



Holy Cross Catholic Primary School

'We share in Christ's life so He can guide our thoughts, words and actions'



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Newsletter No.30

Dear Parents

9 May 2014

Thank you to Year 5 and Mrs Motorny for today's amazing class assembly. Many of you who attended commented on how well the children performed and how much you enjoyed it - well done!



SATS!

I'm sure Y6 do not need to be reminded that next week is SATs week. All year 6 children are welcome to arrive at school at 8.10am for a special Year 6 Breakfast Club. Both children and staff have been working very hard - good luck to everyone.



PTA

The PTA met this week; it is going to be very busy this term with different exciting activities planned. The school is very lucky to have such a hardworking and active PTA so well supported by all our families -so thank you to all concerned. Information on forthcoming events will follow.



Matchbox Competition

The PTA's Matchbox competition raised £54 and we saw some amazing designs and contents:

The winners were:

Best Decorated: Ben O (Y2), Luke S (Y2), Calum T (Y5).

Most items in box: Orraith F (Rec) 108 items, Alex H (Y3) 70 items.

Most unusual items: Sam K (Y2) hearing aid battery, Calum T (Y5) smartie tube top.



Music Lesson Vacancies

We have vacancies in our violin lessons for Early Years and Year 1. If your child would like to learn how to play the violin please contact the school office. Thank you.



After SATs Party

Year 6 will be having an after SATs party on Friday 16 May. Year 6 children will receive further information.



Year 2 Vacancy

In the near future we will have a vacancy in our Year 2 class. Please contact the office for further details.



Increase in cost of school meals

We have been advised by our catering company that the price of school meals need to be increased. With effect from Monday 2 June the cost of the school meal will be £2.05.



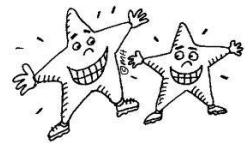
School Bank

HSBC School Bank will be open On Monday 12 May at lunch time in Y6 pod. Bring in your money and watch your savings grow!



Attendance

Our school strives for 100% attendance. This week the class with the highest attendance was Year 4 with 97.16 %. Well done.



Recommendations: Reception: Jake M, Eva H, Darcie W **Year 1:** Cillian K, Cassandra G **Year 2:** Madeline L, Luke S, Marcus P, Ben O, Eva P, Abigail E **Year 3:** Charlie H, Clark T **Year 4:** Ellie-Jo L, Alice H **Year 5:** Whole class **Year 6:** Eilish O, Irene J, Kurtis T.

Super Scribes: Reception: Isla H **Year 1:** Eva D **Year 2:** Sam K **Year 3:** Ben R **Year 4:** Roan D **Year 5:** Alfie U **Year 6:** Patrick S.

Lunchtime Award: KS1 and KS2.

Top Table: Sam K, Isla H, Ellie-Jo L, Alice H, Irene J, Eilish O, Ben R.



Happy Birthday to the following children who have celebrated their birthdays this week:
Ben L (Y3) Jake W (Y3) George H (Y5) Niamh M (Y5)

Dates for your diary - May		
Monday 12 May		Year 6 SATs week
Thursday 15 May	9.15am	Whole School Mass - led by Year 5
Wednesday 21 May	10.30am	Year 5 to St Chads Cathedral Good Shepherd Mass
Thursday 22 May	All day	School closed - Local Elections
Friday 23 May	9.15am	Year 1 class assembly
Dates for your diary - June		
Monday 2 June	All day	School closed - Academy training day
Tuesday 3 June		Photographer in school to take Year 6 leavers' photos
Thursday 5 June	9.15am	Whole School Mass at Holy Cross Church- led by Year 6
Thursday 12 June	9.15am	Whole School Mass - led by Year 4
Saturday 14 June	12.00pm	First Holy Communion
Wednesday 18 June	6.00pm	Reception Induction Evening
Thursday 19 June	tbc	Whole Academy Mass at Bishop Walsh
Friday 20 June	9.15am	Early Years assembly
Saturday 21 June	12.00pm	First Holy Communion
Thursday 26 June	9.15am	Whole School Mass - led by Year 6
Dates for your diary - July		
Thursday 3 July	9.15am	Whole School Mass - led by Year 3
Wednesday 9 July	4.00pm-5.30pm	Cheerleading Competition Years 5 and 6
Thursday 10 July	9.15am	Whole School Mass - led by Year 2
Thursday 17 July	9.15am	Leavers Mass - led by Year 6
Date to be confirmed	6.30pm	Creative Arts Evening, a letter will be sent home
Dates for your diary - September		
Monday 1 September	All day	School closed - Teacher training day
Thursday 25 September	All day	School closed - Teacher training day (with St Joseph's and St Nicholas Primary Schools)

*Three further Teacher Training days to be confirmed

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours sincerely

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Principal

"Heaven and earth shall pass away, but My words shall not pass away."



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