



St Joseph's

Catholic Primary School

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Friday 29th April 2016

Dear Parents,

Our Section 48 RE Inspection took place on Wednesday this week. The official report will not be received for another few weeks. The children in all lessons, and prayer services were fabulous, as always. The inspector was very complimentary of the Yr 5 and Y6 children who were called to meet with him. He was able to see what a wonderful school St Joseph's is.

Well done to all staff whom have worked so hard these past few weeks preparing the evidence and to everyone over the past 5 years since the last inspection. St Joseph's really has a fantastic team!!

Year 4 class assembly

Well done Year 4 for a wonderful assembly this morning- all about Truthfulness! (fabulous singing)

Football team

The team has had a busy week this week. They beat Mere Green 10-0 in the local league comp. But yesterday were beaten in the Semi Finals of the HMS Vase Trophy 2-1 by Sacred Heart Aston (although we did hit the woodwork twice- just wasn't to be)

As Rudyard Kipling says in his famous poem 'If'

.. If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster

And treat those two impostors just the same... you'll be a man!

The attitude of the boys after such a big triumph and then through the low yesterday was fantastic- boys, we are very proud of you!

Extra Curricular Clubs run by the School this term

Mondays- Chess - Y4/ Y5 & Y6 alternate weeks, Mr O'Hara **lunchtime**

Mondays- Netball - Y5, Miss Rudd **lunchtime**

Wednesdays - Multiskills - Y3 & Y4, Mr Ballentine **3.20pm-4.20pm**

Thursdays - Netball Skills Y3 & Y4, Mr Ballentine **3.20pm-4.20pm**

Thursdays- Singing Club Y3 & Y4, Mrs Terry **lunchtime**

Thursdays- Netball - Y6, Miss Harris and Miss Daley **lunchtime**

Fridays- Netball - Y5 & Y6, Mr Ballentine **lunchtime**

Fridays - Football - Y5 & Y6, Mr Ballentine **3.20pm-4.20pm**



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After School Clubs - externally run this term

Afterschool clubs not run by the school are;

Mondays - Tennis - Yrs 3 & 4

Tuesdays - Zumba - Key Stage 1 only

Thursdays - Aston Villa - Key Stage 2 - 18 places only for next half term.

Any enquiries for these clubs are also to be directed through the Club leaders and not the main office. Thank you

Building work

Contractors Newsletter

Morgan Sindall produce a monthly update newsletter to inform everyone what progress has taken place and what is being planned over the coming weeks. These newsletters can be found on the school website under the 'expansion' tab, the April edition is there.

Works

Lots of heavy (and loud) steel piling has been taking place at the rear of the school this week- this is now complete

Questionnaires

Thank you to those who have returned the parental Questionnaire- results are being collated and will be shared soon!

School Uniform New Provider- The School have moved to a New Uniform provider- Mapac. You can follow the direct link through to their order page and range via the 'blue tie' icon on our website home page. Please note - deliveries can be made directly to school



Sutton Coldfield Charitable Trust

If you live in the Sutton Coldfield area and you need assistance with purchasing the school uniform we may be able to assist you through an organisation called Sutton Coldfield Charitable Trust. A number of parents have benefited from this in the past.

To be eligible for an award parents/carers must be permanently resident in one of the four wards of Sutton Coldfield - New Hall, Vesey, Trinity or Four Oaks.

If you are in one of the four wards in Sutton Coldfield and feel you may be eligible please speak to Mrs Coeulle to request a form or telephone the charity direct on 0121 351 2262 if you have any questions. All communications are confidential.



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Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancy - PLEASE CONSIDER

We have a vacancy for a lunchtime supervisor. Please enquire with Mrs Coeulle/ Latino in the office, if you or someone you know is interested in applying.

Rosary we enter May next week, children from all classes have the opportunity to join together at certain playtimes to pray a decade of the Rosary in Honour of Mary. Please encourage your children to bring their own rosary beads to school to make it extra special.



May is the Month for honouring Mary the mother of God in a special way. We build altars and shrines in her honour and say prayers to her more so than at other times.

Memorare

**Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary
that never was it known
that anyone who fled to thy protection,
implored thy help or sought thy intercession,
was left unaided.
Inspired with this confidence,**

Yours sincerely,

G.M. O'Hara
Principal



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Please note the following diary events

Dates for diary - May 2016		
MONDAY 2 nd MAY BANK HOLIDAY - CLOSED		
Tues 3 rd May	10.00am	Year 4 walk to Holy Trinity for Mass
Tues 3 rd	4pm	BCSSA Cross Country at Priory School
Fri 6 th	All day	Year 4 Class trip to Selly Manor
Fri 6 th	9.00am	Mass led by FY children
Mon 9 th - Fri 13 th	Am	Year 6 SATS Week in the Hall
Tues 10 th	7pm	PTA meeting
Fri 13 th	All day	FY classes trip to Ash End Farm
Fri 13 th		NO ASSEMBLY
Tues 17 th	10.00am	Year 6 walk to Holy Trinity for Mass
Fri 20 th	9.00am	Congratulations Assembly
Tues 24 th	10.15am	Fr Hudson Mass @ St Chad's Cathedral - group of children attending
Tues 24 th	10.00am	Year 2 walk to Holy Trinity for Mass
Wed 25 th	All day	Class year group Photographs
Fri 27 th May	9.00am	Year 5 Class led Assembly
30 th May - 3 rd June Half Term		
Dates to be aware of June & July :		
Thurs 30 th June	All day	Year 6 to Year 7 transition day
Fri 1 st July	9.00am	Year 3 Mass of Thanksgiving for their First Holy Communion
Tues 12 th July	1pm	Sports Day
Wed 20 th July	7pm	Year 6 Production
Fri 22 nd July	9.00am	Leavers Mass

School Term dates available on the website [Diary and Term Dates | St Joseph's](#)

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