



ST LUKE'S NEWS 24.05.24



We are excited to share with you a roundup of celebrations, important information, and key upcoming events. From memorable moments to important updates, here's what you need to know:

= SPOTLIGHT =



We are really proud of our links with the St John's Hospital Educational Foundation and the work it does to provide grants, particularly for children from under-resourced backgrounds. The Foundation has supported St Luke's financially to provide opportunities such as Duke of Edinburgh and Ten Tors, set up student leadership projects, and organise aspirational speakers and visits. We're very grateful to the trustees for their work, and we're delighted to have a new plaque, featuring the famous 'Blue Boy' symbol of the Foundation, to display in our reception.



YEAR 7 SIKH LANGAR

Year 7 students in Life to the Full had their Sikh Langer last week. It was part of their module of the religion of Sikhism this half term. A Langer is the kitchen in a Sikh Gurdwara where anybody is welcome to come for a free vegetarian daily meal. Year 7 students bought in one item to share and sat in 'pangat' (rows) to eat together and practice the values of generosity, inclusivity and equality.

PHILOSOPHY AND ETHICS YEAR 10 TRIP



Year 10 students visited Exeter Cathedral, Exeter Mosque, Sacred Heart Church and Unlimited Church. A special thanks to our Governor, Rev. Matt Clayton, Deacon Kelvin Russell and Imam Ahmed Kowsar for all welcoming us so warmly into their places of worship and showing us around.



SPARX LEADERBOARD



Sparx Celebrations (completion last week)



Year Group	Completion
7	87%
8	88%
9	85%
10	90%



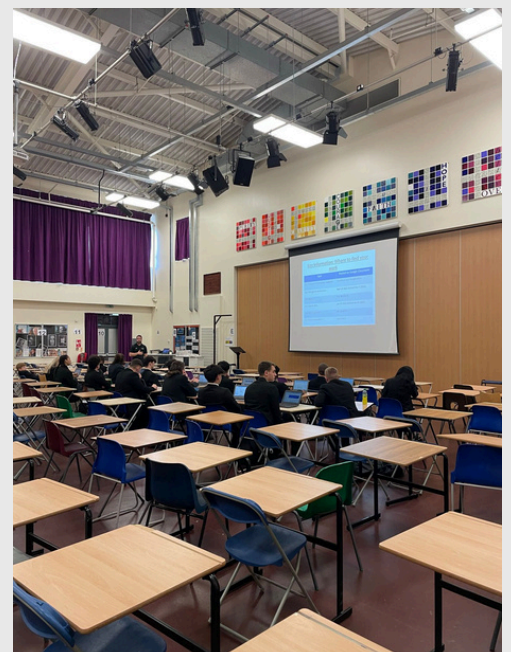
EXAMS

It's a busy time for Year 11 as they start their exam period. To prepare them for their exams they will start their pre-exam booster sessions next week.

This is when we re-timetable their learning so they can be with their subject teachers right before they take their exam.

To see the full exam timetable and further information on exams, please click on the link:

<https://stlukescofe.school/examinations/>



HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE VISIT

On 21st May some of our Year 10's visited Jack Simpson House in Heavitree to allow our Health and Social Care Students to expand their knowledge in a health and social care setting, as well as gain an insight into a possible future career.

The students engaged in conversation with residents about their lives and interests, and played games with them over tea, coffee and biscuits.

It was a privilege to take our students who represented us brilliantly. Residents were asking them to come again (with one individual trying to return with us on the mini bus as she loved her conversations). It was so lovely to see them all flourish in a completely different setting.



HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT FUND

There's a new Household Support Fund open. If you're an Exeter resident, on a low income, & struggling with the cost of essentials, you may be eligible. This is a one off payment. If you have previously received this fund, you will not be entitled to it again. We're happy to support you with your application. For further details please email;

Tracey.wadeley@stlukescofe.school

DUOLINGO CLUB!



Every Monday - 3.15 – 4pm
in ML2 with Mrs Mountstevens-Braund

Download the app first, come along and learn any language!!

THANK YOU

Thank you Tori Elliott
Illustration for your kind
donation of art resources



A SPECIAL VISITOR

Miss Bartlett was treated to a visit from this lovely lady during a family meeting this week.



UPCOMING EVENTS & KEY DATES:

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- 24th May - Last day of term
- 27th May - May Half Term
- 3rd June - Students return to school
- 3rd June - Free Fitness Classes 5.15pm
- 4th June - "Ask the Headteacher" Coffee Morning
- 6th June - Year 7 Progress Evening 4.00pm-7.00pm
- 12th June - Community Voices Choir 3.45pm-4.45pm (St Luke's)
- 24th June - Ready Steady Cook 4.00pm-5.00pm (St Luke's)
- 4th July - Arts at the Heart -Family Portrait 5.00pm-6.00pm (St James)

SUMMER COMMUNITY EVENTS

We are delighted to announce our summer programme of community events as part of the St Luke's and St James Community Partnership.

The aim of our partnership is to support and enrich our community by drawing together resources, skills and expertise, and opening up our school buildings.

Please [click here](#) to view the programme along with information



St Luke's & St James Community Partnership

FREE FITNESS CLASSES

EVERY MONDAY 3 JUNE - 15 JULY 17:15-18:00 @ ST LUKE'S

Free fitness class for all levels of fitness and abilities, with a qualified instructor. We'll do some strength work, conditioning and a fun and engaging workout. You don't need to commit to every weekly session. Sign up by scanning or clicking the QR code.

Logos for St James, St Luke's, and Whipton Barton Federation are in the top right corner.

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Ready, Steady, Cook!

24 JUNE, 4-5PM @ST LUKES, FREE

Join us and our local food charity, Love Food CIC, to find out more about food and eating well on budget, and have fun doing some cooking together. There'll be some prizes for the best efforts! This will be a good chance to cook with your child and other families, as well as getting to know our school staff.

INGREDIENTS WILL BE PROVIDED

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SING WITH PINHOE COMMUNITY VOICES CHOIR

Come and join us to have fun singing some well known songs from the world of pop and musicals. All the family are welcome. Free and refreshments provided

3:45-4:45 pm, 12 June @St Luke's

Sign up by clicking or scanning the QR code below

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Arts At The Heart

Thursday 4th July 2024

5pm - 6:30pm

Join us for a free family portrait with a print out photo given at the end of the session.

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