

ST EDMUND'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

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GOOD WORK AND GOOD BEHAVIOUR

FRIDAY 15 TH JUNE		WRITER OF THE WEEK
Y6	Amylee, Cornelius	James
Y4/5	Nieve, Josie, Noah	Anesha
Y3	Ryan, Dylan, Chloe L	Ashleen
Y2/1	Lee, Khaidyn, Kayden	Viktor, Evie
EYFS	Kai R, Harry	Madison

FRIDAY 22 ND JUNE		WRITER OF THE WEEK
Y6	Jamie, Daisy	Alicia
Y4/5	Lilyrose, Louis, Molly	Tyler
Y3	Lexi, Adam G, Olivia	Natalie
Y2/1	Evie, Lucy, Layan	Khaidyn
EYFS	Kai R, Noah	Danny

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

FRIDAY 15 TH JUNE		
Y6	100%	0 Lates
Y4/5	93.8%	3 Lates
Y3	96.8%	5 Lates
Y2/1	93.2%	8 Lates
EYFS	96.7%	4 Lates

FRIDAY 22 ND JUNE		
Y6	100%	0 Lates
Y4/5	93.1%	7 Lates
Y3	98.6%	0 Lates
Y2/1	91.4%	7 Lates
EYFS	96.7%	3 Lates

Well done Year 6 with two perfect weeks attendance – 100% and NO LATES!

SCHOOL TRIP

Last week we had our fantastic visit to Chester Zoo.

Thank you all for your help in the fund raising to keep the costs down. Every class held a special event to raise money to go towards the cost of the trip.

I also must thank Procter and Gamble who generously matched the amount that we raised through our sponsored events.

As always, the children were incredibly sensible and polite during the visit and were a real credit to the families of our school. There were lots of other school children there on the same day but our children really stood out as the most excited but the best behaved. We had many lovely comments from the staff at the Zoo and from other visitors saying how lovely the children of St Edmund's were.

I would like to thank our School Council for coming up with idea of the trip and Mr Brammer for organising it. I would also like to thank Mrs Wylie for arranging the transport and organising all the lists and the paperwork that is involved in taking our whole school on a visit like this. And she had to stay behind!

Finally, I would like to thank the staff and volunteers who helped the children get the most out of this great visit.

SCHOOL GROUNDS

The saga of the grounds maintenance continues.

Sodexo, the company who originally were contracted to do the work, have again agreed to undertake our grounds maintenance. Unfortunately, it seems that the machine that they need now that the grass is so long, is out of action and being repaired. Sodexo have promised that we will be their first job as soon as the flail deck is repaired.

This delay though, puts into jeopardy our planned events that use the school field – namely Sports Day and our Chippy night.

If Sodexo don't manage to sort out our grounds before the end of the week I am afraid that we will need to postpone both those events.

CLASSES FOR NEXT YEAR

As most of you know, Mr Richardson accepted a permanent job at St Stephen's school where he had been supporting their staff. Because of this vacancy the Governors advertised the post and were **very happy to appoint Miss Dawson to a permanent post on our staff.**

We have taken the opportunity of welcoming Miss Dawson to have a little 'move round' of the teachers throughout the school.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Teacher</u>
Year 6	Mr Brammer
Year 4/5	Mrs Williams
Year 3/4	Mrs Chadwick/ Miss Dawson
Year 1/2	Miss Vause
FSU	Miss Hulse

You will see that in September our Foundation stage class teacher will be Miss Hulse and Miss Vause will move into the year 1/2 class. Mrs Williams will move into our year 4/5 class and Miss Dawson will work for half the week in year 3/4.

Because of the big difference in numbers in the different year groups, we have had to take the decision to split our current year 3 class into two different classes for next year. The oldest children – anyone with a birthday before 11th April 2010 will join with Mrs Williams as the year 4 in the year 4/5 class and the youngest children whose birthday is after 11th April 2010 will join Mrs Chadwick and Miss Dawson as year 4 in the year 3/4 class.

The two classes will work very closely together to ensure that the year 4 children all get the same opportunities and there will be chances for all the year 4 children to learn together for special projects throughout the year.

The children will get a chance to work in their new classes with their new teacher when most of the Year 6 children visit Our Lady's school on Thursday 12th July.

WEBSITE UPDATES

I don't know how many of our parents use the school website. You can see the newsletters, check holiday dates and see upcoming events. Schudio, the company who designed our website, have updated it with some new photos and a different layout. Take a look at the revamped design and let us know what you think.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Boogie Wonderland @OLQP	Thurs 28/06/18
Chess Congress	Mon 02/07/18
Y5 to OLQP Taster day	Tues 03/07/18
Sports Day (depending on weather and the state of the field) 1.30pm	Wed 04/07/18
Chippy Night (depending on weather and the state of the field) 5.00pm – 8.00pm	Fri 06/07/18
Work on Adventure Trail begins	Mon 09/07/18
Panto Dress Rehearsal 1.30pm	Mon 09/07/18
Y6 Panto 7.00pm	Tues 10/07/18
New Reception Class Meeting (for Sept 2018) 11.15am	Wed 11/07/18
New Nursery Class Meeting (for Sept 2018) 11.15am	Thurs 12/07/18
OLQP Induction Day for Y6	Thurs 12/07/18
New Class Taster Afternoon	Thurs 12/07/18
Justice and Faith Day	Fri 13/07/18
Y6 Reflection afternoon	Mon 16/07/18
Y6 Quasar Experience	Mon 16/07/18
Talent Show 9.30am	Wed 18/07/18
Gold Card Club 1.30pm	Wed 18/07/18
Prize Giving 9.30am	Thurs 19/07/18
Finish for Summer 1.30pm	Thurs 19/07/18
Return after Summer Holidays	Tues 04/09/18

Thank you for your support,
Dermot Hennigan
Headteacher

25/06/18

