



# THE FULHAM BOYS SCHOOL

A Church of England School

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Dear Parents/Guardians

I hope you all had a good weekend.

## Weekly Foci

The Enterprise skill of the week is 'Boundary Pushing'; our Literacy focus of the week is 'Colons and Semicolons'; the Teaching and Learning focus of the week is 'Peer learning and peer assessment' and our Christian value of the week is 'Friendship'. Please help us to reinforce these at home.

## Attendance

As you know at The Fulham Boys School we believe that regular attendance at school is essential to ensure every boy makes progress and is able to reach his full potential. As a school we are aiming for above 97% attendance. In the unlikely event that your son is unable to attend school in the future due to illness can I remind you that you are required to:

- Telephone the school to inform us on the first day of his absence.
- Provide your son with a written explanation of the reasons for his absence when he returns to school, this should be given to his Form Tutor (absences will be marked as unexplained until this written explanation has been provided).

If you are aware that any absences to date have not been explained with an absence note please send one in with your son tomorrow. Any absences from last term that do not have a note will be marked as unauthorised at the end of this week.

## Behaviour

The Fulham Boys School is committed to maintaining the highest possible expectations of behaviour in school. To support this we are adapting our current behaviour and reward system with immediate effect. This includes the introduction of a second Headmasters detention for boys who accumulate 16

conduct signatures and a Saturday morning detention for those who get 20 conduct signatures in one half-term. The first of these will be taking place on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February and Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February. There will also be more emphasis put on celebrating those boys who are being awarded large numbers of House points including positive postcards home and certificates issued in house assemblies. We hope that you will continue to support us in maintaining outstanding behaviour at FBS.

### Year 9 GCSE Options Evening

Year 9 GCSE Options Evening is taking place this Thursday at 6pm. **It is very important that all Year 9 parents and their sons attend the evening.**

### Gavin Peacock

Gavin Peacock, former Chelsea, QPR and Newcastle player will be visiting FBS this Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February until Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February. There will be an evening with Gavin Peacock on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February for parents.

### Going Solo Concert

The Going Solo Concert will be taking place on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm.

### Chromebook Competition

Congratulations to Ricardo Blagrove whose YouTube video got 8000 views, more views than the other schools in the competition and has won £6,500 worth of Chromebooks for the school. We are very proud of him. Thanks to everyone who watched the video on YouTube.

### Headmasters Commendation

Ricardo Blagrove (Brunel)

### Boys of the Week

Zack El Khouri for Boys (Dickens)  
Harry Layzell for Enterprise (Wilberforce)  
Tobi Adewumi for Enterprise (Brunel)  
Sam Arcichowski for boys (Liddell)

### Fixtures

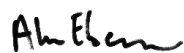
1<sup>st</sup> February: Year 8 Rugby Ernest Bevin  
2<sup>nd</sup> February: Year 7 Football Phoenix Academy at West Way (A)  
3<sup>rd</sup> February: KS3 Badminton London Youth Games Harrow Leisure Centre.  
Year 7 Football Hammersmith Academy (A)

### Dates for the Diary

7th February – Going Solo Concert  
10<sup>th</sup> February – 20<sup>th</sup> February inclusive - Half term holiday  
21<sup>st</sup> February - Boys back to school  
16<sup>th</sup> March – Friends of FBS Curry and Quiz Night  
28<sup>th</sup> March - Spring Term ends  
29<sup>th</sup> March – 17<sup>th</sup> April inclusive - Easter holiday  
18<sup>th</sup> April - INSET Day  
19<sup>th</sup> April - Summer Term starts for boys  
1<sup>st</sup> May - Bank Holiday  
29<sup>th</sup> May – 2<sup>nd</sup> June inclusive - Half term holiday  
5<sup>th</sup> June - Boys back to school  
14<sup>th</sup> July - Summer Term Ends

Have a good week.

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Headmaster  
The Fulham Boys School