



Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers

Firstly, can I begin by thanking all parents and carers, staff and students who helped support outside of our school this week when there was an accident on Woodway Lane. Thankfully, the young man is recovering and doing well, and very much appreciates the messages and kindness shown. This was not the only incident this week and we are grateful that our students are safe and well.

Safety is absolutely paramount for us and all staff at school encourage students to leave the building calmly and sensibly. Can you please have conversations with your children about staying safe once outside the boundaries of the school. Not every car driver, cyclist, or member of the public will be as cautious and discerning as you are as parents and carers. We are working with local police, local transport police, and local business owners to see what else we can do in the community to go the extra mile as well.

It has been lovely to see our students completing some gruelling expeditions for their Duke of Edinburgh's Award, even though some of them have been walking very carefully around school on their blisters! We have also had the pleasure of Guardian Ballers and the filming of their documentary on site; so many of our students have done the school proud in participating in this project and it has been wonderful to see so many students grow throughout this project.

Finally, can I please ask that you complete the Parent and Carer Survey. Although I have been at the school for three years, I am still only four months into my new post, and would love to hear honest feedback about your views of the school so that we can improve. We firmly believe that we are a good school but I will do all that I can to continue to make the school the best that it can be, and that starts with hearing your views, concerns and what we do well that needs to continue.

Have a wonderful weekend.

God bless

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Year 8 Become Fashion Designers

On Thursday 24 June, Year 8 students took part in a 'Hoodie Design Project' in partnership with the Guardian Ballers, part of the Coventry and Warwickshire Mind mental health charity.

The children had a 'Design Engagement Session' with Alex, the co-founder of 'Stickz & Stonez', a local fashion company that manufactures casual and basketball inspired clothing.



In the session, the children individually designed their own hoodie. Then, as a group, through the software and expertise of the Stickz & Stonez manager, the children saw their hoodie designs come to life through a live computer demonstration.

At the end of the session, two final designs were chosen which will be physically manufactured for the students to be able to order.

Going somewhere exciting this summer? Take a book with you and enter...

The Library **EXTREME READING** Competition!

You could be reading prose at the park, a biography on a boat, literature at Legoland, a murder mystery at a museum or a crime drama at Coombe. Wherever you are, photograph yourself reading in an unusual place (with a parent's permission) and you could win a £10 Amazon voucher.

This is open to staff and pupils and the closing date is:

Friday 17 September

Email your photos to:

cgould@cardinalwiseman.coventry.sch.uk

Have a great summer of reading!



We celebrated "World Music Day" on Monday 21 June.

Students were encouraged to enjoy some global music during tutor time.

Sample some yourself with the links below.



Artist: Batzorig Vaanchig
Song: [Chinggis khaanii Magtaal](#)
Country: Mongolia

Artist: DakhaBrakha
Song: [Yanky](#)
Country: Ukraine

Artist: Geoffrey Oryema
Song: [Kel Kweyo](#)
Country: Uganda

Artist: Joji Hirota
Song: [Kokiriko Melody](#)
Country: Japan

Artist: Wardruna
Song: [Helvegen](#)
Country: Norway

Artist: Sheila Chandra
Song: [Ever So Lonely/Eyes/Ocean](#)
Country: India

Artist: Totó La Momposina
Song: [La Sombra Negra](#)
Country: Columbia

Artist: Maryam Mursal
Song: [Kufilaw \(Take Care\)](#)
Country: Somalia

Well done, Foundation Class!

As the Foundation students' Tutor and their Maths and English teacher, I would like to say congratulations to the whole class. Well done for everything you achieved academically. In the 7-8 months that we have had you showed high spirits and ambition.

Thank you for your hard work, resilience, fun, laughter and for the amazing team spirit we managed to build. We are so lucky in our class to have young people from different countries all around the world. We have enjoyed this and learned from each other. The fact that I came from abroad makes me connect naturally with you as students. I know by experience what you are going through and what your struggles and hopes are and I am delighted with your achievements.

Thank you to those who have supported us through all the ups and downs this year; without this collective effort, our achievements would not have been possible.

I look forward to the coming year.

Dr Lyubenova



Pride Month 2021

**OWE NO ONE ANYTHING,
EXCEPT TO LOVE
ONE ANOTHER;
FOR THE ONE WHO
LOVES ANOTHER HAS
FULFILLED THE LAW.
- ROMANS 13.8**





YOUR VOICE MATTERS.

At Cardinal Wiseman School we strive to provide high-quality education through which all our pupils reach their God-given potential. Your view is important, providing feedback on how well we are achieving our vision. To this end, we are delighted to share our fourth annual survey to parents and carers across all eight schools within The Romero Catholic Academy.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/RomeroSurvey2021>

Through this survey, we would like to know what you think is working well and what you would like us to improve. We have some additional aspects in light of the current climate and we thank you for your patience as we have navigated the last ten months. The survey takes approximately six minutes to complete and comments are optional. You can provide your details or you may answer the questionnaire anonymously if you would prefer. As always, if you wish to raise a concern, there is a process to follow and we would appreciate it if you would bring it directly to the attention of staff at the school so we can resolve the matter in a speedy manner.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you in advance for completing our survey. As always, the survey will be analysed at school level and the results will be collated and viewed by the Board of Directors. We will share the responses and the key themes emerging in autumn with a 'You said, we did' update in our newsletter. We will also include the FAQs on the website – www.romeromac.com

The survey will close on Friday 9 July 2021.



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Please select the following link to view an important letter concerning Covid-19

[Covid-19 Letter](#)

Twice weekly rapid Covid-19 testing

Test at home

Report online

Keep life moving

**GET YOUR TESTS
FROM SCHOOL**



YEAR 10 & YEAR 12 MOCK EXAMS CONTINUED

WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 28 JUNE TO TUESDAY 29 JUNE

Monday 28 June 9.30am	Tuesday 29 June 9.30am			
Maths Paper 2 1 hr 30 mins Physics Paper 2 1 hr 30 mins CC03	Computer Science 1 hr 30 mins RE Paper 3 Ethics 2 hrs			
1.30 pm	1.30 pm			
Geography 1 hr 30 mins Psychology Paper 2 1 hr	CNAT Sport R041 resits 5 Students 1 hr Geography 1 hr 30 mins			

Important



The police and school have received complaints from residents, regarding parents parking on double yellow lines in Potters Green Road when collecting students after school.

It is imperative that we are able to keep the community, our students and their families safe. To do so everyone must abide by road markings and signs. This includes speed limits and parking restrictions.

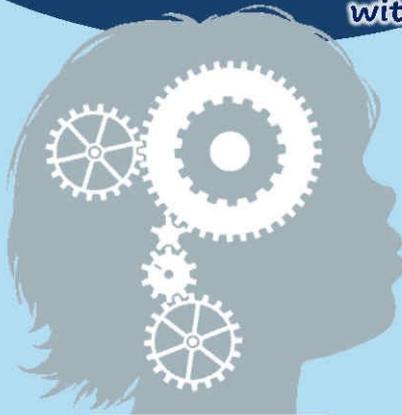
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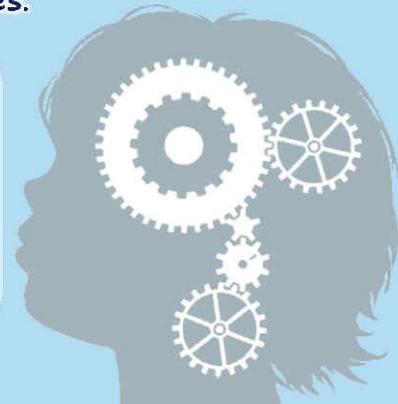
SAFEGUARDING



In partnership with SENDIASS, Coventry Primary Mental Health Team are offering a series of **FREE** sessions for parents/carers of children with SEN and Disabilities.



**Tuesday 29th
June 2021
10am - 11.30am**
**Introduction
to Mental Health
& Primary Mental
Health Team**



**Thursday 1st
July 2021
10am - 11.30am**
**Primary Age
Understanding
and supporting
your child with
their mood**

**Coventry
Primary
Mental Health
Team (PMHT)**
**Video Link
Parent/Carer
Sessions**

**Thursday 8th
July 2021
10am - 11.30am**
**Secondary Age
Understanding
and supporting
your child with
their mood**

**We recommend attending
the introductory session as well as the age specific ones.*

To book a place or for further information please contact:
SEND IASS Tel: 024 7669 4307 or Email: iass@coventry.gov.uk

To find out more about RISE and their services
visit: <https://cwrise.com/>



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