

St Joseph’s Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

March 10th 2017

**Dear all,**

The children have been busy this week. I have been shown some lovely robots which Class 4 have been making. I was very impressed with how they had made them move and turn around!

**Class 2 SATs talk.**

Thank you to all the parents who could attend the SATs talk on Tuesday. For those of you who couldn’t make it I have put the PowerPoint of the talk on the website, on the Class 2 page which contains all the key information. Please speak to Mrs Robertson if you would like any more information.

**Ash Wednesday assembly.**

Father Philip came into school last week and led a lovely assembly introducing the start of Lent. There are photos on the Church website under the news section: <https://www.holyghostexmouth.org.uk/news/>

**Wall bars**

Hopefully next week we will be having some new wall bars fitted in the hall. This will enable us to teach elements of gymnastics much more effectively and increase the level of enjoyment and engagement for the children. We have been able to buy these using the Sports Premium money each school receives.

**PTA AGM**

Thank you to those of you who could attend the PTA AGM this week. The PTA will be sending a letter out soon asking people for email addresses and contact details so that they can send details of PTA events directly to you, so please look out for this in book bags. Also, I am sure you have all seen details of the Summer Ball they are organising. It sounds like a fantastic event but it will only be a success if they can sell enough tickets. There is only one week left of the tickets being available just to St Joseph’s parents before it gets opened up to outside companies. Remember you can buy individual tickets or a whole table.

**Plymouth Diocese summer camp**

Plymouth Diocese are running a junior summer camp at Buckfast Abbey from 6th-11th August 2017. There are application forms available from the Office, the Church or online at <http://www.pdsummercamps.org.uk/>

**Cycle Path update:**

Thecycle path improvements in Phear Park were due to complete today, but due to bad weather will now not complete until April 14th. The path will remain closed until then.

**Next week:**

Tuesday:Class 2 assembly 9.10am in the hall.

Wednesday: Teacher from ECC coming to teach Class 6 maths.

Thursday: Class 1 trip to Powderham castle.

**Best wishes and thank you for your continued support**

**Mrs Taylor-Bashford**

**Headteacher’s Awards:**

**Well done to:** FSU – Nicholas, Elliott, Alisa, Yr 2 – Nell, Yr 3 – Emma, Yr 4 – Evan, Charlotte

**Bronze certificates:** FSU – Lola, Yr 5 - George, Yr 6 – Adam, Skye

**Silver certificates:** Louis-Jay

**Stars of the Week:** FSU – Annie, Yr 1 – Mylo, Yr 2 – Alfie, Yr 3 – Morgan, Yr 4 – Hannah, Yr 5 – Ellie,

Yr 6 - Nina



If you know anyone looking for school places, please let them know as we still have spaces available in some classes. They can contact the Office for more information or to book a tour.

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