

St Peter's Catholic Primary School School Newsletter 10

Friday 17th November 2017

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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 Group	Maths	English	Science
Reception	Finding more or less than a group of objects	Writing sounds in words	Baking Bread
Y1	Subtraction	Patterned stories – The Gruffalo	Materials
Y2	Subtraction	Reports	Everyday Materials
Y3	Measures	Instructions	Light and Shadow
Y4	Multiplication and Division	Stories from other cultures	Circuits
Y5	Multiplication and Division	Journalistic Writing	Animals including humans
Y6	Time	Historical Stories	Animals including humans

HEADLICE IN SCHOOL!

We have headlice in school again. Can we please ask that you check your child's hair at least once a week to make sure they do not have headlice. If headlice are present please treat as appropriate. Many thanks.

ADMISSIONS FOR RECEPTION SEPTEMBER 2018

Was your child born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014? Then they are entitled to start school in the Autumn Term of 2018. The admission policy for 2018-2019 and copies of our parish maps showing the catchment area for the school are available on the school website: www.st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk if you have any queries, please contact Gina Powell on the above number or by email: admin@st-peters-pri.gloucs.sch.uk. The closing date for applications is 15th January 2018.

GIRLS' FOOTBALL CLUB – CANCELLED MONDAY 20th NOVEMBER

The girls' football club next Monday is cancelled due to an arranged football fixture. There will be normal club the following Monday. Apologies for any inconvenience.

BOOK FAIR – w/c MONDAY 20th NOVEMBER

The travelling book fair will be in school on Monday 20th November until Friday 24th November. Your child should be coming home tonight with a leaflet showing some of the books they will be selling. Children should get an opportunity to visit the book fair in the afternoons however, it will be open after school every evening.

NON-UNIFORM DAY – FRIDAY 1st DECEMBER

We are having a non-uniform day on Friday 1st December in aid of the Christmas Fayre (Saturday 2nd December 2017 11am – 2pm). Donations of cakes, chocolates, toiletries, bottles, cuddly toys and gifts for the Wrapping Room can be brought to the school office. Many thanks.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE – SATURDAY 2nd DECEMBER 11AM – 2PM

Save the date! The Christmas Fayre promises to be full of many wonderful fun activities for the children to engage in, there will be a wrapping room for children only where the children can buy presents for their family and friends and wrap them in secrecy, there will be face paints and art activities and word has it that Santa will also be here! We will have all the usual stalls – chocolate tombola, hook-a-bag etc and we will be serving hot and cold drinks, turkey rolls and hot dogs. Everyone welcome!

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK 13th - 17th NOVEMBER 2017

National anti-bullying week has taken place this week. This year's theme was 'All Different, All Equal'. During the week, the children have developed their understanding that bullying:

- 1. Goes on for a while, or happens regularly;
- 2. Is deliberate. The other person wants to hurt, humiliate or harm the target.
- 3. Involves someone (or several people) who are stronger in some way than the person being bullied. The person doing the bullying has more power; they are older, stronger, there are more of them or they have some 'hold' over the target (e.g. they know a secret about them).

Because these three things have to happen together for something to be called 'bullying' your child will learn that bullying is not:

- ullet A one-off fight or argument; lacktriangle
- •A friend sometimes being nasty; [2]
- •An isolated argument with a friend.

Alicia 6YW: "Bullying does not always need to be physical - it can be online and hurt someone just as much."

Poppy 2GK: "Saying means things is bullying." Jenny 2GK added "It is when you say them over and over again."

In school we have held a competition to design a new anti-bullying logo for our school letterhead. The winner will be announced shortly.

BOYS' FOOTBALL TEAM

The boys football team played Robinswood at home. The match ended as 1-3 to Robinswood. The St Peters' goal was scored by Nigel (6CJ) with a helpful rebound from a Robinswood defender. The boys played really well against an experienced team, defending well and showing great team spirit.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

This year we collected 60 shoe boxes to send to children less fortunate than ourselves. Thank you to everyone who made this kind gesture. If you missed the collection, you can drop your completed box off at one of the following drop off points before 18th November.

- 1. The ENTERTAINER, Unit 1, 34-38 Kings Walk Gloucester GL1 1RX (Mon-Sat 9.00am 5.30pm).
- 2. Shoe Zone, 28 Northgate Street, Gloucester (Mon-Sat: 9.00am 5.30pm, Sun: 10.00am 4.00pm).
- 3. Morrisons Supermarket, Metz Way, Gloucester, GL1 1DS (Mon-Sat 7.00 11pm, Sun: 10am 4.00pm).
- 4. Tesco Supermarket, St. Oswald's Park, Gloucester, GL1 2SG (Mon-Sat 6am midnight, Sun 10am 4.00pm)

LEARNING GEMS

Congratulations to Javier, Wojiech, Theo, Nevaeh, Eliza, Monce, Liam, Anna, Annabel, Nyah, Shanelle, Kayde, Christopher, Saveen, Natalia, Riley and Katie in 1LD for earning a Sapphire Award for staying focused and avoiding master distractions.

SCHOOL NETBALL TEAM

Congratulations to the school netball team who won their lost 2 games against Kingsholm (7-3) and Grange (8-1). These two wins were very well deserved as the players have worked really hard to learn new skills in training sessions. They lost their first two games to Robinswood (9-0) and Upton-St-Leonards (9-1). Congratulations to all inovled.

HOUSE POINTS (to 16th November 2017)

Weekly Totals		Cumulative Totals	
Fire	230	Wind	1558
Earth	213	Earth	1401
Water	190	Fire	1386
Wind	188	Water	1354

DINNER MENU - w/c 20th NOV

Monday	Burger with Wedges	Bean & Vegetable Hotpot	Jacket Potato with Beans
Tuesday	Chicken Pasta	Macaroni Cheese	Jacket Potato with Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Turkey	Mixed Vegetable Loaf	Jacket Potato with Salmon Mayo
Thursday	Beef Mince Tortilla Stack	Vegetable Pasta Bolognaise	Jacket Potato with Beans
Friday	Fish Fingers & Chips	Cheese & Tomato Quiche	Jacket Potato with Cheese

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 20 th November	Whole School	Book Fair	During the week
Thurs 30 th November	Whole School	St Andrew's Day – wear BLUE accessory	
Fri 1 st December	Whole School	Non-Uniform Day – bring a donation to	All day
		school for the PFA Christmas Fayre	
Sat 2 ^{na} December		Christmas Fayre	11.00am – 2.00pm
Weds 6 th December	Whole School	Christmas Dinner	
Weds 13 th December	EYFS	Nativity	2.15pm
Fri 15 th December	Whole School	Christmas Jumper Day	
Thurs 21 st December	Whole School	Christmas Mass	9.15am – Everyone welcome
Thurs 21 st December	Finish at 1.00pm for Christmas		
Mon 8 th January	Whole School	Start of the new term	8.55am
Fri 26 th January	Y3	Assembly	9.15am and 2.30pm
Fri 26 th January		PFA Family Night	7.00pm – 9.30pm
Tues 6 th February	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Weds 7 th February	Whole School	Parents' Evening	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Fri 9 th February	Finish for Half Term – Normal Time		
Mon 12 th February	HALF TERM		
Mon 19 th February	INSET		
Tues 20 th February	Whole School	Start of the new Term	8.55am
Thurs 1 st March	Whole School	St David's Day	Wear a yellow accessory
Thurs 1 st March	Whole School	World Book Day	
Fri 16 th March	Whole School	St Patrick's Day	Wear a green accessory

Fri 23 ^{ra} March	Y1	Assembly	9.15am and 2.30pm
Mon 26 th March	Whole School	Palm Sunday Service	9.05am
Weds 28 th March	Whole School	Maundy Thursday Service	9.05am
Thurs 29 th March	Whole School	Good Friday Stations	9.15am
Thurs 29 th March	Finish at 1.00pm		

Carol Baron Headteacher