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'Together with Jesus, we love to learn and learn to love'

Our ethos statement this week is: "I notice that we are the same and we are different."

28th June 2019

Dear Parents,

The feast of Immaculate Heart of Mary falls tomorrow, the day after the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. These feast days follow one another as a reminder of God's great love to us.

In 1944, in the midst of World War II, Pope Pius XII dedicated the entire world to the patronage and protection of the Immaculate Heart of Mary—the intention expressed in his decree was "peace among nations, freedom for the Church, the conversion of sinners, the love of purity and the practice of virtue." We will celebrate our feast day on Monday, but let us imitate Mary's heart by always being faithful to Jesus.

Stay and play – Tonight is our IHOMSA Stay and Play session after school. We hope to see many of you there, enjoying cakes, tea and hopefully sunshine!

First Holy Communion – Last Saturday 4DK made their First Holy Communion in the glorious sunshine! The children were a credit to their families and showed great respect during the service. We would like to thank those parents from both Year 4 classes who gave up their time to help out at the First Holy Communions. Many families commented on how welcoming the Queen's Hall was and how well everything had been organised. It really was a great example of the community spirit we are so lucky to have at our school.

Sports day - Our sports days are fast approaching! On their sports day children need to come to school in their PE kit and have a sun hat in case of good weather.

Family fun night – Helpers are still need for the night, especially for the 8pm-9pm session which is perhaps the most fun! You have been able to enjoy the evening and it is generally just clearing up the stalls. As they say many hands do make light work so if you can volunteer for that part of the evening please text Clare Taylor on 07765 224 665.



Music Concert – Congratulations to our wonderful musicians and choir who all performed beautifully last night at our summer music concert for their parents. It was a truly inspirational evening seeing how confident our children are in performing in front of an audience. This amazing evening was organised our very talented music coordinator, Mrs. Dooley. We also must thank our peripatetic music teachers Mr. Karwaszewski, Mrs Miller and Mr Jackson for all their support.



Congratulations to Cameron and Casper from Year 4! After being 'Spotted' by Northern Ballet during a school workshop, they were both selected to continue with further 'Spotted' sessions and they have now been invited to continue with Northern Ballet Academy in September. Well done boys!



Sports News – Last Friday our Year 6 boys football team won the Catenian Cup! In the morning the team won the group stages without conceding a goal. In the afternoon the winners of each group went into the A League and the boys were unbeaten with no goals conceded! This was a great achievement and Mr McLaughlin was extremely proud of his team, well done to all of you.



Cricket – Well done to Harry in Year 6 who has been selected to play for the Yorkshire Under 11s East and Central Regional Cricket Squad where he will play with and compete against the best of his age group. This is a great achievement and we are delighted for him!

May Bank Holiday 2020 – As you may have seen the early May Bank Holiday has been changed from Monday 4th to Friday 8th May. The calendar on our website has been updated to show this.

IHOMSA 100 Club – Congratulations Ann Kiersey who has won the £100 this week. Remember you can still enter! Please contact Mark Butler on ihomsa13@gmail.com

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS – Attend Today Achieve Tomorrow
Can we reach our whole school target of 98%? If we reach 98% our attendance will be Outstanding.

Attendance – Well done to the whole school on achieving 98% attendance. Special congratulations to RCD for achieving full attendance.

Year Group	Attendance Wk. Comm 17 th June	
YR	RAG – 96%	RCD – 100%
Y1	1LG – 97%	1LR – 99%
	1SC – 99%	
Y2	2JM – 98%	2HC – 97%
Y3	3GG – 99%	3AW – 96%
Y4	4GB – 98%	4DK – 99%
Y5	5HS – 99%	5JR – 98%
Y6	6FE – 96%	6CK – 96%

Stars of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded Star of the Week in their class!

- RAG – Victoria
 RCD - Benjamin
 1LR – Cara
 1LG – Jude
 after their wonderful First Holy Communion
- 3AW – Eleanor
 3GG – Maxwell
 4DK – The whole class are stars
- 1SC – Mani
 2JM – Olivia
 2HC – Tom
- 4GB – Ruairi
 5JR – Jairaj
 5HS – Lois
 6FE - Lareesa 6CK - Maisie



Happy Birthday to –
 Year R – Varsha
 Year 1 – Harry
 Year 2 – Timmy
 Year 3 – Amelia & Amelia

Year 4 – Seth
 Year 5 – Talia & Brandon
 Year 6 – Alfie

Forthcoming Events – new dates in bold		
Date	Time	Event
Fri 28 th Jun	3.30pm	IHOMSA Stay and Play Session
Tues 2 nd Jul	1.15pm	KS1 Sports Day
Weds 3 rd Jul	2.15pm	Breck Foundation speaking to parents
Thurs 4 th Jul	1.15pm	Y3 & Y4 Sports Day
Fri 5 th Jul	1.15pm	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day
Fri 5 th Jul	6pm	IHOMSA Family Fun Night
Mon 8th Jul	9.30am-2.15pm	Y5 Taster Day at Cardinal Heenan
Tues 9 th Jul	9.15am	Y4 to perform for parents
Weds 10 th Jul	9.30am	YR Sports Day
Weds 10 th Jul	9.45-1.30pm	Y4 Sports Day at Cardinal Heenan
Weds 10 th Jul	1.30pm & 6.30pm	Y6 Production
Thurs 11 th Jul	3.30pm	Weardale initial meeting (current Year 4 parents)
Sat 13 th Jul	12-3pm	Parish Strawberry Fayre
Tues 16 th Jul	3pm	Y6 Leavers Mass & Disco
Fri 19th Jul	3.25pm	School finishes for Summer holidays – no After School Club

Prayer –

In the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I Trust
 Look to the Star
 Call upon Mary!

In danger, in difficulty
 or in doubt,
 think of Mary,
 call upon Mary,
 Keep her name on your lips,
 Never let it pass out of your heart.

Mrs A M Phillips
Headteacher

If you are worried or concerned about the wellbeing of any of our pupils please ask to speak to Mrs Phillips, Mrs Hill, Miss Hargreaves or Mrs Roberts.

