



Together we live and learn, we play
and pray.

Sacred Heart RC Primary School Newsletter

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The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Year A)

Another busy week has passed us by with a hive of activity taking place. All children in yr1 took part in their phonics assessments and I have also seen so much wonderful writing this week; particularly in year 6; I was really impressed with their recent short stories. Finally, by the time you read this, our annual Global Celebration will have taken place. A full write up of this will be in next week's newsletter; however I want to take this opportunity now to thank all the families and children for their hard work in preparing for this. I would also like to say a massive thank you to Ms Priddy for her dedication and hard work to coordinate today's events.

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 Yr1 and 4 for having 100% attendance this week. Our overall school attendance this week is 98.01%. Meaning our school attendance so far is – 96.57%.

Mrs Valentine

It is with great sadness that as a result of Mrs Valentine's husband being relocated to Sweden for work, she has made the tough and sad decision to leave Sacred Heart with effect from the 22nd June 2017. Mrs Valentine will be sorely missed by all members of the Sacred Heart community and I know you will all join me in wishing her good luck for her family's new adventure. I am delighted to say that Mrs Zlotucha will be taking over the school secretary role after Mrs Valentine has left and has spent the last few weeks getting to know the role.

Sealife Centre

On Monday, Year 3 and 4 visited the Sea life Centre in Hunstanton as part of their topic 'Blue Abyss'. The children really enjoyed seeing the various sea creatures, especially Ernie the giant turtle! During the visit, the children received a rock pool talk where they got to touch a starfish and a crab and some children were lucky enough to hold them too! The ice-cream was a well-earned treat in the sunshine. The children behaved extremely well and they have already started using what they learnt in their English lessons. We were especially proud of their behaviour and maturity during our unexpected stop on the way home. Well done Year 3 and 4 – you were all a real credit to the school!



School Nurse Drop in Clinic

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

Country Dance Festival

On Thursday our team of 30 Year 3 and Year 4 country dancers again joined other Peterborough schools at the Country Dancing Festival. Our children represented Sacred Heart very well and performed 12 different dances. It was lovely to see parents and siblings joining in with the group dances at the end. Everyone had a really enjoyable evening.

Please see our website for more photos.



FOSH News

Charity Bags - Thank you to everyone who filled up their charity bags. We raised £112. We will look at doing this again in the autumn term.

Colouring Competition - For those of you who entered the drawing competition run by Image Exclusive you helped raise a massive £420. The photography studio is currently trying to pick the winners and hopefully we will be advised who they are next week.

Summer Fayre - We are still looking for volunteers to help with the Summer Fayre. If you are able to help in any way, even if it is just manning a stall for half an hour please make a member of FOSH aware.

We are running the bake off again at the Summer Fayre and there will be a prize for the winner. Please bring entries to the school office on the morning of the Summer Fayre.

Wristbands for the inflatables will be on sale from Monday morning. These are priced at £3 each and allow unlimited use of all three inflatables. This year we have have a 54' assault course, a 20' slide and a 15' bouncy castle.

Kayaking and Raft Building

A group of 12 Year 4 children had a wonderful day on Tuesday at Rutland Water. They paddled a 4 man kayak around the lake, a few falling in the water, but it was great fun. They then built a raft from barrels, wood and ropes in groups and all managed to sail across the water. Finally they all jumped into the lake from the pontoon. A lovely day with 12 enthusiastic well behaved children. Please see our website for more photos.



Parish Family Evening 6pm- 8.30pm Friday 30th June 2017

Come & join us for a Fun Evening of Activities in the Parish Hall & Gardens for all the family, including table tennis, table football, table top pool/billiards, netball, quiz, beetle drive plus much more. Entrance cost is only £1 per adult/child which includes food (burgers/hotdogs) & drinks plus all the activities

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

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 Day
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
18-7-17	Yr6 Leavers Mass 9.15
19-7-17	Last Day