

8th November 2018

Re: Secondary After School Clubs (Wednesdays & Fridays) – Autumn Term 2

Dear Parents/Carers

We are pleased to announce that we will be running several after school clubs for Secondary this half term. There will be a charge incurred to parents/carers for most of our clubs as they will be run by external providers and supported by our staff. This will help to reduce overall costs but a nominal charge will be required for equipment and resources. Some clubs are free of charge as they are being subsidised by local community projects and charities, however they are only running for a maximum of 4 weeks. Homework club and the Secondary Choir are also free of charge.

Starting next week, the clubs will take place from **3:15 – 4:15pm on Wednesdays and Fridays**. Please see attached, information of the after school clubs that have been arranged for this half term.

If your child is interested in joining a club(s), could you please indicate on the sign up form attached and return it to your child's form tutor **no later than Monday 12th November 2018**. Please note if you have more than one child in Secondary, a separate sign up form will need to be completed per child. Please select one choice for Wednesday and/or Friday.

There are only limited number of spaces available for each club and these places will be allocated on a **first come, first serve basis**.

Please note, your child will need to be collected promptly at **4:15pm** from the main playground gate once their club has finished. If your child usually travels on the school bus service, you will need to make arrangements to collect your child from school. Failure to collect your child on time could result in them losing their place in the club and a charge could be incurred.

Please do not send any payment at this stage as we will inform you by letter if your child has secured a place on their chosen club(s) by the end of school on Monday 12th November 2018. You will then be provided further information of your child's chosen club(s) with the relevant registration form(s). Please kindly **complete and return by Tuesday 13th November 2018**.

Payment must be made no later than Friday 16th November 2018 when you have a place confirmed. Full payment for this half term's sessions will be required in advance via Parent Pay. Failure to pay the fee stated on time could result in the loss of your child's place at the club.

Please note, if your child is absent through sickness or for any other reason, the money cannot be refunded. If you no longer require a place at the club, please notify the School Office, providing at least two weeks notice in advance.

The school has worked extremely hard to organise after school provision which we hope our pupils will show an eagerness to participate in.

Yours faithfully

Seva School

INFORMATION ABOUT THE CLUBS

Secondary Choir: Years 7 to 10 (Wednesdays) – led by Coventry Music Provision tutor, Mr Geoffrey Williams. **(30 spaces)**

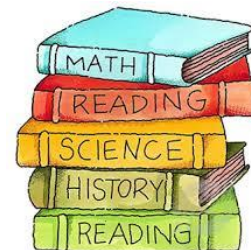
Whether pupils you are a confident singer or would just like to take the first step on their singing journey, the secondary choir might just be what they need! We are forming our very first secondary choir group.

The secondary choir group will aim to give pupils the opportunity to develop a love of music and singing, in a friendly environment. Working with a tutor from Coventry Music Provision, pupils will look at developing a good singing technique and performance skills. The skills developed within music are highly transferable to all aspects of a child's education. Therefore not only will the choir group aim to foster a love of singing, but nurture self-esteem and confidence within a friendly team.



Homework Club: Years 7 to 10 (Wednesdays) – led by our Learning Mentors, Mrs Horgan & Mrs Gibbons **(20 spaces)**

Homework club is a place where our children are able to complete and discuss homework in a calm and supportive environment. It enables them to have the support of our learning mentors should they require it in completing tasks or finding resources and also a chance to discuss the homework in a smaller setting. This includes the use of ICT facilities and all of the books in the library.



CPR & First Aid: Years 7 to 10 (Fridays) – led by PrimaryAid Warwick (medical students from Warwick University). **(30 spaces)**

Primary Aid is a group of medical students who deliver teaching on CPR and first aid in schools around Warwickshire and the West Midlands!

Over 4 weeks you will learn:

- basic life support using a defibrillator
- CPR
- how to perform basic first aid
- Putting your skills into practice in life-like scenarios.



First aid is an **important** life skill that helps reduce fatalities and enables the faster treatment of injuries. It also has an **important** role to play in providing pupils with a sense of purpose and achievement, giving them the skills that will potentially save lives.



Bike Maintenance: Years 7 to 8 (Fridays) – led by Sylvia Barnett (Sustrans Charity Project) **(15 spaces)**

Sustrans are a charity who helps thousands of children and young people discover the joys and benefits of walking or cycling, work with local communities to transform their neighbourhoods and campaign to improve everyday journeys for everyone.

Ensure your bike is safe to ride! Like any machine, a bicycle will work better and last longer if you care for it properly. Get in the habit of checking your bike regularly – simple checks and maintenance can help you enjoy hassle-free riding and avoid repairs.

Pupils will need to bring their own bikes to participate in these sessions.

For further information about this charity please visit: <https://www.sustrans.org.uk>



Tang Soo Do (Korean Martial Arts): Years 7 to 10 (Fridays) – led by external provider,
Mr Charlie Boreland (2nd Dan Instructor) **(20 spaces)**

Tang Soo Do is a Korean martial art which teaches empty hand and foot fighting, patterns, self-defence and weapons. Tang Soo Do also teaches people to live a healthy and harmonious life whilst teaching students the core pillars of respect, obedience, humility and friendship. This ancient martial art traces its lineage back 2,000 years to the Korean peninsula.



Benefits of Tang Soo Do People join our Association for many different reasons: self-defence, fitness, stamina, friendship and confidence. Benefits that you can reap from Tang Soo Do will depend on you as an individual. Benefits for children are wide ranging, but importantly include key attributes such as respect, obedience, team work and leadership.

For more information
visit: www.cwtsda.co.uk or email: covtsda@hotmail.com



SIGN UP FORM

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Child's name: _____

Class: _____

**** Please complete one form per secondary child and select only one club for Wednesday and/or Friday**

Club	Day	Start Date	Cost	Maximum number of spaces available	Please tick choice(s) (✓)
Years 7 to 10 – Secondary Choir	Wednesday	14 th November – 12 th December 2018	Free (for 5 weeks)	30 spaces	
Years 7 to 10 Homework Club	Wednesday	14 th November – 12 th December 2018	Free (for 5 weeks)	20 spaces	
Years 7 to 10 – CPR & First Aid (led by PrimaryAid Warwick medical students)	Friday	16 th November – 7 th December 2018 (for 4 weeks only)	Free (for 4 weeks only)	30 spaces	
Years 7 to 8 – Bike Maintenance <u>Pupils required to bring own bike to these sessions.</u> (Sustrans Charity Project)	Friday	16 th November – 7 th December 2018	Free (for 4 weeks only)	15 spaces	
Years 7 to 10 – Tang Soo Do (Korean Martial Arts)	Friday	16 th November – 14 th December 2018	Total - £15.00 (for 5 weeks) (£3.00 per session)	20 spaces	

Please note: There will be no after school clubs on the last week of half term (w/c 17.12.18). Please arrange to collect your child at the usual time of 3:15pm on Wednesdays & Fridays. Some clubs are running for 4 weeks only.