



ST JOSEPH'S
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Friday 10th May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Good luck to the children who are completing their assessments in Year 6 next week.

This weekend, don't get stressed.

During SATS just do your best.

You need to remember you have been blessed,
with skills and talents, the SATs can't test.

Coronation Park Reopening a thank you

Thank you to the Y6 child who attended the ceremony on Sunday. It is exciting to see how our local town is being developed.

Minibus reminders:

We have had the AA out to the school mini bus and it is currently working so tonight's bus run should take place as normal. Obviously if anything changes, we will try to let you know as soon as possible.

While the bus is working, it will need to go into the garage for some additional work and we have booked this in for Tuesday. Unfortunately, this means we are unable to provide a bus service for Mrs Philpott's bus on Tuesday morning or Tuesday afternoon. If your child normally gets Mrs Philpott/Mrs Atkinson on a morning or Mrs Philpott/Miss Downs on an afternoon you will need to make alternative arrangements for Tuesday.

I am sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

PTFA Reminders

Colour Run - 24th May During the Colour Run the PTFA will be serving drinks and the sweet stall will also be available for a treat after the event. Sponsor forms will be collected in the week after the half-term holiday.

Someone Special Day - 14th June After the huge success of our 'Someone Special Day' in March, we've decided to do it all again! This will take place on Friday 14th June at 1.30pm or 2.15pm.

Tickets are priced at £3 each which entitles 1 adult to receive some homemade corned beef pie, peas and tea/coffee and 1 child to receive a cake and juice. Additional children can be added to an adult ticket for

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an extra £1 each (eg. 1 adult, 2 children =£4) and additional adults can be added for £2 each (eg. 2 adults, 1 child = £5).

Tickets are on sale from Tuesday 7th May until 3.30pm Friday 7th June from Miss Ayton. Please note this will be a ticketed event only to enable us to cater for the correct numbers. If you have any dietary requirements or a preference for a specified time sitting, please let us know when purchasing tickets.

Ice Pop Fridays (21st, 28th June, 5th, 12th, 19th July) The children have asked for Ice Pop Fridays to return. Let's hope the weather continues to be this sunny. These will be available at break times on the above dates for 30p per week or £1.50 can be paid in advance for all 5 weeks.

Summer Fair - 4th July As requested, attraction tickets will be on sale in advance this year! These will go on sale from Monday 17th June.

Stars of the Week:

This week certificates have been awarded to children who have worked really well under the heading of **creativity**.

- LJ- Annabelle M
- FS1- Dorothy B & Finley A
- FS2- Charlie S
- Y1- Ida R & Harriet E
- Y2- Stanley B & Harry T
- Y3- Kaidan H & Lola-Rey O
- Y4- Alice W & Charley B
- Y5- Gracie L & Holly H
- Y6- Eva D & Oscar J

Final Thoughts & Prayers-

A prayer for peace in Israel and Gaza

Christ, Prince of Peace,
hear our prayer and lament,
for our suffering sisters and brothers.
Our hearts are heavy as we witness lives torn apart,
as we see the faces of frightened children
and hear the pleas of those without water or food.

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We pray for the dead and the grieving,
for the injured and the afraid.
We pray for courage and perseverance,
for those working for healing and to bring aid.
We pray for world leaders,
that they may strive for a just and lasting peace.

God of new beginnings,
in your ways are compassion and hope.
Open our hearts to dialogue and understanding.
Lead us all to answer your call
to become peacemakers
today, and all the days of our life.

Amen.

Have a great weekend and enjoy the women's FA cup final, Eurovision or whatever else you have planned with your friends and family.

Mr Geaves

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