

*Cardinal Newman Catholic School*

# e-Bulletin

*Welcome to the weekly e-Bulletin, highlighting forthcoming events and school news. For further information about news & forthcoming events please visit our website [www.cardinalnewmanschool.net](http://www.cardinalnewmanschool.net)*



*"Together towards our Lord,  
through learning,  
love and faith"*

4 November 2022

Dear parent / carer,

We have a good start to the new half term. Yesterday evening was our Sixth Form Open Evening and it was wonderful to see our Year 11s really explore their next steps and welcome a large number of external students who would like to join us next year. Below are a number of notices.

## **Friends of Newman**

On Monday, 7 November 2022, we will be relaunching the Friends of Newman (PTA). This will be held from 6pm – 7pm in the conference room at the school. If you would like to attend, please can you confirm your attendance by emailing my PA Mrs Bradley [sbradley@cardinalnewmanschool.net](mailto:sbradley@cardinalnewmanschool.net).

## **Buses**

Although the buses that come on to school site are for our students they are also public buses. We need to ensure that the behaviour on the buses is the same as we would expect when the students are in school. Please do remind your son/daughter of this expectation. I had stated that we would be running buses at 4.30 on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Unfortunately, Arriva have now said that they are unable to do this for us (despite an earlier promise) we are now trying to source another company to do this for us. As soon as we are able to source one we will let you know.

## **Homework**

Please do use ClassCharts to check the homework that your son/daughter has been set. It is a really simple interface and should give you all the detail that you need.

## **Relationships and Sex Education (RSE)**

During PSHE students are starting their RSE lessons. In order to deliver these sensitive topics in an age appropriate manner that supports the Catholic ethos of our school we deliver the Life to the Full Programme by Ten Ten Resources. This programme is rooted in a Christian understanding of the human person, based on "A Model Catholic RSE Curriculum" provided by the Catholic Education Service.

As part of our subscription to this service we are able to offer an online parent portal where you are provided with

- Information about the programme children will be following;
- Access to resources;
- Suggestions for further activity at home

In order to access the online parent portal, please visit the following:

website <https://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal/> and use the following login details:

Username: cardinal-newman-lu2

Password: airport-shopping

If you have any questions about the RSE or PSHE in general please contact Miss Jenkins on [cjenkins@cardinalnewmanschool.net](mailto:cjenkins@cardinalnewmanschool.net)

## **Meet the Senior Leadership Team**

On Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November the Senior Leadership Team would like to welcome you to a meet and greet whilst having tea and coffee in the school Hall on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November from 5.30-6.30pm. If you would like to attend please

could you email [sbradley@cardinalnewmanschool.net](mailto:sbradley@cardinalnewmanschool.net) to inform us of your attendance. This will be a chance to talk and understand the different roles of each of the members.

### **Changes to Friday Night Detention**

Our aim is to simplify the process for after school detentions and are tweaking the system slightly. Head of Year detentions will remain the same on a Wednesday. However, we are now also using Wednesday night to run the SLT detentions in order to limit the number of evenings that we are using for detentions. Therefore, detentions on a Wednesday could now run for up to two hours if lunchtime detentions are missed, all other detentions will be for the same length. Failure to attend on a Wednesday will still result in a Friday detention. There will no longer be centralised detentions on a Tuesday.

We are getting close to awarding those students who have achieved a bronze award for the number of achievement points they have received. We continue to have the ratio of 7 achievement points for every 1 behaviour point that has been awarded.

As ever, thank you for your continued support and have a blessed weekend.

Andrew Bull  
Headteacher

### ***Week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> November***

<b><i>This is Week 2 on the timetable</i></b>	
<b><i>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November</i></b>	Year 7 Assembly
<b><i>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November</i></b>	A Level Art and Design London Gallery visit Year 8 Assembly U16 Rugby V Denbigh – Home Year 7 Basketball Home Fixture vs Challney Boys
<b><i>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November</i></b>	Year 9 Assembly Sixth Form Assembly U16 Boys Basketball away @ Lealands
<b><i>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November</i></b>	Year 10 Assembly Year 7 Mass - With Bishop David and blessing of St Brigid's Home Netball Yr9&U16 vs Chiltern
<b><i>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November</i></b>	Remembrance Day Friday Forum Year 11 Assembly Community Awards for Luton and Beds