



# St Augustine's Bi-Weekly Newsletter



Friday 13th July 2018



## Shaping Futures with Chemistry

Well done to all of the Year 9 and 10 students, 60 in total, who took part in round 2 of the *Shaping Futures with Chemistry* programme. The project brought in lecturers from LJMU to raise awareness of the importance of science as a future career choice. Students were challenged to look at the wide range of opportunities resulting from a degree in chemistry and more importantly, their earning potential in the market place. Students got the chance to take part in a variety of activities.

The programme also included a trip to the labs at the university for both year groups.

Our scientists of the future!

## Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 11th July: Rewards Day

Friday 13th July: Nice trip departs

Monday 16th July: Nice trip returns

Thursday 19th July: School closes - Summer Holiday

### Year 10 Writing Workshops

Our Year 10 boys took part in a presentation and workshops with Alan Gibbons on 2nd July entitled Engaging Boys in Writing. It was an excellent event.

### Sports Day

It was disappointing to have to cancel Sports Day due to the hot weather but this did not stop over 300 students taking part in the heats for the track and field events earlier in the week. Well done to all our athletes.

### Gideon's

Do you remember receiving your Gideon's Bible in school? Perhaps you still have it? Students in Year 7 received theirs in a special assembly on Friday 6th July.

### Carmel College

Great to see so many of our KS4 students taking part in the Carmel College High Achievers' Taster Day on 3rd July.

### Faith in Action

7 students, their families and our school Chaplain, Mrs Thompson, took part in the Faith in Action awards ceremony on Monday 2nd July at Lowe House organised by the Archdiocese of Liverpool. It was a wonderful occasion with our students receiving Bronze and Silver Awards for their work over the last 9 months inside and outside school.

**FAITH IN ACTION** Congratulations to them all including students who were unable to attend on the night itself.



### Shaping Futures

60 St Augustine's students took part in an English and Media taster session through the Shaping Futures programme on Friday 6th July. It was an enjoyable experience for the students involved making them think about future courses and careers in the media.



### Our New Newsletter

As we said last time, from September 2018, we will be producing a St Augustine's Newsletter on a bi-weekly basis replacing the end of term edition and it will be emailed out to families every second Friday. Therefore, if you haven't done so already, could you please provide the school office with an up to date email address. The Newsletter will also be available via the school website.

If you have any awards or achievements that your child has received outside of school and that you would like us to celebrate in the Newsletter, please contact the school office.

### Signing on for Tranmere!

Congratulations to Joe Bickerstaffe on signing a two year scholarship with Tranmere Rovers .

We are expecting great things of Joe, who has just completed his GCSE exams at St Augustine's. We wish him every success in the future.

Remember the name!

