

Parent Bulletin 15.05.26

Lord, our Mother Mary leads us ever closer to your Son.
In this month dedicated to her, help us to follow her example of faith and trust.

Teach us to pray with open hearts, to listen to your word and to act with love.

Through the Rosary, may we reflect on the life of Jesus and grow in patience and kindness.

Bless our school community in all that we do.

May Mary inspire us to serve others with humility and joy and to live each day as people of faith and hope.

Amen.



Catholic Life at All Saints

Mental Health Awareness Week

This week, as part of Mental Health Awareness Week pupils have engaged thoughtfully with activities and discussions to help promote understanding, kindness and support for others. Thank you to Mrs Burton, our Mental Health Lead, for coordinating the event and for all staff who showed solidarity and wore green to work on this day.

Formation

This week, pupils' formation has focused on the Month of Mary and the importance of prayer within our daily lives. Pupils have continued to explore the Rosary, reflecting on how Mary's example guides us in faith and love.

Assembly

Next week, we will welcome *Kooth* into school to lead assemblies for pupils, focusing on how to manage their mental wellbeing. These sessions will provide practical strategies and signposting to support services, ensuring all pupils know how to access help if needed.

Year 11 GCSE Examinations

We continue to be incredibly proud of our Year 11 pupils as they begin their full GCSE examination series. Their mature approach and dedication to revision is commendable. We wish them every success in the week ahead and thank families for their continued support.

Mon, 18 May 2026	09:00	10:45	AQA	Chemistry Paper 1 Tier F (8462/1F)	8462/1F	AM
Mon, 18 May 2026	09:00	10:45	AQA	Chemistry Paper 1 Tier H (8462/1H)	8462/1H	AM
Mon, 18 May 2026	09:00	10:15	AQA	Combined Sci Trilogy Chemistry P1f (8464/C/1F)	8464/C/1F	AM
Mon, 18 May 2026	09:00	10:15	AQA	Combined Sci Trilogy Chemistry P1h (8464/C/1H)	8464/C/1H	AM
Mon, 18 May 2026	13:00	14:15	OCR	Sport Science: (R180/01)	R180/01	PM

Trips and Visits

Brilliant Club Graduation – University of Manchester

This week, our Year 9 cohort graduated from the Brilliant Club programme at the University of Manchester. Pupils have worked exceptionally hard on their projects and represented the school brilliantly. A particular well done to *Hailie* and *Isabella*, who confidently delivered a speech in front of students from 10 other schools – an outstanding achievement – well done everyone.

Oxford University Trip

We look forward to our upcoming Year 10 visit to Oxford University on 21st May, an exciting opportunity to raise aspirations and provide insight into higher education.

Year 7 Spirit of Cricket Event

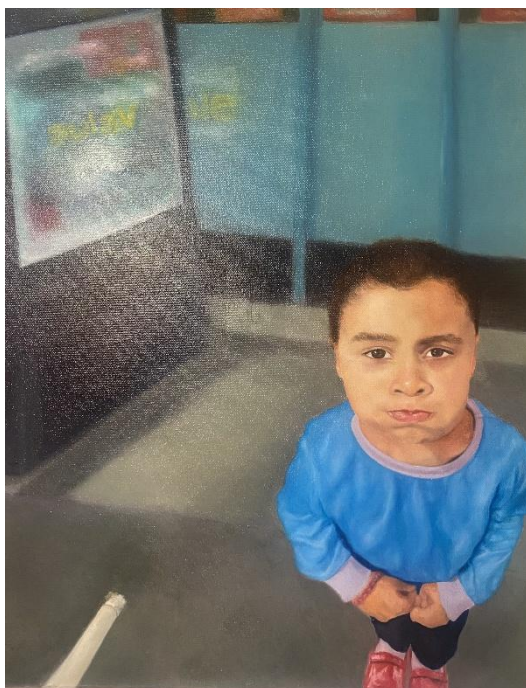
Our Year 7 girls visited Old Trafford Cricket Ground this week to take part in a Spirit of Cricket event. The girls were exceptional ambassadors for All Saints, with officials commenting on the calibre and conduct of our pupils throughout the day.

Reading Leaders Workshop

Our Reading Leaders attended another workshop this week with Tameside Libraries, working alongside author Ashley Thorpe. As always, our pupils were engaged and hardworking showing genuine enthusiasm for reading and impressive skill in their own writing.

Rewards and recognition

We are delighted to congratulate Year 11 pupil Jasper whose artwork has been selected for display at the celebration of Greater Manchester's artists. Having his work showcased at this event is a significant achievement and reflects his dedication and creativity. We are incredibly proud of him. We hope some of you will have the opportunity to see the piece in person at HOME in Manchester city centre. Well Done Jasper!



Top attending form this week

7A - Ms Anderson

8K & Miss Dawson

9A & Mr Uthup

10K & Mrs Bullock

11JP & Ms Snape – winner overall!

Top ASAPs this week

Year 7 - Harriet W

Year 8 - Devang P

Year 9 - Muhammed S

Year 10 - Daniel B

Important dates:

25th – 29th May Half term holiday

4th June Year 10 mocks begin

19th June Engineering drop down day

22nd - 26th June Year 10 work experience

22nd-24th June Year 7 field work trip geography

22nd June Year 7 trip to the Hindu Temple

30th June/1st July Year 10 college taster days

1st July transition evening

2nd July creative arts showcase evening

2nd July transition Day

15th July Year 10 mock results day

17th July Last day of term finish at 12:30

Thank you for your continued support,
Ms Gilligan