



The Holy Spirit Catholic Primary School

"In the spirit of love and forgiveness our family learns to grow with hope and joy."

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30th September 2022

Open Day: Please see the attached flyer for more information on our Open day for perspective parents and pupils on Wednesday, 5/10.

Meet the Teacher: We would like to invite you to school to meet your child's class teacher. This is an opportunity for you to find out more about your child's learning this year and ask any questions you may have. The meetings will be 30 min long and will start at 2.40pm on the following days: Monday 3/10 – Y4/5; Tuesday, 4/10 – Y3; Wednesday, 5/10 – Y1/2; Thursday, 6/10 – Y6; Friday, 7/10 - YR/1. We are looking forward to seeing you then.

Upcoming Residential Trips:

Y2 & Y3 Burwardsley 2/5/23 – 3/5/22;

Y4/5 Conover Hall 17/4/23 – 19/4/23 and

Y6 Ullswater 19/5/23 – 21/5/23

Could you please return the permission slips and pay the deposit on School Gateway ASAP but no later than 14/10/22, so we can confirm the numbers with the providers. Thank you in advance for your support in this.

50:50 club has commenced this week. It is £1 per month and half of the money we raise will go to the winner and the other half - to our school. The winner this week is Norma H, who won £29.50.

Reading Challenge: Well done to Poppy, Louie, Lewis, Joshua, Oliver, Holly, Freddie, Teddy and Briar, who completed the 'Gadgeteers' Reading Challenge at the Library.

Notices

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club is now £1 per session. Please book a place on gateway.

Happy Birthday wishes to: Marshall, Annie, Lexie, Casey and Briar. Have a wonderful time celebrating your special day.

Homework

Reading

Please ensure that you read with your child each night. Children can also bring in to school their own books so they are encouraged to read for pleasure.

Times tables

All children need to practice their times tables. If they know them, please move onto division facts

Step 1) $6 \times 4 = 24$

Step 2) $24 \div 4 = 6$ $24 \div 6 = 4$

Step 3) $6 \times ? = 24$ $4 \times ? = 24$

Step 4) $24 \div ? = 3$ $24 \div ? = 6$

These need to be fluent

Please log onto our school website for further homework links.

www.holyspirituncorn.co.uk

See what children have been up to and follow us on twitter

<https://twitter.com/holyspiritwa7>



VIRTUE

ACHIEVEMENT



Diamonds: Tyler & Dominyk



Emeralds: Harrison & Laura



Sapphires: Alan & Darcie



Amethysts: Teddy & Elisa



Topaz: Maisie & Esme

We are so proud of
all our star role
models. Well Done!

Attendance and punctuality

Winners this week, again, are **Sapphires** with 98% attendance

Little Diamonds 96% **Amethysts** 95% **Topaz** 94% **Emeralds** 84%

Lates - 8 Please ensure your child arrives to school on time at 8.45am

Phonics Workshop

Thank you to all of you, who attended our phonics workshop this week. If you were unable to attend, the presentation is uploaded on School Dojo.

School Council have been working on supporting the classes with ideas and resources about the Gold Rush. Our KS1 and KS2 Choir have been practising songs, which they will perform to the whole school before the end of Autumn 1. **Globe trotters** have travelled to London and Paris, so far. **Football Tournament** – Well done to our KS2 team for representing our school at the Heath this week. The children enjoyed the experience of competing against other schools.

PROJECT HOMEWORK: Next week is **World Space Week** and it marks the beginning of **Black History Month**. Please encourage your children to complete a project of their choice. This could be research, a model made from recycled materials, fact files, poems and bring them in next Friday to celebrate in school.

Our Parish Community St Maximillian Kolbe

For more information about the Parish newsletter, please visit <http://www.saint-maximilian-kolbe.org/>

Please join Fr Peter at Mass each Sunday at 9.00am. Children enjoyed Children's Liturgy with Claire Williams this week please access this at home. <https://youtube.com/channel/UCZaCv2yfq39wZY2phiaymg>

Videos go live for the children on Saturdays at 3pm.