

THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Some important messages for you:

Ofsted Monitoring Visit

On Wednesday, we welcomed inspectors from Ofsted for a 1-day monitoring visit of the school, focussing on two key areas: Personal Development and Leadership & Governance. I want to thank all the students, staff and parents/carers who completed the survey or spoke to the inspectors in school. The initial verbal feedback was very positive and highlighted our strengths here at The John Fisher School. The letter from Ofsted will be shared when it is made available.

Term will end on Thursday 31st March.

During the half day on Friday 1st April the team of staff will be getting to work on the actions for further improvement identified by the inspectorate.

First Give Final

On Tuesday, we welcomed First Give on site to run our Year 9 finals. Congratulations to our winning team who won £1,000 towards their chosen charity, Whizz Kids. We would also like to thank our guest judge, Andreas Androu, from Toyota & Lexus Croydon, who has generously donated £250 to the charities who came in 2nd and 3rd place; these were Sutton Night Watch and The Daniel Spargo-Mabbs Foundation.

Catherine Sponsored Walk

Well done to the students in the Catherine group who have raised over £1,000 for the Mary's Meals charity through their sponsored 7-mile walk earlier this week.

Sporting Success

Congratulations to our Yr 7 rugby team who won the Plate competition at the Fulham Boys 7's tournament this week. Our senior team also won their quarter-final basketball cup match; we await the semi-final draw.

Looking ahead to next week:

Parent Teacher Meetings

Thank you to the parents/carers who have booked appointments with their son's teachers for the Yr 12 Parent Teacher Meeting on Thursday 24th March.

Final Prayer

'Lord, we pray for the people of Ukraine at this time. Protect the innocent and vulnerable. Give wisdom to global leaders. Humble the proud. Lord, we long and pray for peace. **Amen.**'

Yours sincerely,

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