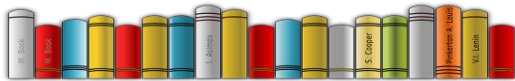


21st March 2022

St. Mary's Primary and Pre- school Newsletter

THANKYOU

Thankyou for the return of the parental questionnaires. We have had really positive responses with some great suggestions for how we can continue to improve our school, making it the best we possibly can. If you haven't sent yours back but would like to do so, please send in this week. On the back of this, we are going to have a parent/teacher meeting in the summer term where we will talk through the curriculum with you all, explaining how it works in our school and what coverage we have for each subject. We will hold this on Monday, 20th June at 5pm.



MISS DOHERTY'S CLASS AND FOOD TECH

The children in years 4/5/6 will be visiting St. Cecilia's High School on Tuesday, 29th March to use their food tech room. The children have been learning about making soup with Miss Taylor in Design and Technology and after designing their own recipes, will go there to make them. It's very exciting! Photos to follow.

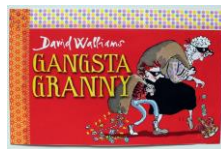


EASTER ACTIVITIES

We will be holding our annual 'Easter Garden in a tray' and 'Decorated Egg' competition during the last week of this half term. The children can enter both or just one. There will be prizes for every entry and an overall class prize for the most original entries. We will also be holding our Easter Egg Hunt around the school grounds for all our children so any donations of foil wrapped chocolate eggs would be great - thankyou again for your support.

GANSTA GRANNY

Miss Doherty and Mrs. Butcher will be taking years 4/5/6 to Blackpool Grand to watch 'Gangsta Granny' next Thursday, 31st of March. School has paid for the tickets. The show starts at 1.30pm and will finish at 3.30pm. We anticipate that they will be back in school for 4.30pm. If there are any problems with this, please do let us know.



PARENT EVENING

We will be holding our Spring Term Parent Evening on Wednesday, 23rd March from 3.30 until 5.30pm. There will be 10 minute slots for you to discuss your child/s progress in school. There will also be an opportunity for you to look at their books. If you cannot make this time / date, please do let us know and we will arrange a meeting for a mutually convenient time.

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What's Happening?

PARENTS EVENING

We will be holding our 2nd parents evening of the year on Wednesday, 23rd March from 3.30pm until 5.30pm. Please contact Mrs. Cookson to make an appointment if you haven't already.

FULL GOVERNOR MEETING

Our full governors meeting will be on Wednesday, 30th March in school at 7pm.

WEAR A HAT - BRAIN TUMOUR RESEARCH

Mia Bayley, our charity ambassador will be collecting a £1 donation towards this charity and the children can wear a hat all day! It is on Friday, 25th March. Uniform as normal please.

COMIC RELIEF -

Thank you to all who contributed. We raised £104, which we will be sending off to Comic Relief this week.

FRIENDS OF ST MARY'S

The next meeting is the 21st April and then the 14th June at 7pm. Venue to be confirmed later. If anyone has any questions or items for agenda please email the FOSM at

WEAREFOSM@MAIL.COM

SCHOOL BBQ

We are planning to hold a school BBQ on Saturday, 16th July to wish all our year 6 children 'bon voyage' as they finish St. Mary's and move onto their new schools. More details to follow but please put the date in your diaries - it would be good to have all our school community supporting this where possible.

Finally, we would like to extend a huge thankyou to St. Mary's Parish Committee, Father Tony and John Weld-Blundell who have donated £2000 towards our school PTFA account to go towards our playground. We are extremely grateful for this very kind and generous donation.