



Learning, playing and growing together in the love of Jesus

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 17th June 2022 - Sunday 19th June -the Most of Holy Body and Blood of the Lord- Summer 2 Term

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Safeguarding Statement: This school takes notice of and adheres to all the national and local policies and guidance in regard to Safeguarding Children and Young People.

Lead Safeguarding Person Junior School: Miss M Kenny, Nursery & Infant School: Mrs. M Quinn.

Safeguarding Deputies: Mrs. S Hulme, Miss F Sullivan & Miss E Bryant, Safeguarding Governor: Mr. T Richmond

Newsletters are also available on the school website: <https://www.smcsc.org.uk/>

Where to find the appropriate communications?

Class Based Activities/Reminders - Google Class Room

Safeguarding Alerts - Email from School Office / Website under Latest News

Newsletters - Email from School Office / Website / Google Classroom

Communication/Trips/Events - Email from School Office and Website under Latest News

'Curriculum forecasts, school policies, School Clubs, School meals, attendance and absences and other helpful documents can be found on the 'Information' pages of our website at <https://www.smcsc.org.uk>

Please remember Monday 20th June 2022 is an INSET DAY and the school is closed.

A message from Mrs Hulme:



Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you are enjoying the wonderful weather, being mindful of a bit of a health warning to cope with the rising temperatures too.

However, we are delighted to have sunshine to add to the joy for many children across the junior school who are receiving Christ for the first time in Holy Communion. An opportunity to celebrate the growth of their faith with the church community, family and friends. Congratulations to them all and may they continue in their close relationship with Christ.

These events have been very welcome as they are the first in this form for a few years.

We join our thanks to the people in the parishes who have been part of the important preparation too.

Notices

Reminder - Hot Weather Essentials

Please remember to send your child in with a sun hat and water bottle during sunny weather and to apply sunscreen before the children come to school.

Allergy Alert

For the safety of pupils and adults with allergies, please refrain from handing pupils any snacks on the school grounds at pick up time. Thank you for your understanding and co operation

School Property Junior School Bollard

Lighting on Pathway

Many of the bollard lights have damage caused by users of the path leaning on/pushing against/playing around and even jumping over! Broken units not only look unsightly but also when damaged, could potentially expose the sealed units housing electrical parts.

Repairs are costly and met from the school's budget, our main source of funding for pupil teaching and learning.

All users, please respect school property and supervise children on the path, explaining why it is important not to touch the bollard lighting. Thank you for your continued support/co-operation.

School Uniform -

Please be reminded of the items that are included in this list that can be viewed on the school website -

<https://www.smcsc.org.uk/school-uniform-infants.php> & <https://www.smcsc.org.uk/school-uniform-junior.php>

Sports Day

You will have all received an invitation with an indication of times. The children will keep to normal school day times.

Book Look - Please join us next week and enjoy looking at your child's work over the past year. It's a time for your child to share their favourite moments of their learning with you. We hope you enjoy it. Please enter via the classroom door from the playground.

News for the week

Recognition & Reward

Infant - Stars of the week

R Fox	Sophie B
R Squirrel	Nina D
R Hedgehog	Georgia A
1 Robin	Oskar M
1 Sparrow	Michael M
1 Wren	Owen K
2 Heron	Frank K
2 Jay	Olaf S
2 Woodpecker	Cadyn S

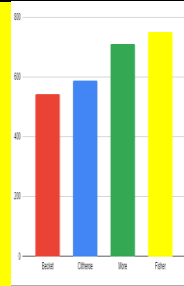
Junior - Housepoints

1st is Fisher with 749

2nd is More with 710

3rd is Clitherow with 588

4th is Becket with 542



'Star Writer' Award

3 Willow	Matylida
3 Mulberry	Jeremiah
3 Hawthorn	Sebastian
4 Poplar	Noah
4 Ash	Francesco
4 Rowan	Yara
5 Elm	Annabella
5 Sycamore	Oscar
5 Birch	David
6 Copper Beech	Adrianna
6 Oak	Roshan
6 Chestnut	Ally

Sports News

Athletics at St Elphege's

On Friday afternoon, a number of pupils from Year 3-6 attended an athletics event at St Elphege's School. For some of our students, this was the first time representing their school and experiencing an athletics competition in this way. Every pupil ran so well and showed fantastic sportsmanship to one another. We are so proud of all those who took part. Thank you to all the parents who came along and supported.



District athletics

On Wednesday afternoon, 8 members of each year group took part in the district athletics event. Mrs Birch and I were proud of absolutely every member of the team. The team work, the dedication, the talent were all extraordinary to see on such a hot day. A special shoutout to Christian who was Borough champion in the 200m and the Year 6 relay team - Aaron, Christian, Finnley and Nathanael who were also Borough champions. We are yet to be informed of the final results but we will inform everyone when we do. A HUGE thank you to every single parent and carer who helped set up our shelter, who supported us and who organised taking the children to the event - we couldn't have done it without you.



District football

A huge well done to Finnley for a really successful football season while representing St Mary's by playing district football. The team went on to win the Surrey League and Surrey cup with Finnley being the 2nd top goal scorer in the 40 years' history of the Sutton Borough team! What a fantastic achievement, we are very proud of you!



Parkrun

Another fantastic Parkrun event with brilliant results from Aaron, Finley and Louis. A special mention to Finley who gained his half marathon Parkrun band - what a brilliant achievement! Well done for all your dedication to the sport. We are looking forward to hearing about more runners attending this Sunday.



QuadKids

A while ago, a number of our Year 6 pupils took part in a Quadkids event and competed in a throwing, running and jumping event. The results have just reached us and St Mary's came 3rd overall!! Such a fantastic achievement for everyone involved. Well done to everyone who represented our school so well!

Wednesday Word

Please click on the link below to access the weekly Wednesday Word:

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/lent?pid=MTA101634&v=53.11>

Term Dates and INSET Days 2022-2023

Autumn 2022

Thursday 1st September - INSET DAY 1 (School Closed)

Friday 2nd September - INSET DAY 2 (School Closed)

Monday 5th September - School Begins for Autumn 1 Term

Friday 21st October - Last day of Autumn 1 Term

Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October - Autumn Half Term (School Closed)

Monday 31st October - First day of Autumn 2 Term

Friday 16th December - Whole School last day of Autumn 2 Term - School Finishes at 2pm

Spring 2023

Tuesday 3rd January - INSET DAY 3 (School Closed)

Wednesday 4th January - School Begins for Spring 1 Term

Friday 10th February - Last day of Spring 1 Term

Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February - Spring Half Term (School Closed)

Monday 21st February - First day of Spring 2 Term

Friday 31st March - Whole school last day of Spring 2 Term - School Finishes at 2pm

Summer 2023

Monday 17th April - INSET DAY 4 (School Closed)

Tuesday 18th April - School Begins for Summer 1 Term

Monday 1st May - Early May Bank Holiday (School Closed)

Friday 26th May - Last day of Summer 1 Term

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June - Summer Half Term (School Closed)

Monday 5th June - School Begins for Summer 2 Term

Monday 19th June - INSET DAY 5 (School Closed) - TBC

Friday 21st July - Whole school last day of Summer 2 Term - School Finishes at 2pm

PTA NEWS

St. Mary's PTA Dates to Remember

Thurs 23rd June	PTA Next Year's Events Planning Meeting at 9am (Infants)
Fri 8th July	Bottle donations for Mufti Day for Bottle tombola 3.15 – 5.30pm – Prepping for Summer Fayre
Sat 9th July	Summer Fayre – 'My World' 10am – 12pm – Final Set Up 12pm – 3pm – Summer Fayre 3pm – 5pm – Dismantling the stalls / Fayre
Fri 15th July	Second Hand Uniform Sale at the front of the infant school at 2.45pm

General Data Protection Regulations (UK GDPR)

The 'UK General Data Protection Regulation' (UK GDPR) brought about changes about how we can use your personal data and keep it safe, and also strengthens your rights over your own data.

Please refer to our privacy notices on the school's website for details of how sensitive or private information about yourselves and your children stays safe.