

Parent Bulletin 04/10/24



Welcome message

As a school community, we have had some very sad news this week. We shared the news with our pupils, staff and parents on Wednesday that Maisie Almond has tragically died suddenly.

On Wednesday we met with year 10 pupils to deliver an assembly to share the sad news, the school followed this by offering support to all pupils on Thursday and Friday in an extended form time and explained how, following a short illness, Maisie had sadly died. To support our pupils, we opened the Chapel in school as a quiet place for reflection and prayer and held a mass for year 10 and some of Maisie's closest friends. Over the past few days pupils have been bringing in flowers, messages and gifts to remember Maisie, our community has pulled together through this time of great sadness, thank you to all parents and carers for your wishes of support and sympathy; I would ask you all to keep Maisie's family in your thoughts and prayers.

We thank you for your ongoing support at this difficult time.

Support for our pupils

We have invited Kooth into school – an organisation dedicated to helping young people with their mental health struggles. Their team will be available on the last week of school before the half term to meet with our pupils.

We also have our Chaplain Lowry who will be available in school for any of our pupils who need support.

Rewards

Reward points are now called 'ASAP' points (All Saints Achievement Points) these are given to pupils who are working hard and showing an excellent attitude to their learning.

Here are the top 5 performing pupils this week:

- 1. Lecia E (Year 7)
- 2. Charley L (Year 8)
- 3. Kiera Leanne M (Year 9)
- 4. Layla W (Year 10)
- 5. Zac C (Year 11)

Here are the top 5 performing form groups per year group this week:

- 1. 7K 63 points
- 2. 8JP 50 points
- 3. 9R 62 points
- 4. 10K 33 points
- 5. 11A 47 points



Our ASAP system has been updated and now will allow our hardworking pupils to claim rewards from our shop, using their ASAP points as currency which they can purchase rewards with.

Fantastic effort from 7K who have the highest overall points this week!



Well done to last week's winners 8JP!

Thank you for your ongoing support, particularly at such a difficult time for our school community.

Ms Gilligan