

# Sir Robert Pattinson Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 12 Parents' Evening, RP6<sup>th</sup> Induction Arrangements, National Young Author's Fair, Year 7 Musician in Residence Day, Year 8 Rounders Tournament, Donations of Uniform and Coat Hangers, Bake Sale for Mind, Term 6 Celebration Events

Welcome to my end of week update letter.

As we break up for half term, there are some important updates below for when we return.

#### Year 12 Parents' Evening

Mr Griffiths has sent out booking details this week. If you have not received this communication please contact him using <a href="mailto:sixthform@srpa.co.uk">sixthform@srpa.co.uk</a>. Thank you.

#### **RP6<sup>th</sup> Induction Arrangements**

The details surrounding our Sixth Form induction days, which are a compulsory part of our Sixth Form provision if wishing to enter Year 12, have been handed out during Year 11 leavers' assembly. If you have any questions, please contact the Sixth Form team using sixthform@srpa.co.uk.

#### **National Young Author's Fair**

We are delighted to announce that our academy has been chosen to take part in the 2024 edition of the National Young Authors' Fair, UK. This exciting opportunity will enhance our students' creative writing skills and showcase their work on prestigious platforms such as Amazon.com and the Barnes Children's Literature Festival.

Participating students will have the chance to receive awards and certificates for their published books, both in the Jury and Best-Seller categories.

To facilitate the writing process, the organisers, BriBooks, will provide students with access to their Al-assisted platform, making writing both enjoyable and straightforward.

Please click on the link below to register.

https://yaf.bribooks.com/uk/2024/student/167750.

This event is entirely free for our students.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the BriBooks team at <a href="mailto:support@bribooks.com">support@bribooks.com</a> or contact <a href="mailto:akissane@srpa.co.uk">akissane@srpa.co.uk</a>.

#### **Year 7 Musician in Residence Day**

On Thursday 6 June 2024, Year 7 students will experience a samba workshop to develop musical skills and embrace the power of music. This workshop will be offered by Louder than Life Ltd. Building on the learning journey of elements of music and rhythm, the workshop will prepare students for future leaning and will begin to create a love and appreciation for the subject, focusing and visual skills, teamwork, coordination and communication.

#### **Year 8 Rounders Tournament**

Last night we hosted a Year 8 rounders tournament for schools in the south of the district. The girls, some playing in a rounders fixture for the first time, were excellent in their attitude and performance. We finished the tournament in 2<sup>nd</sup> place, narrowly missing out on 1<sup>st</sup> place by one rounder! We now progress to the finals later in June. Well done everyone!

#### **Donations of Uniform and Coat Hangers**

As Year 11 leave us, we would be happy to receive any donations of uniform for future students to be able to benefit from via our pre-loved uniform shop. We are also in need of coat hangers for holding shirts and/or trousers. Any donations can be dropped off at main or student reception. Thank you in advance for your support, it is appreciated.

#### **Bake Sale for Mind**

Our recent Sixth Form bake sale in aid of Mind managed to raise £104.67! Well done to everyone involved.

#### **Term 6 Celebration Events**

In Term 6, both Expert and Highly Effective learners will be invited to participate in a celebration event on Tuesday 16th July. Students will be given multiple events to choose from, including an outdoor sports event, a film with popcorn, a games room and more. Please look out for more details from Miss Taylor when we return from half term.

Today we say goodbye to our Year 11 and Year 13 students as they come to the end of their time in school, with just a few examinations to finish. They will be missed after such a long journey with us and have been exemplary throughout. We wish them all well whatever the future holds for them. The author, George Bernard Shaw, once said "Both optimists and pessimists contribute to society. The optimist invents the aeroplane, the pessimist the parachute."

I hope all of our students leaving us today fly and remain as optimistic as possible. You all have bright futures ahead.

Have a good Bank Holiday weekend when it comes and a restful half term.



















I will write again soon.

Yours faithfully

Mr D Hardy Headmaster





















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Best regards, Dr Alan Kissane Sir Robert Pattinson Academy