



Holy Family Catholic Primary School

NEWSLETTER April 2017

Welcome Back

May we take this opportunity to welcome you back after the Easter break, and also kindly remind parents / carers to ensure they are aware of school holiday dates – this information is provided regularly on newsletters and there is also a copy of all holiday dates on the school website.

Alice in Wonderland

Our after school drama club will be performing Alice in Wonderland on Thursday 27th April. The drama club is run by Mrs Hunt and both she and the children have worked extremely hard on their first production – we wish them all the best for Thursday and are sure it will be a resounding success.

Staffing Update

At the end of the school year Mrs Molyneux will be retiring after teaching in our school for many years, and we would like to take this opportunity to wish her a long and restful retirement and thank her for all her service over the years.

We are currently in the process of recruiting a new teacher to replace Mrs Molyneux and will provide an update on this later in the school term.

St Joseph's Penny

Thank you to all those who have returned your collection boxes for the St Joseph's Penny collection, please note the deadline for bringing boxes into school is Friday 28th April 2017.

Parking

Unfortunately we have had some complaints from neighbours living close to school that some parents / carers have been parking inconsiderately when dropping their children off at school. Could we please remind you to always park in a safe and considerate manner around the school to avoid any further complaints.

Easter Egg Raffle

Our local Tesco have very kindly donated a number of Easter Eggs to school and we will be holding a raffle next week. Children will be able to buy raffle tickets on Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd May – 25p a ticket or £1.00 for a strip of five tickets; the winners will be drawn out in assembly on Friday 5th May. If your child would like to buy tickets please have the correct change in an envelope clearly marked with their name and how many tickets they would like and send into school next Tuesday or Wednesday.

Textile Recycling Scheme

This is a scheme run by Beaumont's Recycling to help raise extra money for school by encouraging our children, parents and staff to recycle their used clothing, shoes, handbags and belts. School will receive £400 per tonne (40p per kilo). Beaumont's Recycling will then, in addition to the money we raise, donate £100 per tonne (10p per kilo) to Starlight Children Foundation, a charity that grants wishes of a lifetime to seriously and terminally ill children; and entertains over 500,000 children with fun and laughter in every hospital and hospice throughout the UK. The collection will take place in July and more information will be provided prior to this – but start collecting your old items now in readiness.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Monday 1st May
Thursday 4th May
Friday 12th May
Thursday 8th June

School closed – Bank Holiday
School closed – Polling Day
School Disco – Parish Hall 6.15pm to 7.45pm
School closed – Polling Day