

# St Aidan's & St John Fisher Associated Sixth Form

## Weekly Notices Week (2) commencing 12 June 2023

### Assembly

Year 12 – **Virtual** assembly – Tuesday 13 June – Conference Day and Upcoming Events (KO)

Year 13 – no assembly

### Living Well

Living Well lessons have now finished. You should remain on site during this time for independent private study.

### Year 12

You should be taking advantage of as many opportunities as possible over the next few weeks to support your applications to university. These can include virtual or in-person work experience, wider reading, listening to podcasts, attending clubs or speeches and ensuring that for your intended subject you will have evidence of commitment beyond the classroom.

### Year 13 Lessons/Attendance

Teachers are not now available in normal timetable slots. If students are coming into school to revise, they should sign in at the Sixth Form office at their home school.

### EPQ Year 12 students

EPQ students will have received an email confirming their place on the course and will have been added to the EPQ Team. Tutorials for EPQ will commence on the **14 June** in the Chapel at St Aidan's. Tutorials will be held during period 4 on a Wednesday for the remainder of the summer term and attendance is compulsory. Students should make sure that they check the EPQ Team regularly for important course information and updates. A timetable has been posted on the Team with tutorial information. Please check this before the 14 June.

Students are reminded EPQ is a largely independent qualification and students are expected to spend approximately 5 hours independent study on their EPQ per week. Tutorials are designed to develop students research skills to support this independent study.

If you have any questions, please speak to Mrs Robinson (St Aidan's) [c.robinson@staidans.co.uk](mailto:c.robinson@staidans.co.uk) or Mrs Nightingale (SJF) [SNightingale@sjfchs.org.uk](mailto:SNightingale@sjfchs.org.uk). We look forward to starting EPQ with you this half term.

### Iceland Trip Meeting

Reminder for all parents and students going on the Geography trip to Iceland in July, there is a trip meeting on Tuesday 13 June, 5.30-6.30 in the main hall at St. Aidan's.

### Helpers Needed at Family Fest on Saturday 8 July 2023



Friends of St. Aidan's (FOSA) are very busy organising Family Fest and would love some willing Sixth Form students to help set up/clear away and man stalls on the day or perhaps help the PE staff with the football tournament that will be taking place. This might be something useful you could add onto your university application forms or job applications and will be a useful experience for you.

The event runs from 12-3pm but FOSA will be setting up from 9am and clearing away until around 4.30pm. If you think you can offer any time at all on the day, please email St. Aidan's Marketing Manager, Mrs Caine [k.caine@staidans.co.uk](mailto:k.caine@staidans.co.uk)

Many thanks from the FOSA team

### Books Wanted

If you have any books that you no longer need (kids or adult) please consider having a sort out before Family Fest on Saturday 8 July. Books may be brought to Reception or the Library.

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## Zawadi Great Big School Quiz

Please support Zawadi's **Great Big School Quiz** event next **Friday 16 June** 6pm - 8.30pm. Teachers are setting the questions and teams of up to 6 family and friends will be very welcome. Drinks and Refreshments on sale, including Zawadi's famous cakes! [Tickets available online here](#), at Main Reception or from a Zawadi member. All proceeds to Artizan International.

## Auditions for the school show – 26, 27 and 28 June

We are thrilled that our major school production for November 2023 will be the joyously uplifting Disney's *The Little Mermaid*. With a host of great characters such as *Ariel, Eric, Flounder, Scuttle, Sebastian, Ursula (with Flotsam and Jetsam), King Triton, Grimsby, six Mermaid Sisters, Chef Louis* and an ensemble of *sailors, sea creatures, gulls, maids, chefs* and *princesses*, there are roles for a large cast supported by a *full show band*.

Full details for the auditions can be found on the school [website](#). Any queries, see Mr MacCallum in the languages office.

## Reminder

- Students should not be playing football during lesson time.
- Please be considerate of the local community and dispose of your litter in designated bins.
- Our expectations are that Sixth Form students in school should be wearing business dress, as role models for our younger students. **No crop tops or trainers**. Lanyards should be visible at all times in both schools and in transition between sites.

Thank you.