



Christ is our light

All Souls' Catholic
PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

5th May 2023

Celebrating the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III

The sun shone down on us as we celebrated the King's Coronation with our school community. It was the perfect way to end such a busy week and was enjoyed by all. A whole school Coronation Conga around the site, music, masks and food was the perfect way to commemorate such a special event. Thank you for your kind your donations – the children were able to enjoy a fabulous buffet! God save the King!



Year 6 SATs – breakfast available from 8:15am!

The Y6 children are welcome to join Mrs McGrath from 8:15am each day for toast, fruit and juice.
We ask that you keep Year 6 in your prayers this week as they complete their SATs.

Healthy drinks & snacks only please!

We are seeing an increase in the number of children coming to school with drinks that are not appropriate – this includes Prime, Lucozade and fizzy pop. We have also seen a number of children with sweets in their lunch boxes. Please can we remind you that children should only bring healthy snacks and drinks to school, such as water and fruit.
Thank you for your support.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to 16 of our wonderful Year 3 children who received Holy Communion for the first time on Sunday. We are all very proud of you and hope you had a lovely afternoon with your families. A big thank you to Ms Hayden and Ms Croarken for their hard work in preparing the children for this special moment on their faith journey.



Our beautiful Prayer Garden

Our Chaplaincy Team have been working hard all year to get work underway for the prayer garden and we hit a key milestone this week. Mr Gale has been busy installing the new fence panels, which got the All Souls stamp with words, chosen by the children, being painted to show what they think our school community is all about. A huge thank you to Mrs Elkins who brought our vision into reality and worked tirelessly all day to create such a beautiful space. There's more work to be done shortly – watch this space!



Special memories made at the home of CCFC!

As CCFC head towards the play offs, a group of Year 4 and 5 children were given the opportunity to play on the pitch at the CBS Arena. This was a wonderful experience for them and we're sure it's one they will never forget!



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Requests for term time leave should be made [here](#)

Attendance

Attendance for the week ending 28th April 2023

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole School	Whole School Year to date
97.0%	95.3%	98.8%	98.3%	97.0%	99.0%	94.8%	97.1%	94.6%

Late marks (before the close of register) recorded for the week ending 5th May 2023:

Monday 1/5	Tuesday 2/5	Wednesday 3/5	Thursday 4/5	Friday 5/5	Total
Bank Holiday	1	6	5	0	12

The overall attendance figure last week, at 97.1% was one of the highest of the academic year and continues our very positive start to the Summer term. Well done!

NEXT WEEK

Date	Year	Event	Time
Tues 9 th May	Group	Swimming – bring your kits!	12:30pm
Wed 10 th May	Team	Archery 4U – Alan Higgs	PM

A reminder that May half term begins on Monday 29th May. We reopen on Monday 5th June at 8:30am (breakfast club will run as normal).



← Year 4 had a visit from the local Fire Brigade who taught them how to look out for fire hazards, what to do in an emergency and how to keep fire safe.

→ Year 6 completed their war and peace unit of history with some reflective painting focused on scenes from WWII.



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