

St Peter's Catholic Primary School School Newsletter 23

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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	Linking counting back to finding one less than a number	Capital letters, finger spaces and full stops	Growing
Y1	Fractions	Story Mapping	Our Senses
Y2	4 Operations	Non-chronological Reports	Animals including Humans
Y3	Fractions	Diary	Plants
Y4	Shape and Position	Poetry	Living things in their habitats
Y5	Shape	The Highway Man	Forces
Y6	Using and Applying	Grammar	Evolution and Inheritance

GENEROSITY DURING LENT

Over the last two weeks in Core Value assembly, the children have watched videos showing generosity. The first video was about how CAFOD has been generous in helping Florence, how Florence has been generous in helping her community and how the community has been generous in providing for all the children. The link is https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AAsa9StVQOI As a follow up to this, we are collecting any loose change for CAFOD. So if you are shopping and your child would like some biscuits perhaps they could sacrifice the biscuits and give the money to CAFOD instead – this shows generosity to others in need. The second video we watched was The Rainbow Fish https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RbKr-k1PTVA This is a wonderful story which shows the consequences of being selfish and the joys reaped when you are generous. I hope you enjoy them.

PFA SUMMER FUN DAY – CHANGE OF DATE

The PFA Summer Fun Day is now on Friday 23rd June instead of Saturday 24th June due to Little Mix playing at Kingsholm.

HEADLICE

We have had cases of headlice in school again particularly in RJB and RLW. Please can parents check their children regularly and treat as appropriate. Speak to your chemist and enquire about the Minor Ailment Scheme – you might be entitled to free headlice treatment. Thank you.

FOREST SCHOOL THANK YOU

Thank you to all parents who have kindly made or donated resources for our Forest School area. We now have enough resources and materials for the time being for the children to enjoy. We are very lucky to have such generous families in our school community. Thank you so much.

LIFE EDUCATION CENTRE

The Life Education Centre visited our school this week. The Life Education Centre aims to help children develop the confidence and thinking skills needed to make informed health choices. The children explored a range of health related issues such as hygiene and healthy eating, managing emotions and keeping safe. KS2 children explored the use and effects of drugs, in an ageappropriate way.

- "Our hearts beat and send blood around our bodies." Elsie RJB
- "We were learning about bodies and we did exercises star jumps! We talked about our hearts and brains." Lizbeth 2SS
- "We learnt all about drugs what kind of drugs there are and why we shouldn't take them" Amelia 5HC
- "We also learnt that caffeine and tobacco are types of drugs and that some drugs are used for medicines." Daniel 6CJ

CONGRATULATIONS ST PETER'S NETBALL TEAM

A huge well done to our netball team who beat Tredworth Primary School 9-3 at home last night. It was a super team effort with all players demonstrating excellent skill and sportsmanship throughout. For the Year 6 players this was their last match of their St Peter's netball career so it was fantastic that they finished on such a great result. Congratulations Ella, Cassia, Esther, Teagan, Lorna, Jakub, Bobby and Reo. A super team! Also I would like to thank the parents for their continued support during the season, and to the PFA for providing refreshments for the home and away teams after home matches. Thank you, Miss Williams.

LEARNING GEMS

Congratulations to Brooke in 2SS for achieving a Ruby Power Certificate for showing kindness and supporting others.

SCHOOL WEBSITE

St Peter's Catholic Primary School website, www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk, contains lots of information for Parents and Carers and includes a section on what support is available for families as well as activities for children. Please do explore the site as you may find something that interests you or may be of some help for your family. We update regularly with new information so it's worth checking in to see what is being offered.

HOUSE POINTS (to 9th March 2017)

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Weekly Totals		Cumulative Totals		
Wind	189	Earth	878	
Water	174	Wind	839	
Earth	147	Water	822	
Fire	140	Fire	677	

DINNER MENU - w/c 13th MARCH

Monday	Meatballs in Gravy	Cheese, Tomato & Spinach Quiche	Jacket Potato with Tuna
Tuesday	Diced Pork Goulash	Macaroni Cheese	Jacket Potato with Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Chicken	Sweet & Sour Quorn with Noodles	Jacket Potato with Beans
Thursday	Cottage Pie	Spring Vegetable Cottage Pie	Jacket Potato with Salmon Mayo
Friday	Fishwich	Veggie Hot Dog	Jacket Potato with Beans

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 17 th March	Whole School	St Patrick's Day	Wear groop accessory
Thurs 23 ^{ra} March	Y6	Isle of Wight Information Evening	Wear green accessory 6.00pm
Fri 24 th March	Y5 Y1	Class Assembly	I
Mon 27 th March	Y1 Y5	SkillZONE	9.15am and 2.30pm
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Mon 3 ^{ra} April	Whole School	Palm Sunday Service	9.05am – Everyone welcome
Tues 4 th April	EYFS/KS1	Hour of Prayer	During the school day
Weds 5 th April	KS2	Hour of Prayer	During the school day
Thurs 6 th April	Whole School	Wear Purple to School	Non-school uniform
Thurs 6 th April	Whole School	The Last Supper Service	9.05am – Everyone welcome
Fri 7 th April	Whole School	Stations of the Cross Service	9.15am – Everyone welcome
Fri 7 th April	Whole School	Finish for Easter Holidays	1.00pm
Mon 24 th April	Whole School	Start of the New Term	8.55am
Mon 24 th April	Whole School	St George's Day	Wear a Red Accessory
Tues 25 th April	Whole School	Resurrection Mass	2.15pm – Everyone welcome
Tues 2 ^{na} May	Whole School	May Procession	2.30pm
Fri 5 th May	Whole School	Children's Disco	
Fri 26 th May	Y5	Class Assembly	9.15am and 2.30pm
Fri 26 th May		Finish for Half Term	3.15pm
Mon 5 th June		INSET DAY	
Tues 6 ^{tn} June		Start of the New Term	8.55am
Fri 9 ^{tn} June	Y2	Class Assembly	9.15am and 2.30pm
Weds 14 th June	Y6	Leavers Mass, Clifton	Leaving 9.15am
Weds 14 th June	EYFS	New Intake Information Evening	6.00pm for 6.30pm
Fri 23 ^{ra} June		Summer Fun Day	3.00pm – 5.00pm
Fri 23 ^{ra} June	Whole School	Non-Uniform Day	
Thurs 29 th June	Whole School	St Peter and St Paul Mass	1.45pm – Everyone welcome
Fri 30 th June	EYFS	Year Assembly	1.45pm and 2.30pm
Fri 7 ^{tn} July	Y6	Prom	6.30 for 7pm Carriages at 9pm
Thurs 13 th July	KS2	Summer Production	6.00pm
Fri 14 th July	Whole School	Sports Day	All day
Mon 17 th July	Y6	Leavers Mass @ St Peters Church	10.00am
Tues 18 th July	Whole School	Sports Day (Reserve date)	All day
Thurs 20 th July		End of the School Year	1.00pm
Tues 5 th September	Whole School	Start of the New Academic Year	8.55am

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