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## SCHOOL AIM

“To provide a Christian environment in which young people are safe, secure, cared for and happy, and are able to develop into articulate, confident and well qualified citizens of the world.”



## French, Spanish And International Links

Congratulations to all our boys and girls who received awards at our most recent presentation event - held the week prior to the Whitsuntide holiday. We were delighted that two representatives of Manchester University, Carmen Herrero and Isabelle Vanderschelden, were able to join us on the evening to present awards and provide words of encouragement. The evening concluded with a modern languages “spelling bee” competition and clear evidence of how well versed many of our students are with modern foreign languages vocabulary.

## The Final Half Term



Welcome back to all our students for the final half term of the school year, the period of study from Whitsuntide upto the start of the summer holiday. With the Year 11s now on GCSE examinations and into their last 2-3 weeks of compulsory education, the expectations on our Year 7, 8, 9 and 10s become more demanding.

The “welcome back” acts of worship therefore concentrated on the need to avoid temptation in our daily lives at school, to do the right things and to make mature and sensible decisions. This message was supported by the hymn “Lord of all Hopefulness” and, of course, the Lord’s Prayer with a clear emphasis on the line;

“Lead us not into temptation.”

### Well Done!

A member of the public telephoned to thank one of our (unknown) students who recently found a mobile phone, traced the owner and returned it. It is always encouraging when our students act as good citizens and responsible members of the local community.

Also, to Mr Iain Andrews, our art therapist who has been declared runner-up in the Greater Manchester Arts Prize, organised by the Chamber of Commerce.

## Two Activities In Action



The top two photographs show the recent inter-form basketball which produced an overall high standard of participation and competition, with the lower two pictures illustrating the recent science department “rocket” project, referred to briefly in a previous edition of the newsletter.

## D of E Expedition



Some interesting and different encounters made on recent Duke of Edinburgh expeditions! Despite the hot weather we have experienced in the last couple of weeks, the recent D of E activities have been undertaken in very erratic and challenging climatic conditions.

## Attendance Figures

School attendance for the period 1st September, 2015, upto the end of May, 2016, gives us a very positive and well deserved figure:

96.8%

The form by form, year by year breakdown provides the following picture:

YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
RHU 98.5%	TCA 98.2%	DCO 98.1%	BLA 97.5%	ESC 97.5%
JPL 98.0%	MST 97.4%	FBR 97.8%	AHA 97.3%	SBA 97.5%
TGU 97.5%	RDU 97.3%	RMC 97.5%	SCL 97.0%	TKI 97.4%
LBA 97.5%	RMO 97.1%	JMU 96.9%	NTH 97.0%	CMA 97.1%
GSH 97.3%	RCO 97.0%	CNO 96.8%	PDA 96.9%	LPI 96.4%
MKI 97.2%	RGO 96.1%	DSI 96.8%	REM 96.8%	TWE 96.3%
SLA 96.7%	GSC 95.8%	DHE 96.8%	NBA 96.6%	KWA 94.4%
LBR 95.9%	SBU 95.3%	TSU 95.3%	GGR 95.1%	AUZ 92.2%

## And finally.....

.....on Monday of this week, I was informed that our National Society (Church) Inspection would take place on Thursday 9th and Friday 10th June. By the time you are reading this newsletter, the "result" will be known! Summary details will be included in next weeks edition.

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