St Joseph's Catholic Primary School



Newsletter



Friday 16th March 2018

Dear all,

The children have had a lovely week despite the weather at the beginning of the week!

Last week's film night was a big success raising £126.13. Thank you to the PTA for organising and running the event.

This week Cherry and Willow class went to Exeter University to see the Bournemouth Symphony orchestra. They had a lovely morning and thoroughly enjoyed listening to all the music. Thank you for all the parent helpers who made this possible.

Well done to Nicole who performed a cello solo at the ECC Peri Instrumental Tuition Scheme concert on Tuesday. It was very brave and a fantastic achievement.

Jack and the Beanstalk

Next Thursday Year 3 and 4 are putting on their performance of Jack and the Beanstalk. They have been practising really hard and it should be a super show. Tickets are selling fast so please see the office as soon as possible if you wish to order any.

Dogs

Whilst I am aware that some people have to bring their dogs up to school when dropping off or collecting children, they must not be brought onto the playground, even if they are being carried. I know there are not many places to tie your dogs up outside but, if you could think about how close they are to the children walking in and out, it would be appreciated. This has always been the case but I am reminding everybody due to an incident that happened outside school this week. I am sure you will understand it is for the safety of all your children.

After School Club

As you know, we have spent a long time setting up after school club as it was requested by so many parents. We are really pleased to be opening after Easter and we have now started taking bookings for next term. Currently we have some nights with no bookings; if we do not have children booked in for sessions we will only be able to run on certain days. If you know you will need a place please book at the office as soon as possible to ensure the club is running.

Please note that only running club will be offered as an after school club during the Summer term.

Sport Relief next week

On Wednesday, there is a chance to Beat the Goalie! Please bring in 50p if you want to beat the YEAR 6 Goalies on penalty shots.

On Friday, all children are invited to come to school dressed in their sports kit, whatever sport they fancy, or just trainers and leggings if they don't have traditional sports kit! Suggested £1 donation please; all money will go to Sports Relief.

We are also planning a staff –v- children netball match which should be interesting!

Parish event diary date

Pentecost is the Parish Feast Day on Sunday 20th May. There will be a parish picnic and mystery stroll, picking up on Jesus' mandate to 'go out into the world'. The children are invited to bring kites to fly at the end destination. For more information please see Father Philip or Mrs Jane Cheyne at the Church.

Next week:

Monday 19th March – Mass in school 9.30am

Wednesday 21st March – 50p to Beat the Goalie at lunchtime.

Wednesday 21st March – Year 2 visit to look around Church

Thursday 22nd March – Nursery welcome morning for new children

Thursday 22nd March – Yr 3/4 performance of Jack and the Beanstalk, 2pm and 6pm.

Friday 23rd March – Children to come dressed in Sports kit for Sport Relief, £1 donation.

Best wishes & many thanks for your continued support Mrs Taylor-Bashford

Headteacher's Awards: Oak - Chloe, Sycamore - Amelia, Annie, Aleksy, Elliott, Lewis,

Cherry - Ben, Halley, Maple - Darcie

Silver Award: Sycamore - Owen, Ella, Beech - Harry

Bronze Award: Willow - Edan, Maple - Felix, Radina, Beech - Sheril, Jack W

Stars of the Week: Oak - Archie, Sycamore - Freddie, Rowan - Declan, Cherry - Emmie, Willow - Ralph,

Maple - Hannah, Beech - Carmela

Breakfast Club Star of the Week: Hamish