



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter - 18th April, 2017



Dear Parents and Carers,

It is Easter– the Lord is risen. St. Paul tells us, that along with Christ, we too have risen to new life in the Spirit through our Baptism, and so from now on we should live with our eyes fixed on heaven and not on earth. I wish you all Easter blessings and the joy of the risen Christ.

Events this week

Monday	Bank holiday– school closed
Tuesday	Year 2 Educational visit to Thackray medical museum
Wednesday	
Thursday	CREDIT UNION OPEN– 8.15-8.55am– all welcome
Friday	Wear red and white for St.George's Day and 'Alice in Wonderland' production Praise assembly– 2.20pm– all welcome.

FUNRAISING IN LENT

I am absolutely delighted with the marvellous response to our fundraising events during Lent!

The children and staff had great fun taking part in the various events. Thank you for sponsor money handed in so far– any outstanding money should be sent into school by the end of the week and we will then let you know the total amount of money raised for our Catholic charities.

WELL DONE EVERYONE!

THANK YOU

To the children and staff in Years 3 and 4 who presented a very moving re-telling of the events of Holy Week in words, drama and song. It was lovely to see so many parents, governors and parishioners present.

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INVESTORS IN PUPILS



Healthy Schools

	CERTIFICATE WINNERS	Attendance
Reception	CERTIFICATES NOT AWARDED LAST WEEK AS IT WAS GOOD FRIDAY.	Best attendance- Year 1 99.7% 
Year 1		
Year 2		
Year 3		
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6		

WEAR RED AND WHITE ON FRIDAY

The children and staff are invited to come to school on Friday wearing red and white coloured clothes to celebrate St. George's Day on Sunday (no charge).

I have also booked a treat for the children—they will watch 'Alice in Wonderland' together, to celebrate the joy of the Easter season.

I hope everyone enjoys the day.

Praise assembly will be at 2.20pm this week due to Alice being in the morning – all welcome.

MONEY PAYMENTS

Just to remind all parents that money sent to school should be paid through the classes (and not at the school office) so that we have a double account of monies received.

DOJO MESSAGES

Most messages from parents to staff are appropriate and it is a quick way of communicating. However, there have been a few recent inappropriate comments, which will not be tolerated—thank you.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

The children will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday 29th April at 11am at Our Lady's Church.

Please continue to keep the children and their families in your prayers.

A few reminders for school

Correct school uniform should be worn at all times-(black trousers and skirts not grey). Black tights only.

Summer dresses can be worn this term when the weather is warmer.

No nail varnish or big coloured hair bows. No extreme hair cuts e.g. shaved and then long on top.

PTA RACE NIGHT

Our newly formed PTA have organised a family race night on Friday 5th May. Tickets are on sale this week outside school. Please try to support this event.

I hope you all have a lovely week.

God Bless
Mrs Flaherty
Head Teacher