



Parents' Bulletin

PTFA

Car Boot Sales – 5th July, 2nd August and 6th September – 10.00am – 1.00pm

Cars - £6 for pre-booked pitch or £8 on the day/Vans - £10

Stall holders to arrive from 9.00am. Please contact Glenda Spry – 01223 870375.

100 Club Winners – June

1st prize – Paula Walker

2nd prize – George Tobutt

Congratulations to the winners and good luck to you all for the July and August draws. Renewal forms will be delivered to you in the next few weeks ready for the new year starting in September. Your support is very much appreciated and when we have a full membership the 100 Club raises £600 for PTFA funds.

Thank You

Thank you to Foxton Post Office Stores for their very generous donation of Sainsbury's and Tesco vouchers which their customers have brought into their store.

Also thanks to Cambridge Building Society for their continued support of the donation of these vouchers.

Activities Week – Next Week

Can we please remind parents about next week. Students have been given a letter to bring home about what they need. All students going on trips must have returned reply slips, money and medical forms before they are allowed to go on trips. It will be a non-uniform week, but sensible clothes should be worn all week. Students do need to bring PE kit for both PE and dance during the week.

During Activities Week, we are looking for anyone, who used to come to the College, who is prepared to be interviewed by year 7s on Monday 6th July after 11.00am, about what it used to be like in the past. Please contact Mrs Roadley at the College.

Computer Equipment Needed

Any computer equipment would be appreciated in technology - hard drives, memory, fans, cpus or motherboards.

Any wood material (not MDF or chipboard) is needed in technology, please ring to make arrangements. Any speakers no longer in use would also be gratefully received. If you are unsure about any equipment, please speak to Mr Reynolds or e-mail him – s.reynolds@mvc.org.uk.

Melbourn Village College Play Salzburg 2010

We are hoping to take a tour to Austria in half term next summer. (Saturday 29th May-Friday 4th June). The guide price is £400.

Music tours are highly valued by students and once again Year 12 students are wanting to join students from Years 7-11 to make music, enjoy the rich cultural heritage and to have fun. The tour is open to singers and instrumentalists and if you are interested please attend a meeting on Tuesday 14th July at 7.00 pm in Music 3.

Student Lessons with Cambridge Music

A letter was sent to all instrumentalists who have lessons with Cambridge Music at the college to ascertain whether they would be continuing in the Autumn Term. A large number of the students haven't returned their slips to Mrs Friday. Could they please do so. If you have any queries please contact Mrs Friday direct or by e-mail, a.friday@mvc.org.uk.

If reply slips are not received, it will be assumed that your child no longer wishes to have instrumental lessons and will be taken off the timetable for the Autumn Term.

Good News

Congratulations to Nadia Cohen in 7 Lewis who had her solution to Picks theorem published on the nrich website. This is a fantastic maths website based at the University of Cambridge maths department who publish monthly problems for pupils to attempt and then send in their solutions. The best solutions are then picked and published the next month with the student's name and school. Go to nrich.maths.org (no www) to see this month's problems and search for pick's theorem to see how Nadia solved that one.

Last Day of Term

A reminder that the College will close on the last day of term, Friday 17th July, at 12.30pm. All buses have been booked for this time.

Melbourn Sports Centre

The summer holidays are approaching fast but there's still time for you to book onto one of our summer holiday courses. We have spaces on our snorkelling, rookie lifesaving, swimming, trampoline and pentathlon courses. For details on these, please visit our website www.melbournsports.com or pop in to the sports centre reception.

Now the College exams have finished our badminton/basketball courts are back in action. Courts can be hired in the evenings and at weekends with hire prices from £5.00 per hour. Squash and tennis courts are also available to hire with hire prices from £2.50 per hour.

Finally...as from Saturday 4th July, we are extending our teen training session to include weekends as well. The sessions will run on both Saturdays and Sundays from 2.00pm – 3.00pm (£2.50 per session or you can purchase a 10 session ticket for £20.00)

50th Anniversary Celebrations

We are hoping to have a Timeline display on show in college in time for the afternoon of the Anniversary tea party. This will flag up significant dates in the history of education and for MVC in the past 50 years. As part of our fundraising initiative, we would also like to add names and dates for anyone who has had an association with the College in any capacity: pupil, staff, adult learner, swimmer, etc.

If you would like your name to appear on our Timeline, we are asking for 50p per name and for you to tell us the year when you first came to the College and what you association was/is, *eg: John Adams, 1999 Parent/governor* and we will place a label with your name, on that year, on our display. This will show the many links that Melbourn families have had with the College over the last 50 years.

Please add the following names to your Timeline display

Name	Date of first association	Association with MVC
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I enclose(50p per name). Cheques made payable to Melbourn Village College