

### ST MARTINS SCHOOL

23 June 2022

We said farewell to our year 11 students yesterday after their final exam. As is the custom, staff and students signed their school shirts and they also had a doughnut and a glass of non alcoholic fizz as a celebration.



We had a fantastic Prom at Sweeney Hall, and thankyou to all the staff who gave up their own time to make this such a great occasion. Photos to follow in next weeks newsletter!

The next time they will be in school will be on GCSE exam results day which this year is on THURSDAY 25 AUGUST. But until then have a fantastic and relaxing summer. you've earnt it!

Our final WOWDAY of the year was a fantastic day! educational trips, visits and projects that enhanced our curriculum.





Year 1 learned all about India and practised Bollywood dance moves, in a dance workshop tasted some Indi-

an food and made Rangoli patterns with chalk outside in the sun. More photos of the rest of school in this newsletter!

Have a lovely weekend, Ms Lovecy



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Year 7 travelled the word for their WOW DAY, checking in with their flight, enjoying on flight snacks served by our own air stewards before enjoying food and culture at their chosen destination! There were minimal queues and no lost baggage...perfect



Year 5 spent the day exploring 'The Best of British'. Children enjoyed a tasty menu of traditional British food and made their own cucumber sandwiches and Eton Mess which they enjoyed outside in the sunshine. The children debated over whether cream or jam is the first thing to be added on top of a scone and discovered that our 'British' foods come from all around the globe with some even dating back to the 17<sup>th</sup> Century.





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Year 7 and 8 played their away rounders match this week at The Marches School. The scores are as follows:-

Year 7 Marches 5 to 9 ½ St. Martins (Lily B was the player of the match)

Year 8 (Game 1) Marches 6 to 5 ½ St. Martins (Maddie HH, year 7 who stepped in for the team was the player of the match)

(Game 2) Marches 10 to 4 ½ St. Martins (Mollie E was the player of the match)

St. Martins played with a player down in both matches so they did really well i!!.



Thankyou to all the year 11 students who have managed to find and return their library books - just a reminder that is not too late to return books or replace ones that have been lost.

Every year students lose £100's worth of books that have to be replaced—help us to keep our lovely library stocked with great books!



Please help our school to win more books for our libraries—use this link

No purchase necessary just register our school!



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

#### REMINDER ABOUT THE MODIFIED TIMES OF THE DAY FROM SEPTEMBER

- Primary gate will open at 8.50am, Primary Registration will take place at 8.55am
- 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.

### 'Women Means Business - Engineering' Online Event

Shrewsbury High School are also holding a 'Women Means Business – Engineering' Event on MS Teams on Tuesday 28th June from 6pm to 8pm. This is available to anyone with an interest in engineering as a career. To reserve a place at this online conference, please go to Eventbrite using the link: <a href="Event Brite">Event Brite</a> Tickets.

There are some fantastic speakers at the event including, Dr Alice Bunn, SHS Alumna and Chief Executive of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Mivy James, Head of Consulting for National Security and Defence at BAE Systems Applied Intelligence (Software Engineering), Natasha Taylor, SHS Alumna, Undergraduate Engineer at the Dyson Institute of Engineering and Technology, Rebecca Potts, Graduate Consultant in Water Risk Management and Engineering with WSP (Civil Engineering).

St. John's, Weston Rhyn is holding a local Art and Craft Exhibition on 14 – 16 July.

We would like to display art from young people to celebrate our local creativity. If your child or any member of your family would like to display a piece of their work, please contact Jenni on 01691 657655.

Also, a Family Village Fete on Saturday 16 July at 10.00 – 2.00pm. There will be activities, stalls, refresh-