



St Kentigern's Catholic Primary School

May Newsletter 2019



Dear Parents,

The month of May is devoted to Our Lady and we have our annual May procession in Church on Friday 24th May at 11am. Please send flowers in with your children on that day to present to Mary in church, everyone is welcome to join in, giving thanks in prayers, singing and devotion to a special lady. We look forward to welcoming pupils from Year 4 at Christ the King, who will join us in church for the service. There will be opportunities to pray the rosary at lunchtime during the month of May.

I look forward to our annual PTFA international food festival on Friday 17th as it gives us the opportunity to celebrate our rich, culturally diverse community. Please reply to the letters registering your interest and purchasing tickets ahead of the event. My sincere thanks go to all our families who contribute to the festival by sharing their cultural heritage, and join in the fun.

On Sunday 19th May, twenty four children are going to make their First Holy Communion at Mass at St Kentigern's. My thanks go to

parents, Fr Andrew and catechists from the parish and school for sharing their faith. Thanks also to The PTFA for providing missals and a First Communion breakfast in the hall following mass. I hope you will keep all of them in your prayers and that we make it a day for them to remember for the rest of their lives and a big step on their spiritual journey.

Yours sincerely,

Frances Wygladala



PTFA News
NEXT EVENT
International Food Festival on Friday 17th May 6.30 - 8pm in the hall

Please support this event, helping us celebrate our rich, culturally diverse community. There will be lots of food, music and dancing from around the world. A wonderful family night out!

Entry by ticket only, £6 adults, £3 children please purchase from the school office.

Next PTFA Meeting: is on Thursday 23rd May at 3.45pm in school. Please come along, every class should be represented to plan the Summer Fair.



Advanced Notice:
Summer Fair
On Friday 5th July 3.30pm to 5pm
If you are willing to run a stall or have any suggestions, please contact Mrs Sobrino in the School Office. The more stalls, the better the variety and opportunity to raise funds to pay for the school minibus and buy more fun books to read.

Northern Ballet working with Year 1



gulp. give up loving pop

Blackpool FC Community Trust have joined with Blackpool Council to launch the Gulp Challenge for 21 days to all Year 4/5/6 children across Blackpool.

Gulp aims to raise awareness of sugar consumption as excessive amounts of sugar can lead to gaining weight, diabetes, heart disease and tooth decay.

Class Masses and Assemblies in the Summer Term

Masses – Tuesdays at 9.30am in Church,

Assemblies – Fridays at 9.15am in the hall

Class	Masses	Assembly
Reception	2nd July	28th June
Y1	2nd July	5th July
Y2	14th May & 16th July	12th July
Y3	21st May	14th June
Y4	14th May & 16th July	21st June
Y5	25th June & 9th July	17th May
Y6	25th June & 9th July	-

Garden Liturgies 2pm : FS & KS1 12th July, KS2 3rd July
 Leavers Concert: Y6 Wednesday 17th July
 at 4pm and 5pm in the hall.
 Parents, family members and Parishioners very welcome



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 9th May

- Y4 Fit2Go festival at Blackpool Football Club

Friday 10th May

- KS1 festival at BFC
- 1.15pm Pirate Phonics for Y1 parents and pupils
- 2.30pm Road Race - Reception parents in school

Monday 13th-16th May

- SATs Week for Year 6

Friday 17th May

- International Day in school
- 9.15am Y5's Class assembly
- 1.15pm Pirate Phonics for Y1 parents and pupils
- 6.30pm PTFA International Food Festival - tickets from the office

Sunday 19th May

- 9.45am 1st Holy Communion Mass in Church

Monday 20th May

- Y6 Zoo trip
- Y5 Shakespeare ambassadors to Stratford Upon Avon

Tuesday 21st May

- 9.30am Y3 Class mass with prayer partners
- 3.45pm Y5/6 Parents meeting for the residential to Hawkshead

Wednesday 22nd May

- Share a Pencil Day in School - millions of children worldwide are still missing out on education

Thursday 23rd May

- Y5 to meet author Dan Freedman
- 3.45pm PTFA meeting to plan the Summer Fair

Friday 24th May

- 11am May Procession in Church for the whole school. Please send flowers in to honour Our Lady
- 3.30pm Break up for half term

Monday 10th June

- 8.45am School re opens
- Phonics screening week Y1 & Y2

Tuesday 11th June

- Y5 Enterprise Day at St Mary's
- 1.15pm Twisted Fairy Tales for Y3 parents and pupils

Wednesday 12th - Friday 14th June

- Y5/6 Residential to Hawkshead

Friday 14th June

- 9.15am Y4's Class assembly

Tuesday 18th June

- 1.15pm Twisted Fairy Tales for Y3 parents and pupils

Wednesday 19th June

- Spelling Bee Final, 2 pupils from Y6 representing the school
- Oliver Twist performance in school
- 6pm Induction evening for new Reception 2019 parents

Thursday 20th June

- 10.45am Year 3 Outdoor Mass at St Mary's followed by adoration and a picnic
- 2.30pm Y5/6 Careers Event with Primary Futures

Friday 21st June

SPORTS DAY in Stanley Park arena

- am KS1, pm KS2
- 9.15am Y3's Class Assembly