



# St John Fisher News

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## Year 6 Welcome

On Tuesday we held our Year 6 evening for parents and carers. It was a lovely evening and gave us a chance to meet new and familiar families. Yesterday we welcomed our new Year 7 into school for a taster day. Each group took part in a variety of activities to support them in their transition to St John Fisher in September. Thank you to Year 6 parents and carers, our staff and our students who helped especially our wonderful sixth formers.

## Duke of Edinburgh

We wish all students and staff good luck on their expedition this weekend.

Kate Pereira

Upcoming Events	
10 – 14 July	Celebrations Assemblies.
11 July	Year 7 & 12 Parents Evening. School will close at 2pm.

## Wellbeing Week

Last week we celebrated Wellbeing Week. The week started with the annual visit from the Ice Cream Van, which was enjoyed by both staff and students. We then had the Inflatable Dart board where students were able to play for house points in preparation for the awarding of the house cup. Money collected from the Dartboard will go towards a gift for local carers in support of the theme of Wellbeing which was 'Giving Thanks'. Students also took part in form time activities and the sharing of Kindness Slips where they were given the opportunity to send messages of kindness and thanks to fellow students and staff. My thanks goes to staff who supported me this week and a special thanks to my Wellbeing Team, in particular, Ellie Cotton for their hard work. If you like to be part of the Wellbeing Group, please see me or Mr Goakes.



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## Cambridge Blue Day

Last Friday was Cambridge Blue Charity day to raise funds for WaterAid. There were lots of lovely things to buy at break and lunchtime and many thanks goes to Tesco and Krispy Kreme for their donations of cakes and doughnuts to sell. Thank you to Mrs Roe for organising this. At lunchtime there were activities on the field and students took great delight in soaking Mr Johnson and even Mr Cayley got soaked by some students. There were games to play and £500.55 was the total raised. Well done to all Cambridge staff and students.  
Mr Cayley, Head of House



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## YDP News

Last week YDP started the week with the boys receiving Champion Tee-Shirts which is something the boys can keep forever, 'Back2Back Champions 🏆🏆'. First years delivered a Sports Festival at SJF on Thursday and the feedback has been fantastic. This promotes us as more than a Football Scholarship Programme. On the Plymouth trip, the boys had such a good time together and they became the first YDP team to beat Plymouth Argyle, there is a special bond between the 2 year groups this year. Seeing this programme continue to grow makes the coaches very happy but it comes down to the boys & the support of the parents working well together.  
Connor Peter, YDPAllstars manager



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