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> Weekly Newsletter to Parents Friday 6th May 2022

This week we pray for...



...these children.

Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

Next week is a big week for all of our Year Six children who will be undertaking their SAT's tests. We will be offering a SAT's breakfast club for all Year Six children at half past eight Monday through to Thursday. The children are invited to come into the school hall and enjoy a slice of toast and some juice with their friends. The children have all worked really hard this year and we know that they will all do the best that they can. We are already incredibly proud of them all.

Year Six led us in Mass this week where we learnt about being disciples of Christ and about spreading good news. Thank you to all of the children that read and to the teachers who prepared the children so well.

Year Three took part in their Holy Communion workshop this week. A big thank you to all of the parents/ relatives and family friends that attended and supported the children in creating some beautiful pieces of art work. We hope you found this session helpful and informative. If any parents have still not received notes about arrangements for Holy Communion on the 15th May or have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Our Lady had their reward afternoon this week after winning the overall house points for the Spring Term. All of the children enjoyed having the opportunity to have an afternoon out of class and the opportunity to watch a film. Thank you to Miss Gilliver for organizing this and supervising the children.

Thank you to the SPFA for all of their hard work last weekend organizing the Spring Fayre. Raffle tickets have been drawn in assembly this afternoon so you might have a prize on it's way home. We have a number of upcoming events that will be taking place over the next few months including our school disco's. We will be sending out further information about these events through Parentmail so please make sure you read your messages.

Finally can I ask that if parents have any worries regarding their children that they contact the school to discuss any concerns rather than discussing them with other parents. If we know there is a problem or that a situation has happened we can deal with it at school. If we are not informed of problems we can't help find solutions.

Have a lovely weekend everyone.

Mrs Calvert-Lyons **Head of School** 

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#### **ACADEMY TERM DATES**

Term	Autumn 2021	Spring 2022	Summer 2022
New	Monday	Tuesday	Monday
Term	6th	4th	25th
Begins	Sept	January	April
1st Half	Friday	Friday	Friday
-Term	22nd	18th	27th
Ends	October	February	May
2nd Half	Tuesday	Monday	Monday
-Term	2nd	28th	6th
Begins	Nov	February	June
Term	Friday	Friday	Friday
Ends	17th	8th	22nd
	Dec	April	July

#### **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.

- SAT's Breakfast Club—Next week Year six are invited to arrive at school at 8.30am to have toast and juice before school. This club is optional and there is no charge.
- Birmingham Local Offer—Please see the link below to Birmingham's local offer website which provides information and support for families with children who have special educational needs or disabilities.

www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk

- **Family Support Worker**—Our FSW, Karen Cutler, 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 a SENCO drop in morning on Friday 13th May from 9.15—10.15 am. Please contact the school office if you require an appointment. If you have any concerns regarding your child and SEND please contact Mrs Calvert – Lyons on the SENCo email which is Senco@ssptrpl.net
- **Shoes**—A reminder that children are to wear the correct footwear to school. Children are not allowed to wear boots in school. If the weather is bad children can wear wellingtons to school and change once they arrive and again before they leave.
- Hair— A reminder to all parents that children are not allowed fashion haircuts at school. Boys should not have lines shaved into their hair and girls should ensure that their hair is tied back at all times.
- Operation Encompass—SS Peter & Paul is now 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.
- Healthy Eating— Can I remind all parents that children should bring a healthy snack at break time. This should be a piece of fruit. Or a vegetable. If children bring in biscuits, crisps or chocolate for break times they will not be permitted to eat these and they will be sent back home.

#### **IMPORTANT DIARY DATES**

- 9th May- SATS week
- 15th May—Holy Communion
- 19th May- May Procession
- 23rd May- Commonwealth
   Games Celebration Day- Non-Uniform
- 27th May- Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration Day- red, white blue non-uniform



**Contact Details** 07885 235 488

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#### **Stay Safe Online**

E-Safety is very important! Do you know what your child is watching or doing on the internet?

https://www.internetmatters.org

#### **TRAINING DAYS**

Friday 1st July 2022

#### **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

Monday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Choir

**Tuesday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Football Years 5

& 6 and Monster Crafts

Wednesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Cheerleading 5 & 6

**Thursday** (3.20 - 4.20 pm) Cheerleading 3

Friday (2.00 - 3.00 pm)

Football- Years 3 & 4 and Monster Crafts

- 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.
- Water Bottles —please ensure your child comes to school everyday with a clearly labelled water bottle
- 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
- P.E Kits—Please can you ensure that your child has the correct PE uniform in school. The children should wear pumps and not trainers and are required to wear a pair of plain black shorts. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the offic

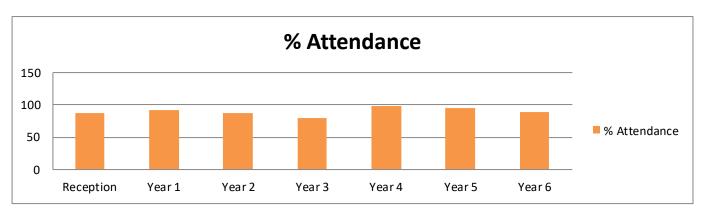
#### S.P.F.A Class Reps

Reception— Selina Conway Year 1—Joanne Mallinder Year 2— Rebecca Franklin Year 3— Sarah Nelson Year 4—Zoe Santos Year 5—Elaine Eannetta Year 6— Katie Wiggins

#### Writers of the Week

To be announced next week.

#### **Pupil Attendance**



#### **Congratulations to Year 4**

	Attendance Ex	planation	
100% - Excellent	<b>99-97%</b> - Good	96-95% - Satisfactory	< 95% - Unsatisfactory

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



Kristopher Khera, Niamh Hayes, Imani Mbung, Adam Michalski, Kieran Smith O'Donnell, Dylan Concannon, Jakub Rog



#### **'STARS OF THE WEEK'**

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

- Reception –
- Year 1 —
- Year 2 —
- Year 3 —
- Year 4 —
- Year 5 —
- Year 6 —



#### **Reward Charts**

Alice Wilson, Erica Winters, Nancy Smith, Orla Kennedy– Mcloughlin, Mercedes Nortey, Lucy Santos, Esme O'Sullivan, Lexie Torley, Felicity Franklin, Niamh Thompson, Freya Chessum, Maya Skorupska, A'Tayah Gerroni, Georgia Jones, Bethany Mallinder, Mollie Gaskin, Lucy Recci, Michelle Nortey, Lola Sullivan, Lidia Pulisciano, Amelia Jaggers

#### **House Points**

**St. Peter 105** 

St. Paul 85

Our Lady 100 St. Joseph 96

Congratulations to St. Peter !!!
Our Termly Winner!



On Friday 27th May we will be having a celebration here in school to celebrate The Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

Children are to come to school wearing the colours of the

Union Jack flag (red, white and blue) in return for £1.00.

(All of the money raised will cover the cost of any decorations and craft activities bought for the day.)

As a special treat, all children who have a school meal on the day will have afternoon tea for their lunch.

If your child usually has a packed lunch on Fridays but you wish for them to have a school meal on this day, please keep make a payment of £2.35 on the Jubilee Meal payment option on ParentMail.

(Please do not make a payment on this option if your child

usually has a school meal each Friday.)



#### Afternoon Tea Menu

Sandwiches (Cucumber, Cheese, Tuna)

Cucumber/ Carrot Sticks

Crisps

Chips

Cakes

Jelly Pots

Cucumber/ Fresh Fruit in Water

(Cost £2.35)



Time to dust off those dancing shoes and join

# us for the SPFA DINNER & DANCE

## FRIDAY 15 JULY 2022 AT THE CUTTLEBRIDGE INN

Adults Only

### TICKETS £45

Includes:
3 Course Meal and
Evening of
Entertainment



# £10 Deposit required to secure your ticket

For Tickets Contact: Kelly 07938 638 541 Juliette 07751 387 053 or your Class Rep





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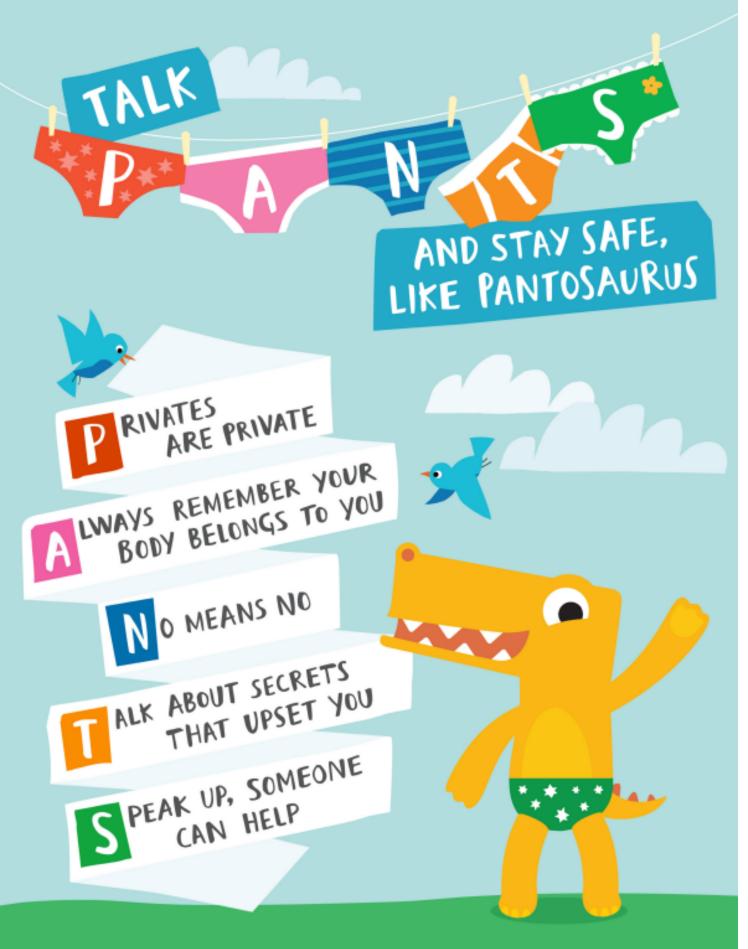






# **Dinner Rota**

Monday	က	4	2	9
Tuesday	4	2	9	က
Wednesday	2	9	က	4
Thursday	9	က	4	5
Friday	Alteri	nate orde	Alternate order in each week	week



**NSPCC** 

**EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR** 

# LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE



## PRIVATES 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.



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.

# 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.

# 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.



## 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.







