

St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary School

Thursday 19th April 2018

Collective Worship Reflection

This week we have launched our termly value, that of **kindness**. Key Stage 2 reflected on all the reasons we should be kind and resolved to spread a virus of kindness all the way through the school. After reflecting on The Good Samaritan they recognised that sometimes that will involve being kind to people we do not know, do not like or may have different values and beliefs to them. If your children do something amazingly kind please let us know, we would love to hear about it.

School Holiday Authorisation

Parents are reminded to not book holidays before asking. All information and forms can be found in the Parent Information section of the school website. Leave will only be authorised for truly exceptional circumstances.

School Meals

We will be on week 1 of the new summer menu next week.

Fashion Show

You will have received details about our upcoming Fashion Show. WE need confirm numbers before 8th May so please do not delay in buying your tickets.

If someone you know would like to have a stall at our Fashion Show we already have a couple. School will be open half an hour prior to the show to allow perusal of these stalls.

Holy Communion

The next meeting for Year 4 for their Holy Communion will be this Sunday 22nd April at St Mary Magdalen's Church at 11am.

PTFA

PTFA have given me enough money to buy touchscreens for two classes. If the sponsored jog does well we should be able to buy another one. At this rate we will have the whole school done by the end of next year. Thank you so much for all your support.

Ukulele Survey

Thank you so much to everyone who responded to our survey about learning a musical instrument. You voted overwhelmingly to cover the cost of these lessons yourselves rather than not doing them. 80% of parents voted to pay. We are working on setting up a way for you to spread the cost of the whole year into instalments so that you do not have months where things are more expensive. This will start in September.

Absences

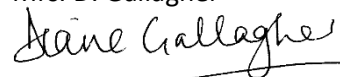
To avoid being marked as unauthorised all sickness needs to be marked on Parentmail or call by 9.30am.

Growing our Minds



Yours sincerely,

Mrs. D. Gallagher



Headteacher

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Matthew Lakatos
Pippa Jolley
Mia McCooke
Isabella Kay
Dontae Hayes





Well done to Merit Winners!



Year R: Jessica Whittaker for being a helpful and kind member of our class & Corin Doherty for careful thinking about what materials keep Little Lumpty safe before he fell off the wall

Year 1: Lucas Wooller for working hard to become an independent learner & James Taylor for an enthusiastic approach to phonics.



Year 2: Ethan Cavill for a thorough and diligent approach to reading comprehensions with fabulous results & Ava Cross for really working hard on areas of Maths she finds tricky. Keep going it is really helping.

Year 3: Jacob Burns for persevering to solve challenges & Oliver Delaney for answering well in comprehension.



Merit Winners

Well done to



Year 4: Scarlett Hooton for persevering at swimming and gaining her 10m award & Grace Bly for trying really hard to improve her vocabulary in her writing.

Year 5: Melissa Dixon for her impeccable behaviour and strong work ethic & Alex Vokes for using good reasoning with fractions.

Year 6: Nick McLintinc for making fantastic progress in Maths & Nicholas Serpa for working well within a drama group and being considerate of other children around him.



DIARY DATES

Sunday 22 nd April	11am	Holy Communion Meeting – Y4 (Session 4)
Monday 23 rd April	5pm	Resources Committee Meeting
Friday 27 th April		YR Trip to Hawkshaw Farm
Sunday 29 th April	11am	Holy Communion Meeting – Y4 (Session 5)
Monday 30 th April	2.45pm	RE Celebration – Theme: Giving (Y3)
Thursday 3 rd May		New Intake Parents Evening
Tuesday 8 th May		Y4 Trip to Cuerden Valley Park Trust
Tuesday 8 th May		Year 6 All Hallows Parent’s Meeting
Friday 11 th May	8am	Rise and Shine Jog
Monday 14 th May	5pm	Gov’s SEC Committee Meeting
Monday 14 th – Thurs 17 th May		SAT’s week
Saturday 19 th May	10.30 & 12.0	1 st Communion Mass – SMM Church –Y4
Monday 21 st May	2.45pm	RE Celebration Theme: Serving (Y1)
Tuesday 22 nd May	7pm	PTFA Fashion Show
Wednesday 23 rd May	3.15pm	Finish half term
Monday 4 th June – Wed 6 th June		Residential trip to Borwick Hall
Monday 4 th June		School re-opens
Tuesday 5 th June	11am	Sacramental Mass Celebration
Thursday 7 th June	9.30am	Celebration Mass
Friday 15 th June		Summer Fair
Monday 18 th June – Thurs 21 st June		Y6 Bikeability
Monday 18 th June – Friday 22 nd June		Book Fair
Wednesday 20 th June		Y2 Trip to Leighton Hall
Friday 22 nd June	All Day	School Games Day
Monday 25 th June	2.45pm	RE Celebration Theme: Inter-Relating (YR)
Thursday 28 th June		Year 3 Trip to Lancaster Museum
Friday 29 th June	All Day	Year 6 Taster Day – All Hallows
Monday 2 nd July		Year 1 trip to ‘Bring Yer Wellies’
Monday 9 th July	5pm	Full Governing Body Meeting
Wednesday 11 th July	6.30pm	KS2 Production
Thursday 12 th July	6.30pm	KS2 Production
Wednesday 18 th July	2.15pm	Leavers Mass- whole school
Thursday 19 th July	2pm	Whole School Final Assembly
Friday 20 th July	9.15am	Leavers’ Assembly
Friday 20 th July	3.15pm	School closes for summer

Other letters/emails going home this week

Emails.