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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.”



Are You In Or Out?

This week, in House assemblies, the arguments for and against membership of the European Union were put forward by students to members of Maple, Springbok, Tiger and Wallaby Houses. Photographs taken in Mondays assembly are shown above. Yesterday, Thursday, boys and girls were invited to vote by secret ballot for or against. At the time of writing the outcome of the Trinity vote was not known. It will be interesting to see if the Trinity (students only) vote corresponds to the national outcome. Details, of course, in next weeks newsletter. Will the school's E.U flag, overlooking the sports centre still be flying next week?

Sports Day Spectacular

Great competition and good weather for last Thursdays annual school sports day at Sports City Stadium. Details of results should be available for next weeks newsletter.



Science Activities

From Dr Alnuamaani:

“It’s been a busy time for science enrichment activities. Congratulations to the 41 Year 10 students who have been awarded their Bronze Crest Certificates. Silver and Gold awards have also been received by former pupils for research carried out whilst at Trinity. Year 10 girls visited Jodrell Bank in Cheshire to watch Mercury transect the Sun whilst Year 8 classes participated in a live web chat with space scientists to explore life in our solar system. Meanwhile, fifty Year 8 students took part in our first ever ecology field trip, supported by the University of Manchester. We visited Chorlton Ees and Meadows to look at the biodiversity of life in an urban environment and studied the aquatic invertebrates we found back at the University to measure pollution levels in Chorlton Brook. A great day was had by all and the University staff were impressed by the knowledge and behaviour of our students.”



Early Closure Notification

Next Thursday, 30th June, school will finish for Year 7-10 students following 2.05pm de-registration. This is to enable all staff to attend the final Year 11 assembly and act of worship before they progress to the Trinity Sixth Form or further education elsewhere. The event is always extremely well attended by students, symbolising the end of their eleven years of compulsory education.

Well Done Excellence

Last week, Excellence Anyanwu, Year 9, played one of his own beautifully crafted compositions as students arrived for their morning act of worship.



Admissions

This year, as many parents will know, we received 480 Year 6 applications for the 240 Year 7 places available at Trinity and all places have now been offered and accepted. Despite that, we have already had four full days of “appeals”, plus a fifth one held earlier this week, Tuesday, 21st June. So far, no appeals have been upheld, meaning that Year 7 will have a “full” standard admissions number in September. The first Year 6 welcome and introductory evening meeting was held yesterday, Thursday, with the final meeting taking place next Monday, 27th June.

And Finally.....

.....as one year moves on (Year 11) and another one moves up, (Year 6) we have been planning for September, 2017, with the Year 5 Trinity tours every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. For parents who have missed these June opportunities, the Autumn tours begin on Tuesday, 6th September.

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