

**Friday 9th July 2021**

**Forthcoming Dates for your Diary**



**Friday 16th July:** Year 7 and Year 8 sports day, Year 9 and Year 10 ERA day.

**Friday 23rd July:** School closes at 3.00pm for the summer break.

**Wednesday 1st September:** Staff training day.

**Thursday 2nd September:** School re-opens at 8.30am.

**Pathfinder Letter**

If you have not already done so, please take a few minutes to read this week's [Letter](#) from the trust regarding the change in government guidance on Covid-19 in schools.

**Please do not park in the Doctor's Surgery**

We have received a message from the Doctor's Surgery in Rothwell regarding an increase in incidents of parents/carers using their car park at 3.00pm when collecting children. The car park is for patient use only, please do not arrange to meet your child here at 3.00pm. Thank you.

**ERA Points**

Today (9th July) is the deadline for the awarding of ERA points for this academic year. Keep an eye out over the next couple of weeks when we will be releasing final figures.

**Are you getting rid of old school uniform?**



As we move towards the end of the school year, you may be starting to look at your child's school uniform.

We are collecting unwanted uniform so that it can be reused. If you have any uniform which you no longer need, particularly ties and blazers, we are collecting it in the pod offices. For parents of students in Year 11, there is a red collection box in our front reception area.

**County Schools Challenge 2021**

All of our Year 7 and Year 8 students have been working on a unit on internet safety. This is part of the County Schools Challenge 2021, called 'Own your own feed'. The County Schools Challenge is a police partnership project run across secondary schools in Northamptonshire. It helps students learn about important social issues whilst teaching them invaluable skills. If you wish to take a look at the challenge in more detail, please follow this link: [The County Schools Challenge](#).

### Year 6 Transition Parent Evenings

The booking system is now open for parents of year 6 students who are joining Montsaye in September to arrange a time to meet with staff ahead of their transition to us. Please see letter on our website under [Parents/Year 6 Transition](#) for more information.

### Youth Works: Families Needed

Youth Works in Kettering are looking for some families to take part in their free online workshops. The workshops are intended to bring families closer together. If you feel that this is something you would like to get involved in, please use the email address listed on the poster below:



### Kettering Food Bank

The school summer holidays can be a time of hardship for some families. [Kettering Foodbank](#) can help; they provide people with food in a time of crisis (they aim to meet the basic food needs for three days). If you feel that you need help, please click the link above which will direct to you their website.

If you feel like you would like to help by way of making a donation, please find below, a list of their most needed items:



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