



Weekly Information

Friday, 22nd December 2017

Week 15

Encouragement for the week.

Ephesians 2: 21-22

In him the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord. And in him you too are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit.

Term Dates for next year - 2018-19

Along with other schools we are now looking at the possibility of a **longer autumn half-term.**

The exact dates will be confirmed at the Governors' meeting in January 2018, but, for those who would like to know these things in advance, the term dates for pupils are likely to be :

4th September - 21st December

(half-term 22nd October – 2nd November)

Exams

Year 13 Mock Exams will be held from 9th – 12th January 2018.

Year 11 Science GCSE Mocks (Paper 1) Tuesday 9th, Thursday 11th and Friday 12th January 2018.

Looking Ahead

- Year 7 Parents' Evening (1), Wednesday 10th January 2018, 5pm-7pm
- Archbishop Tenison's Family Scottish Night, Friday 26th January 2018 - 6.30-10pm
- Not A Normal Tenison's Concert – Saturday, 3rd March 2018, Selsdon Community Centre, 7-10pm – tickets for both events are available to buy via:
www.ticketsource.co.uk/archbishop-tenisons-school-development-trust

Merry Christmas



Key Information for the first week of Spring term

Whole School

Monday 8th January – Staff Development Day – (School closed for all pupils and students)

First half of the Spring Term begins for pupils Tuesday, 9th January at 8.30am.

Year 7

Monday – Staff development day (school closed to pupils)

Year 8

Tuesday – Church 8.30am

Year 9

Thursday – Church 8.30am

Year 10

Monday – Staff development day (school closed to pupils)

Year 11

*Tuesday, Thursday and Friday Science GCSE Mocks
Friday – Church 8.30am*

Sixth Form

*Tuesday - Year 13 Mock Exams begin
Wednesday – Assembly in School Hall 8.40am*

Archbishop Tenison's Informal Concert

The final Informal Concert of 2017 was held on Thursday 7th December and was a really enjoyable evening for all involved. There was once again a real variety of performances including a couple of lovely Christmas items from Ayla Jabiyeva and Sam Burlington Horton performing 'Baby, it's cold outside' and Omolaso Adebiyi singing 'We three kings'. There were also piano solos from Hsiaolan Grandison-Grant, Zaria Hinds and Alinnah Younas-Dijoux as well as performances from our larger groups - Les Choristes, Gospel Choir and Camerata. The concert raised £83 for the Music Department and we will be putting the money towards expanding our range of classroom percussion instruments in the New Year.

Tenison's Carol Service - Wednesday 13th December

Christmas at Tenison's begins with the Carol Service and this year we were able to involve many students in a variety of choirs, ensembles, instrumental groups and as readers. It was a wonderful evening of music and worship and we were able to raise £481 for the Biggin Hill Romania Trust. The Music Department is ever grateful of the support and time given by all of those involved in our musical events and we wish you a happy and restful Christmas.

Year 7 Parents' Evening

Year 7 Parents' Evening (1) will be held on Wednesday, 10th January. The format of the evening has changed slightly to enable parents and carers to see all subject teachers over **two evenings**. Therefore, subject teachers will be seen in the teaching groups shown below.

Teaching groups - **7AW and 7AX will only** make appointments with Drama, English, French, Geography, German, History, Religious Studies and Science

Teaching groups **7BY and 7BZ will only** make appointments with Art, IT/Computing, Latin, Maths, Music, Physical Education, Technology (Product/Graphics/Food and Nutrition) and Theology/Biblical studies.

Please check that your son/daughter is making appointments with subject teachers. Details regarding Year 7 Parents' Evening (2) will be sent out two weeks before it takes place in April 2018.

Mr Cook. Assistant Headteacher



We are pleased to announce Winchmore Camps will be offering GCSE Revision/Booster camps for pupils at Archbishop Tenison's CE School during February Half Term and Easter 2018.

Scheduled dates for this academic year are as follows:

February Half Term

13th – 16th February 2018 (9am – 3pm)

Easter

4th – 6th April 2018 (9am – 3pm)

11th – 13th April 2018 (9am – 3pm)

For more information including prices, dates and content can be found at:

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