



RC/JAE
16 July 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

End of Term Newsletter – July 2021

It has been a real pleasure to see the significant majority of students back in school since March. They have worked hard adapting to new routines and catching-up on any missed work. Thank you for your sustained support during yet another challenging year as we have battled against the COVID-19 pandemic.

This academic year finishes on a high with a number of key events to conclude our busy year:

- Monday 19 July – Summer Music Concert (tickets available from reception).
- Wednesday 21 July – Year 6 Transition Evening.
- Friday 23 July – Sports Day/Year 11 Prom.

Last Day Arrangements

All students have been allocated a 'House' for the Sports Day. They should wear their PE kit, including a 'House' coloured top for the day. Activities include: dodgeball, sports quiz, tug of war, rounders and track events. The Sports Day will finish at 1.40 pm (the end of Period 4). The academic year for the students will finish then.

Year 11

Our Year 11 students completed their Teacher Assessment Grades some weeks ago but will reunite for their prom celebration at the Solent Hotel in Whiteley on the evening of Friday 23 July. We wish them every success for the future and hope to see them on results day on 12 August.

Staff Summer Leavers

We say a fond farewell to a number of staff who are leaving us at the end of this term. They include: Ms Nesbitt (after 21 fantastic years of teaching here at PCS), Miss Garnett from Geography, Mrs Nolan from Maths and Ms Brzostowicz from MFL, Miss Dent is taking up a Head of Department role locally, Mrs Mac Enri and Mrs Wright from our student support teams are spending more valuable time with their families whilst Miss Gooch, Miss Smitheram and Mrs Roberts are exploring new challenges!

I would like to publicly thank them all for their great work and wish them every success in the future.

Site Works


Over the summer holiday, we have a number of projects underway to improve the site and facilities here at the school. Projects include: groundworks by Humanities, solar panels on the main hall and the refurbishment of four Science labs.

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Start of Term

- Friday 3 September – Term starts for Years 7 and 11.
- Monday 6 September – Term starts for Years 8, 9 and 10.

There have been no changes to the uniform and appearance policies. Therefore, all students should be smartly dressed and ready for a busy term's work.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Yours sincerely

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Fantastic work from Year 8 on the Faraday Challenge! #Faradaychallenge portchester.hants.sch.uk/galleries#3ad5...

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Tom Franklin
Tom Franklin, Chief Executive

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On Monday morning we had the opportunity to Drop Everything and Read. It was great to see students and staff enjoying a wide variety of books! portchester.hants.sch.uk/galleries#4142...

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Congratulations to our Year 8 volleyball team who lost in the Gold Medal match to win the Silver Medals!
Congratulations to our Year 9 volleyball team who won the bronze medals

Congratulations to the following students who competed at the Hampshire County Athletics Championships this week!

Track Events!	Field Events!
Morgan Harms (100m) - 9th	Jack Murphie (Shot) - 3 rd
Lauren Aitken (150m) - 11th	Shavar Brooks (Shot) - 7th
Oli Lock (200m) - 7th	Joe Cave (Shot) - 5th
Luke Scriven (800m) - 9th	Max Richards (Vortex) - 2 nd
Fergus Meenahan (1000m) - 9 th	Kathryn Primmer (Shot) - 5 th
	Niamh Hedley (LJ)- 8 th

More Great photos by Nathan Lipsham can be seen on the Twitter page

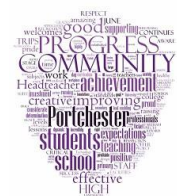
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SUMMER CONCERT

FEATURING
Performances from Key Stage 3 and 4
Performing Arts students

MONDAY 19 JULY, 19:00

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM SCHOOL BANK

Portchester Community School
SEN Fundraiser.

Drop the LSA!!

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are raising money for our SEN Department by dropping two of our lovely LSA's out of a plane!
"Drop the LSA" will take place on:
Saturday 17th July 2021!

Donations would be gratefully appreciated and can be given via:
<https://gofund.me/29a199bd>
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High Tide

At Portchester Castle

Friday 16th July
6.00 - 8.30pm
City wide youth event
For ages 11 - 18

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