

Weekly Newsletter - Friday 21st May - Summer 2 Term

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Safeguarding Statement: This school takes notice of and adheres to all the national and local policies and guidance in regard to Safeguarding Children and Young People.

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Dear Parent and Carer,

What an eventful week we have had! With the torrential downpours and thankfully now being allowed to venture into indoor venues, we hope this has brought you all some more enjoyment after such a tedious year. With one week to go before the May Half Term, let us take this time to enjoy new found freedom.

We have had a very successful week running our new style Parent and Teacher meetings, we have already received lots of positive messages from parents on how well the events were run, from timekeeping to less background noise, allowing parents a more effective time to discuss their child and achievements. Well done to everyone involved in making these evenings a success. Thank you all for working with us this past year.

As we celebrate Pentecost Sunday and the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles in Jerusalem. Did you know the name is derived from the Greek word "pentekoste" which means fiftieth as Pentecost Sunday takes place on the 50th day of Easter. It is also the birth of Christianity. Perhaps this could form the basis of talk around the dinner table tonight while its fresh in your memory.

Spirituality Sunday 23rd May - Pentecost Sunday



This week is Laudato Si Week, a time when we are asked to reflect upon the responsibility we all have to listen and respond to "the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor" (LS49). Click here [Pope Francis' invitation](#) to hear the Holy Father's call to take part. In this week's year group chaplaincy session, Y6 heard that as the UK is hosting both the G7 and the COP26 this year, we in the UK have both an opportunity and a responsibility to ensure that the world's leaders know that "the eyes of the world" are on them to work together for a sustainable future for all.



At last Sunday's Regina Coeli address, Pope Francis said, "I pray that the city might be a place of encounter and not of violent clashes, a place of prayer and peace. We join with the Holy Father in continuing to pray for a peaceful and just end to the conflict in Jerusalem and surrounding area.



Creator God, who made our beautiful world, appointed us as its guardians and gifted us with everything we need, forgive us for the times we cause it harm; for the times our way of life affects our neighbours. Inspire us to care for the environment; to help rebuild lives and communities; to share in the griefs and anxieties, joys and hopes of all your people, so that all your creation may flourish. Amen. Stephen Davies/CAFOD

During the week 23rd May - 30th May, we are asked to engage in a A Week of Prayer for the Church and people of China. *May the Church in China persevere in witness to the faith. May the Church throughout the world be a visible sign of unity.*



Table Talk Topic for this week - Can you feel happy and sad at the same time?

News for the week

Attendance

The attendance figure for w/c 21.05.2021

Infants Juniors
97.9% 97.4%

Our target is:
97.4%
Well done

Stars of the week

Week Ending 21st May 2021

R Fox Class	Albert A
R Hedgehog Class	Ella C & Anna C
R Squirrel Class	Matilda C
1 Robin Class	Olivia S
1 Sparrow Class	Imogen B
1 Wren Class	Gabrielle T
2 Heron Class	Olivia V
2 Jay Class	Zachary W
2 Woodpecker Class	Gabriela J

House Points

Becket	Clitheroe
1361	1213
Fisher	Moore
1462	1431

Reporting Absence

Please note when reporting your child absence, you will need to call each day of absence and also include an email to the office.

Scooters & Bikes

Please be reminded all scooters and bikes need to be secured in the allocated places.



Here is the [LINK to the May/June issue](#) of Families LSB magazine. You will also have received a paper version of the magazine. Take a look at all of the fun and exciting things to do now that the restrictions have been relaxed a little more.

Parent Forum Meeting - Thursday 27th May 2021 at 9am in the Infant Community Room

Next week we have the return of our Parent Forum Meetings starting again, we are looking forward to meeting with our parent reps.

Lost Property

The Lost property boxes will be placed outside the office on Friday after school, any items not collected will be placed into the 'Berty Bin' at the Infants. We still have a number of items at the Junior school, such as glasses, etc. which still have not been claimed.

Immunisation Nurse Opportunities Sutton & Merton

The 2021/2022 school age flu vaccination programme is expanding. We have many exciting job vacancies for nurses who want to deliver school age vaccinations and we are offering, Bank permanent and flexible working hour contracts to work around your home life.

Training and education is provided. In addition, you also benefit from an Outer London allowance. If you feel you have the drive and ambition to rise to this challenge and really want to make a difference, then we want to hear from you.

[Term Time Nurse Positions](#)

[Full time Nurse Position](#)

[Bank Nurse Positions](#)

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Wednesday Word

Please click on the link below to access the weekly Wednesday Word:

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/growing?pid=MTA101634&v=25.6>