

Dear Parents/Carers

Assemblies this week have been focused on how well the students are working in school at the moment with a celebration of top points achievers in each form and those students that have received praise postcards in recent weeks. We of course also celebrated the top attenders and the forms with the best attendance as we know that good school attendance is absolutely key to performing well in school over the long term. Well done to all the students.

Year 7 Parents Evening

Thank you to all the parents and carers who attended Parents Evening last night, it was a great success with really high attendance with families keen to hear how well their child was doing in school and the progress they are making in lessons. It was wonderful to look through the parent questionnaires that were filled in on the night and see so many positive responses.

Numeracy Week

Thank you to the Maths Department and especially Ms Kruvele for organising a brilliant Numeracy week, there were lots of activities for the students to participate in and as well as developing their maths and problem-solving skills students learnt about many of the different ways that Mathematics can be applied to the modern world.

Presentation Evening Thursday 30th November

We are looking forward to welcoming last year's Yr11 students back to school on Thursday 30th November for Presentation Evening. It will be great to see all the students again and celebrate their amazing success in their GCSEs and Vocational Examinations with a night of congratulations and awards.

Top of the Achievement Points League

Well done to the following students that have the most achievement points in each year group.

The amount of Bronze badge winners already this term has been absolutely incredible and those students who do great work every day in school are a credit to themselves and their families.

Year 7: **Abbie H** - 7O 1960 net points and **Ravin R** – 7T 1890 net points

Year 8: **Maria B** - 8O 2020 net points and **Chris M** – 8H 2080 net points

Year 9: **Oliva K** – 9T 1670 net points and **Olivia K** – 9M 1710 net points

Year 10: **Daisy N** – 10M 2210 net points and **David W** – 10M 1990 net points

Year 11: **Annabel Mc** 11S 1600 net points and **Olivia T** – 11A 1720 net points

St Thomas More RC College Fantasy Football League.

Some great scores from staff and students who are in the league this week and its clear we have some budding football managers in the school community as they have been able to pick some great squads last week. No points this weekend as its another international week.

League leader Mr Brophy with 693 points!!

And

The the winner for game week 12 was

Archie G Year 9 -- 91 points

There is still time for students or staff to join the league to win the weekly award.

Students just need to create a Premier League account and a team at [Fantasy Premier League, Official Fantasy Football Game of the Premier League](#) then they can join the school mini league named;

St Thomas More League

The league code is; wojosv

Alternatively, you can click on the link below to automatically join the league.

<https://fantasy.premierleague.com/leagues/auto-join/wojosv>

Finally

Please remember that you can contact school each weekday Monday to Friday either by calling 0161 336 2743 or emailing admin@stmcollege.org.uk during normal school hours, if you do want to visit school to talk to a member of staff that can of course be arranged but do please contact school prior to your journey so that mutually convenient time and date can be arranged for an appointment.

God bless

H Brophy