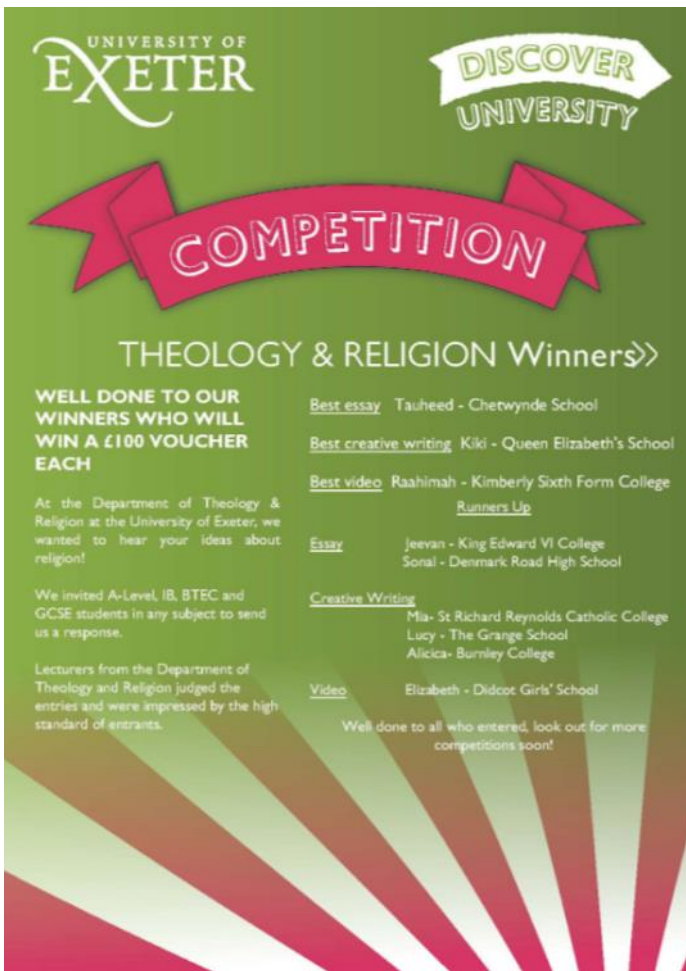
The Year 12s have had a successful and active Spring term. We are delighted to have appointed our new head girl/boy team, composed of Leila and Julien, with Lucia and Freddie acting as deputies.



They are currently managing a range of projects and are showcasing their strengths in leadership and communication. We look forward to witnessing their ongoing success and development within their roles. The year 12s have been involved in a variety of events and fundraisers this term. Mo, Lucia and Olivia put on superb performances in the 'SRR Virtual Music Festival', contributing to the overall fundraising success.



Additionally, a very well done to Mia who has recently won a Theology and Religion creative writing award from the University of Exeter (see overleaf for the award poster).



For the remainder of the term we will look forward to ongoing UCAS development and being part of various future workshops and team building events.

Mrs A. Foster

Dates for the Year 12 Diary

Friday 18th June	Y12 Student Leadership Conference (p.1-4)
Monday 28th June	Y12 Professional Skills Day
Monday 5th July	Y12 off timetable (New Year 12s induction day)
Thursday 8th July	Y12 Personal Statements Day
Friday 16th July	Y12 Student Leadership Team Building Day (p.1-4)

Year 12 Physicists have been working hard on an exciting UCL project, 'Exploring Earth's Plasmasphere', which involved confidently presenting their outcomes to university professors.



The fantastic opportunity to take part in the John Pope II award has also begun, with students getting ready to put their faith into practice. We look forward to seeing all their volunteering efforts in local parishes and communities.

With the end of year mock examinations approaching after half term, we wish all the year 12 students the best of luck with this.

Year 13

Year 13, I'll start by saying it's truly a pleasure to have been your head of year. Without delving too deeply into discussing lockdown, remote learning and everything else in between, I am going to focus on all your achievements and how you have demonstrated your undeniable tenacity, especially this last year.

From the start of September, I have had the pleasure to have welcomed you back into school after a significant period of home learning, and in return you have made me feel so welcome as being your head of year. We have been lucky enough to enrol some newer faces from different schools, from the start of Year 12 - I can confirm that you have fitted in beautifully all while holding the core values of SRRCC through and through.

Then I really got to know you all as a year group all while I was going through your personal statements as you were planning out the next phase in your life, by either applying to universities, apprenticeships or getting ready for employment.

was great to read so many of your achievements and successes that you have worked relentlessly hard for. I know times were challenging during remote learning, however you were resilient and great at communicating if times ever got too tough. Yes, there have been tears and wobbles along the way - which has all been part of the process, however, you have really rolled with the punches throughout and taken each day as it comes and risen up to the challenges, often with short notice.

A massive thank you to your tutors - who have been your first port of call and have been an integral part of the SRRCC sixth form who have led you throughout your journey with us. I could not have done my job effectively without their constant support, brilliant ideas and encouragement for you as well as me. I have been blessed with such an amazing team of tutors. They have been amazing!

It has been a privilege to see the level of maturity you have demonstrated throughout Year 13, which has definitely helped pave your way to success - you really do deserve every bit of it. Take hold of the opportunities with both hands, take pride in the work you do and in yourself, be patient and kind to yourself as you move into the next phase of your life. If you can get through this - you can get through anything. I couldn't be more proud of the people you have become. Good luck with all your future endeavours.

All my love. Thank you,

Miss N. Ali



Farewell Year 13 & Good Luck!

■ Sport

Within the curriculum this half-term there has been a focus on summer sports such as; softball, cricket, rounders and ultimate frisbee. Student's engagement, resilience and work ethic has been really high in lessons and we hope that continues into next half-term. Plus we look forward to using St Mary's facilities next half-term for Athletics.

Co-Curricular

Thankfully this half-term we were able to get our co-curricular provision back underway. Students had the following choice of sports to participate in after school; Cricket, Rounders, Rugby 7s and Gaelic Football. We were also able to arrange some Rugby 7s and Rounders fixtures with local schools to allow our students, the long awaited opportunity, to represent the college competitively and they certainly did not disappoint!! Please see below the results and some pictures of our students in action.....

A few pictures showing our activity this half term...



Rugby 7s Results

	Date	Results	MVP
Year 7 Boys	29/04	Triangular Rugby Festival A Team - Runners Up B Team - Winners	Daniel Lewis
	27/05	RPA A 5-35 SRRCC A RPA B 5-35 SRRCC B	Fin/Charlie
Year 8 Boys	04/05	SRRCC 20-25 Orleans Park RTS 25-15 SRRCC	Ioan
Year 8 Girls	04/05	RTS 15-10 SRRCC	Jagoda
Year 9 Boys	06/05	Triangular Rugby Festival A Team - Winners B Team - Winners	Jake Niall
Year 10 Boys	13/05	Orleans Park 15-10 SRRCC SRRCC 10-20 RTS	Will W/Finn P



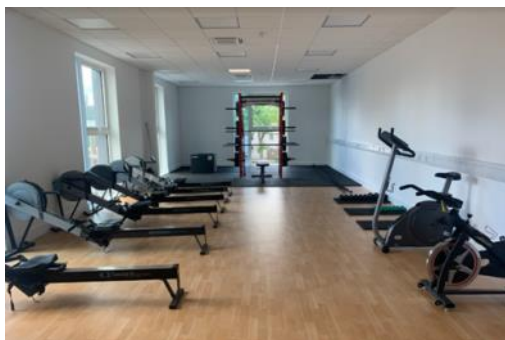
Year 9 Triangular Rugby Festival Champions

Rounders Results

	Date	Results	MVP
Year 7	06/05	SRRCC 16-6 Greycourt	Anna/Zofia
	27/05	Borough Tournament A Team - Winners B Team - 5th	Oli/Zuzanna
Year 8	06/05	SRRCC 9-9 Greycourt	Lily M
	25/05	Orleans Park 4.5-3.5 St Richard Reynolds SRRCC 6.5-1.5 Waldegrave SRRCC 4-4.5 RTS	Niamh
Year 9	11/05	Greycourt 8.5-3.5 SRRCC	Olivia C
Year 10	11/05	Greycourt 5.5-6.5 SRRCC	Martyna

The School Gym

We are pleased to announce that our Gym is finally ready for use. Year 10s and 12s, as well as staff, have been signing up and beginning to use our brand new facilities. This gym will provide opportunities in lessons and co-curricular clubs for all our students to understand and develop safe gym practice. We aim to provide enjoyable and enriching experiences in a gym setting, with the goal of creating positive lifelong physical activity habits amongst our young people. Please just ask any member of staff from PE if you need help getting set up!



■ Summer Term Extra-Curricular Activities Chart

The below co-curricular timetable will commence from the 7th June.

Day	Years	Sports	Info	Where
Monday	Y7	Rugby 7s	Mr Kenny/Mr Parr	Grass
		Netball	Ms Ormond	Playground
	Y8	Rounders	Mr Smith	Moormead
		Gaelic Football	Mr McGarrity	Moormead
	Y9	Basketball	Mr Derbyshire/Mr Kenway	Sportshall
Y12	Gym	Mr Gibbs/Miss Kieser	Gym	
Tuesday	Y7	Cricket	Mr Arcscott	Sports Hall
		Basketball	Mr Kenny	Sports Hall
	Y8	Netball	Ms Williams/Ms Veale	Playground
		Rugby 7s	Mr Parr	Grass
	Y9	Rounders	Mr Smith/Ms Ormond	Moormead
		Gaelic Football	Mr Smith/Mr McGarrity	Moormead
	Y10 GCSE	Trampolining	Miss Kieser	CC Hall
Y10	Gym	Miss Kieser	Gym	
Wednesday	Y10	Multi-Sports	Mr Parr	Sports Hall
		Rugby 7s	Mr Parr	Grass
Thursday	Y7	Trampolining	Ms Hunt (17/6)	CC Hall
	Y7-10	Athletics	ALL PE STAFF	St. Mary's (3:15PM)
	Y12	Gym	Ms Ormond/Miss Kieser	Gym
Friday	Y7	Rounders	Ms Ormond/Mr Smith	Moormead
		Gaelic Football	Mr McGarrity	Moormead
	waY8	Basketball	Ms Skrudupaite/Mr Pedani	Sports Hall
	Y9	Rugby 7s	Mr Parr/Mr Powell/Mr Kenny	Grass
	All Years	Running Club	Mr Butcher/Mr Novak/Mrs Fisher	Reception
	Y10	Gym	Mr Gibbs	Gym

* The Sports Hall will not be available during the mock exams, so there will be no Sports Hall clubs. These dates are from 7th to 25th June. Apologies for any inconvenience.

Inter-House Competitions

On Wednesday 5th May we took our entire Year 7 cohort down to Moormead as form groups battled against each other in an afternoon full of inter-house competition and fun. Students went to battle across three different sports rounders, ultimate frisbee and football. The enthusiasm, determination and motivation amongst students was inspiring. It's fair to say all students and staff involved enjoyed a fantastic afternoon of sport! We congratulate B house for coming out on top overall. Also, well done to those who received student excellence awards for showing fantastic LORRIC qualities; Jacob, Anna, Fin, Olive, Evie and Felix B. We can't wait to have more days like this in the future!



Year 7 Inter-house Competition

Final Standings

Congratulations to B House!!!!

Position	House	Points
1	B	50
2	M	45
3	L	42
4	K	40
5	P	35
6	F	28

Better Stronger Together

Sport Space Renovation Race

We continue to fundraise for our exciting new project, to improve the outdoor space at the College. Our 'Virtual Music Festival' took place on Friday 7th May, thank you to our whole community for all their support and contributions. Whilst thank you to our talented group of sixth formers and 'The Reynolds' staff band who put on a night of unmissable entertainment. However if you did miss it, don't forget to view the recording of the festival!



Jeffery's Tree Management Services is delighted to sponsor St Richard Reynolds' Rugby team shirts for the second year running. Always remember - rugby is for everyone. Give it a go and give it your best shot; enjoy every moment, win or lose. Good luck to each and every team at St Richard Reynolds' for this upcoming rugby season.

Here at Jeffery's Tree Management Services, we are highly qualified (NPTC), experienced and enthusiastic tree surgeons, who offer advice and are highly knowledgeable in our field. Our pricing is fair and we are honest with what works need to be done. For your own safety, and for the long-term health of your trees, if any chainsaw work, substantial pruning of high inaccessible work or hedge cutting is needed, please do not hesitate to call Jeffery's Tree Management Services on 07969795052.

Jack Jeffery



Sport Sponsorship

After a busy half-term of sporting fixtures, we are beginning to plan for the next academic year of sport.

If you are interested in sponsoring or donating between £300-500 towards any of our match day sports kits, including rugby, football, basketball or netball, please email m.kenny@srrcc.org.uk. We are very happy to have Jeffery's Tree Management Services (07969795052) sponsoring our Rugby teams for another year.

As you can tell from the depth of this sport update at St Richard Reynolds, sport is finally getting back to normal and it feels great! Next half-term we have lots of exciting things to look forward to. Here are some key dates for your diary:

We hope you have a restful and enjoyable half-term break!

Some Key dates for the diary:

Secondary Borough Sports	Wednesday 23rd June
Primary Sports Day	Thursday 1st July
Secondary Sports Day	Wednesday 7th July
Primary Borough Sports	Wednesday 14th July

Team PE



Richmond Hockey Club

Would like to invite Boys aged 6 -18 to come and play Summer Hockey
(All Levels welcome)



Weekly training from 6th of June - 15th of July

University of Westminster's Sports Grounds,
London W4 3UH. - Cost £65

Years 1 (U7) & 2 (U8)	Sunday	0915 - 1030
Years 3 & 4 (U 10)	Sunday	1030 - 1145
Years 5 & 6 (U12)	Thursday	1830 - 2000
Years 7 & 8 (U14)	Thursday	1830 - 2000
Years 9 & 10 (U16)	Thursday	1830 - 2000
Years 11 & 12 (U18)	Thursday	1830 - 2000

For more information please contact
rhcjuniormembership@gmail.com



Want to have fun playing competitive girls' football?



Hampton & Richmond Borough Youth Girls' U11, U12 and U13 teams are looking for new players to join their growing squads in 2021-22

Girls who will be in school year 6, 7 or 8 from September 2021

Whether you already play for your school, just enjoy playing football or want to give it a try, come along and join us for an inclusive taster session in June/ July.

Parents or carers - for more details, please contact

Rob Birkett redandwhite1976@yahoo.co.uk 07470 536428

Russ Clark russandjan137@gmail.com 07979 607153



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■ Music

It has been a busy term in the Music Department and we are planning an exciting schedule of performances and recitals for the year ahead. Tuesday morning has seen the return of face to face orchestra rehearsals. Mrs Fitzgerald has been working on a wide range of music with the group from 'Doctor Who' to 'Uptown Funk'.

We have recently welcomed several new teachers to our ever growing team of in-house instrumental tutors - Dr Olga Paliy joins our brilliant team of piano teachers, Mr Paul Stead and Mr Benjamin Woodbridge are busy teaching electric and acoustic guitar, and Mr Elliot Corner is teaching violin and viola. Mr Stead is also running a Year 7 function band on Mondays after school- the band are currently learning 'Superstition'. If you are interested in signing your child up for instrumental or vocal lessons please do email us in the music office.

Our Musician in Residence, Mr Booth has been busy coaching students who have upcoming instrumental and vocal exams. We would like to congratulate all of the students who have passed their graded music exams this term- many with distinction and merit! Please do let us know if your child has music lessons outside of school and has recently passed an exam.

You can contact Miss Davies in the music office at n.davies@srrcc.org.uk for any assistance.

Miss Firman & Miss Davies



(above) Mrs Fitzgerald rehearsing Year 7 and 8 Orchestra
(below) Mr Booth rehearsing with Year 9 violinist Daniel Walker



■ Art



(above) Artwork by Savithma Peramannage

(below) Artwork by Agatha Shepherd-Jones



■ Careers & Work Experience



As career professionals we have a duty to go beyond the statutory guidance to provide our students with a sense of hope, optimism and ownership of their future. While exams and qualifications are important, they are no longer enough, and students will also need to develop their career knowledge, skills and attitudes to be competitive in the job market. At the end of April, we started running mentoring sessions with the intention of raising our students' career aspirations. A group of our Year 10 students were given an amazing opportunity to meet on a weekly basis with our brilliant volunteer Claire. She is a business leader and a professional coach with a wealth of experience in talent management and organisational change. Claire also worked within consulting, coaching and senior HR roles and students have been very positive about these sessions.



A pivotal part of providing good career information, advice and guidance is also labour market information (LMI). LMI can provide us with insights into different jobs and opportunities, telling us useful information such as - growing/declining sectors, salary, working hours, qualification/skills needed, future jobs etc. We recently read an interesting article about a growing sector - **landscaping**. The demand for landscapers is on the increase with British Association of Landscape Industries seeing an increase of over 60% in work orders and expecting business to continue to rise in the future with up to 30% recruitment requirements in the next 18 months. The landscape industry directly employs nearly 200000 people and contributes 6.8 billion to the UK economy. This along with Landscaping being cited as the UK's '**happiest profession**', could make a great career choice. To find out more why not watch this [video](#), read some useful [information](#) or have a look at some useful horticulture websites



on our [Careers website](#).

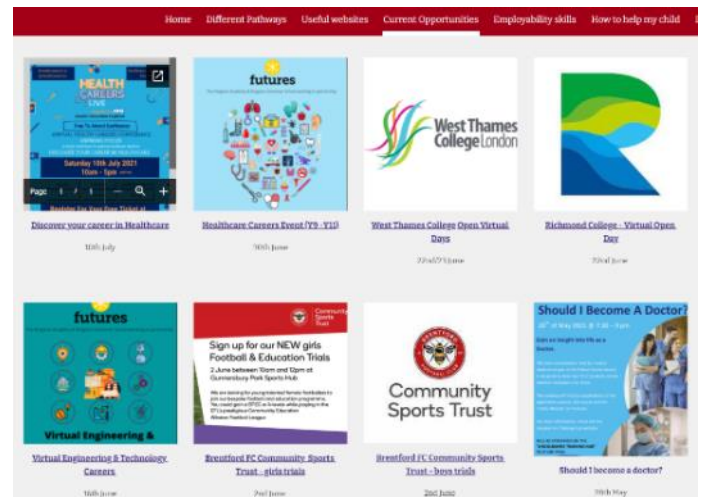
The long awaited Skills for Jobs White Paper was finally published at the end of January. The white paper represents this government's first serious engagement with career guidance and we are hopeful that this is the beginning of a bigger process of reform and investment in England's career guidance system which is so needed. You can find a really good critique of it from Professor Tristram Hooley for the Career Development Institute which SRRCC is also a member of. <https://www.thecdi.net/write/CDI-Briefing-Skills-for-Jobs-FINAL.pdf>



Notice for Year 10 parents - St Richard Reynolds will be offering insight days for current year 10 students and there will be opportunities for our students to learn about what St Richard Reynolds Sixth Form has to offer over the next few weeks and months. More information is also available on our website.

Esher College we will be offering tours for our Year 10 applicants from 13-15th July. The best way to find out more about these is to sign up to their [mailing list](#). All applications take place online through their website www.esher.ac.uk.

Even though the face to face work experience program is not taking place this year, there is a huge number of virtual placements/workshops and webinars taking place at the moment. We continue updating our [SRRCC careers website](#) with all



careers opportunities available to our students so please have a look or direct your child to our Careers website. We would appreciate your feedback by filling out the [online survey](#) or if you have any suggestions what we can add on the website please let us know by emailing careers@srrcc.org.uk.

Lastly, some important information we would like to share. You might be already aware that if your child is a non-UK, EU citizen, in order to be eligible for UK University fees (rather than international fees which are considerably more) you will need to obtain EU Settled Status. The application deadline for this is 30th June 2021. This is a one-off deadline, not an annual deadline. If your child wants to apply to university in the UK at any point in the future, then we recommend exploring EU Settled Status and applying if you think it is appropriate for you. Here are a couple of useful links which contain further information:

[Student Finance for EU Students](#)

[Settled Status—EU Citizens/Families](#)



We are currently busy setting up our Alumni network and we would love all our leavers to join our SRRCC Alumni network and become our old Reynoldians. Watch this space for more information!

We welcome all feedback and ideas so please keep in touch by contacting the Careers Team on careers@srrcc.org.uk or by filling this [form](#).

Iveta Drummond

(Careers and Work experience Co-ordinator)

■ **FoSRR Wishlist Donations**

The Friends of St Richard Reynolds arranged for staff members to create a Wishlist of items they would most need in their departments. We would like to thank our parents for the wonderful Wishlist donations we have received. These gifts have included:

- Pasta making machines for Food Tech
- White boards for languages
- Magazine subscriptions - Teen Breathe
- Statue of our Lady
- Rocks for Geography



Some items from the SRR Wishlist including:

Above: pasta making machines

White boards for Languages

Side: Statue of our Lady

Below: Rocks for Geography



2021 Summer Auction



THE FRIENDS OF ST RICHARD REYNOLDS

Join us online from 7th-27th June 2021
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Gaming Codes

Days Out - Kew Gardens, Escape Rooms

Family Photography Session

Art & Ceramics

Sports & Film Memorabilia

And so much more.....



■ **Primary News**

During this half term the children have learned that God has a plan for creation, a plan to build his kingdom of peace, love and justice. Our part in this plan isn't just limited to things 'spiritual', or times when we do 'religious things.' It involves every aspect of our lives, from the things we pray about, to how we live as a responsible global citizen.

We have been inspired by the wonderful examples of our pupils putting their faith into action.

"Putting our faith into action"



A group of girls in **Year 6** organised a plant sale to raise funds for charity. They grew the plants, advertised the sale and even stood in the rain before school to sell the plants. They raised over £40.

Well done to our pupils, what a marvellous way to celebrate the good things of the Lord!

May: the Month of Mary



A special Marian resource bag for each child has been prepared to help them pray the Rosary during May.

Year 4 designed and created our very own Marian Shrines as a special place where we could pray the rosary each day.



Roman in Year 1 completing an impressive 32km bike ride to fundraise for the College.



Celia and Esme litter picking around the local area after school.



Marian Shrine

“We use Marian Shrines to pray to God through Mary and to take some time to grow closer to our faith. In my Marian Shrine, I included things that signify Mary. I also added a candle to show that Jesus is the light of the world. I use my Marian Shrine to pray the Hail Mary and Hail Holy Queen”. - Florence Drummond



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Year 6

1945 Sports Challenge

Congratulations to year 6 for completing their "1945 challenge" to raise money for their leavers fund and the NHS in honour of Captain Tom.



Year 6 sports ambassadors, Baxter and Milo gave their classmates a fitness challenge based on the numbers 1945, linking it to their topic of World War 2. The class took on some fantastic and imaginative challenges and raised over £900 in the process. Some highlights include:

- Finbar who climbed 19 trees in 45 minutes every day in half term
 - Euan who ran for 1 hour, 9 minutes and 45 seconds non stop covering over 10km
 - Liana and Sienna who each did 1945 skips with a skipping rope
 - Theo, who cycled for 19 mins and 45 seconds twice a day, every day in half term and covered over 50km
 - Martha and Olivia M who joined Milo and Baxter in their morning zoom workouts based on the numbers 1945.
- Thank you to the whole class for taking part and for raising such an amazing amount! £250 will be donated to the NHS in memory of Captain Tom, our very own World War 2 hero.
- The remainder of the money will support the Year 6 leavers events and yearbook.



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The 8th Twickenham Brownie Group is currently looking for leaders to help run their weekly sessions. This is a very rewarding opportunity to help young girls engage in various activities.

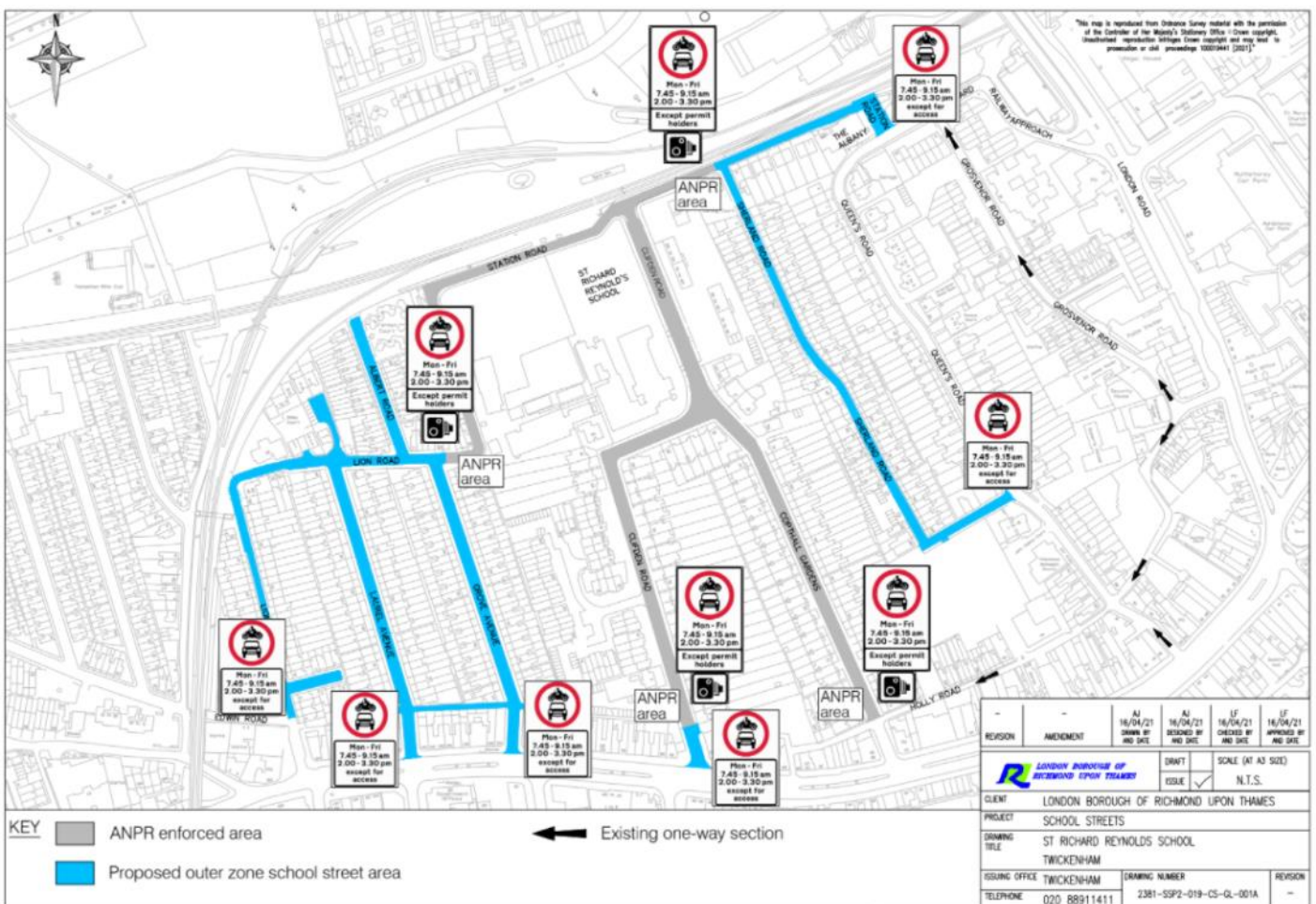
If you are interested, then why not find out more on girlguiding.org.uk or email 8thtwickenhambrownies@gmail.com

School Streets

St Richard Reynolds Catholic College is proud to have earned the STARS Gold Accreditation Standard which we have been 6 years in the making. In order to maintain this standard, we have, over the last 7 months been working alongside the council of Richmond upon Thames to implement and run the **School Street** Initiative. A **School Street** is where a road with a school, temporarily closes to become a pedestrian and cycle zone-only during the school's opening and closing times, to enhance the safety of school children. The grey zone on the map below shows the extent of the School Street surrounding St Richard Reynolds. Enforcement of this non-vehicle access will take place every Monday – Friday, during term time only between the times of:



7:45am – 9:15am
2:00pm – 3:30pm



Updated School Streets map to include the new 'Blue Zone' which will be in force during the above times.

The School Street zone is being extended at Cllrs request to include the roads in blue on the attached drawing. Parents should now please park and stride from further afield, unless of course they have an exemption to enter the zone.

This is still under [consultation](#) which has been extended until 10 November 2021 to include these amendments.

For more information about School Streets, click [here](#).

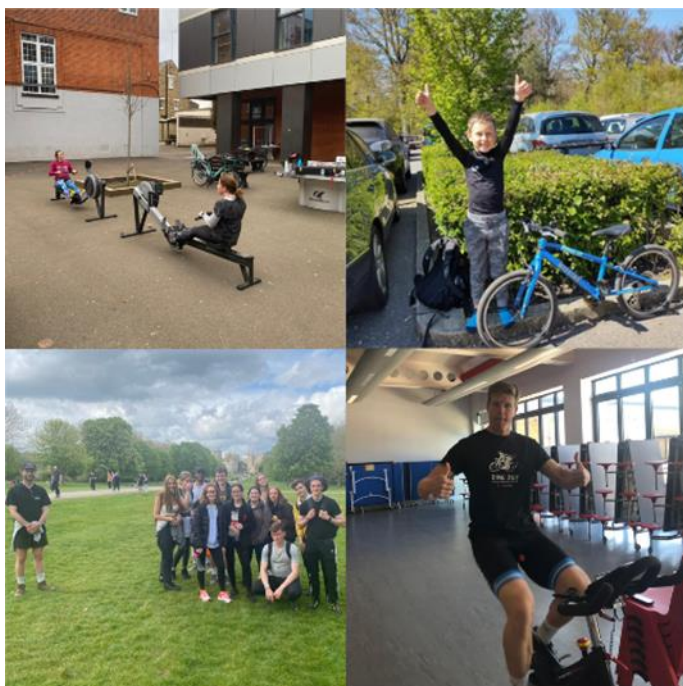


■ Friends of St Richard Reynold



Friends of St Richard Reynolds

It has been a very busy half term for FoSRR both behind the scenes and on the fundraising front. We told you at Easter that we were going to be supporting the schools 'Sport Space Renovation Race' campaign to raise money towards the development of the outside areas of the school with new space for sport, recreation, fitness and wellbeing. Due to some amazing effort and coming together as a community - teachers, staff, parents and students - we have had a fantastic start to this campaign. Through a Staff Rowathon, a Parent 24 hour cycle, a student sponsored walk, a Music Festival and not forgetting Yr 1 pupil Roman cycling over 32 km, our community have raised nearly £15,000! All of these events were also undertaken



with restrictions in place so it is fantastic to see that the lockdowns have not halted our community spirit.

Thank you to everybody that has supported these efforts so far.

The FoSRR Summer Auction - 7th-27th June 2021

Which leads us to our big summer fundraiser - the FoSRR Summer Auction. As we unfortunately

couldn't plan for the usual Summer Ball with Auction we are bringing the Auction online!

You can browse and bid our array of prizes and promises from the comfort of your sofa and pur-

2021 Summer Auction

THE FRIENDS OF ST RICHARD REYNOLDS

Starts Monday 7th June at 6.00 pm

Finishes Sunday 27th June at 9.00 pm

Join us online to browse and bid on a huge selection of prizes and promises.

What will you win?

If you could donate a prize or promise then please contact fosrr.info@gmail.com

The link to join the auction will be sent by Parentmail on Monday 7th June 2021.

chase something you would like and is useful to you, with all the money going to our school.

We have to say a huge Thank You to the parents, staff, students, local businesses and sponsors that have very generously donated items, skills and time. We are very excited to share these with you - we have such a talented and generous community!

All will be revealed when the Auction launches on Monday 7th June but you can expect to be able to bid on music lessons, sports and film memorabilia, yoga, pilates & PT sessions, days out, meals delivered to enjoy at home or meals out, golf at top courses, language lessons, dog walking and pet pampering, cakes for celebrations, gaming codes, babysitting, hampers for pampering & picnicking, fine wine, art and ceramics for your home, plus a fabulous parents only hotel getaway (who doesn't need that!). Also, could you be Head of Primary for the day? Could your class bid for no homework for a whole week?

Future Events

Aside from the Auction (7th-27th June) we have in the planning;

- A parent-staff sports league
- Year and form group meet-ups
- Cheese and Wine Welcome evening
- Curry & Quiz Night
- and already we are looking towards the return of the Summer Ball in 2022

If you can help with any of these please do get in touch.

The FoSRR AGM will take place on **Monday 21st June at 7.30 pm via Zoom.**

Please contact us if you would like to join this meeting.

Class Reps & Volunteers

Thank you again to our Class Reps and Volunteers who keep everybody informed about our events and activities. If you could be a Class Rep for your form then do contact us. It is a really important role to keep parents up to date with activities around the school.

As we plan for a return to in-person events we will be looking for volunteers to plan, support and help out on the day so do contact us if you can help!

We are particularly looking for volunteers for the following;

Managing our website - if you have experience of this and particularly Wordpress then do contact us.

Second Hand Uniform - we need to support the school with the collection, sorting, storage and sale of uniform. If you could be part of a team doing this please contact us.

If you can help with any roles supporting our school do contact fosrr.info@gmail.com or fill in our form bit.ly/fosrrHappytoHelp

Our School Wishlist

Thank you again to everybody who has supported this. So far nearly £10,500 has been raised for the school. You will see in this issue of Acta that the school have received many of the items you have already bought for them and they are in use! It really is wonderful to see our actions turning into tangible items and enhancing the educational experience of our children so quickly.

We received this lovely message from the Maths Dept.

"Thank you so much for the delivery of the calculators, we are so grateful and did not expect so many. They will make such a difference in the classroom to ensure learning is not hindered by a student who accidentally forgets their calculator one day."

As we come to the end of another tricky and unusual school year Our School Wishlist makes a great way to thank teachers for their support of our children. Some forms and classes have joined together to buy for particular departments which makes many of the items more achievable. Please continue to check the Wishlist regularly and see what you can contribute - donations can be made from as little as £1. Here are some items that only need a small amount more donated to be purchased - they could be in the school being used asap!

[Primary Trundle Wheels](#)

[Yr 4 Roman Invasion Books](#)

[Our Lady of Lourdes Statue for Primary](#)

[Theatre in a Box for the Drama Dept](#)

[French Essay Support for A-Level](#)

[£16 would buy a 3rd Ukulele for the Music Dept!](#)

Visit www.srrcc.ourschoolwishlist.co.uk to find out more!



The Classlist App

We are very excited to announce that FoSRR have joined Classlist, our new way to communicate quickly and efficiently with parents and friends.

Classlist is a parent app that brings you into the heart of the school community. It helps you to connect and support each other and our school. It is a safe and inclusive system that we believe will help us build a stronger school community at St Richard Reynolds. You have complete control of the data you choose to enter and what other people can see without missing out on important messages, events and activities.

With Classlist, you'll be able to contact the parents in your child's class, and see who's who so you can put a face to a name. Classlist will also keep you informed about FoSRR and school events, activities and fundraising. You can post questions to the other parents in your child's class, form special interest groups, as well as RSVP and buy tickets to FoSRR events. You can see who lives nearby so you can arrange car-shares and you can even find a home for outgrown school uniform.

Some of you may be familiar with this app if you have children at other schools - you can see a quick 1 min demo here <https://youtu.be/Y5VP7jnUQ9M> Do look out for the email you should be receiving with details of how to join Classlist.It should be as easy as couple of clicks!
Thank you to SRR parent Darren Bartlett for his support setting the Classlist app up.

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15th August onwards: Walk-in customers welcome.
Please refer to our website for information on extended opening times.

In-store Fitting

Appointments: Following the success of our service last year, appointments will take the same format this summer. They are recommended for new starters (rather than online ordering) and will be bookable online. Pre-register now, if you don't already have an online account, and we'll send you an email in advance of booking opening

The recommended appointment window for your school is 9th August until 15th August. Please, where possible, book during this window. This helps us to maximise school specific stock and reduce the time taken to serve you.

Online Ordering:

Our website will continue to operate as normal. **Orders should be placed by Sunday 1st August, to ensure in stock items can be delivered for the start of the autumn term.**

If you choose our 'Click&Collect' service when ordering you can collect, even when our branches are open 'by appointment only'. However, we may need to ask you to queue to pick up your order, while we manage social distancing in our stores.

Customer Services:

Want to talk to a member of our team? Our phone lines are open Monday - Saturday 9am-5.30pm. Your branch contact number is 020 8892 2201

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