

## Diary Dates

Monday 2nd May - School closed for Bank Holiday

Tuesday 3rd May - KS1 SATs begin

Wednesday 4th May, pm Y4/5 Fun Run in aid of the Air Ambulance

Monday 9th May - KS2 SATs begin

Wednesday 18th May, 1.30 - Marian Service at Church

Wednesday 25th May, 9.30 - 1st Communion Thanksgiving Mass in school (All Welcome)

**Friday 27th May, 3.15/3.20 - School closes for Half Term**

**Monday 13th June - School re-opens**

Monday 13th June - Y1 Phonics Screening Week.

Wednesday 29th June, 9.30am - Mass in Church (Feast of SS Peter & Paul)

Saturday 2nd July- Church Summer Fayre

Wednesday 13th July, 7pm - Y6 Leavers' Mass in Church

Wednesday 20th July, 9.30am - End of Term Mass in Church

**Friday 22nd July, 3.15/3.20pm - School closes for the Summer**

**Tuesday 6th September - School re-opens**

## **Good Shepherd Collection**

A total of £124.47 was raised for Catholic Care's Good Shepherd's Fund. Well done to everyone who helped.

## Safeguarding.

The designated safeguarding officers in school are: Mr Knowles (Headteacher), Mr Plunkett (Learning Mentor), Mrs Day (Governor)

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Wednesday 6th April 2016

Dear Parent

Welcome back after the Easter break.

You will have noticed that the expected building work outside has not gone ahead. There was a problem with the outside store that the architect had not previously picked up. The plans have gone back to the Trust Board for consideration and hopefully we will be able to proceed during the next holiday in May.

Meanwhile work has started around Miss Whalley's outdoor area. Please take care in this area and keep children away from the cordoned off areas and sheds.

## School Lunch

New menus are now available which include sandwiches with a variety of fillings. Cost of a school lunch is still £2.05 per day, which is excellent value for money.

Lunch money must be placed into the Drop Box outside the kitchen area.

**It is important that lunch money is labelled with your child's name.**

### School Uniform

Towards Easter a number of children were wearing bright fluorescent shoes to school, please note that the school uniform is 'sensible dark outdoor shoes'. If there is a temporary problem such as shoes needing to be replaced, parents should send the child with a letter to the classteacher to explain.

If children wish to bring trainers for playtime, in order to play football for example, this is acceptable. But will be expected to wear the correct uniform at all other times.

Earrings are allowed in school, but must be plain studs. These must be removed for PE and for any other activity school staff consider earrings inappropriate.

PE is a compulsory subject and all children in school must have a PE kit in school (Plain white shirt and plain dark blue shorts). As the weather improves children will be going to the field and must have appropriate footwear for doing sports.

### Relief Lunchtime Supervisors

School is always in need of relief lunchtime supervisors (12pm-1pm/12.15pm-1.15pm). If you know anyone suitable and interested, please ask them to contact the school office for an application form.

### Running Club

Key Stage 2 Running Club will re-commence after its winter break. The club is open to all children in Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6. Autumn Term record holders were: Michael Ellis for clocking up an amazing 14,000 metres and Cameron Ritchie with a speedy 9.52 minutes mile. Can you do better?

Weather permitting, Running Club starts Thursday 7th April, 8.10am on the school field.

Then every Tuesday and Thursday at 8.10am

Clothing required: Comfortable running kit- eg. PE kit, tracksuit, trainers.

The grass is still wet on a morning so please bring a change of socks and a warm top to keep warm.

Why not give it a try?

### Golf

Before Easter, children throughout school experienced a golf coaching session courtesy of Phillip Akers from Oulton Hall Golf Academy - thanks to Ruby in Y1 for suggesting to her golf coach he might like to do this.

Everyone had a great time. If you want to find out more the web address is:

<http://www.qhotelsgolfacademies.co.uk/lessons-with-phillip-akers/>