

### Dear Parents and Carers,

Our **summer enrichment clubs** are ready and waiting for students to get involved – there is something for everyone with 33 clubs available this half-term, many making the most of the sunny weather – take a look on our website [here](#) and encourage your child to come along.

14 staff gave up their half-term to travel with **130 12-year-olds to Paris last week** – a significant undertaking, we are so lucky to have our staff team. I am delighted to hear the reports back about how great the students were – “They were complimented by a waiter at a restaurant in Mount St. Michael as being the best children they had ever had there (this was during free time and unsupervised, we just happened to take the student's table after they left so he made the connection.”

“Our accommodation also wished to pass on their thanks to the students for being so well behaved and polite. We were the biggest group they have ever had stay for such a long time.”

Thank you to the families who have taken the time to share their reflections, they make the effort and the tiredness worthwhile.

“I just wanted to pass on my many thanks to all staff that gave up their half-term to take the Year 7's to France.”  
“He has had the most amazing time and will remember it forever, as soon as he got in the car he asked when the next trip will be 😊”  
“Really appreciate all of the staff for giving them the opportunity to go by using their half-term break. What great memories they have made.”

*Mrs Alison Pearson*  
**Headteacher**



## REMINDERS & NOTICES

### Illness and Medical Appointments

Illness and Medical appointments are the leading cause of absence from school.

Where possible, please arrange medical and dental appointments outside of the school day.

If you cannot arrange appointments outside of school time, please ensure that your child comes to school before or after the appointment, or both! They may only be in school for a couple of hours, but it does mean that we can record them as present for at least part of the day.



## FOCUS

### Year 9 Rounders Report by Captain Lowri Jones

It was our first match against Priory, we batted first and got a fantastic score of 10! The weather started to turn and was not the best to field in, but we kept it tight meaning they scored only 2.5. An amazing first win.

We knew our match against Thomas Adams was going to be tough, we have played them before and lost by just 1/2 a rounder, so the pressure was on! The weather got worse and the ground was very slippery and so was the ball! Despite this, we played very strongly with some superb, long and accurate throws and also some incredible hits! We won the game 4.5-3!

An outstanding performance all round and everyone should be very proud of their achievements.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

Click [here](#) to view our upcoming events. Events at a glance:

- Sports Day – 14th July
- Sponsored Walk – 24th July
- Summer break begins – 27th July



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