

Together we live and learn, we play and pray.

Sacred Heart RC Primary School Newsletter

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Ascension of the Lord (Year A)

Welcome back after our half term break. We have a very busy and exciting half term ahead of us with FOSH Summer Fayre, Global day, Feast of Sacred Heart and Year 6 leavers mass happening, to name but a few events taking place. Please look out in the weekly newsletter or other ParentMail messages to keep up to date on how you can become involved. Finally, I would like to say a huge well done for your fundraising as part of the race for life mile during Sports Week. The total raised was £169.50, which has gone to Cancer Research UK.

God of forgiveness, come to us today and renew our hearts so that we may see everyone we meet with your eyes, and welcome them with open hands. Amen

Mr Cooper Head of School

Weekly Attendance

Congratulations to Yr2 for having 99.03% attendance this week. Our overall school attendance this week is 96.9%. Meaning our school attendance so far is – 96.53%.

Woburn Safari Park

Reception had a wonderful day at Woburn safari park yesterday and even managed to avoid the rain. We started the day with the walking safari where we saw meerkats, penguins, lemurs and goats. We also had a classroom session with a ranger who showed us different animal skins and a real life snake. After lunch, we watched the little monkeys being fed and the very funny sea lions. The highlight of the day was the driving safari where we saw elephants, lions, tigers, bears, giraffes, more monkeys and, most importantly, zebras! The children were absolutely fantastic, as always, and other visitors commented on how well behaved they were.



Mrs Cutter

Dance Workshop



This week 15 children from across KS2 attended a two day dance workshop at The Cresset. The children worked incredibly hard working with local choreographers and musicians to create a classical dance piece. All of the children were a credit to the school and we look forward to seeing their performance in the Primary Dance Festival.

Fidget Spinners

As many of you will be aware, through your children or the media, fidget spinners have become a very popular toy for children and teenagers. I would like to remind you all that there is no reason for these to be brought into school to be used at playtime or lunchtime as is the same with any other toy or gadget from home.

FOSH Summer Fayre

On Friday 7th July we will be holding our annual Summer Fayre. Children will have the opportunity to enjoy a number of games and activities in the afternoon, organised by teachers and staff. Games will cost 20p each and prizes can we won. From 3.15pm to 5.30pm FOSH will be organising plenty of fun for our families, including games, activities, inflatables a BBQ and much more. Keep looking out over the coming weeks for more information.

Global Day

Our annual Global Day event will be held on Friday 16th June. Ms Priddy has been working extremely hard over the last few weeks and months to prepare for this. The day will consist of a range of geographical activities in the morning with the children taking us on a tour around the world. The day will finish with our families joining us in the afternoon. If you are not involved in the day please come along after school and see what it is all about.

New Reception Evening

On Tuesday evening, I had the pleasure of meeting all our new families joining the school in September. During the evening we provided several experiences for our new parents to sample including the uniform, school dinners and a guided tour of the school. Thank you to all the Yr6 children for their efforts in showing our parents around. Everyone commented on how sensible and mature they were. Thank you to all the adults who stayed and showed their support on the evening.

School Nurse Drop in Clinic

Our school nurse has had to reschedule her drop in clinic from 13th June to <u>Tuesday 20th June 2017</u> between 9.15-11.30am. Please see Mrs Valentine in the office to book an appointment slot.

St Felix Seniors Group

For your information there is a seniors group that meets Tuesday afternoons 2.00pm-4.30pm in the hall. All senior citizens are welcome.

Parent and toddler group at St Oswald's

For your information there is a parent and toddler group that meet every Wednesday morning from 10.30am at St Oswald's church hall.

School Notice Boards

Please look out on our school notice boards for the latest FOSH minutes, governor minutes, weekly newsletter and general school updates.

Ofsted Parent View

Parent View gives you the chance to tell us what you think about your child's school. Parent View asks for your opinion on 12 aspects of your child's school, from the quality of teaching to behaviour. A screencast demonstrating how to register and complete a survey on Parent View is available on the website www.parentview.ofsted.gov.uk By sharing your views, you'll be helping us to further improve as a school.

Summer Term Dates - 2017	
12-6-17	Phonics Check Week – Yr 1 only
12-6-17	Yr3/4 Sealife Centre Trip
15-6-17	9.15 Mass Yr1/2
16-6-17	Global Day
19-6-17	Assessment Week Yrs 1, 3, 4 and 5
20-6-17	School Nurse Drop in Clinic – See office for an appointment
22-6-17	No Mass – Fr Tom attending a Deans Meeting
23-6-17	Feast of Sacred Heart
26-6-17	Year 6 visit to Walsingham
29-6-17	9.30 Whole School Mass– St Peter and St Paul
4-7-17	Yr5/6 Science Museum Trip
6-7-17	9.15 Mass Yr3/4
7-7-17	Summer Fayre
12-7-17	School Reports Out

13-7-17	Move up Day
13-7-17	9.15 Mass Yr5/6
17-7-17	Open Evening 3.30 – 4.30pm
17-7-17	Yr6 Leavers Party 4.30pm (Provisional)
18-7-17	Yr6 Leavers Mass 9.15
19-7-17	Last Day