

ST JOHN PAYNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Extra-curricular Activities and Events 2023-24



At St John Payne Catholic School our extra-curricular provision is very important to the day to day life of our school community, enabling our students to develop their love for learning, as well as develop socially and spiritually.

We run a variety of clubs and activities for all year groups throughout the year which are outlined in this booklet. Educational trips and visits also run throughout the year offering students the opportunity to consolidate their learning, grow in faith and experience the wider world.

Note that PE changes the sports offered each term and the clubs listed here are for the Autumn Term. All PE Clubs finish at 4.25

(with the exception of Badminton on Friday)

<u>Mondays –</u>

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball – Year 7 Boys in the Sports Hall

Lunchtimes

Basketball- Year 7/8 Girls in the Sports Hall

IT Club – Open to All in B106

Computer facilities available for all year groups to complete homework, carry out research, revise etc.

Gardening Club - Allotment between Bosco and Merici - All welcome

Drama Club – Year 7 & 8 Drama Studio

SPARKS hwk club- Years 7-11 in Aquinas Computer Suite

A member of the maths team will be present to help students who are unable to complete their hwk at home.

Art Support – Y7-13 B104/B029

All years can drop in to do some art or to receive support with their art work

Criminology Club – Y9-11 B101

A range of topics from criminal law, criminal profiles and debating a range of issues

Creative Writing Club – Y7-9 A102

Students who attend will be able to share or build on their creative flair through a range of fun and interesting activities in order to explore a range of genres through writing.

Afterschool

Basketball – Year 8 & 9- Boys in the Sports Hall

Netball - Year 7&8 in the Girls Gym

Art Support – Y7-13 B104/B029

All years can drop in to do some art or to receive support with their art work

Ultimate Frisbee – All – sports Hall

All levels welcome, building towards national competition 9th March 2024.

Technology Club – Y 7-10 DT Department

DT competition activities and extra DT project work - using techniques not shown in class. Starting October

SJP productions – Monday after school 3.30 to 5pm in Aquinas Hall (Main characters)

Every year the school works collaboratively to stage a full production. This year we bring The Addams Family Musical to our community in February. All are welcome to audition and everyone is promised a role.

<u> Tuesdays –</u>

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball- All Years Girls in the Sports Hall

Run Club – All Years Sports Hall

Lunchtimes

Basketball- All years Boys in the Sports Hall

IT Club – Open to all in B106

Computer facilities available for all year groups to complete homework, carry out research, revise etc.

Art Support – All Years B104/B029

All years can drop in to do some art or to receive support with their art coursework.

Maths Club/Intervention - Y12/13 B028

CyberFirst Y8 Girls competition – Year 8 girls only B105 **November only lunchtime** The CyberFirst Girls competition aims to inspire girls interested in technology to pursue a career in cyber security

Friends of Jesus Club(friendship club open to all regardless of faith) A115 The students enjoy discussing different issues and we each share our thoughts and look together at what the Jesus says. I am often humbled by the way in which the student's approach some of life's big questions with such honesty; you can see that God is at work. Alongside our discussions we offer lots of fun: bingo, arts 7 crafts, affirmation booklets etc.

Afterschool

Rugby- Year 7/8 Boys in Boys Gym

Netball – Year 9-13 in the Girls Gym

Art Support – All Years B104/B029

All years can drop in to do some art or to receive support with their art coursework.

IT Club – Open to all in B106

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CyberFirst Y8 Girls competition – Year 8 girls only B105 November only lunchtime

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Choir – Open to all in Music.

<u>Wednesdays –</u>

Before school (7:45am start)

Netball – All Years– Sports Hall

Faith Council Meeting – Break time

If you would like to become a member of the junior faith council, then please join us for our weekly meetings in the chapel on a Wednesday in the chapel during break. After 3 months you will be awarded your badge.

The faith council are integral within the worship activities of the school: assisting with Mass, services, tours of the school and being at the forefront of our liturgical life.

Lunchtimes

Basketball - Year 8/9 Boys in the Sports Hall

IT Club – Open to all in B106

Computer facilities available for all year groups to complete homework, carry out research, revise etc.

Maths SPARX Club – Y7-11 Aquinas DT Computer Room –

Computer facilities available for all year groups to complete SPARX homework

ICT use and SPARX – KS3 Aquinas computer Suite

Computer room for SPARX HW completion and work/printing for all KS3 students

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Art Support – All Years B104/B029

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Afterschool

Girls Football – All Years Sports Hall

Cross Country – All Years Sports Hall

Basketball – Year 7 Boys in Sports Hall

Lego Club – Years 7 -13 in B105

STEM – Come in build and program a LEGO brick to solve everyday problems

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SJP productions – Monday after school 3.30 to 5pm in Aquinas Hall (Full cast)

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<u>Thursdays –</u>

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball- Years 8/9 Boys in the Sports Hall

Lunchtimes

Boys Basketball- Years 10/11 in the Sports Hall

IT Club – Open to all in B106

Computer facilities available for all year groups to complete homework, carry out research, revise etc.

Art Support – All Years B104/B029

All years can drop in to do some art or to receive support with their art coursework.

Philosophy Film Club – Y7 to Y13 M104

Focus on the philosophical questions and ethical issues within a range of films

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Meditation - Chapel

Catholic meditative prayer brings you closer to God. It fills your mind with thoughts of Christ and His work in your life instead of emptying your mind from all thoughts. Catholic meditation encourages engagement. It demands concentration and intention.

- Meditation reduces stress and increases our sense of well-being and harmony.
- Meditation leads to increased self-knowledge and self-acceptance.
- Meditation deepens our personal relationship with our God.
- Meditation helps us to know and follow Christ.

Afterschool

Basketball- Year 7-9 Girls in the Sports Hall

Football- Year 7-11 Boys in the Boys Gym

Art Support – All Years B104/B029

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Duke of Edinburgh – Year 9 Students will begin working towards the Bronze Award.

<u>Fridays –</u>

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball- Year 10 & 11Boys in the Sports Hall

Board Games- Yr7-Y9 (from 8am, room 103, starting 6 October)

<u>Lunchtimes</u>

Basketball – Year 9-11 Girls in the Sports Hall

Netball – Year 7/8 Girls

IT Club – Open to all in B105

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Art Support – All Years B104/B029

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Afterschool

Badminton – All years in the Sports Hall (4.15 Finish)

Why not come and let off some steam after a busy week in school playing some badminton with friends.

Ultimate Frisbee Club – All years in the Girls Gym

Art Support – All Years B104/B029

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