



St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

Thursday 23rd January 2020

TOMORROW

Gymnastics Club 8 am

NEXT WEEK

Monday

Food Bank Assembly
Gymnastics Club 8 am
Reception & KS1
Chelsea Football
3:30pm

Tuesday

KS2 Chelsea Football
3:30pm
Guitar Lessons
Drumming and Recorder
Lessons

Wednesday

Yr4 Swimming
Yr6 SPEC Residential
Gymnastics Club 8 am
Violin Lessons

Thursday

Yr6 SPEC Residential

Friday

PTA Cake Sale at
3:30 p.m.
Gymnastics Club 8am



SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION - 125 Years

Our school was officially opened on the 24th February 1895 - during the Victorian era.

On Monday 24th February 2020 (first day back after the February holiday) we will be celebrating 125 years since this opening occurred. We have planned lots of activities for the children to enjoy including a Victorian schoolroom experience in the morning. To make this experience more memorable we are inviting all pupils to come to school dressed as Victorian school children -

Girls: Black dress and a white cotton apron

Boys: Shirt and trousers/shorts in drab colours (they may also like to wear a waistcoat, jacket or cap)

You may like to visit the following website for further ideas:

http://www.victorianschool.co.uk/what_they_wore.html



Year 6 SPEC Residential Trip

On Wednesday (29th January), pupils will travel to the SPEC Residential Centre at Waxwell Farm, Pinner where they will spend the night - returning to school on Thursday. Throughout the two days the children will take part in a full programme of fun activities such as treasure hunts, talent competitions, arts and crafts sessions, balloon games and a night campfire with hot chocolate - plus much more. We look forward to hearing lots of stories about their visit once they return to school!

PTA Cake Sale

Our PTA will be holding their next cake sale on Friday 31st January. This will take place from 3:20 p.m. at the main entrance to school. All proceeds will go towards our school.



Class Assemblies and Productions

We have the following class assemblies and productions planned for this term -

Tuesday 4th February: Year 2 Class

Assembly at 9 a.m.

Tuesday 11th February: Year 1 Class

Assembly at 9 a.m.

Thursday 2nd April: Years 3, 4 and 5

Easter Production (2:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.)

Please see our school website for a complete list of diary dates:

<https://www.st-marys.hillingdon.sch.uk/>

Last Week's House Point Winners

Year	Name	Number of House Points
1	Chloe	17
2	Shalom	12
3	Elsie	26
4	Ronan	15
5	Edey & Olivia	12
6	Jacob	6

The winning house was: **St Francis with 267 points.**

Request from Early Years

Donations of compost and plant pots will be much appreciated.

Someone else to collect your child?

If you arrange for someone else to collect your child and this person is not in your "authorised people to collect", please make sure to inform us via email or telephone call by 2 pm.

SchoolMoney passwords

Passwords for SchoolMoney have changed. If you have not logged in to SchoolMoney in the last 2 months you will need to reset your password. Please contact the school office to receive a link via email and text to reset your password.

Child's emergency contacts

Please make sure that all your child's emergency contact details are up to day. It is parents' responsibility to inform us of any changes to their contact details as soon as possible.

Please note that these contacts are separate from the authorised people to collect your child.

Starting Nursery September 2020 - December 2020

If your child is turning 3 years this year, you need to apply for a nursery place. Please apply to St Mary's by completing an application form. Bring the form with originals of child's birth and baptism certificates, Certificate of Catholic Practice and proofs of address of child and parent to the school office **by Friday 28th February 2020.**

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Wed 29 th Jan	Year 6 SPEC residential
Thu 30 th Jan	
Fri 31 st Jan	PTA cake sale 3:15 pm
Mon 10 th Feb	Start of Safer Internet Week
Fri 14 th Feb	PTA chocolate sale 3:15 pm
Mon 17 th Feb	Half term break
Fri 21 st Feb	
Mon 24 th Feb	School 125 anniversary
	Victorian dress-up day
	Victorian school-room morning
	Celebration lunch
	Class parties
Tue 25 th Feb	Kurling competition
Wed 26 th Feb	Ash Wednesday Mass 2:30pm - 3:30pm
	Parents clothes collection
Mon 2 nd Mar	Start of Book Week
Wed 4 th Mar	WE day
Mon 9 th Mar	Start of Science Week
Mon 16 th Mar	Start of Test Week
Tue 24 th Mar	Prospective parents tour to school 1:30pm
Wed 25 th Mar	Y6 Junior citizens
Mon 30 th Mar	Extra INSET day - school closed-