



From The Headmaster

Welcome back to all pupils and a special welcome to all our new children and staff. I hope you will soon settle into your new classes and enjoy an exciting Christmas Term at St Piran's.

Information Evenings will be held next week for children in Upper, Middle and Lower School. These are extremely useful opportunity for parents to understand the next phase of school for their children and to meet the teachers. **Please do come along.** Further details overleaf in the 'Dates' section.

Car Park: As always the first few days of the school year create congestion in our car parks at home time! These are some ways to help:

- Please park considerately!
- Do not double park as this causes other cars to be blocked in.
- If you are picking up older children, please consider parking in the Nursery car park or on the Top Field and walking down.
- Please consider turning left when leaving school if you are travelling towards Pinkneys Green and Marlow. This will enable everyone to leave the site far more quickly. Thank you!

Thank you!

To everyone who collected Tesco and Sainsbury's vouchers for us last term, a big 'thank you'!

We managed to collect more than ever this year and have just received our first delivery of equipment.

With the Tesco vouchers, we have purchased



lots of new playground equipment for Lower School including hoops, beanbags and frisbees.



The Sainsbury's vouchers have been used to buy some new items for the cookery room which all children will benefit from, and Nursery have been able to purchase some play equipment and a CD player and microwave.

NEW MENU

The new menus for this term will be sent out next week in the newsletter.

School Bus from the Marlow, Cookham &

Bourne End area

Would you be interested in a private school bus service for the Upper School morning and afternoon sessions?

There is a possibility we may organise a route from the Marlow area through Bourne End and Cookham if we have enough interested parties.

Please contact Debbie Russell if you would be interested.

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St Piran's Society

A very warm welcome back from the
Society!

coffee morning

For those of you who are new to the school and those who are not so new, please do try to come along to our Coffee Morning on **Wednesday 16th September** to say hello! It'll be held in Big School from 8.30am to 10am.



Don't forget our **Quiz Night** coming up on Friday 2nd October. Flyers will be sent home with more information so keep your eyes peeled!

**ALL ACTIVITIES and
INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS
begin
on Monday**



FORTHCOMING SENIOR SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

READING SCHOOL [Boys] are holding *Open Evenings on 23rd and 24th September*. Sessions will start at 4.15pm and will last for 2 1/2 hours. Please contact the Admissions Office on 0118 9353261 for further information.

THE MARIST SENIOR SCHOOL [Girls] has an *Open Evening on Thursday 1st October from 5pm to 9pm and an Open Morning on Tuesday 6th October from 10am to 12noon*. Please call or email the school for more details: 01344 624291 or: openday.snr@themaristschools.com

ST JOSEPH'S CONVENT SCHOOL [Girls] have several Year 6 Induction Days coming up, the next being Wednesday 11th November and Monday 16th November. If you would like your daughter to attend, please contact the school on 0118 9661000.

THE ORATORY SCHOOL [Boys] have an *Open Morning on Saturday 19th September from 9.30-12noon*. Phone 01491 683500 to attend.

PANGBOURNE COLLEGE are hosting an *Open Morning on Saturday 26th September from 9am to 12noon*. Contact Margaret Smith on 0118 9767415.

DATES FOR NEXT WEEK - Week beginning 14th September

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Clan Assembly	U9's Netball Tournament at Chesham Prep	8.30am St Piran's Society Coffee Morning in Big School	4pm Maidenhead and District Netball League fixture at Kidwells Park (tbc)	9.15am Year 4 depart for Mill on the Brue	2.30pm Rugby v Oratory Prep 1st XV (A)	12 noon Years 7 and 8 depart for Activity Week in France
Activities begin and Instrumental lessons begin	8pm St Piran's Society Committee Meeting	2.45pm U12 Netball Tournament at Chesham Prep	7.30pm Middle School Parents' Information Evening in Tippet	pm U10 Netball Tournament at Chesham Prep (A)		4.30pm Year 4 return from Mill on the Brue
7.30pm Upper School Parents' Information Evening and 'Meet the Tutor'		7.30pm Lower School Parents' Information Evening in Tippet Hall		4.10pm Prefects' Tea		
				5.15pm Chapel Service: Revd Roy Taylor		