



St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School
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8th June 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Thought of the Week

Using the Gifts of the Holy Spirit!

The children have been learning about the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. These gifts help us to respond to the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives, to make good choices, and to serve God and others.

Win £5000 for our school

National Book Tokens are running a competition whereby the school can win £5000 towards new books. All you need to do is click on the link below and complete the **very short**, entry form.

<https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools#.WxbNhonTWEc>

Please enter the following details to the entry form under the chosen school section: St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Ainsdale Road, South Oxhey, Watford, Herts, WD19 7DW.

Thank you very much for taking the time to complete the form. Please feel free to ask other relatives or friends complete the form as well. The more votes we have the greater chance of winning.

World Cup 2018

To celebrate the start of the World Cup, there will be a non-uniform day on Thursday 14th June. The children may wear their football kits or colours of the country they will be supporting. We are asking for a £1 voluntary contribution and funds raised will buy new footballs.

Throughout the World Cup period, we will be having our own mini World Cup Competition. The children will be playing football and competing against other classes

Crazy Socks Day Friday 15th June

There will be a Crazy Socks Day on Friday 15th June. Children may wear any colour socks. We are asking for donations for our chocolate tombola. For example, boxes of chocolates, big bars of chocolate etc.

Crazy Hair Day Friday 22nd June

There will be a Crazy Hair Day on Friday 22nd June. We are asking for donations for our bottle tombola. For example, wine, spirits etc.

St Peter and St Paul Mass

To celebrate the feast of St Peter and St Paul there will be a Mass on Friday 29th June at 9.15a.m. All parents and carers are welcome to attend.

Summer Fete

The Summer Fete will be on Sunday 1st July starting at 12pm until 3pm. There will be lots of exciting activities such as a bouncy castle, bottle tombola, penalty shoot-out, sweet tombola, dance displays and excellent music. It will be a fantastic day so please come along and support this great fundraising event. The money raised will help purchase a new roof for the hall.

Sunny Weather

Please remember to send your child into school with a sun hat, water bottle and apply sun-cream in the morning. School sun hats can be purchased from the office.

Leavers' Mass, Assembly and Picnic Lunch

I cannot believe the time has come to say farewell to our Year 6 class. The Leavers' Mass will be on Friday 13th July at 11.00a.m. and the Leavers' assembly will be on Friday 20th July at 9.00a.m. There will be a picnic lunch for the whole school after Mass. All parents and carers are welcome to join us on these dates.

Important Notices

- Class Photographs will be taken on Wednesday 13th June.

Attendance Award

Year 6, have won the best attendance award! Well done Year 6!

Linda Payne
Headteacher

Diary Dates

June	
Tuesday 5th June	Start of Term
Monday 11 th June	Year 1 Phonic tests commence
Wednesday 13th June	Kid in a box photos
Thursday 14th June	World Cup Non-Uniform Day
Friday 15th June	Crazy Sock Day (Chocolate donation)
Thursday 21 st June	Phonic meeting for F2 parents - Getting ready for Year 1
Friday 22 nd June	Crazy Hair Day (Bottle Donation)
Wednesday 27 th June	F1 new pupils visits
Friday 29 th June	St Peter & St Paul's Mass in school at 9.15a.m. (F2 – Y6 classes). All parents are welcome to attend.

July	
Monday 2 nd – Friday 6 th July	Year 6 School Journey
Thursday 5 th July	F1 new parents meeting
Tuesday 10 th & Wednesday 11 th July	Year 5 Overnight Trip to Phasel Wood (new date)
Wednesday 11 th July	Foundation Stage Sports Day at 9.30a.m. FS parents are welcome to attend.
Thursday 12 th July	Secondary School Transition day New F2 Parents' Meeting at 9.15a.m.
Friday 13 th July	Year 6 Leavers' Mass (F2 – Y6 classes) at 11.00a.m Whole School Picnic starting at 12.30p.m. (F1 – Y6) All parents are welcome to attend the Mass and picnic.
Monday 16 th July	KS2 Dress Rehearsal at 9.30 a.m. KS2 parents and toddlers are welcome to attend.
Tuesday 17 th July	KS2 Play at 6.00p.m KS2 parents are welcome to attend.
Wednesday 18 th July	Year 6 Barbecue at 1.30p.m. - 3.00pm. Foundation Stage Reserve Sports Day at 9.30a.m. FS parents are welcome to attend.
Thursday 19 th July	FS & KS1 Teddy Bear Picnic (Please bring a Teddy Bear) (F1 – Y2 classes)
Friday 20th July	Leavers' Assembly at 9.00 a.m. All parents are welcome to attend. End of term. School closes at 1.30p.m.