

★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★



Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

We live and learn in the light of Christ!

Weekly Newsletter to Parents

Summer 1



Friday 28th April 2023

We pray for Our Year Three and Four School Council Reps



Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

A big welcome back and I hope you all enjoyed your Easter Holidays. As we have started our Summer term now (I don't know where the time has gone) all children should now be wearing Summer Uniform. This is a brown skirt, trousers or shorts with a yellow polo shirt or a yellow summer dress. Please ensure children are wearing sensible school shoes at all times. Trainers and sandals are not permitted.

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome Mrs Joyce our new Reception teacher (who some of you with older children may remember) and Mrs Barnes our new Year six teacher. Both teachers are very experienced and we are delighted that they have joined our teaching team at SS Peter and Paul. I know you will all make them feel most welcome.

Thank you to Year five this week for leading us in our first Summer term whole School Mass. The singing was beautiful. Thank you to Mrs Wright and Mrs Adamo for preparing the children so well. Mass will now continue to be at 9.15am every Thursday morning.

We have a very busy few weeks ahead of us. On Friday 5th May children are invited to come dressed as a king/ queen, prince or princess or just in their best clothes at the cost of a pound to celebrate the Kings coronation. The SPFA will also be running a design a crown competition. The cost for entering is 50p and all entrants will get a prize. Fliers will be sent out via Parentmail.

We will also be hosting a non-uniform day on the 12th May where children are invited to dress in red, white and blue to celebrate the coronation of King Charles. There will be a coronation picnic and party in the playground in the afternoon between 12 and 2pm. If you would like your child to have a coronation picnic dinner on this day and they do not normally have dinners please contact the school office. A flier with the menu attached will be sent out via parentmail.

A reminder to everyone that the next two Mondays are bank holidays so the children will not be in school on these days. Year six will be undertaking their SATs tests from Tuesday 9th until Friday 12th May. During this time we will be running a breakfast club in the School Hall starting at 8.30am for any year six children who would like to attend. We will be serving juice and toast for those that would like it free of charge.

Finally can I please remind all Parents that holidays are **not** to be taken during School time. We are having an increasing number of children who are missing valuable time at school due to holidays being taken in term time. These absences will not be authorised.

Have a lovely weekend everyone



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ACADEMY TERM DATES 2022-23

Summer 1 – Mon. 24th April - Fri 26th May

Half Term – Mon 29th May - Fri 2nd June

Summer 2 – Mon 5th June - Fri 21st July

Summer Break

TRAINING DAYS

Monday 24th July 2023

Tuesday 25th July 2023

ACADEMY FUND DONATIONS

Academy Fund via ParentMail (School Enrichment Funding)

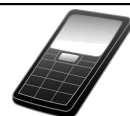
This is a voluntary contribution to be paid each term which goes towards buying additional equipment and resources for your children. You will receive a request via ParentMail termly...

"St. John Paul II Multi-Academy invites parents to give annually to your school fund. A donation of £10 per term is suggested but you may contribute more if you wish."

Please rest assured that any payment you make is for our school and our children only, guaranteed!
Thank you for your support.

School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours (3.30 pm - 8.00 am):



07885 235 496

NEWS

We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.

- **Celebration Assembly**—You will be notified if your child has been awarded writer of the week and star of the week and will be invited into school to attend the assembly. Parents are not invited into school for completed reward charts or outside achievement awards due to lack of space.
- **P.E. Kits**—Children should only wear plain **black** tracksuit bottoms and tops, with a pair of black shorts and the t-shirt colour of their house team.
- **Water Bottles**—Please ensure that all children have a labelled water bottle in school every day. These are to be filled with water only. Squash is not permitted in school.
- **Earrings**—a reminder that earrings are **not allowed** to be worn in school and children will be asked to remove them if they are wearing them. Children are permitted to wear plastic retainers in their ears.
- **Uniform**—Children must wear the correct winter uniform to school, including sensible school shoes. These shoes must be black. **Children are not permitted to wear trainers**, unless it is their PE day. Don't forget the tie. Please ensure all uniform is labelled.
- **Hair**—A reminder that **all long hair should be tied back**. Large hair bows and head bands are not permitted, hair bands and ties should be kept simple.
- **Birmingham Local Offer**—This link to Birmingham's Local SEN offer website provides information and support for families with children who have any special educational needs or disabilities. Take a look. www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk
- **Family Support Worker**—Our FSW, Karen Howard, is in school every Thursday if you are looking for help and advice on matters relating to finance, housing or family life then please contact the school office to arrange an appointment.
- **SENCo**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding her next SENCO drop in morning on Friday 31st March from 9.15—10.15 am. Please contact the school office if you require an appointment. If you have any SEND concerns regarding your child please contact Mrs Calvert – Lyons on the SENCo email which is senco@ssptrpl.net
- **Operation Encompass**—SS Peter & Paul is an Operation Encompass School, working closely with West Midlands Police to identify and support victims of Domestic Abuse. We remain vigilant and urge anyone suffering domestic abuse to contact the school or Police for help.
- **Food Bank**—A reminder that any parent that would like to access this service or who may need some financial support can contact the school on our confidential email address: family@ssptrpl.net

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

- **Monday 1st May**—Bank Holiday
- **Monday 8th May**—Bank Holiday
- **Thursday 4th May**—Y3 Communion Parents Workshop 9am
- **Friday 5th May**—Non-uniform £1 come dressed as a King / Queen
- **Friday 5th May**—Design a crown 50p
- **Friday 12th May**—Red white and blue Coronation picnic 12-2pm
- **Friday 12th May** SPFA Disco 6-10pm
- **Monday May 15th**—Polish day – come dressed in red and white free of charge.
- **Tuesday 16th May**—Y3 Parents Prayer service 3pm
- **Friday 19th May**—Y1 Class Assembly 9am
- **Sunday 21st May**—Y3 First Holy Communion 9.30am
- **Saturday 24th June**—Y6 Sacrament of Confirmation 5pm
- **Friday 21st July**—Y6 Leavers Assembly

TRAINING DAYS

Monday 24th July 2023
Tuesday 25th July 2023

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Tuesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)
Football Y5 & 6
Monster Crafts
Thursday (3.20-4.20pm)
Girls Football Y5 & Y6
Irish Dancing
Friday (2.00 - 3.00 pm)
Football – Y3 & 4

- **Start and Finish Times**—Children can be dropped off from 8.40am when the school gates open. They must be in school by 8.50am (which is when the school gates close). Any child arriving after this will be marked late and parents will need to sign them in using the monitor outside the school office. The school day finishes at 3.20pm Monday to Thursday and 2pm on a Friday. Children who are not collected on time will be sent over to Leading light club and parents will be charged.
- **Photographs in School**—A reminder that **no photographs** are to be taken during celebration assembly or anywhere on school premises due to safeguarding. Thanks for your cooperation with this.

Bookworm

Aoife McLoughlin, Adam Studzik, Ivy Richards, Charlie Stinton, Harry Reily Brown, Skylar Barrett, Finley Cardell, Summer Wood, Oliver Grajoszek-Leszczynski, Harry Barton, Gabriella Kawalek, Isabella Nugent, Carter Pointon Meah, Aneya Myooran.

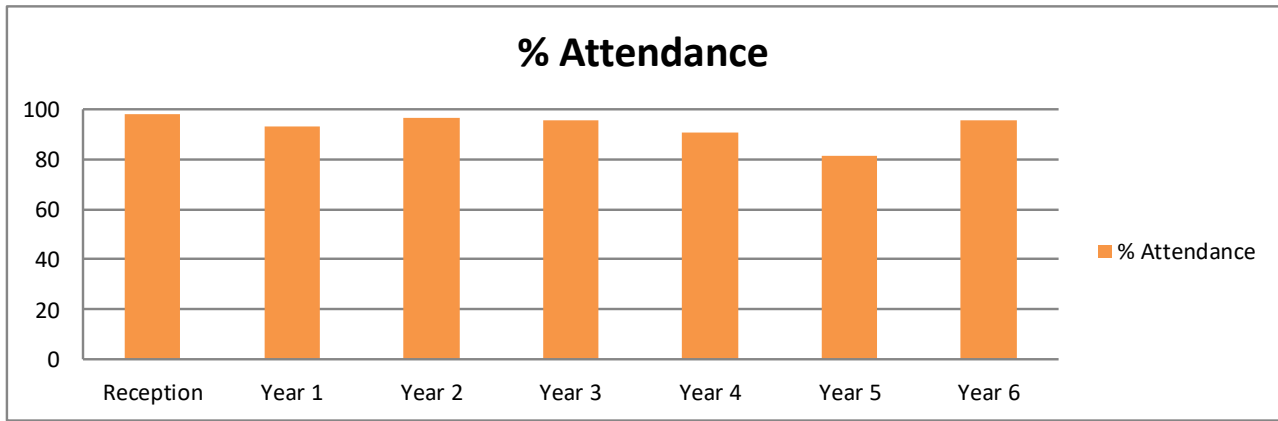


Writers of the Week

Reception - Michael Brennan
 Year 1 - Lily-Mae Hemming
 Year 2 - Jacob Baldock
 Year 3 - Stefan Lijo
 Year 4 - Fiona Fashi
 Year 5 - Jaden Jacobs
 Year 6 - Imogen Bailey



Pupil Attendance – Week 17 93.12%



Congratulations to Reception for their 97.92% attendance



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

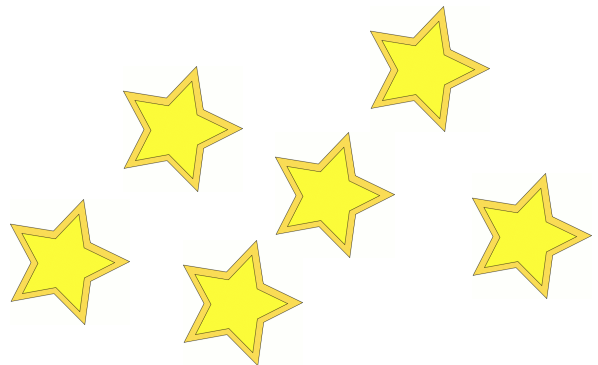
Ellis Pointon-Doyle, Zachary Wilson



‘STARS OF THE WEEK’

Congratulations to these children for being awarded Star of the Week:

Reception — Marcus Murtagh
Year 1 — Ayden Ward
Year 2 — Imaan Iltaf
Year 3 — Kristopher Khera
Year 4 — Amelia Wilkinson
Year 5 — Lauren Santos
Year 6 — Sian Cook



Reward Charts

Amal Tayeb, Jacob Baldock, Lily Kelly, Imaan Iltaf, Aimee Salari, Menelik Kalala, Reily Nguyen, William Mallinder, Kimberly Awagu, Natalya Oglesby, Ezekiel Smith, Rebecca Franklin, Skylar Barrett, Patryk Eltringham, Una Franklin, Caiden Cardell, Filip Kawalek, James Green, James Sullivan, Alice Jones, Emma Osolos, Nicola Mozes, Jayden Clarke, Nancy Smith, Niamh Hayes, Sandra Pracz, Brody Harris, Fiona Fashi, Poppy Porter, Daniel Awagu, Oliwia Wadowska, Mayah Nortey, Sophia Roe, April Salari, Rylie Rose Tyler, Niall Smith O'Donnell, Erica Winters, Caeden Hinze and Noah Nelson

House Points

St. Peter - 66
St. Paul - 93
Our Lady - 121
St. Joseph - 78

Congratulations !!!
Our Lady's Weekly Winners.

The SEND Local Offer website - support, information & advice for SEND, all in one place



www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk



BIRMINGHAM
CHILDREN'S TRUST



Dinner Rota

Monday	3	4	5	6
Tuesday	4	5	6	3
Wednesday	5	6	3	4
Thursday	6	3	4	5
Friday	Alternate order in each week			

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LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE

P RIVATES ARE PRIVATE

Your underwear covers up your private parts and no one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes a doctor, nurse or family members might have to. But they should always explain why, and ask you if it's OK first. Remember, what's in your pants belongs only to you.



A LWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

No one should ever make you do things that make you feel embarrassed or uncomfortable. If someone asks to see or tries to touch you underneath your underwear say 'NO' – and tell someone you trust and like to speak to.



N O MEANS NO

You always have the right to say 'no' – even to a family member or someone you love. You're in control of your body and the most important thing is how YOU feel. If you want to say 'No', it's your choice.



T ALK ABOUT SECRETS THAT UPSET YOU

There are good secrets and bad secrets. If a secret makes you feel sad or worried, it's bad – and you should tell an adult you trust about it straight away.



S PEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

It's always good to talk about stuff that makes you upset. If you're worried, go and tell a grown up you trust – like a family member, teacher or one of your friend's parents. They'll say well done for speaking out and help make everything OK. You can also call Childline on **0800 1111** and someone will always be there to listen.



Remember all of these rules and they'll help you stay safe, just like Pantosaurus

