



HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN

4 May 2018

Dear Parents

Attendance Matters

Here are the figures for week ending 27 April 2018:-

Inf 1	94%
Inf 2	90.7%
Inf 3	94%
Inf 4	99%
Inf 5	95.8%
Inf 6	95.9%
J1	92.7%
J2	95.7%
J3	91.3%
J4	97.6%
J5	99%
J6	92.7%
J7	98.7%
J8	96.8%
Total for whole school	95.28%

Our attendance was much improved last week.

'Smiggle' Friday

This week's winners were Eddie in Infant 5 and Lilly in J7.

First Holy Communion Masses

The first class of Y4 children made their First Holy Communion last Saturday. The Mass was beautiful, and the atmosphere prayerful and reverent. Best wishes to the families of the children making their Communion this week. Let's hope you have an equally wonderful and sunny day!

The children in J3 were given the proofs of their Holy Communion photograph this week and today they have brought home the proof of the group photograph. A full size copy of the group photograph is on display in the school office. Please ensure that all orders are passed into school as soon as possible so that the orders can be sent off to Tempest before we finish for half-term.

Football Results

This week, Holy Rosary played 2 football matches in the LFC Foundation League. We are pleased to let you all know that they won both matches. They won one match with a score of 7-0 and the other 5-1.

This means that we are Top of the League. Once again, well done to the boys and Mr King!

"Stay and Count" in Nursery

Next Thursday 10 May and Friday 11 May, the staff in Nursery will be holding a "Stay and Count" session. The sessions will start as you drop your children off at Nursery and will last no longer than 30 minutes. There

is a note in Nursery where you can sign yourself up for one of the sessions. We do hope you can all attend one of the sessions.

'Funky Feet' for SWACA

On Tuesday 22 May all schools in Sefton have been asked to help with fundraising for Sefton Women's and Children's Aid (SWACA). This charity helps women, children and young people recover from the impact of domestic abuse by giving free practical and emotional support. To support this charity we have decided to have a 'Funky Feet' day. We are asking the children to come into school wearing "trainers or glittery shoes" (basically anything we usually say is not school uniform!!) for a donation of £1. As you all know trainers are not part of the school uniform so we feel that the children will all enjoy wearing different shoes for one day. Thank you in anticipation of your support for this charity.

Summer Fayre

The Friends of Holy Rosary have organised a Summer Fayre which will take place on Thursday 24 May after school. Week commencing 21 May is Design and Technology week. Therefore, to support the Friends with their fund-raising efforts the children will be making something during the week that they can sell to parents at the fayre. The Friends of Holy Rosary will be paying for the resources that each class need to make their items. Once the children have sold their items they will then be able to work out how much profit they have made – all the profits will go back to the Friends to support future treats and activities for the children.

On Friday 18 May we will be holding a non-uniform day and are asking the children to bring in the following:-

Nursery, Reception, Years 1 and 2 – chocolate items for a chocolate tombola
Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 – bottles for a bottle tombola

There will be a bouncy castle, games, ice cream van, refreshments etc.

Maricourt Open Evening – reminder

Maricourt held an Open evening on Wednesday 2 May 2018. If you were unable to attend on Wednesday there is another open evening on Wednesday 9 May 2018 at 4.00 pm. The meetings will be held in the Upper School (Newman Hall).

Kingswood - reminder

Everyone who is attending the Kingswood residential has paid the initial £40 deposit. The next instalment of £80 was due at the end of March – we are still awaiting 8 of these instalments. The next instalment of £70 was due last Monday 30 April. Thank you to all of those who have paid.

Levy – reminder

Thanks to all the families who have sent in their payment for this year's levy. To date, 127 families still have not yet paid the levy. Individual reminders were sent out this week. Thank you.

Holy Rosary Parish Newsletter

Please see the attached link which takes you directly to the Holy Rosary Parish website where you can view the most recent Parish Newsletters <https://www.parishofholYROsary.co.uk/newsletters>. By accessing this link you will be able to find out what is happening in the parish, the Archdiocese and the wider community. Thank you.

School Nurse Drop-In Sessions

The last School Nurse Drop-In Clinic for this academic year is on:-

Wednesday 20 June 2018

The clinic will be held in school between 8.45 and 9.30 am – so if you wish to see the nurse, please just report to the school office. During the clinics the nurse will be available for a confidential service regarding

your child's health and development, including health promotion advice and signposting to others for information and support. The nurse is based at Maghull Health Centre – telephone 0151 222 3437.

Fit for Life Group

The Fit for Life group meet at Holy Rosary Church, for mass at 10.00 am, on the first Thursday of every month. After mass they go for a coffee and a chat in the Hope Centre on Aintree Lane. The group next meet on:-

Thursday 7 June 2018

All parents/grandparents/carers are welcome to join in.

MRS C MORRIS

Headteacher

Diary for w/c 7 May 2018

Monday	Bank Holiday Monday
Tuesday	No football training this week Tennis club – Years 3, 4 & 5 – 3.15 to 4.15 pm
Wednesday	Dance club – Year 2 – 3.15 to 4.00 pm Cricket club – Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 – 3.15 to 4.15 pm
Thursday	IDL Club – 3.15 to 4.00 pm

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- 5 May – First Holy Communion Mass – children in J4
- 7 May – Bank Holiday (May Day)
- 8 May – School Holy Communion Celebration
- w/c 14 May – Year 6 SATs
- w/c 21 May – DT week
- 22 May – Funky Feet for SWACA
- 24 May – Summer Fayre
- 25 May – end of term
- 28 May to 1 June – Half term
- 4 June – INSET day
- 5 June – return to school