



# The Paulet Post



Week beginning	8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	Week	A	B
Thought for the week	<b>Consent</b> <i>"I just don't believe that 'no' is always a final answer - unless we're talking about consent."</i> - Tarana Burke (b.1973)			
Character Development theme	7	The Paulet Way and Importance of Character	10	Record of Paulet Achievement Paulet Character logbook
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	9	Record of Paulet Achievement Paulet Character logbook	6 <sup>th</sup>	Year 13 - Planning a holiday Year 12 - Money Matters
Theme of assemblies	Start of term expectations		SLT	Head of Year
Career of the week: Journalist	Here is our career of the week! Our hope is that you will watch this short clip with your child and discuss it together. <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...">JOB OF THE WEEK - EPISODE #127 - MAGAZINE JOURNALIST (youtube.com)</a>			
Member of staff	Year group (s)	Notice:		
Mr Eden	7-9	Code Club in IT3 on Thursday @ 2.50		
Miss Moore	9,10 & 12	A reminder for the Scholar's Programme pupils that your final assignment is due on <b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January</b>		
Mrs Dolman	7-13	Please return any overdue library books		
Miss Lowson	7 & 8	Science club starts back on the 10 <sup>th</sup> January for the discovery crest award - can you survive a zombie apocalypse?		
Miss Lowson	7-13	Don't forget to get your 'BioArtAttack' entries in by the 16 <sup>th</sup> January.		
Mrs Hanlon	7 -13	Sparks homework should be completed by 4pm on Tuesday		
Reminders and key dates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School reopens to students on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January at 9.30am; lessons begin at 9.45am.</li> </ul>			

## This week at Paulet:

As always in (pre)Christmas Week – it's been very busy at school. We have had our annual Awards Evening, where we celebrate the success of last year's Year 11 and 13 students and we have had Christmas lunches for Year 7 and the 6<sup>th</sup> Form; we were honoured to be visited by Santa at both lunches. Our Home learning Leaders have been rewarded with a hot chocolate and biscuits and the students attended school in an array of marvellous festive wear on Thursday. Students were treated to members of staff singing Christmas carols at break to conclude a festive Thursday. Thank you so much for the donations to the local food bank we support – we have collected a huge amount as always! Photos of our festive week:



Scan the QR code or click the link to see what clubs are on next week:

[Developing Future Leaders and Extra Curricular Opportunities – Paulet High School & 6th Form College](#)



EVERYONE INCLUDED

### Reminder:

School reopens on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024 after the festive break. I would like to delay the start by one hour so students should arrive between 9.30am and 9.45am; lessons will start at 9.45am which is second lesson. If you need to send your child in to school at the usual time, we will have supervision available.

Have a great Christmas...



From Mr McArthur!



# Staffordshire Fire and Rescue Service



## 12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS

### FIRE SAFETY TIPS

#### 1 On the 1st day of Christmas

- Check your Christmas tree lights conform to the British Standard.



#### 2 On the 2nd day of Christmas

- Never place candles near your Christmas tree or furnishings. Don't leave them burning unattended.



#### 3 On the 3rd day of Christmas

- Make sure your family and visitors staying for the festive period know what to do in an emergency.



#### 4 On the 4th day of Christmas

- Decorations can burn easily. Don't attach them to lights or heaters.



#### 5 On the 5th day of Christmas

- Never overload electrical sockets. Always switch Christmas lights off and unplug them before you go to bed.



#### 6 On the 6th day of Christmas

- The risk of accidents, especially in the kitchen, is greater after alcohol is consumed.



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## Community Safety Flash

### E-Bike and E- Scooter Safety



Most E-bikes and e-scooters are powered by lithium-ion batteries which can be charged in the home. It is important to charge e-bikes and e-scooters safely to avoid a fire and outing your home and family at risk

- Follow the manufacturer's instructions when charging and always unplug the charger when it's finished charging
- Charge batteries whilst you are awake – do not charge while you are asleep or away from the home
- Always use the manufacturer approved charger and buy an official replacement charge if it becomes damaged
- Do not cover chargers or battery packs when charging as this could lead to a fire
- Do not charge batteries or store your e-bike or scooter near combustible or flammable materials.
- Do not overcharge your battery- check the manufacturer's instructions on charge times
- Do not overload sockets or use inappropriate extension leads
- If you charge your e-bike or scooter in a garage or kitchen, ensure you install detection – we recommend heat alarms rather than smoke alarms for these areas.
- Ensure you have working smoke alarms
- In the event of an e-bike, e-scooter, or lithium-ion battery fire do not attempt to extinguish the fire
- **GET OUT, STAY OUT and call 999**

- Avoid storing or charging e-bikes or e-scooters on escape routes or in communal areas of a multi occupied building. If there is a fire, it can affect people's ability to escape.
- Responsible Persons should consider the risks posed by e-bikes and e-scooters where they are charged or left in common areas such as means of escape, bike and mobility scooter charging rooms.
- Store e-bikes and e-scooters and their batteries in a cool place. Avoid excessively hot or cold places.
- Follow manufacturer's instructions for the storage and maintenance of lithium-ion batteries if they are not going to be used for some time.