

ST EDMUND'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Consideration, Care and Courtesy

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NEWSLETTER

Monday 20th March 2017

GOOD WORK AND GOOD BEHAVIOUR

FRIDAY 27 TH FEBRUARY		WRITER OF THE WEEK
Y6	Erin, Shelby	Faye
Y4/5	Alice, Alfie, Grace	Whole Class
Y3	Lucas, Noah, Thomas	Lilyrose
Y2	Lily, William, Adam G	Niall
Y1	Kayden, Lucy	Grace
EYFS	Oliver	Brian

FRIDAY 3 RD MARCH		WRITER OF THE WEEK
Y6	Kevin, Emily	Imogen
Y4/5	Martin, Grace, Cornelius	Alice
Y3	Lucy, Maisie, Eliza	Leah
Y2	Adam G, Lexi, Ellie	William
Y1	Grace, Joshua	Demi
EYFS	Dayle, Khaidyn	Evie

FRIDAY 10 TH MARCH		WRITER OF THE WEEK
Y6	Olivia, Imogen	Samanta
Y4/5	Harrison, Charlie L, Amylee	Olivia D
Y3	Malik, Sanija	Aimee
Y2	William, Ashleen, Lexi	Natalie
Y1	Abiah, Emily	Lee
EYFS	Maya, Freya	Miks

Lord Jesus,
Help me to face the difficulties in my life with your strength and power.
Give me the faith to know that you can turn any negative into a positive through your cross of love.

AMEN

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

FRIDAY 27 TH FEBRUARY		
Y6	94.5%	2 Lates
Y4/5	96.1%	12 Lates
Y3	96.2%	4 Lates
Y2	97.0%	8 Lates
Y1	94.5%	5 Lates
EYFS	90.0%	4 Lates

FRIDAY 3 RD MARCH		
Y6	98.2%	3 Lates
Y4/5	96.8%	12 Lates
Y3	96.9%	6 Lates
Y2	92.9%	4 Late
Y1	94.5%	8 Lates
EYFS	97.1%	6 Lates

FRIDAY 10 TH MARCH		
Y6	98.2%	3 Lates
Y4/5	93.6%	9 Lates
Y3	100%	1 Lates
Y2	98.3%	6 Late
Y1	96.4%	3 Lates
EYFS	86.4%	2 Lates

Our attendance is slowly getting back to where it needs to be after a few weeks of sickness throughout the school. Thank you for your efforts to get your children to school every day that they are well enough.

EASTER COMPETITIONS

On 31st March, the last day before we finish, we will have an Easter Bonnet parade for the children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Our infant children can bring in (or wear!) a special hat that you have made together to celebrate Easter. You can include anything you want that is bright, colourful and makes you think of Easter.

For our KS2 children, we are asking them to design an 'Egg Scene' for Easter. Decorate a hard-boiled egg and place it in a scene that creates a story.

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Maybe you could think of a play on words for a title. Previous entries have included:

The 'Eggs' factor!

'Eggs' citing lessons

St Edmund's 'Egg'ball team

'Eggs'treme sports

We will judge the winners of both competitions on 31st March at our usual congratulations assembly.

SPIRIT OF ROMERO DAY

On Thursday 23rd March we will be celebrating the life of Blessed Oscar Romero. Oscar Romero taught us that we must think about others and reach out to help other people.

We will use our special day to begin to review our **School Mission Statement**.

All our parents are invited in to join with us for our closing liturgy on the day at 2.30pm.

We can begin to think about the mission of our school and then share the liturgy with all the children.

COMIC RELIEF DAY

On Friday 24th March we will be joining with schools and workplaces up and down the country to celebrate 'Red Nose Day'. The children can come in their own clothes wearing as much RED as possible. Many of the children have been buying red noses and they can wear these on the day too.

Please bring £1 as a donation to Comic Relief.

We also hope to hold a cake sale on the day as well. If you are able to donate any cakes or biscuits, please drop them off on the Friday morning.

The children can bring in another 50p or £1 to buy cakes and biscuits.

PARENTS WORKSHOP

A big thank you to the parents of children in Miss Vause's class for coming to our workshops on Number Sacks. These have been held in the library for the last 3 weeks and the parents that have attended have really enjoyed them.

We have a Maths workshop for KS2 parents beginning on 21st April for three Fridays and I know that we already have some parents looking forward to that.

If you have not booked onto the workshop but you think that you would be interested, pop into school for another letter.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Here are a few dates for important events coming up. We will add more as they are finalised and confirmed.

Number Sacks	Fri 17/03/17
Big Tidy Up	Tues 21/03/17
Spirit of Romero Day Closing Liturgy 2.30pm	Thur 23/03/17
Comic Relief Day	Fri 24/03/17
EYFS Easter Workshop	Mon 27/03/17
Station of the Cross Reflection Led by Year 4/5 2.30pm	Wed 29/03/17
Children's Disco 5-7pm	Thur 30/03/17
Easter Bonnet and Egg scene competition judging	Fri 31/03/17
Easter Break begins 1.30pm	Fri 31/03/17
Back to school 8.50am	Tue 18/04/17
Bank Holiday	Mon 01/05/17
KS2 SATs week	wb Mon 08/05/17

Thank you for your support,
Dermot Hennigan
Headteacher

20/03/17

