



YOUR NEWSLETTER

St Aidan's Catholic Primary School

Friday 28th April 2017

In God's Love, We Learn

Week Commencing 1/5/17

	Time	Information	Year Group
Monday		Bank Holiday	
Tuesday	9am – 10am 3.15 – 4.30pm 5pm	School Bank Multi Skills Asset Committee	Y6
Wednesday	AM All day Lunchtime	Woodwind lessons "Curious Critters" visit Tag Rugby training	KS2 Nursery/Reception Y3
Thursday	AM AM Lunchtime PM 3.15 – 4.30pm 6pm	Piano lessons Brass lessons Spanish Club Wider Opportunities Brass Football training Sacramental preparation rehearsal in church Nursery closed for use as a polling station	KS2 KS2 KS2 Y4 Y5/6
Friday	9.30am AM 3.15 – 4.15pm	Y5 at mass Guitar lessons Invasion Games	KS2 Y3/4
Letters	26/4/17 26/4/17	School field & General Election closure – whole school via email Music lessons – to children involved	

School dinners

We are on week 2 of the menu next week. If children would like to change from school dinners to sandwiches or vice versa, a weeks notice is required. Please can children remain on school dinners for a full week before any change to packed lunches.

Music lessons – KS2

Payment letters were sent home on 27th April 2017 for children carrying on with lessons in the summer term.



Fidget Spinners

These gadgets are not appropriate for school as they are a distraction. If children do bring them in they will be confiscated until the end of the day.

School Field

Letters were emailed home to parents this week regarding our school field. We are fencing part of it off so that it can be kept clean and safe for our children.

School Closure

School (except Nursery) will be closed to pupils on Thursday 8th June 2017 for use as a polling station.

Attendance: 3 Apr – 6 Apr 2017

Y2 had the best attendance last week

Year group	Attendance %
Reception	96.4
Year 1	97.4
Year 2	98.9
Year 3	96.4
Year 4	97.1
Year 5	93.6
Year 6	94.7
Whole School	96.3

The school target for attendance is **96%**.

Please help us to aim even higher with our attendance.

Toot Toot

KS2 children had an assembly about Toot Toot this week. It is an award winning pupil voice and safeguarding platform and app. It allows pupils to report incidents and worries directly to school and is endorsed by the DfE. As part of The Deal, Wigan Council have paid schools a 50% grant to cover the cost for the first four years. KS2 children will be given usernames and passwords over the next few weeks.

Y5 Harry Potter Studio Tour Trip



Thank you very much to everyone who brought their admission payment into school. The next payment is £22. 50 for transport and we ask that this be sent into school as soon as possible.

The £2.89 payment for the Happy Meal can be paid at any time, but must be in cash. Thank you.

Contact Rugby Team

Well done to the children from Y5/6 who took part in a tournament at Central Park today.



First Holy Communion Celebration Mass

This will take place on Wednesday 24th May 2017 at 10am in church. Letter to follow.

E-Safety

Please can parents be aware of a game called ROBLOX, a child at another Wigan school experienced graphic images appearing on screen. There is also a social media app called Blue Whale, this is dangerous game that is played online and encourages children to self-harm.

Important dates

Date	Time	Information	Year Group
4/5/17	All day	Nursery closed for use as a polling station in the Greater Manchester Mayoral Elections – Care Club open as normal	Nursery
4/5/17	6pm	Sacramental rehearsal in church	
6/5/17		First Holy Communion masses in church	
8/5/17		SATS week	Y6
15/5/17	PM	Y3 Tag Rugby tournament – Abraham Guest	
17/5/17	9.15am	Collective Worship – parents and carers welcome	Y3/4H
24/5/17	10am	First Holy Communion celebration mass	
29/5/17 – 2/6/17		Half term	
8/6/17	All day	Whole school (except Nursery) closed to pupils due to use as a polling station for General Election	
28/6/17	9.15am	Collective Worship – parents and carers welcome	Y3/4S
29/6/17	9.15am	Collective Worship – parents and carers welcome	Y5R
5/7/17	AM	New teacher morning	
10/11/12 July	All day	St Edmund Arrowsmith Catholic High School Y6 Induction days	Y6 children going to St EA
11/7/17	9.15am	Collective Worship – parents and carers welcome	Y1/2T
11/7/17	3.15 – 4.30pm	Open Evening	
12/7/17	PM	“Let’s Sing” – at Robin Park	Y6
19/7/17	6.30pm	Leavers’ Mass	Y6
20/7/17	All day	Leavers’ trip	Y6
21/7/17	3.15pm	School closes for summer holidays	