



# OUR LADY & ST TERESA'S SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER – 24<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019

My goodness that half term whizzed past very quickly indeed but the hard work that has gone in since we returned from Easter has been phenomenal here at school. This morning we were treated to a wonderful assembly led by our Year 1 children who taught us all about the coronation of The Queen and how our Lord became a king once he ascended into heaven. I could not believe that the children were only Year 1 as they spoke and performed so beautifully. Well done children! I'd like to thank each and every member of staff who works here at our school for everything they do to support our children and to make our team such a strong and supportive staff. It has been a very busy half term and your relentless hard work has most certainly not gone unnoticed.

Have a lovely half term holiday - *Mrs Wilson* - Head Teacher

### Year 3 Reports and Parent Consultations

Year 3 children should have received their reports today. Please make an appointment with the school office to meet with Mrs Bonnet during the school day on Wednesday June 5<sup>th</sup> to discuss your child's progress.

### Dates for the Diary

- 03/06 12.45 – Y3 & Y4 Swimming**  
**13:00 – Y6 - Rounders**  
**3.30-4.30pm - Kwik Cricket**
- 04/06 3.30-4.30pm - Rounders**  
**3.30- 4.30pm - Gardening Club**  
**17.00 – YR 19/20 Parents Meeting**
- 06/06 3.30-4.30pm - Athletics**
- 07/06 9.15 – Celebration Assembly**

### Attendance

Our attendance target is **96%**

This week:	Reception	94.7%
	Y1	90%
	Y2	96.5%
	Y3	89.2%
	Y4	90.3%
	Y5	90.4%
	Y6	92.8%
	Whole school	92.2%

Whole school since September  
**94.6%**

### Where's our School Logo Hiding?



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Maria Maxwell found the school logo hidden next to the picture of Mary Headteacher's star heading her way

### Letters Home This Week

No letters home this week

### Maths Challenge

Year R- Quiet Koala has double the amount of marbles Calvin the cow has. Calvin has 6 marbles. How many does Quiet Koala have? Answer: 12 marbles

Year 1 and 2- A farmer has 12 ducks. This is  $\frac{3}{4}$  the amount of animals in the barn. How many animals in the barn? Answer: 16

Year 3 and 4-  $\frac{2}{9}$  of the people on a restaurant are adults. If there are 30 more children than adults, how many children are there in the restaurant? Answer: 42

Year 5 and 6-  $\frac{1}{9}$  of the shirts sold at Peter's shop are striped.  $\frac{5}{8}$  of the remainder are printed. The rest of the shirts are plain coloured shirts. If Peter's shop has 81 plain coloured shirts, how many more printed shirts than plain coloured shirts does the shop have? Answer: 54

Challenge: Gary and Joanne took an equal amount of money shopping. After Gary spent £95 and Joanna spent £350. Joanna had  $\frac{4}{7}$  of what Gary had. How much did they take? Answer: £690

## Condover

Please ensure any outstanding Condover payments have been made.

## New Reception Children – September 2019

All parents with children starting at our school in September 2019 should have received a letter this week inviting them to a welcome meeting here at school on June 4th at 5pm. If you believe your child should be starting reception at our school in September but did not receive a pack please call the office. We do still have places available in our Reception class for September 2019 so please do let those know who are still looking for a place to contact our school office.

## First Holy Communion

I would just like to put out a reminder for some of the key dates we discussed in the meeting. FHC retreat day in school will be 14<sup>th</sup> June and parents/families are welcome to join us from 3pm for a final prayer service. 21<sup>st</sup> June the children will practise in the church.

23<sup>rd</sup> June FHC 10am at Our Lady's Church followed by a FHC breakfast for all children and families.

11<sup>th</sup> July – Sacramental Garden party for FHC and Confirmation children from 2pm here at school.

## Sports Day

Dates for diaries – we are aiming to hold our Sports Day during the afternoon of June 21<sup>st</sup> if the weather is bad our reserve date is July 5<sup>th</sup>.

## Save the Date!

Our PTA are currently working very hard behind the scenes to organise our summer fete which will be held on July 6<sup>th</sup>. Please keep the date free.

## Cashless School

We would like to remind everyone that we are a cashless school. From September 2019 we will be unable to take ANY cash payments at school. ALL school dinners, trips etc. will need to be paid for through our school gateway system as we will be unable to hold and process any cash here at school. Any issues setting up your school gateway please pop into the office who will be happy to help.

**The future belongs to the curious. The ones who are not afraid to try it, explore it, poke at it, question it and turn it inside out.**

