St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

St Aidan's Student Weekly Notices Week (1) commencing 3 May 2021

Cafe Rota

Year 13 will have the cafe w/c 3 and 10 May Year 12 will have the cafe from 17 May until the end of term

Covid Test Results - Important

If you receive a positive test result out of normal school hours, please email us immediately at: <u>covid@staidans.co.uk</u>. This email address should not be used for any purpose other than notifying us of a positive test result out of hours.

Home Testing

Thank you to those who are continuing to do their Covid tests at home. Remember to report your home test result each time: to St. Aidan's at <u>https://hometest.staidans.co.uk</u> and to NHS Test and Trace at

<u>https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result</u>. If you need to report a PCR test result, please use the <u>covid@staidans.co.uk</u> email address. Reporting can be done at any time, including out of hours and it is important that positive results especially are reported as soon as possible, and anyone who tests positive must start self-isolating immediately.

Please also **remember that negative home test results do NOT change the requirement to follow all other Covid control measures**, including that no-one should be in school if they, or anyone in their household(s) or support bubble, have any of the coronavirus (Covid-19) symptoms, or if they have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive.

Lateral Flow kits

For those students who have consented to take part in the Lateral Flow testing programme testing kits will again be available to collect as follows:

- Year 13 students should collect their kits from Constance Green Hall during registration on Tuesday 4 May
- Year 12 students should collect their kits from Constance Green Hall during registration on Wednesday 5 May.

Important instructions for Year 12 students re internal exams – May 2021

- Students are required to have their school ID lanyards when they sit their internal exams next month so the invigilators are able to identify them. If you have lost or mislaid your photo ID you will need to order a replacement card prior to the start of your exams.
- Exams will start promptly at 9.00 am and 1.30 pm each day so students need to ensure they are outside the Exam Hall/Room at least 15 mins prior to the exam start times.
- It is very important that students sit in the seat allocated to them on the seating list so we are not looking for the wrong absent students and contacting the wrong parents.
- Students should be appropriately dressed (no crop tops or vest t-shirts) as the windows will be open in Constance Green Hall and students won't be able to wear their coats.
- PE1 (one of the huts by CGH) has been allocated as the room for bags & coats for students with exams in CGH.
- Please do not bring your mobile phone or wristwatch into the Exam Hall.
- Students will also need to bring a face mask and their own exam equipment, e.g. black pen, pencil, ruler, calculator (if applicable for subject) etc for their exams.
- Exam seating lists will be displayed outside CGH and in the Sixth Form café at SA and in Collins Entrance at SJF the day before the exam for students to check where they need to be.
- All exams will be held at St Aidan's in either CGH, the Bede IT Study Room, Careers Lecture Room or the Careers small rooms (PODs) all of which are in Bede House. The only exceptions are Music to be held in MU1 (Music Dept at SA) and French & Spanish to be held in IT3 & IT4 (Languages Dept in SA).

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• If anyone has any concerns or queries they should contact Mrs Humphrey, Exams Officer by email <u>w.humphrey@staidans.co.uk</u> or telephone 01423 818518.

Year 13 Leavers' Ball

The Ball will take place at the Pavillions in Harrogate on Friday 2 July from 7pm till midnight, subject to government guidelines at the time.

- Tickets are now on sale at £39.50, to include a Bucks Fizz reception, two course dinner, photobooth and disco.
- If you would like to go please can you make your payment via ParentPay.
- Once payment has been made you need to go to the Sixth Form Office to collect your ticket, advise of your menu choice and any dietary requirements and put your name on the table plan: tables seat a maximum of 12 people.
- The menu is either Chicken in White Wine Sauce or Butternut Squash Risotto followed by Chocolate Brownie.
- The deadline for purchasing a ticket is Friday 14 May.
- There are over 100 students who have paid for their tickets via ParentPay and still need to come to the Sixth Form Office to reserve their seat on a table and to confirm their meal option. Please do so as soon as possible.

Reminder

- Please ensure that if you have agreement for Home study, that you do undertake study at home.
- The Coach Road/bridleway that runs alongside St John Fisher is out of bounds to all students.

Take care and keep well

Thank you.