



# Friday Update



17<sup>th</sup> May 2019

## Pleas for help:

- Please remember to apply suntan lotion to your child when necessary and always send them to school with a water bottle and sun hat. We have had a lot of children without water bottles during the recent spell of hot weather.
- It's that time of year when we have reports of the 'little hair visitors.' Please can you be vigilant, checking your children's hair regularly and treating any family members who may be affected.
- The children look lovely in their summer uniforms but please remember that ties are compulsory with a shirt/blouse and trainers are NOT part of the school uniform. They are only to be worn for P.E. Thank you for helping to keep our children looking smart.

## Hot Meals

Hot meals must be ordered on time even if your child is in Reception, Years 1 and 2 or entitled to free school meals. The deadline for ordering meals for after half term for week beginning 3<sup>rd</sup> June is Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Please ensure your orders are in by that date if you wish your child to have hot meals the first week back. Thank you.

## Breakfast and After Schools Clubs

Please can you also remember to book and pay for Breakfast and After Schools Clubs in advance. We do appreciate that the occasional 'emergencies' crop up but advance notice helps us to organise staffing and have sufficient breakfast or snacks for the children attending. Thank you

## Year 6 – SAT's

Year 6 have finished their SAT's. Thank you for your support during the week. The children will be celebrating the end of SAT's week by watching a film this afternoon.

## PTFA

- The children in Year 1 enjoyed their Pyjama Party after school last Wednesday.
- The Summer Fayre is fast approaching (Friday 21st June) and the PTFA are in need of help to ensure that it is our best fayre yet. If you are able to help planning, setting up or manning a stall, please let the office know and a member of the PTFA will be in touch with you. Please help us to make this fayre a great success. Thank you
- Don't forget if you would like to become a member of the PTFA or volunteer to help at any specific event, please leave your name at the school office. Thank you

## First Holy Communions

There has recently been two lovely Masses at St. Joseph's Church and Our Lady of Fatima with children from our school making their First Holy Communion. We wish them every blessing as they continue on their journey of faith. There will be a celebration Mass in school on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 9.15 a.m. for the children. You are welcome to join us.

## Year 3 trip to Lulworth

Year 3 were very lucky with their trip to Lulworth last week. The morning started grey and wet but cleared as they reached Lulworth. The children had a great day exploring the local area and making their own fossils.

## Sports and Music

Children in our school are very fortunate to be given the opportunity to take part in a variety of sports and musical events. The choir will be taking part in a music workshop and Year 4 have been invited to see the Bournemouth Symphon Orchestra at the Lighthouse on 14<sup>th</sup> June. There will be a variety of musical events taking place this term including Summer Fun Songs for our Hedgehogs and the Leavers production of Peter Pan nearer the end of the summer term. Besides all of the before and

after school sports clubs, our sports teams are going to be very busy this term. We have teams taking part in Tri-golf; Kwik-Cricket; Multi-skills event; Tennis; Football and Quad Kids Athletics to name but a few. These events give the children the chance to be part of a team and to enjoy taking part in a variety of sports. Thank you very much Mrs. Keohan and our musical team of Mrs Perringwood, Miss Cadby and Mrs. Bell for giving our children these opportunities.

### **Class Photos and Year 6 Individual Photographs**

Don't forget class photos and Year 6 group photographs will be taken on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June during the school day.

### **Community News:**

**Poole Festival of Running** are holding a 5K Run for Cancer on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June 6.30 p.m. at Poole Park. If you would like further information or to sign up for the run at [www.poolefestivalofrunning.com](http://www.poolefestivalofrunning.com) This event is to help Poole Hospital fight cancer.

**St. John's Pre-school Nursery** are celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July from 10.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. with entertainment for young and old. They would love to have a display showing pictures of the nursery through the years and a 'Then and Now display. If you have any photos that could help with their display please contact Debbie on 01202 740261 or [stjohns-preschool@btconnect.com](mailto:stjohns-preschool@btconnect.com)

### **Dates for your Diaries for this half term:**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** Year 3 Mass to celebrate First Holy Communion's in school

**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May – School Closed – Half Term Holidays**

<b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Class photos and year 6 individual photographs
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 1 trip to Swanage
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Mass led by Class 5LW
<b>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 3 visiting Bovington Tank museum
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June</b>	A Year 5 class to the Watersports Academy
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June</b>	A Year 5 Class to the Watersports Academy
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June</b>	New to Reception 2018 Parents Evening
<b>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 4 going to Lighthouse for BSO concert
<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June</b>	PTFA Summer Fayre and BBQ
<b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>STAFF TRAINING DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
<b>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 2 visiting Marwell Zoo
<b>Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Lower School Liturgy led by Badgers Class
<b>Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June</b>	PTFA Cake Sale
<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	EYFS and Year 1 Sports Day (Reception & Years 1) - A.M.
<b>Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	Year 2, 3 and 4 Sports Day – A.M.
<b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	Hedgehogs visiting Kingston Maurward
<b>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Transition Day for all classes
<b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Years 5 and 6 Sports Day - A.M.
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	A Year 4 Class visit to Cranbourne
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Lower School Liturgy led by Hedgehogs Class
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers Production
<b>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	A Year 4 Class visit to Cranbourne
<b>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers Production
<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 trip to London
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Leavers Prom – 6.30 for 7.00 p.m.
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Whole School Leavers Mass 9.15 a.m. in the playground
<b>Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>School closes for the summer holidays at 1.30 p.m.</b>

*Safeguarding is a priority at St. Joseph's Catholic Primary School  
If you have any concerns please contact our designated Safeguarding officers  
Mrs. O'Donoghue, Mr. McDermott, Mrs. Hodson, Mrs. Lewry and Mrs. Hardwick.*