



*Christ is our light*

All Souls' Catholic  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

9<sup>th</sup> June 2022

## Year 6 Confirmation

The Y6 children were very excited to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation today. They have worked hard and prepared well to receive the Sacrament and are proud to become adult members of the Church. Please remember the children and their families in your prayers.



## Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancies

We have vacant Lunchtime Supervisors vacancies available. These positions are Monday to Friday, working 11:45am to 1pm (6.25 hours per week) and will be term time only. If you are interested in discussing the role further then please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Rae – [linsey.rae@allsoulsschool.co.uk](mailto:linsey.rae@allsoulsschool.co.uk) Please feel free to pass Mrs Rae's email address on should you know anyone who may be looking for a new role.

## Humanitarian Aid for Ukraine

We are still very much in need of the following items:

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| Baby food sachets                         | Bandages   |
| Baby milk – tins of powder or ready mixed | Wound dressings (even if out of date)                |
| Nappies                                   | First aid kits                                       |
| Nappy cream                               | Antiseptic cream                                     |
| Nappy sacks                               | Non-alcohol hand gel                                 |
| Baby wipes                                | Appliances such as catheters                         |
| Cotton wool                               | Medicines – paracetamol, ibuprofen, Calpol, antacids |
| Children's crutches                       | Adult crutches/walking sticks                        |

If you are able to donate, please bring these items to the school office. Mrs Senyk will collect them weekly and transport them to the distribution centre where she is currently volunteering. Thank you for your support.

## Pre-loved uniform and clothing event - Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June

On Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June, 3:15-3:45pm, the school's Chaplaincy and Eco teams will be coming together to hold a 'pre-loved' uniform and children's clothing sale in the school hall. At the event, parents will be invited to come, take a look and hopefully find clothing that they can give a second life to. There will be no charge for items of clothing, although you will have to option to make a donation to charity. We hope that the event will not only allow us to contribute to becoming a more sustainable community, but also help to ease the financial burden that we all currently face. In order for the event to be successful, we are appealing for any unwanted good quality items of school uniform or children's clothing. If you have any such items, please do send them into school, via your child and they will be collected from classrooms by the members of the Chaplaincy and Eco teams. If you can, please also support the event by coming into the hall after school on 17<sup>th</sup> June to see if there is anything that you can make use of. If successful, we hope to organise similar, regular events in the future.

# Baby rabbits need a home!

Could you give some baby rabbits a home? Mr Cooke recently took in a pair of rabbits, which turned out to be a boy and girl, and not two boys as first thought! There are now a number of baby rabbits that will need to be kept in pairs. They have been handled every day by Mr Cooke's two daughters and are extremely friendly, tame and full of personality.

If you would like to discuss the possibility of rehoming some new bunny friends, please email Mr Cooke directly – [andrew.cooke@allsoulsschool.co.uk](mailto:andrew.cooke@allsoulsschool.co.uk) – the rabbits will be free; all Mr Cooke asks is that they go to a very loving home!



## Whole school walk to Bablake School

On the 12<sup>th</sup> July, Reception through to Year 5 will be walking to Bablake to watch the dress rehearsal of the Year 6 play 'Oink'. Children will be provided with a drink and snack for the performance and will return in time for lunch. If you have any concerns, please contact Mrs Rae - [linsey.rae@allsoulsschool.co.uk](mailto:linsey.rae@allsoulsschool.co.uk)



## Jubilee Tributes

The children had a great time celebrating the Queen's jubilee before we broke up for half term. There was lots of bunting, cake and fun activities! A special mention to Jacob in Year 6 who brought smiles to lots of faces in the City Centre; he dressed up as the Queen and a guard and was successful in raising £60 for UHCW!

# SPORTS NEWS

We've had some amazing results over the last few weeks which are truly well deserved. The children have displayed superb team work, dedication and passion. A big thank you to Mr Youson for his ongoing commitment to ensuring the children are well prepared for their tournaments and events!

**Gaelic Football:** Year 5 and 6 children took part in a Gaelic Football tournament at Finbarrs Sports Club. For many of the children, this was their first experience of playing a competitive game of Gaelic. Despite this, they played incredibly and managed to get to the final. The final was an extremely close game; unfortunately, they finished with the silver medal, losing the game by just one score. Everyone played fantastically and were a credit to the school.

**Tag Rugby:** Year 4 and 5 children competed in a Tag Rugby tournament on Friday. We had a boys and girls team taking part in separate tournaments hoping to get through to the finals on the 21st of June. Both teams won 2 of their first 3 games meaning that they needed to win their remaining games to reach the finals. Unfortunately, the boys came up just short as they lost an incredibly tight game 2-1 but the girls managed to win an equally tight game 2-1 to reach the finals. Well played all and good luck girls! The children were representing the country of New Zealand - make sure you check out our Twitter page to see the children perform the Haka at the start of the tournament. A special mention to Jarvis who won an individual award for displaying excellent sportsmanship.

**Gymnastics:** A huge congratulations to our KS1 gymnastics team. They took part in a competition earlier in the year and finished in an incredible 2nd place at the county finals. Thanks to Elite Dance Academy for helping them learn the routine. Well done everyone!

**Boys football:** Before the half term break, the Y6 football team competed in the Catholic schools 5-a-side tournament and secured a very well deserved second place out of 8 schools – well done, boys!



The weather is getting hotter - please ensure your child comes to school with a hat, a water bottle and a layer of sun screen. Sun screen can be sent in to school, however, it must not contain nut oils and your child must be able to reapply this themselves as we are unable to do this for them.



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25<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Headteacher

I would like to take this opportunity to ask you to draw to your pupils' attention to this year's Armed Forces Day Service and Parade on Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2022 in Broadgate, Coventry.

There will be a Church Service open to the public commencing at 10.30am in Holy Trinity Church. This will be followed by a short Parade around Broadgate which commences at 11.30am.

I know that schools already support the work of the Royal British Legion through the wearing of poppies during the time of Remembrance, but Armed Forces Day is equally as important to support those who have made such an important contribution to our Country and their families. I want to encourage families to come along and show their appreciation for the veterans, those currently serving in the armed forces and cadets as they march around Broadgate. I would like to ensure that our next generation understand the important role of serving and former members of the armed forces.

It would be appreciated if you could inform your pupils of this event and publicise it through your school newsletter and website.

Yours sincerely

Councillor Kevin Maton  
Lord Mayor of the City of Coventry

**SCHOOL FOOD UNITED**

The brand new app from your school meal provider is here!

Dear Parent/Carer

We are excited to announce the release of our new School Food United app.

In the last few months, we have been tirelessly working to enhance the system and our service and we believe that the app will improve the ease and efficiency of ordering as well as your overall experience with School Food United.

The new SFU app will enable you to:

- Top up their account and track their transactions from anywhere
- Be the first to hear news about theme days or taster events
- Select or amend their child's daily meals on the go (out of times apply)
- Order ahead for the week or term, flexible daily ordering available for all children
- Get in touch with us directly with any queries or requests through the contact us area

To download

- Scan the QR code below or click on the links below to directly download the School Food United app
- Sign into the app using your log in details you already use to access the main portal <https://parents.schoolfoodunited.com>
- If you have already linked to your child, their profile will appear on your account. If you need to add a child press the red plus button and add in their details to link to their profile.
- Need any help or want to leave feedback? Get in touch with us directly with any queries or requests through the contact us area or email us at [Parent@SchoolFoodUnited.com](mailto:Parent@SchoolFoodUnited.com)



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**EAT WELL FOR YOU AND THE PLANET!**

AIP is proud to be supporting the British Nutrition Foundation's Healthy Eating Week from the 13<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> June 2022. Our chefs have created exciting dishes that celebrate the five themes, including delicious planet friendly dishes and clever ideas to reduce food waste.

| Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday  |
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| <p><b>FOCUS ON FIBRE</b></p> <p><b>Wholemeal Lentil and Vegetable Pizza</b><br/>Filled with fibres!<br/>Wholemeal flour in the base with lentils and tomatoes in the sauce.</p> <p><b>Pea Kachori</b><br/>Try the kachori, with wholemeal flour and packed with peas!</p> <p><b>Grain Packed Cookie / Oaty Power Balls</b><br/>Today's cookie contains oats, sunflower seeds and dried fruit.</p> | <p><b>GET AT LEAST 5 A DAY</b></p> <p><b>Teriyaki Chicken and Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles/Rice</b><br/>Look out for the peppers, sweetcorn, onions and cabbage! Can you spot any other veg?</p> <p><b>Macaroni Cheese</b><br/>With beautiful broccoli basking in the sauce!</p> <p><b>Raspberry Cornmeal Muffin</b></p> | <p><b>VARY YOUR PROTEIN</b></p> <p><b>Cottage Pie</b><br/>This clever cottage pie includes some lovely lentils to help you vary your protein.</p> <p><b>Cheese and Bean Enchilada</b><br/>Bursting with protein providing beans and cheese!</p> <p><b>Toast Churros with Chocolate Custard</b></p> | <p><b>STAY HYDRATED</b></p> <p><b>Lemon and Herb Chicken Casserole with Roast Potatoes</b><br/>Make sure you have a drink at every meal time.</p> <p><b>Chickpea Curry with Noodles and Rice</b><br/>Tap water is a great choice, so grab a glass with your lunch today!</p> <p><b>Yoghurt Smoothies</b><br/>Keep your water bottle topped up so you have plenty to drink during the day.</p> | <p><b>REDUCE FOOD WASTE</b></p> <p><b>Fish of the Day and Chips</b></p> <p><b>Veggie Nuggets with Chips</b><br/>We are reducing food waste again!</p> <p><b>Cold Fruity Rice Pudding with compote</b><br/>We have made a yummy rice pudding to use up our spare milk, and a gorgeous fruit compote to use up our spare berries!</p> |

Shout out on social media and share photos showcasing your schools #HEW22 activities.  
For more information about Healthy Eating Week, visit: <https://www.nutrition.org.uk/healthy-eating-week/>

Next week is healthy eating week – please ensure you pre-order via School Food United. There will not be a sandwich option available, however, jacket potatoes will be on the menu.

**PLEASE ENSURE YOU MAKE PAYMENT FOR ANY TRIPS/EVENTS VIA PAY360 – please contact Mrs Rae if you are having issues accessing the system – [linsey.rae@allsoulschool.co.uk](mailto:linsey.rae@allsoulschool.co.uk)**

**NEXT WEEK**

| Day       | Time                          | Who   | Where  |
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| Monday    | All day AM                    | Year 3<br>Year 4                                    | Confession & celebrating Saint Anthony<br>Visiting Earlsdon Library  |
| Tuesday   | 9:30am<br>12-1:30pm<br>6:30pm | Year 1 & Year 2<br>Rounders team<br>New Rec parents | Class mass – everyone welcome at All Souls Church!<br>Rounders tournament hosted by All Souls'<br>September 2022 Reception parents welcome evening |
| Wednesday | All day<br>All day<br>All day | Year 1 & Year 2<br>Year 3<br>Cricket team           | Hatton Farm trip<br>Baddesley Clinton visit<br>Cricket tournament  |
| Thursday  | All day<br>12-3pm             | Year 4<br>Athletics team                            | Celebrating Padre Pio<br>Catholic Athletics Event  |
| Friday    | 11-3pm                        | American football team                              | Tag American Football tournament   |