St John Fisher News

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Theme: Unconditional Love

Our assemblies and thoughts have centred around love. Gods love is given without conditions attached to it, this type of love is called agape. We have been reflecting on how we can share Gods love this week by putting other people before ourselves and giving of our own time and talents generously to support others and bring hope and joy. An example of this is Rochester yellow day held today.

Celebration of Achievement

Congratulations to all students who received prizes on Tuesday evening. It was a lovely event celebrating a wide variety of talents and service. It was a pleasure to welcome Luis Mendes back to school as our guest speaker.

Kate Pereira, Headteacher

Lots To Share!

Even though we are heading towards the last few weeks of the academic year, it has been another busy week for SJF. We held our Octathalon Day on Monday with many of our athletes competing in sporting events for their Houses, we also took part in Athletics Day as well as supported St Thomas More with their sports day. Year 7 went on a Geography visit to Ferry Meadows and some of our Year 11s took part in their Silver DofE practice expedition. Alongside all of this, we supported Wellbeing this week with lots of activities, an Ice-Cream Van and Rochester Charity Day.

Celebrations

We also held our annual Celebration of Achievement evening with guest speaker, and alumni, Luis Mendes. It was a wonderful evening with lots of winners and we thank Luis for joining us.

Year 11 Prom

Friday evening saw our Year II dressed to impress with smart suits and polished shoes for the boys and sequins and lacey dresses for the girls! With a red carpet, ice-cream, and a photo-booth our students celebrated their end of Year II in style! Congratulations Year II, we know you all had a fabulous night which was well deserved.

Mission Review

In line with the Jubilee year, we started the process of reviewing our School Mission Statement. Thanks to the staff and students involved.

Transition

Some of our new Year 6's joined us for a Treasure Hunt this week ahead of the Year 6 Welcome Evening and Day next week. It is hugely important that all our new students feel safe and happy when they join us in September and we look forward to meeting them all soon.

Mrs Wilmore, Senior Deputy Headteacher

Sporting Events

Last week we hosted a Primary School Football Competition. This involved 20 primary schools from across Peterborough in the biggest primary competition in the city. Over 160 primary school children demonstrated great skills and sportsmanship to compete for the trophy. Our YDP scholars were great Sports Leaders, leading warm ups, providing drinks, setting up the pitches and officiating all of the games. Well done to all involved on a fantastic event. This week we hosted our Octathlon Day. This is our Athletics Sports Day where students from the different houses compete against each other in 8 different athletics events. There was some fantastic athletics performances with some really close races and events. Some of the highlights included a magnificent race between Efosa and Thomas in the Year10 100m. Thomas won in a superb time of 12.01 seconds. Isla Staton had a huge jump in the triple jump competition and Flourish threw a massive 30 metres in the javelin. Well done on all the athletes who participated. This was excellent preparation for the City Athletics competitions which take place at the end of this week and next week. The Octathlon Day scores will be revealed at the end of term.

The Three Musketeers

Tickets are selling fast for the performances of The Three Musketeers which will take place on Thursday 3 & Friday 4 July 2025, 6:00pm – 8:00pm. Tickets are on sale via the School Gateway app, prices are £5 adult, £2.50 concessions.

01	Future Events
2 July	Year 6 Welcome Evening
3 July	Year 6 Induction Day
3 - 4 July	The Three Musketeers Production
11 July	Summer Fayre
16 July	Activities Day



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Summer Fayre Poster Competition

Thank you very much to all Year 7, 8 and 9 students that submitted an entry to the Summer Fayre Poster Competition. The standard of posters produced was fantastic and it was a difficult job to choose one to advertise this year's



Summer Fayre which takes place on Friday II July between 3:30pm and 5:30pm. The winners are as follows:

- Ist: Gabriele Kornaszewska (W9-BT)
- 2nd: Aishah Akhtar (R5-BG)
- 3rd: Aaron Rodrigues (B3-HVS)

Congratulations- please keep your eyes peeled for the posters around school and the local area.

Mrs Reay, Assistant Headteacher

Academic Tutoring

Year 10

30 June - 11 July 2025

Parent Power

Peterborough Parent Power's next meeting is









on Tuesday I July 2025 17:45-19:45 at Anglia Ruskin University, Peterborough. This meeting will focus on the topic 'What path would you like to see your child take after school?' The meeting will include an information session run by a representative from Kooth, an online mental health and wellbeing support service. The session will cover an overview of Kooth, what free support is available and how parents and carers can signpost Kooth to their children. For further information and to register your attendance at this please Sophie meeting. contact Waring 07398182824, or Mrs Helcoop in school or the link peterboroughparentpower@thebrilliantclub.org



Year II Prom



Year II's celebrated their Prom last Friday night. There were amazing entrances in fabulous cars, beautiful dresses and very smart suits. All student's celebrated with a

meal, awards, dancing and even an ice cream van. It

certainly was an evening to remember filled with laughter and fun. We wish all our Year II's much luck on results days and with the next part of their journey.





Exam Results Days

Exam results are being released to candidates this summer on the following dates:

- A Level Results Day: Thursday 14 August 2025
- GCSE Results Day: Thursday 21 August 2025

The school will be open from 9am to I Iam on A Level results day for exam results to be collected.

On GCSE results day, the school will be open from 9:00am to 10:30am for Year II students to come and collect their results and speak to staff about their Post 16 destination. Students must speak to a member of SJF staff to confirm their Post 16 destination including if they wish to accept a place at SJF and if so, check that they have met the grade requirements, there is space on the course and in the Sixth Form.

On both days members of teaching staff will be on hand to give advice and help students who have any queries or issues relating to their results. They will also be able to advise students who are not happy with their results the next steps they can take.

If student's are unable to attend Results Day this year, they can email exams@stjohnfisherschool.org.uk from their school email address and ask for their results to be emailed to them. Please note exam results will only be emailed back to the student's school email address and cannot be sent to a personal email address due to data protection.

If students cannot attend in person to collect their results but would like someone to collect them on their behalf, they should click on the following link:

https://stjohnfisherschool.org.uk/wpcontent/uploads/2025/06/Collection-of-Results-by-3rd-Party.pdf

This permission letter should be printed and completed in full. On the relevant results day the person collecting the results on behalf of the student should speak to a member of staff and will need to present the fully completed form along with their photo ID.

If you have any questions regarding the results days, please email exams@stjohnfisherschool.org.uk before Thursday, 17 July 2025.

Mr Martyn, Examinations Officer

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