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EVENTS THIS WEEK

- **New student photographs** were taken on **Wednesday**. All Year 7 students, and those who have joined us during the academic year had their photo taken. The proofs will take roughly 2 weeks to come back to school and will be handed to students during registration to take home should anyone wish to purchase prints.
- **Netball** - Our Netball team played their first match on **Wednesday** against Avon Valley. The team played very well and came away with a resounding win. Full write up in our Brightside newsletter in October.

EVENTS COMING UP

- Mrs Sheppy is hosting a trip to the **Marlborough Literacy Festival** on **Thursday 26th September** for our Y8/Y9 Reading Club. The group have been invited by The Marlborough Literature Festival to hear Candy Gourlay talk about her novels. Her books have been short-listed for The Costa Book Award and the Waterstones Children's Book Prize.
- Please save the date for our **Open Evening**, which will be held in school on **Thursday 10th October** from 6pm until 8.30pm.
- **Bags 2 School** will be making a collection from school on **Wednesday 30th September**. Bags will be sent home with students prior to this for you to fill with any unwanted items of clothing. It is a fantastic way for the PTFA to raise funds for the school.
- **School clubs** - Netball club will be held on a Tuesday after school 3pm - 4pm, there will be open courts during the extended lunch break. Tennis club started this week. Due to popular demand we have had to run two groups of students, so they will attend on alternate weeks. There will be a week A group and a week B group, these will run in line with the timetable. Mr Jones will be running a GCSE art club from Wednesday 25th September 3-4pm in Room 9. This will be open to Y10 and Y11 GCSE ART groups only.
- The **school immunisation team** will be in school on **Wednesday 2nd Oct** for the Flu vaccinations. A link has been sent out to from the HCRG team.

OTHER INFORMATION

• We have updated our website with College information for our Year 11 students who are starting to think about their destinations after GCSE. Please follow the link to our website <https://pewsey-vale.org/information/careers/college-information/>

• **Pewsey Carnival** will be celebrated from **9th - 22nd September**. A few of our Year 11 students are organising the Window Spotting competition this year as part of their Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award. Please enter to support them in their venture. To find out more details on all the carnival events and see the full programme which includes information on entering or how to get tickets for certain events, visit the carnival website <https://pewsey-carnival.org.uk/en>



• **National Trust Free autumn pass**. Experience the awe of the season at places in their care by claiming a free, single-use pass to use between 16 September and 18 October 2024.

Autumn's a great time to get out and about, and they're giving away a limited number of autumn passes so you can get free entry to a place of your choice.

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/visit/escape-into-autumn>

Claim a free autumn pass: This single-use pass allows free entry for either:

Two adults (and up to three children) One adult (and up to four children).

• Follow the link below to see the events coming up at Salisbury Cathedral. Including a Planetarium discovery day with Winchester science centre on 5th October and the Sarum lights from 5th November - 9th November.

<https://www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/whats-on/>

	MONDAY 23.9	TUESDAY 24.9	WEDNESDAY 25.9	THURSDAY 26.9	FRIDAY 27.9
During school		Reading Club		Literacy Fest.	Tennis Club
After school	Homework Club	Netball Club Homework Club	Yr10/11 Art Club Homework Club	No Clubs Today	
	MONDAY 30.9	TUESDAY 1.10	WEDNESDAY 2.10	THURSDAY 3.10	FRIDAY 4.10
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After school	Homework Club	Netball Club Homework Club	Yr10/11 Art Club Homework Club	Homework Club	



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