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The Friday Letter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Showtime 2!



Everyone who saw either of the two performances on Wednesday and Thursday evening were treated to a dazzling extravaganza of music, dance, comedy and light entertainment! All the hard work of our students and staff paid off in what was a truly memorable show. In addition to the evening performances the cast also gave a matinee performance for some of our feeder Primary school children and local senior citizens. The whole of the school were also treated to a performance during the school day earlier today.

The show really celebrated everything that is good about our young people and illustrated just what a multi-talented group of individuals they are. Here's to next year and Showtime 3!

Challenge Group exhibitions

Just before the evening performances of Showtime, members of the various Challenge groups in Years 7 and 8 gave exhibitions of their work to parents and visitors. They provided a variety of activities which included sport, dance, art, drama and language. The Challenge sessions allow our students to develop their knowledge and understanding of their particular focus in more depth, helping them in all their subjects across the curriculum. Congratulations to all who took part and delivered such a rich display of effort and learning.

Mass of preparation for Confirmation



Last Friday we celebrated Mass with pupils from Christ the King, St Margaret Mary and Maryvale in preparation for the sacrament of Confirmation. Our priestly chaplain, Fr Eamon presided over a wonderful celebration, which was prepared by our team of dedicated lay chaplains.

Team Wiseman enters the Great Midlands Fun Run for the first time



On Sunday 31st May 2015 the Great Midlands Fun Run is taking place, and we would like to enter a team from Cardinal Wiseman. The run takes place in and around Sutton Coldfield and

the route is approximately 13 kilometres. Not only is the run an ideal opportunity to raise money for charity, it represents a perfect team-building exercise for both staff and pupils alike. All those who enter from team Wiseman will be encouraged to wear a Cardinal Wiseman t-shirt, promoting our efforts to the local community. The number of people registering this year reached record numbers and as soon as the 7000 total has been reached registration will close, so don't delay sign up today!!

Please see Miss Edwards (History) or Mrs Morgan for more information.

Have a good half term.

Yours sincerely

Christina Stewardson

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Dates for your diary	ofo
Week beginning 16th February - Half-term	20
Week beginning 23 rd February – Year 11 Mock Examinations	1
Thursday 26 th February – Year 8 Parents' Evening	

Superstar of the week nominated by Mr Darby for brilliant effort in Maths and English: Erica Vicante 7W2.

Subject:	Person and Reason:	Class	Nominated by:
Physical Education	KS3: Jack Cassidy- For consistent improvement within swimming!	8 East	Mr Powers
	KS4: Brenna Sommerton- For an Outstanding work ethic in BTEC PE.	10 BTEC	-
Maths	KS3: Sapphire Allen for always working hard in lessons and showing great independent working skills.	7W2	Mr Badmos
	KS4: Casey Prosser for excellent effort in maths lesson Cameron Smith for his attitude and effort in his maths lessons and revision sessions.	9Y 11W	- Mr.Ives Mrs Poxon
English	KS3: Megan Battenbough for improve attitude to learning.	8E2	Mr Allen
	KS4: Morgan Mullholland for producing an	9W	Miss

	astounding piece of work in her teacher assessment this week and a wonderful attitude since joining 9W.		Hennessy
Science	KS3: Devontay Maragh for completing work to an amazing standard this week and having a very positive attitude to science.	7E2	Miss Patterson
	KS4: Rhonan Crotty for a brilliant week in science; working hard at all times, supporting peers, being generally well behaved and helpful during practical lessons.	10Y	
Art	KS3:Connie Luong for achieving the highest grade in art assessment, beautifully presented and imaginative artwork every lesson.	year 8	Miss Gamble
	KS4:Olivia Mooney for outstanding achievement in art and consistent dedication to her art lessons.	year 11	
R.E.	KS3: Reace Savage for rejoining his RE class with a fantastic attitude to learning and for contributing excellently to class discussion.	8W1	Miss Grattidge Mrs Meersand
	KS4: Sam Yowhannes for hard work and aiming for his target grade!	11S	
History	KS3:Dylan Green - excellent oral contributions in class.	7w2	Miss Edwards
	KS4:Versace Powell - excellent effort preparing for her GCSE History exams		
Geography	KS3: Catherine Lille - A big improvement in behaviour in Geography lessons	8e2	Mrs Biddle
	KS4: Konnie Slattery - An excellent decision making answer on tropical storms.	9opt2	
Chaplaincy	KS3: Esosa Llevba - For her outstanding courage and perseverance throughout this difficult time.	Year 8	Lay Chaplains
	KS4: Norris Okeke- For altar serving at the primary school Mass last week. You did a fabulous job supporting the year 6 students. Well done.	Year 10	
Computing	KS3: Destin Awere. For making great progress in designing a programme in Scratch 2	8E1	Mr Mulcrow
Drama	KS3:Elizabeth Matthews - For motivating and leading her drama group and creating an excellent performance.	7W1	Mr Kearns

	KS4:Jake Tonks - For always putting 100% effort into all of his Drama lessons. Well Done Luke, keep it up!	Year 9 GCSE	
Reception	Perry Lindo - for returning a pupils phone found outside the School Gates.	Year 8	Miss Bayley
Spanish	KS3: Harmony-Lila Day - for always working conscientiously and showing great independent working skills.	7E1	Mr Beckett
	KS4: Mary Swoffer : for working very hard and show a high level of commitment in Spanish	10 C	Mrs Gaton
Child Development	KS4: Holly Brindley - for excellent effort when completing extended writing piece.	10 Opt	Mrs Jinks
LSC	KS3: Erica Vicante - For brilliant effort in Maths and English. See Superstar of the week above.	7W2	Mr Darby