

### St Peter's Catholic Primary School School Newsletter 4

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> Sept 2015

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Local Parish Mass Times	St Peter's	English Martyrs	St Augustine's
Saturday	6pm		6.30pm
Sunday	9am 10.30am 5.30pm	9am	11am

#### **CURRICULUM INFORMATION**

The table below details what your child will be learning from Monday

Year	Maths	English	Science
Group			
Reception	Settling In		
Y1	Counting in 10's & place value	Instructions	Materials
Y2	Addition and Subtraction	Writing non-chronological Reports	Castles, Kings and Queens
Y3	Shape	Diaries	Rocks and Soils
Y4	Adding and Subtracting	Historical Stories	States of Matter
Y5	Measuring and drawing angles	Newspaper Reports	Earth and Space
Y6	Geometry	War Poetry	Light

#### WELCOME

A warm welcome is extended to the third group of our EYFS pupils and their parents and family: Mrs Brogan's Class (RJB) – Julia, Seren, Janderson, John-Patrick, Shaathvika, Ellie and Jennifer Miss Williams' Class (RLW) – Emmanuel, Luciano, Antony, Benjamin, Austin, Abel, Magdalena and Jakub

#### **FOND FAREWELL**

We send our very best wishes to Theo Grinnell (3CA) who leaves us today. We wish him every happiness in his new school.

### **CULTURAL WEEK**

Cultural Week takes place week beginning 5th October. During this week, each year group will learn about another country, exploring the country's culture, customs, food, art and traditional stories, among other things. The countries are as follows; Reception - England, Year 1 - China, Year 2 - France, Year 3 - Japan, Year 4 - South Africa, Year 5 - Brazil and Year 6 - Australia. On Monday 5th October children will be drawing animals from the country they are learning about. A select few of these pictures will be chosen by an artist to carve into benches for the school. Children are welcome to research animals from each country in preparation.

# **BOYS FOOTBALL TEAM**

Congratulations to the boys' football team who made it through the group rounds of the final of the Gloucester Early Season 7 a-side tournament before losing out in the semi-finals 2-1 to Longlevens. The team played extremely well and played bravely as a team! The team consisted of Benji, Regan, Ruben, Justin, Kynan, Joe and Kevin who drew 0-0 in the group stages to the eventual winners Churchdown.

### **NETBALL PRE-SEASON TOURNAMENT**

Yesterday 7 children represented St Peter's amazingly in a pre-season netball tournament held at Bentham Country Club. Despite not having trained together yet, the children gelled well as a team and showed fantastic determination. They managed to win 2 out of the 3 matches they played and scored a total of 9 goals altogether. It was a great team effort and a fantastic start to the new netball season. Well done to Karleigh, Benji and Keira in 6AK, Elvis, Esme and Katy in 6JW and Teagan in 5MC.

### **PUPIL CHAPLAINCY**

We would like to welcome this year's new members to our Chaplaincy team. They will be supported by last year's members, helping others to deepen their faith and prayer.

All members were presented with the red fish pins as a symbol of their role and commitment.

We hope they have a wonderful year being involved in moving the prayer life of our school further.

Isobel and Christopher 1LD, Harley and Lucy 1AE, Joanna and Gabrish 2CB, Olivia and Isaac 2LN, John and Hannah 3CA, Oliver and Janelle 4KM, Isabella, Rueben and Stephanie in 4TD, Scarlet and Amelia 4KW, Erin and Ben 5SS, Grace and Mason in 5MC, Aaliyah and Kynan 6JG, Esme and Joseph 6AK.

# PARKING AT THE IRISH CLUB - FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER

There will be no parking at the Irish Club next Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October due to a large wake taking place. The gates will be closed on Thursday evening.

# **TEACHING ASSISTANT AND MID-DAY SUPERVISOR VACANCIES**

Post 1: Teaching Assistant (Grade F 9am - 12.30pm) and Mid-day Supervisor Assistant (12.30 - 1.30pm Grade C) Temporary

Post 2: Mid-day Supervisor Assistant Part Time (12.15 - 1.45pm Grade C) Permanent

If interested in these posts then please go to our website for further details and the application form.

### **FOODBANK**

Last week we collected donations for our local charity, The Gloucester Foodbank, as a whole school. The grand total of our donations collected was 130 items! Thank you to everyone for your generosity in donating to such a worthwhile cause and encouraging each other to "live life to the full in our community". For the month of October it is the opportunity of Y6 from 12th until 16th, thank you.

#### **HEADLICE AND WORMS**

We have had a few cases of headlice and worms, and would ask all parents/carers to check their children regularly and treat as appropriate. Many thanks.

# CHOIR CONCERT - WEDNESDAY 30<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER @ 7pm

St. Peter's Catholic Primary School Choir and the Cotswold Male Voice Choir will be performing together here at school. If you would like to attend this event, tickets are available at the school office. Adults - £5, Children – free. Money raised by the school to go to our Mission Together charity.

## **EMERGENCY CLOSURE PROCEDURES 2015/2016**

Should the decision to close the school ever need to be taken due to a building failure such as heating or power loss or due to severe weather conditions we will notify you via our **school twitter (@StPetersPri) and Facebook (St Peter's Catholic Primary School) accounts**. We will also put a notice on our school website front page and we will inform the LA who will then put a notice on their website: <a href="http://www.glosclosedschools.com">http://www.glosclosedschools.com</a> The LA will also inform the local radio stations (Radio GLoucestershire and Heart FM).

#### **GYMNASTIC CLUB**

Gymnastic Club runs every Wednesday from 3.15-4.00pm. The cost per lesson is £4 at St Peter's Primary School hall. If you are interested please contact Rhian on 07970886165.

### **200 CLUB WINNERS**

1<sup>st</sup> Prize – C Coleman

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – M Spiller

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – T Samuels

# **HOUSE POINTS** (to 24<sup>th</sup> September 2015)

Weekly Totals		Cumulative Totals	
Wind	173	Wind	517
Water	143	Water	491
Earth	129	Fire	446
Fire	119	Earth	429

# **DINNER MENU – 28<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER**

Monday	Beef Bolognese	Vegetable Lasagne with Salad	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Tuna Mayo
Tuesday	Beef Burger in a Bun with	Chickpea & Vegetable Hotpot	Jacket Potato with Tuna	Cheese
	New Potatoes			
Wednesday	Roast Turkey	Mixed Vegetable Loaf	Jacket Potato with Beans	Egg & Cress
Thursday	Hot Dog	Spicy Veggie Burger		Turkey
Friday	Battered Fish	Cheese & Leek Flan	Jacket Potato with Beans	Egg Mayo

## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> October	Family Night		7.00pm – 9.30pm	
Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	6JW Class Assembly		9.15am	
Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> October	Y1	Warwick Castle	All day	
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> October	Whole School	Operation Christmas Child		
Weds 14 <sup>th</sup> October	Y3 and Y4	Caerleon Museum	All day	
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> October	Whole School	Harvest Assembly	9.15am Everyone welcome	
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Y2	Warwick Castle	All day	
Weds 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm	
Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm	
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	INSET DAY			
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> October		HALF TERM		
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> November	Whole School	Start of new Term	8.40am	
Fri 6 <sup>th</sup> November	6AK	Class Assembly	9.15am	
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Whole School	Remembrance Day Assembly		
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> November	2LN	Class Assembly	9.15am	
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> November	KS1 and KS2	Disco		
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> November	Y6	Cycle Training	All Week	
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> November	5SS	Class Assembly	9.15am	
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> November	3KM	Class Assembly	9.15am	
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Whole School	St Andrew's Day – wear blue		
Sat 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre		2.00pm – 4.00pm	
Weds 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Y3 and Y4	Christingle	5.30pm/6.00pm	
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Whole School	Mass	9.15am Everyone welcome	
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	School Finishes at 1.00pm			

Carol Baron Headteacher