



# Court Fields School

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## PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

11<sup>th</sup> June – 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018

### EVENTS THIS WEEK:-

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| 11 <sup>th</sup> June – 22 <sup>nd</sup> June | - Year 9 Math/English/Science    |
| 13 <sup>th</sup> June                         | - Summer Concert 19:00 – 21:00pm |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> June                         | - Leavers Assembly               |

### **Proposed Change to Tutorial Structure – September 2018**

I would like to thank parents, students and staff who responded to our consultation on the above. We have put a letter on our website under the Parent tab / Consultation, detailing the feedback that we received and our next steps. The outcome is that we are changing our internal organisation of tutorial from a vertical system to a Year Group System from September 2018. Assemblies to students have been delivered this week so I am sure that this information has got back to parents already but do read the letter for greater detail and you are most welcome to attend our next Parent Forum meeting on 26<sup>th</sup> June if you would like to discuss our new system with me.

Thank you. Rachael Bennett

Headteacher



## **SAFEGUARDING ISSUE**

### **DROPPING OFF AND COLLECTING STUDENTS EACH DAY**

It has been brought to our attention that parents are entering the school site to drop off students in a morning. Please can we remind you that parents should drop off and collect their children at the Youth Centre and not drive onto the school site unless by prior arrangement with the Head of House. It causes Health & Safety issues for students and staff arriving at school.

For Health & Safety reasons, students should use the public footpath to walk into school and not the main school driveway.

If you are entering the school site to attend a meeting and cannot find a parking place then please do not park on the yellow markings even for short periods, as this is designated access for emergency vehicles only, thank you for your co-operation.

## **ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL**



All absences must be reported by 9.30 am each day (and on each subsequent day) by either calling 01823 664201 (please note there is a voicemail facility if Receptionists are unable to answer your call) or by emailing [SCH.552@educ.somerset.gov.uk](mailto:SCH.552@educ.somerset.gov.uk)

If you know your child is going to be absent, please let us know in advance. If your child has been absent due to a medical appointment, please attach or email in a copy of the appointment card/hospital letter.

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

At Court Fields we value our relationships with parents and carers. However, please note that, due to their busy schedules, it is not possible to just pop in to school in the hope of catching a member of staff. If you would like to see a member of staff then please contact the school office in the first instance in order to make an appointment. Can I also remind you that if you are on school site at any point in the day you should report to main reception.

All our staff are happy to help but have the right to be treated respectfully. Abusive, rude or inappropriate behaviour, communication or correspondence will not be tolerated.

Thank you  
Ms Bennett  
Headteacher

## **ADVANCE NOTICE**

When we return in **September, Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018** will be an **INSET day**. On **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018** school will be open to **YEAR 11** and the new **YEAR 7** students **ONLY**. The rest of the students will return on **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018**.

## ARDECHE 2018

Please would all parents of students on this trip return the EV5 form to Mr Seymour as soon as possible.

A reminder too that passports and EHIC cards need to be brought into school **by Monday 25th June**.

There will be a parents' information evening towards the end of June: date to be confirmed.

Mr Latchford



## APPRENTICE VACANCY

Pritex in Wellington are seeking to recruit an apprentice (please see the advert below for further details). Please make your year 11 son or daughter aware of this exciting opportunity, or indeed any son or daughter who may now be at college and would be interested in laboratory work.

Mr Cowling





P R I T E X

# APPRENTICESHIPS

## Laboratory Technician Apprentice

GOV.UK Ref:  
VAC001401962

We are looking for a self-disciplined apprentice to join our versatile Laboratory Team.

The role will be varied and will offer an excellent foundation for a career in a laboratory or an engineering setting.

During your training you will learn all the skills needed to undertake and investigate routine tests required for products used in a modern manufacturing facility.

By the end of your apprenticeship you will be a fully functioning member of the Laboratory Team and have the ability to work autonomously.

You will attend Bicton College, one day a week and work towards achieving a level 3 apprenticeship as a Laboratory Technician.

Non college time will be spent at Pritex working within our Material Laboratory and Engineering Teams.



**JOIN  
THE  
TEAM**



Apprenticeships  
Good for our Business

*Do you know  
someone looking  
to start a new  
career?*

We will pay £5.00  
per hour for the first  
year and then the  
National Living wage  
until completion of  
the apprenticeship

### **To apply:**

Applicants will need to register on the GOV.UK website.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

To find the our vacancies, either type the GOV.UK ref code or **Pritex** into the keywords search bar and enter our location **Wellington TA21 8NN**

**Closing date:** 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**1 MILLION** Child Trust Funds  
worth up to **£1000 OR MORE**  
are yet to be claimed  
**HAVE YOU FOUND YOURS?**

### THE SHARE FOUNDATION

The Share Foundation is a registered charity which operates two major schemes on behalf of the Department of Education, in order to improve the life skills and financial resources of Looked-After-Children throughout the UK: the junior ISA and Child Trust Fund schemes. These arrangements have thus far benefited over 100,000 children and young people in care.

Child Trust Funds (CTF) were put in place for all children born between 1 September 2002 and 2 January 2011. However, although six million were set up, approximately one million are “addressee gone away” – that is, lost to the young person to whom they belong. The Share Foundation are determined to re-link as many young people as possible to their accounts.

**To re-link with your child trust fund**

Check first with your parent(s)/guardian if they can't help, visit

[WWW.SHARES4SCHOOLS.CO.UK/USEFUL-RESOURCES/FIND-CTF](http://WWW.SHARES4SCHOOLS.CO.UK/USEFUL-RESOURCES/FIND-CTF)

## **FUTURE EVENTS**

18.06.18 – 3.07.18	Year 10 PPEs
11.06.18 – 22.06.18	Year 9 Maths/English/Science
13.06.18	Summer Concert 19:00 – 21:00pm
15.06.18	Leavers Assembly
18.06.18	Year 10 Exams Start
20.06.18	National Citizen Service Evening
26.06.18	Parent Forum 18:00 – 19:00
27.06.18	Year 9 Mop up vaccinations (HPV & Meningitis)
27.06.18	School Picnic
<b>28.06.18 &amp; 29.06.18</b>	<b>INSET DAYS</b>
29.06.18	Year 11 Prom 18:00 – 23:00pm
03.07.18	Year 6 Welcome Day 1
04.07.18	Year 6 Welcome Day 2
04.07.18	Year 6 Parents Evening 18:00 – 19:00
10.07.18	Sports Day
10.07.18	Wellington Singing Festival
11.07.18	Presentation Evening
13.07.18	Non Uniform Day for MIND Charity
15.07.18 – 24.07.18	Ardeche Trip
16.07.18 – 1.8.18	Madagascar Expedition
16.7.18 – 20.7.18	Year 10 Work Experience Week
18.7.18 – 20.7.18	Activities Days

### Year 11 2018 Timetable changes – Court Fields School

	<b>Monday 14 May</b>
P1 and P2	All French students to Mrs Payne (A4). Rest in lessons.
P3 and 4	Philosophy and Beliefs students to Mrs Mackie (B16). Rest in lessons.
	<b>Tuesday 15 May</b>
P1 and P2	Non-French PE Students to have PE revision session with Mr Nicholls in B5. Rest in lessons.
P3 and P4	All students to Science teachers.
	<b>Wednesday 16 May</b>
P3 and P4	Philosophy and Beliefs students to Mrs Mackie (B16). Rest in lessons.
P5	All students to Science teachers.
	<b>Thursday 17 May</b>
P3 and P4	Computer students to Mr Seymour in C2. Rest in lessons
P3 and P4	French students to Mrs Payne (A4). Rest in lessons.
	<b>Friday 18 May</b>
P3 and P4	All Drama students periods 3 (B14) and 4 (B13) with Mrs Westwood. All GCSE PE students period to Mr Nicholls P3&4 (A3). Rest in lessons.

	<b>Tuesday 22 May</b>
P3 and P4	All Geography students to Dining Hall with Mr Latchford and Mr Williams
P3 and P4	Business Studies with Miss Murphy (A1) and Mr Seaton (C1). Rest in lessons.
	<b>Wednesday 23 May</b>
P3 and P4	All students to Science teachers.
	<b>Thursday 24 May</b>
P5	All students to English – Miss James's group to B14 / Mrs Martin's and Mrs Cummin's groups to Dining Hall

	<b>Monday 4 June</b>
P5	All students to English – Miss James's group to B14 / Mrs Martin's and Mrs Cummin's groups to Dining Hall
	<b>Tuesday 5 June</b>
P3 and P4	Geography students to Dining Hall with Mr Latchford & Mr Williams. Rest in lessons.
	<b>Wednesday 6 June</b>
P5	Walking Talking Maths Mock for all students except those in Business Studies Exam.
	<b>Friday 8 June</b>
P3 and P4	All History students to Dining Hall, rest stay in lessons.
P5	All students not in History Exam to Science teachers.

	<b>Monday 11 June</b>
P3 and P4	Geography students to Dining Hall with Mr Latchford & Mr Williams. Rest in lessons
P5	All students not In Geography exam in Maths.
	<b>Tuesday 12 June</b>
P3 and P4	History students to Dining Hall with Mrs Mossman. Rest stay in lessons.
P5	Science for all students not in a History exam.
	<b>Wednesday 13 June</b>
P3	Spanish, Child Development and Resistant Materials students to teachers. Rest in Science
P4	Spanish, Child Development and Resistant Materials students to teachers. Rest in Science



P5	Spanish, Child Development and Resistant Materials students to teachers. Rest in Science
	<b>Thursday 14 June</b>
P1 and P2	All students to Science, except Spanish and Child Development students in exam.
P3 and P4	Resistant Materials students to teacher. Rest in Science.
P4	Resistant Materials students to teacher. Rest in Science.
P5	Science for all students not in Resistant Materials exam.
	<b>Friday 15 June</b>
P3 and P4	<b>Leavers Assembly</b> <b>Students can leave at approximately 1pm</b>

**After Friday 15 June, students only need to be in school for their remaining exams and the revision sessions below:**

	<b>Monday 18 June</b>
P1-4	Revision sessions for Graphics students

## REGULAR CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

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Every Monday	1.15pm	Art Club
	1.15pm	Indoor Softball Yr 7 & 8, Mr Seaton, Gym
	1.30 – 2.05pm	Drama Club KS3 B7
	1.15pm	Language Leaders A4
	1.30 – 2.00pm	Digi Pal – ICT Club, C1
	1.30pm	Table Top Gaming Club B14
	3.30pm	Badminton, Mrs Robertson/Mr Cowling, Sportshall
	3.15 – 5.15pm	Opportunities Club (Homework Club)
Every Tuesday	1.30 -2.05pm	<b>All Yrs – Choir</b>
	1.30pm	Digi Pal ICT Club C2
	1.30pm	Table Top Gaming Club in B14
	1.15pm	<b>Yr7 #thisgirlcan</b> , sportshall/gym, girls, Mrs Lees
	3.30pm	<b>Yrs 8 &amp; 9 Softball</b> , Field, Boys, Mrs Seaton/Mr Nicholls
	1.15pm	Gardening Club A3 or by the raised beds outside C block
	1.30pm	<b>All Yrs - Senior Choir Rehearsals - B6</b>
	3.15 – 4.15pm	<b>GCSE Technology Catch up</b> session in C12
	3.30 – 5.00pm	<b>Yr 11 Textiles Clinic</b>
	3.15 – 5.15pm	Opportunities Club (Homework Club)
	<b>From May</b> 3.15pm	<b>Yr 9 DofE (Duke of Edinburgh) – B15</b>
	Every Wednesday	1.20pm
1.30pm-2.00pm		Table Top Gaming Club - B11
3.15 – 5.15pm		Opportunities Club (Homework Club)
1.15pm		<b>Yrs 9 &amp; 10 Indoor Softball</b> , S.Hall, Mr Seaton
1.15pm		Fitness Club, Gym, Mr Myers
1.15pm		Philosophy and Beliefs Film Club B16
3.30pm		Badminton Team Training, S.Hall, Mrs Robertson/Mr Cowling
3.30pm		<b>Yr 7 &amp; 8 Girls Rounders</b> , Courts, Mrs Lees
3.30pm		<b>Yr 7 Softball</b> , Boys, Field, Mr Seaton
3.30pm		<b>All Yrs Crafty Club C10</b>
3.30pm		Parkour/gymnastics (£), Gym, Mr J Marshall
3.30pm		Computing catch up
3.30 – 5.00pm		<b>Yr 11 Graphics Clinic</b>
Every Thursday	1.15pm	Table Tennis, S.Hall, Mr Myers/Mr Evans
	1.15pm	<b>All Yrs – Chess Club – A1 &amp; A2</b>
	1.15pm	Fitness, Gym, Mr Appleby
	1.15pm	Mymaths Support - C1
	1.15pm	Singing rehearsal for School of Rock B6
	1.30pm	Table Top Gaming Club - B14
	3.15 – 5.15pm	Opportunities Club (Homework Club)
	3.15 – 4.30pm	Acting rehearsals for School of Rock B7
	3.30pm	<b>Yrs 9, 10 &amp; 11 Girls Rounders</b> , Courts, Mrs Lees
	3.30pm	<b>Yrs 10 &amp; 11 Softball</b> , Boys, Field, Mr Seaton
	3.15 – 4.30pm	School of Rock Acting Rehearsals B7
Every Friday	3.45pm	<b>Yr 11 Football</b> , Sports Hall, Mr Myers
	1.30pm	Christian Union B18
	1.30 – 2.00pm	<b>Yrs 7,8 &amp; 9 Digi Pal – ICT Club, C1</b>
	1.30pm	Table Top Gaming Club - B14