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NOTICES

- **Term Dates:** In a change to the original school calendar, our last day of term will now be Monday 24th July, where we will be finishing at 12.30pm. For the new academic year, the new Year 7 students will start with us on Wednesday 6th September, Years 8, 9, 10 and 11 students will start on Thursday 7th September.
- **Uniform:** With the forecast set to cool next week, students are required to be back in full uniform from next week, Monday 26th June.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

- This week the Year 10 students have been sitting their **Mock examinations**. This has given them all the opportunity to get an idea of how the GCSE examinations will run for them next May/June.
- The **Year 7** had their first parent's evening on Thursday **22nd June**. This was a very positive evening with over 70% of parents meeting with teachers.

EVENTS COMING UP

- On Monday **26th June** the History department will be hosting a visitor to speak to students about surviving the holocaust as part of a study of the holocaust during their history lessons.
- **Year 11 Prom** will be held on Thursday **29th June**, with students arriving in to school at 6pm, and then heading up to the beautiful Chalk Barn for a wonderful evening.
- On **Wednesday 5th July** we will be holding our **transition event** for the new year 7 students joining us next year. Students will be joining us in school during the day to have their first taste of secondary school life.
- On **Friday 7th July** we have a visitor coming in to school to speak to the students about Climate Change.
- The PTFA will be organising another **Bags2School for Friday 7th July**, this is a fantastic way to get rid of any of your unwanted items and raise money for the school at the same time.
- Community First next FREE Youth pop up event will be held on **19th July** 5:30pm to 7:30pm. They will have Zorbs, Henna Tattoos, Fun Sports, Arts and Crafts and FREE food and drink.
To book a place please follow the link <https://pewseypopupjuly.eventbrite.com>
- Pewsey Parish Council are putting on an outdoor cinema on **Saturday 24th June**, Coopers Field, Ball Road, Pewsey. The film showing will be The Goonies, and this starts at 7pm. Free for ages 11-17, over 18s £2.00. Please email the.clerk@pewsey-pc.gov.uk or follow the QR code for tickets.

• **Big Family Music Day** returns to Wiltshire Music Centre on **Saturday 24 June**

– pick up a new instrument, learn a tune and perform on the WMC stage!

Join us for a jam-packed day of exciting musical workshops and activities for all ages. Led in partnership with Wiltshire Young Musicians, this fun-filled family day out will be full of opportunities for children to explore, play and perform on new instruments, and watch music with fantastic Wiltshire Young Musician tutors and special guest practitioners showing you the way. Big Family Music Day is the perfect opportunity for young budding musicians to come and try something new! Refreshments from local producers and arts and crafts complete this fun family mini festival.

• PANTO YOUNG COMPANY AUDITIONS- Salisbury Playhouse

Wiltshire Creative are looking for young people to register their interest in auditioning for this year's panto, Dick Whittington.

This is an exciting opportunity for young performers aged 12-17 who love to act, sing and dance, and want to experience what it's like to perform with a professional acting company and production team. Please note: you must be aged 12 or older by Saturday 28th October 2023 to be able to apply.

Applications close Monday 26th June at 5pm*

Auditions will be held on Saturday 1st July at Salisbury Playhouse

Click the link below to view the Young Company Information Pack and to apply!

<https://www.wiltshirecreative.co.uk/news/auditions-open-for-pantomime-young-company>

*Applications must be completed in full to be considered for auditions.

Please email takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk if you have any questions.

• Stage 65 is a Youth Theatre group which celebrates young people's imagination!

Exploring storytelling through drama techniques, performance skills and games, helping members to grow in confidence, meet new friends, and enjoy the world of theatre. Young people have the chance to collaborate with artists and industry professionals, exploring subjects and performance techniques which are relevant to them and apply these through unique performance opportunities. Our Stage 65 members recently performed in our production of The Tempest in Churchill Gardens!

We welcome anyone with an interest in the performing arts to our weekly sessions at Salisbury Playhouse; no experience needed. We can support young people from all backgrounds aged 6-21, and offer support for individuals with additional needs. Financial assistance through bursaries is available.

S65 Young Company - Ages 16-21 - Tuesdays 7:45 – 9:15pm

Email takepart@wiltshirecreative.co.uk to book your free taster session before joining us for the Autumn term!

CAREERS

- Next week our year 10's are off timetable from Wednesday to Friday for work experience either in a workplace or within the school. As part of that we have the NHS to come in on Wednesday morning to run a workshop called NextGen Nurses, on Thursday we have the Army Signals coming in to run a cyber workshop which Year 9 will also have the opportunity to attend, and on Friday we have a workshop enhancing pupils' all-round employability skills.

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| During school | Debating Club Ukelele Club History Speaker | Reading Club am Y7 Culture Club | | Rock Soc Club | Mindfulness Club Spanish Club Gardening Club |
| After school | Rounders all years Homework Club | Homework Club | Netball all years Sketchbook Club Y11 Homework Club | Yr11 Prom Homework Club | |
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