

PARENT BULLETIN

Week Beginning: 9 July 2018 (Week 1)

Student of the Week Ending 30.06.18:

Clatworthy / Clay / Doble / Hammerberg / Hills / Hooper / Mexson / Prendergast / Ritchie / Scott O / Waters / Webber B / Webber M

ALL WEEK: Activities Week for all students - Detailed information attached to this bulletin

Please see below a list of events. Those in **bold** are for this week only, all others are regular events that occur each week. All are subject to change.

Monday	AM	Keyboard Lessons
	3.45 pm - 5.15 pm	Advanced Engineering (Mr Ball)
	4.00 pm	Chads Hill run
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Farm Duties
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Garden Duties
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Athletics
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Coppersmithing (Mr Weldon)
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Bee Club (See Mr Willcocks)
	4.00 pm - 5.00 pm	Art Club - Room 1 (Mrs Clark)
	4.00 pm - 5.15 pm	History Revision Session - Room 3 (Miss Lee-Joy)
	6.00 pm - 7.30 pm	Coppersmithing (Mr Weldon)
	6.30 pm - 9.00 pm	Army Cadets, Cannington
	7.00 pm - 8.00 pm	Taekwando Club - Hall
	7.30 pm - 8.00 pm	Table Tennis Competition - Reid House
	7.30 pm - 9.00 pm	Coppersmithing (Mr Weldon)
	7.30 pm - 8.30 pm	Board Games - Kemp House
	8.00 pm - 8.30 pm	Football - Field (Mr Fewtrell)
	8.00 pm - 9.00 pm	Athletics (Mr Spridgens)
	Evening Duty Staff:	Mr Watts (Head of Boarding) / Mrs Lillywhite (Director of Boarding) / Ms Greenhill (Pastoral Manager)
	Houseparent Duty:	Reid - Mrs Western & Miss Eastham / Kemp - Mr Fewtrell & Mrs Webb School - Mrs Lillywhite & Mrs Edwards
	House Tutor:	Mr Armstrong
	Senior Duty Master:	Mr Spridgens

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<p>Thursday</p>	<p>Lunchtime 3.45 pm - 5.15 pm 4.00 pm</p> <p>4.00 pm 4.00 pm - 4.45 pm 4.00 pm - 5.00 pm 4.00 pm - 5.00 pm 4.00 pm - 5.00 pm 4.00 pm - 4.45 pm 6.00 pm - 8.00 pm</p> <p>6.30 pm - 9.00 pm 7.30 pm - 8.00 pm 8.00 pm - 8.30 pm 8.00 pm - 9.00 pm 8.30 pm - 9.00 pm 8.00 pm - 9.00 pm 8.15 pm</p> <p>Evening Duty Staff:</p> <p>Houseparent Duty:</p> <p>House Tutor: Senior Duty Master: Duty Master: SLT:</p>	<p>Quiet Room - Room 5 Woodwork (Mr Ball) Senior Staff Detention: Students will be informed beforehand if it applies to them</p> <p>Chads Hill run RC Racing Cars Club Farm Duties Garden Duties Athletics RC Racing Cars Club</p> <p>Information Evening (aimed at Parents of Year 9 & 10 students) @ Bridgwater & Taunton College, Taunton Campus</p> <p>Army Cadets, Cannington Arts & Crafts Club - Kemp Touch Rugby (Mr Blake) Athletics (Mr Spridgens) Year 9 Drills & Skills (Mr Spridgens) Weights - Invite Only Year 7 Book Night</p> <p>Mr Watts (Head of Boarding) / Ms Lillywhite (Director of Boarding) / Ms Greenhill (Pastoral Manager)</p> <p>Reid - Mr Simmons & Miss Eastham / Kemp - Mr Fewtrell & Mrs Webb School - Mrs Long & Mrs Edwards</p> <p>Mr Blake Mr Spridgens Mr Ashton Mr Winter</p>
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<p>Saturday</p>	<p>10.30 am 12.30 pm</p> <p>Day Duty Staff:</p> <p>Evening Duty: Houseparent Duty:</p>	<p>Swimming Gala & Presentation Morning All Students Depart for Summer Holidays</p> <p>Mr Watts (Head of Boarding) / Mrs Lillywhite (Director of Boarding) / Ms Greenhill (Pastoral Manager)</p> <p>Mrs Lillywhite (Director of Boarding)</p> <p>Reid - Mrs Western / Kemp - Mr Fewtrell School - Mrs Long</p>

Dear Parent/Guardian

Activities week this year is taking place between the 9 and 13 of July 2018, culminating in the school's swimming gala on Saturday 14 July 2018. This year the week is particularly exciting and varied for the boys with many new opportunities for developing their personal and social skills.

The list of activities is attached detailing timings, arrangements for lunch and suggested clothing that will be needed during the week.

It is important you ensure that you and your son are aware of the timings for each day, paying particular attention to start and finish times for each activity. I hope he enjoys the activities week and that he takes full advantage of this experience. Please do not hesitate to contact either myself or the office for further details.

Please note:

- If your son is a boarder, or receives free school meals, packed lunches will be provided.
- Any changes to the programme, including small changes to the timings of the days will be sent out via text, added to the parent bulletin and the 'show my homework' notifications section. Please ensure you read this information in the time running up to activities week.
- Following feedback from students who attended activities week last year, we have added alternative provision Monday to Wednesday. This is for boys that find 5 days of active/team work style activities challenging or stressful. The alternative provision will vary slightly day to day, as students who attend will have time to complete art, photography and media studies activities. If your son wishes to attend the alternative provision he can speak with Mrs Blake and book himself on to the activity.

In order to enable your child to participate in activities week please complete the consent form* and payment slip indicating your chosen method of payment and return to the finance office by Friday 15 June 2018. The cost this year will be £73. We would like to thank FOBSA for heavily subsidising this year's activities week, allowing us to keep the costs as low as possible.

**Please note this form will cover all UK non-residential trips until JULY 2019 including activity week/ agriculture trips/horticulture trips/sports/weekend activities. Please contact the school office with any queries.*

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely



Luke Winter
Deputy Head Teacher

ACTIVITY WEEK

Name

- I enclose a cheque for £73
- I would like to pay £10 per week for 6 weeks plus £13 for one week
- I have paid via Schools Cash Office
- Please deduct £73 from my sons activity account
(*please tick as appropriate)

Signature of Parent/Guardian.....

Date

Please complete and return by Friday 15 June 2018

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Day / Activity	Year 7 Times/Info/Lunch	Items to take
<p><u>Monday 9th July</u></p> <p>Clip & Climb Underground Passages Exeter</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: MUGA at 8.40 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed Lunch</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Some spending money (£10 max) Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream</p>
<p><u>Tuesday 10th July</u></p> <p>High & Low Ropes Cannington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Dining Hall at 8.50 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed Lunch</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Wednesday 11th July</u></p> <p>YMCA Bridgwater</p> <p>Activities including: Climbing, bell boating, low ropes and caving.</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Front of School House at 9.00 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed Lunch</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Swimming trunks Towel Packed Lunch Sports kit Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Thursday 12th July</u></p> <p>Flip Out Hollywood Bowl Wellington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Dining Hall at 8.40 am</p> <p>Lunch: Provided</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Friday 13th July</u></p> <p>Mendip Outdoor Pursuits Snowboarding/Skiing Frisbee Golf</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Assembly Hall at 8.40 am</p> <p>to be registered and put into groups</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>

Day / Activity	Year 8 Times/Info/Lunch	Items to take
<p><u>Monday 9th July</u> Mendip Outdoor Pursuits Snowboarding/Skiing Frisbee Golf</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal Meet: Dining Hall at 8.40 am to be registered and put into groups Lunch: Packed Pick up: 3.45 pm Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream</p>
<p><u>Tuesday 10th July</u> Clip & Climb Underground Passages Exeter</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal Meet: Assembly Hall at 8.40 am Lunch: Packed Lunch Pick up: 3.45 pm Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Some spending money (£10 max) Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream</p>
<p><u>Wednesday 11th July</u> Flip Out Hollywood Bowl Wellington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal Meet: Dining Hall at 8.40 am Lunch: Provided Pick up: 3.45 pm Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream Snacks</p>
<p><u>Thursday 12th July</u> YMCA Bridgwater Activities including: Climbing, bell boating, low ropes and caving.</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal Meet: Front of School House at 8.50 am Lunch: Packed Pick up: 3.45 pm Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Swimming trunks Towel Packed Lunch Sports kit Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Friday 13th July</u> High & Low Ropes Cannington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal Meet: Dining Hall at 8.50 am Lunch: Packed Pick up: 3.45 pm Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>

Day / Activity	Year 9 Times/Info/Lunch	Items to take
<p><u>Monday 9th July</u></p> <p>Quantock Challenge</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Assembly Hall at 9.00 am to be registered and put into groups</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Water proof coat Waterproof trousers if you have them NO jeans Sturdy footwear (no wellies) Sun hat Sun cream Back pack Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy</p>
<p><u>Tuesday 10th July</u></p> <p>Flip Out Hollywood Bowl Wellington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: MUGA at 8.40 am</p> <p>Lunch: Provided</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream Snacks</p>
<p><u>Wednesday 11th July</u></p> <p>Paintballing Cannington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: MUGA at 8.50 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Thursday 12th July</u></p> <p>Clip & Climb Underground Passages Exeter</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: MUGA at 8.40 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Some spending money (£10 max) Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream</p>
<p><u>Friday 13th July</u></p> <p>YMCA Bridgwater</p> <p>Activities including: Climbing, bell boating, low ropes and caving.</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Front of School House at 9.00 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Swimming trunks Towel Packed Lunch Sports kit Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>

Day / Activity	Year 10 Times/Info/Lunch	Items to take
<p><u>Monday 9th July</u></p> <p>Flip Out Hollywood Bowl Wellington</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Front of School House at 8.40 am</p> <p>Lunch: Provided</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Comfortable clothing. Trainers Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream Snacks</p>
<p><u>Tuesday 10th July</u></p> <p>YMCA Bridgwater</p> <p>Activities including: Climbing, bell boating, low ropes and caving.</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Front of School House at 9.00 am</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear/ trainers Swimming trunks Towel Sports kit Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun Cream</p>
<p><u>Wednesday 11th July</u></p> <p>Clip & Climb Underground Passages Exeter</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Assembly Hall at 8.40 am to be registered and put into groups</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Pick up: 3.45 pm</p> <p>Tea: Normal</p>	<p>Waterproof coat Some spending money (£10 max) Comfortable clothing which allows for movement and sensible footwear. Packed Lunch Drink - screw top bottle, <u>not</u> fizzy Sun cream</p>
<p><u>Thursday 12th July</u></p> <p>D of E style Expedition</p>	<p>Breakfast: Normal</p> <p>Meet: Old Dining Hall at 9.00 am (with all kit)</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Tea: You will cook it on site at night</p>	<p>You will be given a kit list.</p> <p>If you fail kit check you don't go!</p> <p>Packed lunch</p>
<p><u>Friday 13th July</u></p> <p>D of E style Expedition</p>	<p>Breakfast: You will cook it on site in the morning</p> <p>Lunch: Packed</p> <p>Arriving back at 3.30 pm at the Dining Hall</p> <p>Pick up 3.45 pm</p>	