



St. Peter's

Catholic Primary School

Newsletter



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Dear St. Peter's families,

It has been a rainy week at St. Peter's, but on the plus side, Year 4's hanging baskets are starting to look really beautiful at the front of school.

Our children have worked really hard this week; we have had Phonics screening checks, the Day of the African child and the swimming gala! We are so proud of them for always doing their best; it can get tough towards the end of the year!

Well done to the twenty three children who gave their best, and had lots of fun, whilst taking part in the swimming gala on Wednesday morning. We competed against eight other schools in individual front crawl, breast stroke and back crawl races, as well as some relays. A big thank you to the parents and grandparents who supported, cheering and waving their banner!

We are arranging a careers fayre in July. Any parents who would be interested in being part of this, please contact the office for more details. Have a great weekend!

Miss McNamara.



Erin and Caitie are modelling this year's 'Class of 16' Leavers Hoodies. The hoodies were designed and produced by one of our Dads; Harry Green, who's company generously support the school at Christmas. We opted for lightweight royal blue jumpers so that the children can enjoy them in the remaining weeks of the term and then keep the hoodies as a memento of their time at St. Peter's. As you can see, the children were delighted with their new jumpers!

ARK Project

Mrs Frost and I are feeling a little deflated this week. Between extremist violence in Florida, football hooligans and the tragic loss of an MP, it is hard to feel positive about the world we live in at times. We have decided to do something about this because we don't want our children to grow up in a world where they only see the tragedies or negative influences and fail to see the love and kindness that surrounds us. Over the next few weeks, we will be encouraging everyone to spot Acts of Random Kindness to show our children that despite the evil that exists, good will overpower.

If you or your child see someone doing something kind for no reason other than to spread God's love, write it down (or draw a picture) on a heart shaped piece of paper and send it in or even tweet it! We will display them in school as a visual reminder that other people love us and are kind to us. Our aim is to see kindness in others, not just in ourselves.

I will start! This morning, Mrs Frost noticed I had been outside for longer than usual so even though she was really busy with Phonics screening tests, she brought me a cup of tea; just to be kind. Thank you!



Prayer for the weekend

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Philippians.

May you always be joyful in your union with the Lord. I say it again: rejoice!

Show a gentle attitude toward everyone. The Lord is coming soon. Don't worry about anything, but in all your prayers ask God for what you need, always asking him with a thankful heart. And God's peace, which is far beyond human understanding, will keep your hearts and minds safe with union with Christ Jesus.

The word of the Lord.

This week, we have been learning...

This week in Class 1 we have been very busy doubling and halving, multiplying and dividing and really challenging ourselves along with surprising ourselves all at the same time. We opened another door in our topic to see who was knocking and it was a group of workers including a farmer. We retold a story of farmer Alf who sold his crops to provide for his family and then later in the day we had a visit from a real farmer who told us all about the real life of being a farmer. The children asked excellent questions and enjoyed looking at pictures of farm life.



★ ★ ★ ★ ★ Stars of the Week!



Class 1
Patryk
for developing confidence and challenging himself in maths.



Class 2
Nadia - for a fantastic attitude to all her work.



Class 3
Luke, for working hard to improve in everything!



Class 4
Anna - for having such a positive attitude towards her learning and life in general.



Class 5
Poppy for wondrous writing and wondrous personality!



Class 3 and Class 4 had an amazing day yesterday at the day of the African Child. We did lots of great activities including singing, dancing, art, drumming and sports!



In Class 5 this week, we have been debaters, poets and editors. In addition to looking at Catholic vocations, we have been biologist and nutritionists in science while we have studied the human digestive system. Meanwhile, we have be web-designers in ICT, creating our very-own websites!

In class 2 this week we have been looking at medical vocations. We have discussed the work of a vet and worked hard to research and write information books about caring for a pet. We have also met a doctor and had a fantastic talk about her work. In maths we learnt about measuring, selecting the right equipment to help us measure accurately.

Dates for your diary

- 17/06 - None school Uniform – toys, books and U/PG DVDs
- 22/06 - PTFA meeting @7.15pm
- 24/06 -Class 2 Class service,9.30
- None school Uniform – £1 and biscuits for first communion
- 25/06 - Summer Fayre 12-3
- 26/06 - First Communion @11.00am
- 29/06 - St. Peter's Day
- 01/07 - First Communion celebration mass – in church @9.30am
- 03/07 - Confirmation 11.30am mass in church
- 04/07 - Kidzania trip



Gold Card winners - Class 5 with 69%

House point winners - St Francis's Green house red with 121