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SEVA NEWSLETTER

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Head of Secondary Phase

Message

Dear Parents/Carers,

This has been an incredibly busy term, especially due to our ongoing preparations for our HMI monitoring visit.

This visit eventually took place on Tuesday 13th June and Wednesday 14th June 2017.

The general feedback from the visit was extremely encouraging and so we are hopeful that the written report will reflect this.

The full report will be shared with all our stakeholders via our website as soon as it becomes available.

In the meantime I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and encouragement.

Best Wishes

Mr K Atkar

Head Of Secondary Phase

Summer Holiday Dates:

Breakup on Friday 21st July 2017

Return to school on Tuesday 5th September 2017

(Possible phased return details TBC)



SCHOOL CONTACT DETAILS

Please use the number below to contact the school:

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KEY DATES

5th – 7th July 2017	Year 7 Residential trip to Whitemoor Lakes
11th July 2017	Year 8 Parents Meetings
18th July 2017	Year 7 Parents Meetings
14th July 2017	Coffee morning & Meet & Greet
22nd July 2017	Summer Fayre (12.00 noon)
20th – 22nd July 2017	Akhand Path Sahib (Bhog at 11.00am)

OUR LEARNING AND ACHIEVEMENTS AT SEVA

TRANSITION DAY

On Wednesday 5th July we are holding a transition day for our new year 7 students, we are excited and looking forward to welcoming our new year 7's. We have a full schedule planned for them to enjoy which will hopefully leave the students feeling positive and excited about joining Seva school in September.



SCHOOL WEBSITE

Following our previous newsletter regarding updating our website, works are ongoing and we have a number of key changes which have already been made. One of which includes the secondary curriculum which has now been added. Details of our new trustees are also being updated following the recent letter sent out to all parents.

Please note we are also intending to share our newsletters on our website from now on.



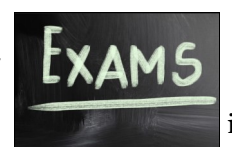
NEW BOARD OF TRUSTEES

We would like to confirm that there is now a new structure in place with a number of new members and trustees appointed. Details and biographies of all members of the new trust were sent out via letter to all parents this week. If you have not received a letter regarding this please feel free to contact the school office for a copy.

Please note that all the profiles have now also been updated on the school website.

END OF YEAR EXAMS

Our Year 7 and 8's students have taken exams in all subjects during the course of the past week. We would like to congratulate them on their impeccable attitudes and behaviour, especially in view of the very uncomfortable weather. We look forward to some excellent results from the students and we will be reporting these to parents in the form of end of year reports the next couple of weeks.



PARENTS MEETINGS

Following the exams completed and reports which will be sent out we will be holding our end of year Parents meetings to discuss our students progress and targets for 2017/2018.

The dates for these are as follows:

Year 8 Tuesday 11th July 2017

Year 7 Tuesday 18th July 2017

Parents meetings letters will be sent home with students in the next few days. Please can you return your reply

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END OF TERM COFFEE MEETINGS

If any parents wish to meet face to face to discuss general school matters specifically related to the secondary phase then please note the following dates for our final coffee meetings of the current academic year.

Friday 14th July 2017

Coffee Morning 09.00 –09.45

Afternoon Meet & Great—16.30pm –17.15pm

We look forward to meeting with you at one of these times.



SUMMER FAYRE

The PTA are currently in the process of finalising the arrangements for our annual Summer Fayre which will take place on Saturday 22nd July 2017. Full details will be sent out to parents as soon as everything has been confirmed.



AKHAND PATH SAHIB

We are provisionally planning to host an Akhand Path Sahib at the school from Thursday 20th July— Saturday 22nd July 2017.

This will enable us to finish the current school year on a positive note and reflect on our uniqueness and also on our core ethos and values.

More details of the arrangements will be sent out as soon as the booking has been confirmed.

We look forward to your support with this celebration.



GENERAL INFORMATION

There are a number of very exciting staffing changes which are currently in the process of being finalised. These will be confirmed in the final newsletter of the academic year (which will be issued in July).

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RESIDENTIAL TRIPS

Year 8 have recently enjoyed a very exciting visit to PGL Liddington Swindon, a more detailed article will follow in the final newsletter of the academic year.

In the meantime we are currently in full preparation for the forthcoming Year 7 residential trip to White-moor Lakes which will take place from Wednesday the 5th July – Friday 7th July 2017. We are confident that this will be an equally enjoyable trip for our year 7 students.

REMINDER!

Please see below items required to take for the Year 7 residential trip:

Clothing needed for activities.

- 2 pairs of trainers/sturdy footwear for OUTDOOR use.
- 1 pair of trainers/sturdy footwear for INDOOR use.
- Old trousers, tracksuits bottoms (min of 3 pairs for outdoor use), jeans are not suitable.
- T-shirts.
- 2 warm long sleeve tops.
- 1 sweat shirt/hoodie.
- 1 waterproof coat or cagoule.
- Warm hat.
- 1 torch.
- Sun cream.

Clothing needed for the centre.

- Night attire.
- 2 towels.
- 1 toilet bag (soap/shower gel, toothbrush and toothpaste).
- Casual clothing to wear around centre.

Miscellaneous.

- Water bottle
- Several changes of underwear.
- Large plastic bag for bringing home Wet and DIRTY clothing etc.
- Pocket Money. There is a small shop on site selling various souvenirs and sweets which students will have access to, at designated times. £10.00 is more than enough for individuals.
- Valuables such as cameras, iPods and hand held game consoles are the responsibility of individuals and are to be taken at own risk. There are no facilities for staff to secure these valuables.
NO MOBILE PHONES are to be taken.