



# ST MARTINS SCHOOL

8 July 2022



## SUMMER SHOWCASE

Student (primary & secondary)  
musical & drama performances

Thursday 14th July 2022

Arts Centre at 6:30pm

£2.00

*Refreshments available*

Students and staff are busy practicing ready for the **SUMMER SHOWCASE**, please come along to support them!!

We are also practising ahead of the **annual sport day house competition on 12 July!** The great weather and the ice cream van have all been booked!!

**Reception and KS1**—The primary gate will open at 9.50am and Sports Day will start at 10am and finish in time for lunch.

**KS2**—The primary gate will open at 1.50pm and Sports Day will start at 2pm.

In the event of wet weather, Sports Day will take place on Friday 15 July at the same times.

Pupils will need to come to school in their house t-shirt (red, green, blue, yellow). They will need to bring a sun hat/ cap and sun lotion will need to be applied before school. Please ensure that your child has a bottle of water. An ice pop will be provided once the children have taken part.

Some chairs will be provided but you may wish to bring your own.

**Years 7 -10** . All students are expected to attend school as usual and properly equipped. Lessons will take place during the morning. Lunch will be earlier than normal between 12.20pm and 1pm.

Students who are competing in an event are to come to school dressed in their PE kit. They are allowed to wear a t-shirt of the colour of their House if competing (Red for Rhyn, Blue for Ifton, Green for Heath and Gold /Yellow for Moors). **All other students must wear school uniform.**

Students who are not competing will be supporting their House during the afternoon. There will be an ice cream van to buy refreshments in the afternoon. Pupils will need some money if they wish to buy anything. All events will have finished by the end of the school day, so normal transport arrangements apply. Please remind your son/daughter to bring sun cream and a hat and a jacket for cooler weather. Families are encouraged to come and support in the afternoon from 1.10pm on the main school field. Thank you for your continuing support in school activities.

Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy



Please check your child's lunch credit on Parent Pay to ensure there is enough credit for lunches.



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Congratulations to the school's Athletics team that competed in the North Shropshire Athletics Championships on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June at Queensway Stadium in Wrexham.

Students from year 7 to 10 competed in a range of events: high jump, long jump, triple jump, discus, shot putt, javelin, 80m hurdles, 100m, 200, 300, 800m, 1500m and relay.

They all did so well against other talented athletes from across the region.

A special mention to Lily Bowen (year 7) who won the 80m hurdles against other year 7 girls and in fact year 8 girls too!

The year 7/8 girls relay team came first in heat 1 and then 3<sup>rd</sup> in the final.

Mhairi McKay showed great determination to complete the 1500m in front of a pack crowd who cheered her on—great to see that level of sportsmanship!

Well done to all involved!

## Dates for the diary

**End of term—TUESDAY 19 JULY** 2pm secondary and 2.15pm for primary there will be no after school club. Please do not use the car park until 2.15pm when the buses have left—this will ease any congestion

**GCSE exam results day—THURSDAY 25 AUGUST**

**FIRST DAY OF TERM for PRIMARY AND YEAR 7 and 11 ONLY—WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER**

**FIRST DAY OF TERM FOR YEAR 8, 9 and 10—THURSDAY 8 SEPTEMBER**



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- Primary students will finish at **3.25pm**. Primary parents should not arrive in the car park until the secondary buses have left at 3.20pm
- Secondary day will finish at 3.10pm. Secondary parents should pick up and depart the car park promptly; we hope that this will also ease congestion. If you have any queries or questions please contact school in the usual way.

## A reminder that 'After school' sports clubs in secondary finish this week



Huge well done to the three students who recently attended The World Freestyle Dance Championships with their dance school Border Counties School of Dance. This is a huge competition with hundreds of dancers competing at the Winter Gardens in Blackpool. Kian Price achieved 5th place in his street dance solo section and 2nd place in his pairs section with his dance partner Marley. Kacie Price achieved 4th place in her street solo section. Charley Mannion achieved 5th place in his slow dance solo, 3rd place in his freestyle solo and 1st in his street dance solo

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Year 6 had a fantastic transition trip to Quinta with the other 72 students from other school's who are joining year 7 in September —they were very lucky with the weather. They spent two days getting to



know each other and the staff who will be teaching and supporting them in September.

They had time on the low ropes course, team building activities in the beautiful grounds and finished the evening with a karaoke competition and a film.

More photos to follow!!

**Event Dates:** Tuesday 26th July and August 2nd, 16th, 30th  
**Event Time:** 10.30am - 12pm  
**Event Address:** Dogs Trust Shrewsbury, Roden Lane Farm, Telford TF6 6BP



## Summer fun for kids with Dogs Trust!



Join our Education & Community Officer for a **FREE**, fun family workshop to learn all about safe behaviour around dogs and being responsible around our four-pawed friends!

Children aged 7 and above and their grown up welcome!

Places must be booked in advance.

To book or ask any questions please contact [alison.donald@dogstrust.org.uk](mailto:alison.donald@dogstrust.org.uk)

Children remain the responsibility of the accompanying adult and must be supervised.  
No real dogs will be in attendance at this event.



Registered Charity Numbers: 227523 & 8003784

## Early Help Family Drop-in

Free information, advice and support

Come along to:

The Centre, Oak Street, Oswestry, SY11 1LW

Every Monday

9:30am—12:30pm

Starting Monday 4th July

You can meet:

Early Help Family Workers

Beam

Food Bank

Housing Support Officer

Parenting Support

Family Information Service

and others



Supporting families with children aged 0-19 years (up to 25 years for young people with special educational needs and disabilities)

We aim to make it easier for you to ask for help and get support when you need it.

