

Weekly Information Bulletin

Friday 2nd February 2024



A reminder that we break up for February half term on Friday 9th February.
Students will return to school on Monday 19th February.

Parent Carer Forum (OxPCF) Survey

The Oxfordshire Parent Carer Forum (OxPCF) is an independent, formal organisation, funded by the Department of Education. We work closely with, and act as subject matter experts for the local authority, working with them in co-production to help shape and improve statutory services for children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

As part of this ongoing commitment, OxPCF is running a survey aimed at all families of children and young people with SEND in Oxfordshire to gather current views regarding their experiences in Oxfordshire schools. We will use the survey data and information provided to produce a report. This will be published on our website (www.oxpcf.org.uk) and shared with the local authority and other statutory services.

Please [click here](#) to access the survey.

Vision & Values

As a school we are updating our vision and values. This is both to reflect and ensure our vision and values align with our ambitions for all the students and to be attuned to developments in technology and the world of work. It is important that this is collaborative. As well as consulting students, it is really important to gain the perspective of parents and carers.

If you would be interested in sharing your thoughts about how the vision and values could be developed, can you please contact reception to express your interest.

I would be looking to arrange one meeting (roughly 50-60 minutes between 9am and 6pm) in which you could share ideas. The specific times and dates would depend on parent/carers availability but I would aim to also offer a virtual opportunity, to ensure parents/carers who lived further away or who preferred this approach could use this forum.

Please contact reception if you require any further information or email: office@iffleyacademy.co.uk

Yvette Fay - Head Teacher

Me and My Girl

We have been offered tickets to the MYCO performance of 'Me and My Girl' at the Playhouse on Friday 22nd of April. These tickets are free of charge for our students and their family.

We will be working with the company in the summer, and students who are interested in theatre and the potential of doing the workshop may like to go and see the performance to gain an insight to the musical theatre group.

We have 22 tickets available which will be allocated on a first come first served basis. If you are interested in tickets please contact reception.

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Writing Competition

Last term Miss Taylor our English manager invited students to enter into our school writing competition.

Thank you to everyone who entered. The standard of writing was very high.

We are delighted to announce the winners of our recent competition:

1st place: Diogo

2nd place: Thomas

3rd place: Zofia

Congratulations to all of our winners, look out for another writing competition that we will be running next term.

It was a holiday.

- is a multicultural best sports in the
- One day there was a great
- from Northern England to depose Elizabeth I of and replace her with Mary, of Scots.

The way I the game - but I'd rather watch it than anything I can name -

You are the most famous of Scots
When you are being you
So there was most iconic
Players of all century
Pele

THE FORMER MINISTRE OF FOOTBALL

Pele was the most famous footballer in the world during the 1960s Cup in and Brazil fielded some champions like Garrincha. Widely regarded as one of the greatest of all time, he was among the most successful and popular figures of the 20th century.

Born 23 October 1940
Children: Gales, Eneida, Eugenio, Bruna de
Sousa, etc.

Position: Forward (L, R, ST)

Page 1:	The former minister of football	
2:	Queen Elizabeth the 1 (1st)	

Tula Class

This week has been an exciting week in Tula! We have been working towards our BTEC exam in printing, designing African inspired lino prints. It has been quite challenging as lino is not easy to mark. Students have had to be patient as they slowly chisel the lino away in order to make their design.

We have also been planning the Valentine Enterprise sale. Students have had to plan and organise this themselves taking on roles such as health and safety, display, product researcher and accountant. They have had to adjust ideas in to keep within the budget so that any profit can go towards the 6th Form Summer Star Treat Day.

There has also been the exciting 10 mile D of E walk, an ASDAN trip to the Pitts River museum, and the digital media group has been using green screen photographs to make storyboards. Students have planned the perfect holiday camp for 16-18 year olds and we so far have cultural holidays in Peru, a theme park for those who are horse mad and camping in the wild for those who love nature!



Trip to Natural History Museum

On Thursday Monet class visited the History of Science Museum in Oxford. Monet Class have been working on an exciting project with GLAM (Gardens, Libraries and Museums of Oxford). The aim of the project is for Monet students to help research, design and test a new science backpack resource to enable all those with SEND and their families to be able to better access science at the museum.



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6th Form Enterprise Sale - 07.02.24

Sixth Form have been busy preparing Valentine's treats to sell during break time on Wednesday 7th February. For these treats we suggest a donation of £1 for sweet cones and 50p for biscuits and cakes. This is part of their sixth form enterprise project. All money raised goes towards funding their summer term school trip. In previous years they have raised enough money to completely fund the trip themselves. The treats have been prepared under health and safety guidelines with all students washing hands & wearing gloves to prepare bags.

Please contact reception if you require any further information.

Dates for your diary

Friday 9th February 2024	End of Term
Monday 19th February 2024	Start of Term
Thursday 28th March 2024	End of Term Two
Friday 29th March 2024	Bank Holiday
Monday 15th April 2024	Start of Term Three
Tuesday 16th April 2024	Termly Outcome Plan Evening
Monday 6th May 2024	Bank Holiday
Saturday 11th May 2024	Family Fun Day - 12-3
Friday 24th May 2024	End of Term
Monday 3rd June 2024	Start of Term
Tuesday 16th July 2024	Meet the New Teacher Event
Monday 22nd July 2024	End of Term Three

Lunch Menu Week Commencing 5th February

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Vegetable Curry Gf	Pork sausages - Df yorkshire pudding	Roast Beef Gf/Df	Meatballs	Chicken goujons
Vegetarian		Vegetarian sausages Df/V/Gf yorkshire pudding	Roast Quorn Df/V	Quorn mince meatballs	Quorn goujons
Served With	Rice Sweetcorn Df/V/Gf	Mashed potato gravy Green beans All - Df/V/Gf	Roast Potatoes Gravy Peas & Carrots All - Gf/Df/V	Sweetcorn Df/V/Gf Spaghetti Df/V	Chips Beans Gf/Df/V
Pudding	Jam & Coconut Cake Custard - Gf	Marble Sponge Cake	Mandarin Cheesecake	Treacle sponge Custard - Gf	Millionaire shortbread

There is a daily alternative of: Jacket Potato topped with either beans, cheese or tuna. Baguette/Sandwich filled with either cheese, ham or tuna.