



Newsletter 10th June 2022

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With Love we Grow

"Having faith means keeping your heart turned to God, to his love, to his fatherly tenderness, amid the storm. Jesus wanted to teach this to the disciples, and also to us today" - Pope Francis"



"Reading one book is like eating one potato chip" - Diane Duane



First Holy Communion - Some of our Yr 4's received the Sacrament of the Eucharist over the past few weeks. We wish to congratulate them as they continue through their journey of faith. We do still have some of the official photographs in the office if parents who haven't purchased them would like to do so. We must say a big thank you to the catechists and staff who have prepared the children so well.

Baptisms - Some of our children are being baptised into the Catholic Church over the coming weeks, we wish them every blessing on their joyous occasion.

Young Voices (Y6) - All of our Year 6's went to the AO Arena on just before half term to take part in the Young Voices 25th Anniversary Concert. They had an AMAZING time, sang their hearts out and comments were such as " This is the best day of our life". Have a look at our Facebook page to see some of the short films.

Platinum Jubilee - The children have had an amazing time before half term, learning about British Values and outside on the field in the afternoon with the whole school playing traditional games guided by our wonderful Year 6's. Thank you for all of the amazing cakes sent in for the bake-off, a lot of time and effort was put into them and it showed. Have a look at our Facebook page to see some of the amazing work. Thank you also for your generosity in donating to buy some cakes. We raised £320.00 for school fund.

Class Lists & Birthdays - We do on occasion receive requests for class lists from parents organising birthday parties. Unfortunately we are not allowed to share this information with you as it does not fall within our GDPR Policy. On your child's birthday (or the nearest school day to their birthday) children can come to school in their own clothes. We do request that sweets and cakes etc. are not sent in with your child as we do have children with food allergies and intolerances and this does not tie in with our healthy schools scheme.

Jewellery - Reminder that earrings are not permitted to be worn in school.

Dates for your diary - Please take note of the dates below.

15th June - New Reception intake 1.30-2.45pm

21st June - Year 1 trip

23rd June - Sports Day, KS2 - am, KS1 - pm

27th June - PTFA Sponsored Fun Run Day (more details to follow)

29th June - New Reception intake 1.30-2.45pm

29th June - Year 5 Science Day at Holy Cross (more information to follow)

1st July - KS2 Guitar & Keyboard Concert (more information to follow)

4th July - Year 2 Trip to Cuerden Valley

4th July - Reception & New Intake Teddy Bear's picnic (more information to follow)

6th July - Holy Cross & St Michael's Induction day (Y6)

8th July - Reports out

13th July - Years 5 & 6 Productions (more information to follow)

18th July - First Communion celebration Mass in Church @ 1.30pm- Parents welcome

18th July - Year 5 to St Joseph's, Horwich (more details to follow)

w/c 18th July - No music lessons (guitar & keyboard), Jam Coding or CraftEd

20th July - Leavers Assembly 2pm

20th July - School Closes for the Summer holidays @ 3.15pm & reopens on Monday 5th Sept.

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