

# Information Bulletin for Parents and Carers

## Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2024



**St. Wilfrid's**  
R.C. College

*Excellence through Faith, Learning and Support*

### **Faith:**

In our assemblies this week we have been thinking about things that are difficult or impossible to measure. In the bible, God's love for us is described as immeasurable. As Christians, we believe that God's love is very great and never ends.

Kindness, understanding and friendship are qualities that are difficult to measure but these are the things that make our school a happy and welcoming place to be. We challenged all students to try to show all these qualities a little bit more in our last half term of the year.

### **Learning:**

#### **Students of the Week**

Our wonderful winners this week were:

**Aidan:** Joseph Ruddock 8A1 and Leo Ferreira 10A1

**Bede:** Rebecca Robertson 7B1 and Riaz Rahman 8B1

**Cuthbert:** Maryam Shahid 8C2 and Maesie Ball 10C1

**Hilda:** Kayden McGee 8H2 and Jack Anderson 10H1

**Margaret Clitherow:** Lacey Duffield 8MC2 and Adiba Kamruzzaman 10MC2

**Headteacher's Award:** Lacey Duffield 8MC2

**Tutor Group of the Week:** 8B1

Well done to all of you – an excellent achievement! Keep being the best versions of yourselves.

### **Celebrating Student Achievements**

There have been some fantastic sporting achievements for our students over the half term.

Ava Heslop 8C1 (pictured below) won the final of the Under 18 girls singles tournament at Northumberland as well as making it to the final of the Under 14 tennis tournament in Yarm.



William Duncan 8A1 (pictured below) competed in the last of the All Nations competitions on Saturday at the Edinburgh International Climbing Arena and took first place on the podium. The climb for the podium took place on the same wall as the 2022 Climbing World Cup. This score, combined with Will's podium finish in Ireland last month, resulted in him receiving silver for the series.



Ava Joyce (9A1) also qualified for Scottish Nationals in her swimming, as a result of achieving qualifying times in her 50m, 100m and 200m breaststroke as well as her 200m fly and her 200m, 400m and 800 freestyle.

Finally, Lishy Stonehouse (7MC1) and her team at Hebburn Town, won the Under 13 girls football league. Their long season all came down to the final game and a big effort from all the girls resulted in them becoming league champions.

Well done to all our fantastic students. Please continue to send your children's achievements to [celebrate@st-wilfrids.org](mailto:celebrate@st-wilfrids.org) so we can congratulate them.

## Year 11

A letter outlining the arrangements for our Year 11 students for the next two weeks has been communicated to parents in a letter, published on our school website in the 'Letters for Parents' section. Please also find attached the direct link to the letter: [Y11-Information-for-parents.pdf \(st-wilfrids.org\)](https://www.st-wilfrids.org).

### Proud of your work!

During the final week of last half term, we hosted a 'Proud of your work!' event for Year 7 and 8 students. We asked students to bring work they had produced which they were personally proud of themselves or work which had been nominated by one of their teachers. They were greeted in Nichols Hall by our Sixth Form volunteers who listened to our Year 7 and 8 students explaining why they were proud of the piece of work they were presenting. All students who attended the event received a small prize for their hard work and determination.

Well done to all Year 7 and 8 students who attended and a huge thank you to our wonderful Sixth Form students for your support, we are proud of you all.



## Support:

### Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance (CEIAG)

#### North East Apprenticeship Vacancies

Please follow the link below to view the most recent apprenticeship vacancy report for South Tyneside.  
<https://www.st-wilfrids.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Vacancy-Report-03.06.24.xlsx>

This has been generated from [Find an apprenticeship - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk) and is one of the many platforms highlighting apprenticeship opportunities. We also encourage a broader search including reviewing training provider and employer websites plus the many online job's boards.

#### Zenith Training

Zenith Training have the following Apprenticeship vacancies.

Follow each link to find out more information on each available vacancy:

##### [Sales/Office Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(SEPCO International LTD) **South Shields**. £24,960 Per Annum.

##### [Business Administration Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(Apex Time Critical LTD) **South Shields**. £13,104.24-£14,751.60 Per Annum.

##### [Maintenance Admin Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(Adler Pelzer Washington Limited) **Washington**. £16,078.98-£20,223.83 Per Annum.

##### [Customer Service Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(The Little Haven Hotel) **South Shields**. £15,000 Per Annum.

##### [Apprentice Administrator/Receptionist - Zenith Training](#)

(The Little Haven Hotel) **South Shields**. £15,000 Per Annum.

##### [Marketing Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(The Little Haven Hotel) **South Shields**. £15,000 Per Annum.

##### [Accounts Admin Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(The Little Haven Hotel) **South Shields**. £15,000 Per Annum.

##### [Warehouse Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(Phoenix Steel LTD) **South Shields**. £15,210 Per Annum.

##### [Business Administration Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)



(Quorum Fleet Solutions LTD) **Durham**. £15,000 Per Annum.

[Business Growth Apprentice - Zenith Training](#)

(Day2Day Energy LTD) **Gateshead**. £17,500 Per Annum.

[Apprentice Administration Assistant - Zenith Training](#)

(The Printed Group) **Cramlington**. £14,000 Per Annum.

[Sales Associate - Zenith Training](#)

(Durham Lane) **Newcastle**. £21,000-£26,000 Per Annum



## YOUTH GROUP TIMETABLE

| VENUE   | DAYS/TIMES   | AGE GROUP  |
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| <b>FAB/ Jarrow Youth Group</b><br>Jarrow Focus, 113 Grange Rd, Jarrow<br>NE32 3QW                                 | Tuesday 5:30-7:30pm<br>Wednesday 5:30-7:30pm                                   | SEND Group ages 8-10<br>SEND Group ages 11-16                                    |
| <b>The Pavilion Youth Group</b><br>Valley View Park, Jarrow   | Monday 6:00-8:00pm<br>Thursday 5:00-7:00pm                                     | Seniors Year 7 – Year 11<br>Juniors Ages 8-end of Year 6                         |
| <b>Hartleyburn Youth Group</b><br>Hartleyburn Community Centre, Crawley<br>Square, Hebburn NE31 2LW               | Monday 6:30-8:30pm   | Ages 8-11  |
| <b>The Hut Youth Group</b><br>Chuter-Ede, Galsworthy Road, South Shields,<br>Tyne & Wear NE34 9UG                 | Monday 6:00-8:30pm<br>Wednesday 6:00-8:00pm<br>Friday 6:00-8:30pm              | Seniors Year 7-Year 11<br>Juniors Ages 8-end of Year 6<br>Seniors Year 7-Year 11 |
| <b>Ocean Road Youth Group</b><br>Ocean Road Centre, Ocean Road,<br>South Shields NE33 2DW                         | Monday 6:00-7:30pm<br>Thursday 6:00-7:30pm                                     | Juniors Ages 8-end of Year 6<br>Seniors Year 7- Year 11                          |
| <b>Horsley Hill Youth Group</b><br>Marsden Road Health & Wellbeing Centre,<br>Marsden Road South Shields NE34 6RE | Monday, Wednesday and Friday<br>5:15-6:30pm (Juniors)<br>6:45-8:00pm (Seniors) | Juniors Ages 8- end of Year 6<br>Seniors Year 7-11                               |
| <b>Simonside Youth Project</b><br>Simonside Climbing Wall   | Tuesday 5:30-7:00pm  | Seniors Year 7-Year 11   |

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 [youthservice@southtyneside.gov.uk](mailto:youthservice@southtyneside.gov.uk)

 South Tyneside Youth Service

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## Key dates / upcoming events:

- Next week is Week 2 of the timetable.
- Year 10 Parents' Evening – Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June.

## Sixth Form

We are extremely proud of our Year 12 students who recently completed their practice expedition for their Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award in the Yorkshire Dales. Despite the inclement weather conditions, our students were fantastic and are now ready to move onto their qualifying expedition in July. Please keep an eye out for enrolment information for next year's DofE cohorts in the coming weeks.



## Year 12 Notices:

All Year 12 students will be visiting Teeside University on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June. Please encourage your child to make their selections of the workshops they would like to attend.

Year 12 also have an upcoming employer interview with NYEBP on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June and they will also be attending the UCAS discovery event on the afternoon of Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June.

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