



Sacred Heart RC Primary School Newsletter

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Epiphany of the Lord (Year A)

Together we live and learn, we play
and pray.

Happy new year and welcome back! I hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas holiday. We have had busy holidays with teachers preparing exciting role play areas and corridors to enhance the children's learning. All children have made great starts to their new topics with Reception class taking part in a sound walk, KS1 making marvellous mixtures for their Muck, Mess and Mixtures theme, Year 3 and 4 spent today making cave art and objects for their Tribal Tales theme and Year 5 and 6 have been preparing for their WW2 theme day next week.

God of light, you sent your Spirit down upon your Son Jesus at his baptism. Send us your Spirit too, so that we may be filled with the courage to do all that you ask of us. Amen.

Mr Cooper
Head of School

Weekly Attendance

Congratulations to Reception for having 100% attendance this week – AMAZING! Our overall school attendance this week was 95.53%; meaning our school attendance so far is – 96.9%.

Muck, Mess and Mixtures!

On Wednesday, KS1 started their new topic 'Muck, mess and mixtures' off. As the title suggests, there was a lot of mess and the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves whilst creating it. In year two, children used a variety of 'ingredients' to create some potions that smelt very interesting and looked 'different'. They also designed some potion bottles that will be on display in the corridor.

In year one, children created some great pieces of art work using salt, cornflour, self-raising flour, food colouring and water. We also made 'slime' which was fascinating to the children. Both years thoroughly enjoyed themselves and created a huge mess to start off our topic in an engaging way.



Farmhouse Breakfast – 25th January 2017

As part of Farmhouse Breakfast Week 23rd – 27th January 2017 we are once again holding our Breakfast on Wednesday 25th January 2017 at 8am. The cost of the breakfast will be £2.50 for children and £3.00 for adults. If you would like to join us please complete the reply slip on the letter you will have received this week and return to the school office as soon as possible before we sell out (max 160 tickets).

On behalf of Dolce – our Catering company

Dolce currently have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Server/General Assistant. Full training and uniform supplied and a DBS check will be undertaken by Dolce. Hours are 11.30am – 1.00pm but may be increased. If you are interested in joining the team please call Jane on 07393 014875.

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.

Spring Term Dates - 2017	
10-1-17	2.50pm Reception Class Reading Meeting
12-1-17	9.15 Mass (Whole School Mass)
19-1-17	9.15 Mass (1/2)
24-1-17	Yr 3&4 visit to Flag Fen
25-1-17	Farmhouse Breakfast – 8.00am
26-1-17	9.15 Mass (3/4)
30-1-17	Reception visit to Moor Farm
30-1-17	MOCK SATs Week – YEAR 6 ONLY
8-2-17	National Take Over Day Challenge
9-2-17	9.15 Mass (5/6)
16-2-17	9.15 Mass (1/2)
20th February – 26th February – HALF TERM	
27-2-17	Parents Meetings – To take place this week
1-3-17	Ash Wednesday
9-3-17	9.15 Mass (3/4)
16-3-17	9.15 Mass (5/6)
23-3-17	Computing Workshops 2-3pm and 6-7pm
23-3-17	9.15 Mass (1/2)
24-3-17	FOSH Event – Catwalk for Kids
30-3-17	9.15 Mass (Whole School)
7-4-17	Stations of the Cross Service at St Oswalds – Provisional Date
7-4-17	Last day of term