



The  
**Ongar**  
Academy

Parental Bulletin 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018  
Week Commencing Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2018 will be A Week.

### **COMMUNICATION**

If you need to contact a member of staff, can we please remind you to use the following email address: [admin@theongaracademy.org](mailto:admin@theongaracademy.org)

If you need to contact the Headteacher please use the following email address: [head@theongaracademy.org](mailto:head@theongaracademy.org)

For any queries regarding your Wisepay account, please use the following email address: [wisepay@theongaracademy.org](mailto:wisepay@theongaracademy.org)

Our staff will endeavour to respond within **24 hours**.

### **MILK**

Due to technical issues beyond our control, MILK is unable to run as normal. Your child and all staff are aware. As soon as the firewall problem is fixed we will inform Parents and Carers. We would like to thank you for your patience and understanding with this matter. Students have been supplied with daily homework logs which are also available on our website, under Parents Zone – Letters Sent Home.

### **ENRICHMENT TIMETABLE**

Throughout the year, regular amendments will be made to the enrichment timetable. To avoid confusion, the up-to-date timetable will always be available on our website. If any amendments are made, we will notify you via the Parental Bulletin and on our Facebook Page on Fridays.

Please find a copy attached.

### **MEET THE TUTOR**

On Monday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Parents and Carers will have the opportunity to meet their child's form tutor. A letter has been sent home today with our students, and is also available on our website.

### **FREE SCHOOL MEALS**

Your son/daughter may qualify for Free School Meals. Please follow this link to find out whether you are eligible.

<https://forms.essex.gov.uk/default.aspx/RenderForm/?F.Name=eZuYezDPCbJ&HideAll=1>

## **CHROMEBOOK CLINIC**

Chromebook Clinic will still take place on Tuesday lunchtimes, from 1:30pm in F34. If your child has any issues with their Chromebook, they can be addressed here. Please be advised that you can order new batteries and chargers via Wisepay. Years 7 & 8 use a “360” charger, and years 9 & 10 use an “11” charger. Students are entitled to one free battery. Any faults with your Chromebook may be repaired under warranty, however any damage to the Chromebook will be invoiced to the Parent/Carer.

## **SCHOOL PHOTOS**

Individual student photos will take place on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> of September. Please ensure that your child is neatly presented and in the correct uniform.

## **PROMOTIONAL BOARDS**

We would like to thank Montagues Letting & Sales in Ongar for their hard work and support with our promotional boards. We would also like to thank everyone who offered to host a board on our behalf. We appreciate your support.

## **MUSIC LESSONS**

Music lessons will commence next week, beginning Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Students who applied and have paid for lessons have been issued timetables today. Timetables are also displayed on the Music Department’s notice board.

We currently have spaces with our singing tutor, if your child is interested, please contact the school office.

## **WOMEN LIKE US FESTIVAL – ZINC ARTS**

Zinc Arts are holding a “Women Like Us” festival on the 7<sup>th</sup> of October. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

## **LETTERS HOME THIS WEEK**

All letters are available under Parents Zone – Letters Sent Home.

Open Evening Permission – 19<sup>th</sup> September

Milk/Issuing Homework – 19<sup>th</sup> September

Communication – 21<sup>st</sup> September

Year 7 – Meet the Tutor – 21<sup>st</sup> September

School Expectations – 21<sup>st</sup> September



## REWARD POINTS

Highest Number of reward points
7A William Wood Grace Woollard
7B Ava Charles
7C Jake Chilvers Connor Healy Harrison Sheahan Caitlin Berry Bay Thompson
7D Sammy Miller
8A Courtney Russell
8B Kieron-Lee Gelston
8C Joe Stanley
8D Ted Bubb
9A Leah Green
9B Frankie Smith
9C Beau Lugg
9D Harry Moore
10A Shane Ewing
10B Megan Smith
10C Nicole Saye Molly Gilroy
10D Alfie Harper

If you do have any issues related to school which you would like to discuss, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

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# WOMEN LIKE US FESTIVAL

**EPPING**

**7TH OCT 2018**  
10AM-2PM

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[www.eppingforestdc.gov.uk](http://www.eppingforestdc.gov.uk)

WOMEN LIKE US FESTIVAL 2018

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**WOMEN  
LIKE  
US  
FESTIVAL**

# EPPING

WHEN?

▶ **SUNDAY 7TH  
OCTOBER  
2018** ◀

WHERE?

▶ **ZINC ARTS  
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WHAT  
TIME?

▶ **10AM-  
2PM** ◀

**REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE DAY!**

## WHAT'S ON

- ▶ Pilates
- ▶ Stretch & Cool
- ▶ 90s Music Aero Class
- ▶ Bounce
- ▶ Kick-boxing
- ▶ Yoga
- ▶ Walking Netball

Throw it back at 90's Music Aero Classes, let your feet fly at Kickboxing, or take great strides at Walking Netball – whatever gets you up and moving there's an activity for you at the Epping Women Like Us Festival! If you can't wait to work up a sweat and want to bag your place in the session of your choice, make sure you register your interest **in advance** to seal your spot. It's first come first served and spaces will disappear fast, so don't be left disappointed!

**JOIN IN THE FUN & SIGN UP AT:**

**[WWW.ACTIVEESSEX.ORG/GIRL-CAN-ESSEX-FESTIVALS](http://WWW.ACTIVEESSEX.ORG/GIRL-CAN-ESSEX-FESTIVALS)**