



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Learning to Love; Loving to Learn



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Our Wonderful Week

It has been an exceptionally busy week this week! Thank you all for attending the parent consultations on Wednesday – it was such a positive evening and it is always so lovely to be able to celebrate how brilliant your children are with you.

We are delighted to have now appointed a new headteacher – Mrs Batson. I would personally like to thank the governors, who have been so committed, rigorous and thorough throughout the whole journey of recruitment; the staff who have been exceptional and who I always so proud of and inspired by; and the incredible children who shine so brightly.

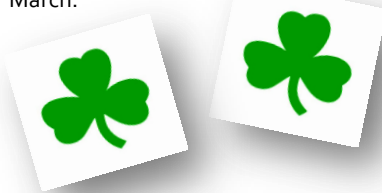
A special mention should go to Mrs Hobson and Miss Youds who were observed formally as part of the interview process and who were both graded an 'outstanding' by those who observed.

Holy Reflection Year 3 and 4

This is taking place on Wednesday 10th April at 2pm in the school Hall. Parents may attend this solome but important reflection.

Mother's Day Play and Stay

This is taking place for reception mums and grandmas or parents. At 2pm on the Friday 29th March.



Football and Basketball

These sessions are back on as normal next week. Thank you.

Attendance is 99%- Well done, this is incredible!! 😊



Lent - footsteps to the Cross

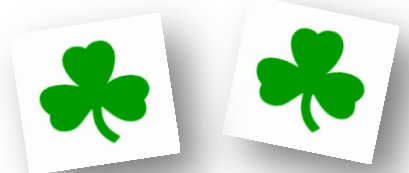


We have had some beautiful class liturgies this week where we have continued to reflect on where we are in the journey towards the cross.

'Mousike Ensemble'

As part of the music curriculum the children in Year 1 and 2 and 5 and 6 will be taking part in

a big music event. This is taking part in March but the children are beginning the practice now – learning songs that are linked to their science curriculum and learning their instrument parts. The children will also be learning a 'party piece'. The children will be going to Sacred Heart School with lots of other schools to perform and celebrate their learning. A separate letter should now have been received.



Gracie loves Red Nose Day more than Christmas, apparently! Thank you for all your donations of donuts and pancakes today!

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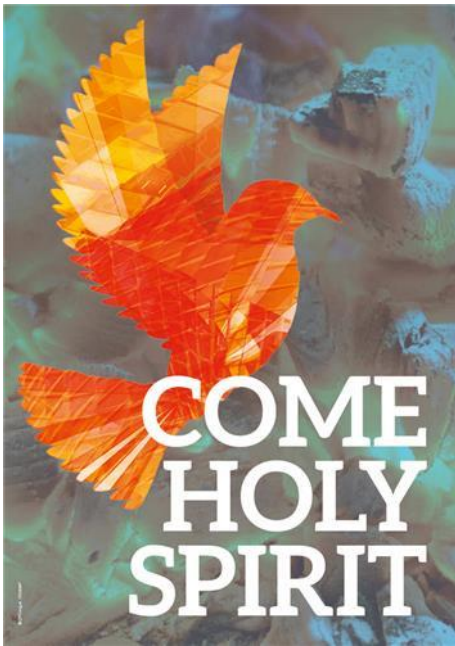
This week's attendance figures						
YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
98%	100%	98%	99%	99%	100%	99%



The children know that they need to work hard again this year to show the value of respect. They will receive respect tokens to go towards a whole class treat once their jar is full!

Please Pray For...

Samuel Bracey, Eleanor Bracey, Kai McNamara and Rafferty Bucke as they get ready to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation next Friday at Princethorpe College. We pray that God may guide you and support you in your faith journey.



Think before you drive and park

Certain individuals are STILL parking in the carpark when collecting from care club, in particular. Please do not as it is a carpark for staff and visitors. Thank you.

We have had a request from our neighbours that parents do not park at the end of Leamington Road on the area leading to the barns. This is a private road and neighbours have been blocked in by parents' cars. Please ensure that you park on Leamington Road only.

Year 5 and 6 Parents

There are quite a number of permission slips missing for the 'Mousike Ensemble' on Tuesday 26th March. These should have been returned at the end beginning of this week. Please return to school on Monday 18th March if you have not already done so. Thank you.

Goodbyes and welcome backs!

We look forward to welcoming Mrs Tassell back as our morning Year 2 teacher on the 1st April. This means that we are losing Mr Jones who has been covering Mrs Tassell's maternity leave. We would like to thank Sam for the all that he has given to the school and wish him luck, for when he leaves, in his new adventures.

Spelling results

Top 5 spellers for this week

1. Jacob S
2. Ruari
3. Verity
4. Caelinn
5. Valentino

Not in top 5, but top of Year group

Y6 Destiny and Y3 Joshua C



Next Week at a glance:

Shakespeare week

Sunday 17th:

St Patrick's Day

Tuesday 19th:

2pm Cross Country

Wednesday 20th:

Reading Challenge for Year 4

KS1 Musique Ensemble at Sacred Heart

Friday 22nd:

Confirmation 7pm Princethorpe

Have a wonderful weekend

Kate Madia

Think of the week:

(A beguiling question that stops you in your tracks and makes you think...)

If you read a newspaper in the shops without buying it, is it stealing?



AT OUR LADY'S WE ARE FULLY COMMITTED TO SAFEGUARDING AND PROMOTING THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN. WE EXPECT ALL STAFF, PARENTS AND VISITORS TO SHARE THIS COMMITMENT.



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