



St Mary's Catholic Federation, Carshalton

Weekly Newsletter-Friday 22nd September

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Executive Headteacher, Mrs S Hulme. Chair of Governors, Mr B Tomkins

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. **Lead Safeguarding Person Junior School:** Mrs G Owens and **Nursery & Infant School:** Mrs M Quinn. **Safeguarding Deputy:** Mrs S Hulme **Safeguarding Governor:** Mr A Scully

Dear Parents/Carers,

Another active week, thank you for supporting the spelling workshop sessions and for the feedback which helps us to plan other events. Although styles change from time to time, the common practice of learning basic skills does not. Children need to be exposed to literacy and numbers from an early age with family support to help them develop effective ongoing learning. Our continual message is to read with your children and help them to learn their number bonds/sentences and multiplication tables please.

Next week is another busy week with meetings planned in each school.

It is important to try to attend either the SMIF AGM and /or the FSMs. These parent associations work tirelessly in raising funds to enhance the school environment. We look forward to seeing you there.

We wish Mr O'Sullivan, Teaching Assistant in the Junior School who left us recently, good luck as he embarks on a career in the police force. May he enjoy much success. Mrs Conway resigned from her post as Teaching Assistant in the Infant School during the holidays. On behalf of the staff and governors we join our thanks for their service at St Mary's and wish them health and happiness.

Spirituality

Sunday 24th September - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Morning reflection is issued every week by our Chaplain and is available on both schools websites

<http://www.stmarysjunior.org.uk/spirituality.php> <http://www.stmarysinfschool.org.uk/spirituality.php>

Just a reminder, that we have a Prayer Intention Book in the Reception area of each school. Please feel free to write your intentions in as you wish.

News for the week

- Just a reminder that the E-Safety meeting is taking place at the Junior School on Thursday 28th September. The booking system will be open from Monday afternoon to give the school an indication of how many will be attending. An email will be sent with instructions on how to book.
- The transfer to high school meeting for current year 6 parents is on Monday 25th September at 6pm. Miss Noone from St Philomena's High School and Mr McCullagh from The John Fisher School will be presenting at the meeting.
- Star of the Week - week ending 15th September - Reindeer Class - Timmy Bazeikin, Giraffe Class - Flynn Wood, Cheetah Class - Richelle Moya, Meerkat Class - Julia Omoregie, Horse Class - Alisha Kane, Owl Class - Esther Chak. Well done.
- Congratulations also to our newly appointed Head Boy - Michael Chak and Head Girl - Chloe Baron at the Junior school.



NURSERY & INFANTS' SCHOOL



JUNIOR SCHOOL

	Mon 25 Sept	6PM Transfer to High School meeting for Year 6 parents with Miss Noone of St Philomena's and Mr McCullagh from The John Fisher School
	Tue 26 Sept	Parent rep Meeting 9am (please note this is different to the Parent Forum)
	Wed 27 Sept	3 Mulberry Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome FSM Meeting/ AGM 8pm. All welcome.
Meerkat Class Liturgy 9am - Parents welcome E-Safety Meeting 7-8pm at the Junior School. Parents of both schools welcome. No children please.	Thur 28 Sept	E-Safety Meeting 7-8pm at the Junior School. Parents of both schools welcome. No children please.
	Fri 29 Sept	Swimming 5B, 6C & 6O
CAFOD Harvest Assembly - children only	Mon 2 Oct	
Open Day for Reception 2018 Intake 9.30am Open Day for Nursery 2018 Intake 2pm	Wed 4 Oct	3 Hawthorn Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
Reindeer Class Liturgy 9am - Parents welcome	Thur 5 Oct	
	Fri 6 Oct	Swimming 5B, 6C & 6O Children's Disco 6pm to 7.45pm
Parent Forum Meeting 9am Junior School	Tue 10 Oct	Parent Forum Meeting 9am Junior School
	Wed 11 Oct	6 Chestnut Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome Year 5 Sex Education, Isle of Wight and Under Canvas meeting for parents only 7pm
Giraffe Class Liturgy 9am - Parents welcome	Thur 12 Oct	
	Fri 13 Oct	Swimming 5B, 6C & 6O
SCHOOL CLOSSES 2PM Parents Evening by appointment 2.20pm to 5.20pm for Parents only.	Mon 16 Oct	SCHOOL CLOSSES 2PM Parents Evening by appointment 2.20pm to 5.20pm for Parents only.
Individual and sibling photos	Tue 17 Oct	Individual and sibling photos
Parents Evening by appointment 5pm to 8pm for Parents only.	Wed 18 Oct	3 Willow Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
Cheetah Class Liturgy 9am - Parents welcome	Thur 19 Oct	Sutton School Work Assembly Parents Evening by appointment 5pm to 8pm for Parents only.
SCHOOL FINISHES	Fri 20 Oct	Swimming 5E, 5S & Mixed group of year 6 SCHOOL FINISHES
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Mon 30 Oct	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Tue 31 Oct	Open Day Year 3 2018 Intake 2pm
	Wed 1 Nov	5 Birch Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
	Thur 2 Nov	Open Day Year 3 2018 Intake 2pm - Date changed to Tuesday 31st October.
	Fri 3 Nov	Swimming 5E, 5S & Mixed group of year 6
Open Day Nursery 2018 Intake 9.30am Open Day Reception 2018 Intake 2pm	Tue 7 Nov	
	Wed 8 Nov	5 Sycamore Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
	Thur 9 Nov	Sutton Schools Assembly

Flu Programme for Years Reception to Year 2. More information to follow.	Fri 10 Nov	Flu Programme for Years 3 & 4. More information to follow. Swimming 5E, 5S & Mixed group of year 6
Full Governing Body meeting 7pm at the Infant School	Tue 14 Nov	Full Governing Body meeting 7pm at the Infant School
	Wed 15 Nov	4 Poplar Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
	Fri 17 Nov	Swimming 5E, 5S & Mixed group of year 6
Sutton Schools work Assembly children only	Mon 20 Nov	
	Wed 22 Nov	4 Rowan Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
	Fri 24 Nov	Swimming 5E, 5S & Mixed group of year 6
Christmas Fayre 12-3pm	Sat 25 Nov	
	Wed 29 Nov	5 Elm Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
Governors Open Day	Fri 1 Dec	Governors Open Day
	Wed 6 Dec	6 Oak Assembly 9am - Parents Welcome
Open Day Nursery & Reception 2018 Intake 9.30am	Thur 7 Dec	
Year 2 children to Junior School to watch Year 3 Nativity	Tue 12 Dec	Year 3 Nativity 1.30pm. Year 2 and Parents of Year 3 welcome Year 3 Nativity 7pm. Parents of Year 3 welcome.
Children's Christmas Lunch	Wed 13 Dec	Children's Christmas Lunch
	Fri 15 Dec	Junior Christmas Fayre 2pm to 4pm
	Mon 18 Dec	Music Night 6.30pm for a 7pm start
NURSERY FINISHES	Tue 19 Dec	Whole school Mass at the Junior School. Children only.
SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM	Wed 20 Dec	SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM
INSET DAY 3	Wed 3 Jan	INSET DAY 3
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Thur 4 Jan	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Fri 5 Jan	Swimming 4R, 6O & 6C
	Fri 12 Jan	Swimming 4R, 6O & 6C
	Fri 19 Jan	Swimming 4R, 6O & 6C
Year 1 Phonics Meeting 2.30pm	Mon 22 Jan	
Year 2 SATS Meeting 2.30pm	Wed 24 Jan	
	Fri 26 Jan	Swimming 4R, 6O & 6C
	Fri 2 Feb	Swimming 4R, 6O & 6C
Parent Forum Meeting 9am Infant School	Wed 7 Feb	Parent Forum Meeting 9am Infant School
	Fri 9 Feb	Swimming 4A, 4P & Mixed group of year 6 SCHOOL FINISHES
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SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Mon 19 Feb	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Tue 20 Feb	PAR meetings for parents and children by appointment 5pm to 8pm
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SCHOOL CLOSES 2PM	Thur 22 Feb	SCHOOL CLOSES 2PM PAR meetings for parents and children by appointment 2.20PM TO 5.30PM
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	Fri 23 Feb	Swimming 4A, 4P & Mixed group of year 6
	Fri 2 Mar	Swimming 4A, 4P & Mixed group of year 6
	Fri 9 Mar	Swimming 4A, 4P & Mixed group of year 6
	Fri 16 Mar	Swimming 4A, 4P & Mixed group of year 6
Full Governing Body Meeting Junior School 7pm	Thur 22 Mar	Full Governing Body Meeting Junior School 7pm

NURSERY FINISHES	Wed 28 Mar	Easter Reflection led by Year 5 11am for Years 3 & 5 1.30pm for year 4 and Parents
SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM	Thur 29 Mar	SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM
INSET DAY 4	Mon 16 Apr	INSET DAY 4
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Tue 17 Apr	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Fri 20 Apr	Swimming 3M, 3W & 3H
	Fri 27 Apr	Swimming 3M, 3W & 3H
Parent Forum Meeting 9am Junior School	Thur 3 May	Parent Forum Meeting 9am Junior School
	Fri 4 May	Swimming 3M, 3W & 3H
BANK HOLIDAY	Fri 7 May	BANK HOLIDAY
	Fri 11 May	Swimming 3M, 3W & 3H
	Mon 14 May	SATS WEEK
	Fri 18 May	Swimming 4A, 4P & 4R
	Fri 25 May	Swimming 4A, 4P & 4R
SCHOOL FINISHES		SCHOOL FINISHES
SCHOOL STARTS 8.55AM	Mon 4 June	SCHOOL STARTS 8.45AM
	Fri 8 June	Swimming 4A, 4P & 4R
	Fri 15 June	Swimming 5B, 5S & 5E
	Sat 16 June	School Journey for Year 6
	Thur 21 June	New Year 3 2018 Intake Parents meeting 7pm
	Fri 22 June	Swimming 5B, 5S & 5E
New Reception 2018 Intake Parents Meeting 2pm	Tue 26 Jun	
New Nursery 2018 Intake Parents Meeting 9.30am	Wed 27 Jun	
	Fri 29 June	Year 5 Under Canvas event
	Tue 3 Jul	Year 5 Coffee morning 9.30am to 10.30am to discuss any concerns you have about transfer to high school. This is not a presentation but a chance to ask questions.
	Wed 4 Jul	Year 5 Coffee afternoon 2pm to 3pm to discuss any concerns you have about transfer to high school. This is not a presentation but a chance to ask questions.
Full Governing Body Meeting Infant School 7pm	Tue 10 Jul	Full Governing Body Meeting Infant School 7pm
Year 2 attending year 6 Production at the Junior School	Tue 17 Jul	Year 6 Production 1.30pm & 7pm. All welcome.
NURSERY FINISHES	Thur 19 July	Final Assembly - children only
SCHOOL FINISHES 2PM	Fri 20 Jul	Leavers Mass 11am. Year 6 Parents welcome
INSET DAY 5	Mon 23 Jul	INSET DAY 5

Term dates can be viewed on either website

<http://www.stmarysinfschool.org.uk/files/diary/school-holiday-dates.pdf>
<http://www.stmarysjunior.org.uk/files/files/school-holiday-dates.pdf>