



# THE JOHN FISHER SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## **Founders Day**

Please find attached to this week's email a powerpoint presentation showing photographs from the Founders Day celebrations which took place on Tuesday. The Archbishop delivered a talk to Year 12, celebrated Mass with Year 8, met staff members and blessed our new 'Wellbeing & Spiritual garden'.

## **COVID-19**

This week the Secretary of State for Education has written an open letter to parents encouraging continued regular testing, to support all the hard work schools and colleges have been doing to increase participation. Please note that if your son or anyone in your household is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 they will need to complete a PCR Test not a Lateral Flow Test. Schools are awaiting a government announcement on how testing for secondary students will be organised during the school summer holidays.

## **Year 11 & Year 13 students**

It was lovely to welcome back our Year 11 students for their Sixth Form transition day and celebration Mass on Monday. We also welcomed back our Year 13 students last night for their leavers Mass and presentation of certificates, which was a special occasion.

Reminder: Sixth Form Results Day is Tuesday 10th August and GCSE Results Day/Sixth Form Enrolment is Thursday 12th August.

## **Internal Exams**

Both our Year 9 and Year 10 students have now completed their end of year examinations. Next week, it is the turn of our Year 12 students. We wish them the best of luck

## **Commercial Partners**

A reminder that the school is supported by a range of local businesses who really do help us maintain so many opportunities, as well as donating money and IT. Staff can often access special discounts and usage will help us maintain this support in the future. You can see all the partners here:

<https://online.flippingbook.com/view/855850659/>

### **JFA Outdoor Cinema**

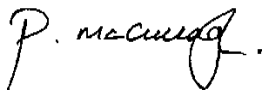
This is just one week away! Saturday 3rd July. Food stalls, bar and (hopefully) some sunshine. Tickets on sale via ParentPay. Thank you to those families who have already bought their tickets, all the money raised will come back to the school to support us and our students.

Those who have bought tickets:

- are encouraged to have a lateral flow test beforehand
- are encouraged to remain in their family bubble and socially distance
- should wear a face mask when waiting in a queue
- should not attend if they develop symptoms of the coronavirus

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P. McCullagh'.

P E McCullagh  
Headteacher