

# Holy Family Newsletter

*We are a caring family.  
We pray, learn and grow together*

## NEWSLETTER NO.12 – SUMMER 2019

### **YEAR 6 END OF TERM MUSICAL – THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> JULY**

Our Year six pupils will be presenting their end of term musical, Pirates of the Curry Bean, on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm in the school hall. Tickets will be on sale from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July, please return the reply slip on the letter sent out today.

### **THANK YOU**

- To everyone who came to support us at our School Sports Day this week.
- A big thank you also, to everyone who came along to support the Summer Fair last week. The weather was fantastic and we had a fabulous turnout from our school community. Thanks to that support we raised £950.
- We raised £300 for the Cancer Care Unit in Wigan from our tea and cake stall run by our Caritas Ambassadors. Thank you to everyone who baked cakes for us.
- Art work produced by the children on our Art Day in Spring was sold in memory of Mrs Rogerson, to raise funds for the Gary Parkinson Trust. Thank you to everyone who bought a picture. If you haven't already bought your child's picture you can still send £4 into school to help up raise our target of £300.

### **TEACHER UPDATE**

Mrs Lord will be going on maternity leave when we break for our October half term. Miss Pollard will be joining us in September to take up the role as Year 3/4 Class Teacher.

### **NEW TEACHING ASSISTANT STRUCTURE**

Please be aware of our new teaching assistant structure from September:-

Reception	Miss Toner
Year 1	Mrs Gibson
Year 1 / 2	Mrs O'Grady
Year 3 / 4	Mrs Fisher
Year 4 / 5	Mrs Laycock
Year 5 / 6	Mrs Tickle Miss Scannell

**CHANGE IN MAY BANK HOLIDAY** Please note the change in bank holiday next year as detailed on the attached Holiday 2019-2020 list.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

<b>11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 end of term musical at 6pm
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Reports will be sent out
<b>16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Leavers Mass in school 10.40 - 12
<b>17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 leavers trip
<b>19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	School will close at 2pm – <b>No after school activities</b>

## **CLASS UPDATES**

### **Mrs Bird's Class**

We have enjoyed our first school Sports Day and discovered some talented athletes, but more importantly great sports people! Well done for your great participation. We are looking forward to welcoming next year's new children for their visits this week.

### **Mrs Mawdsley's Class**

We have really enjoyed finishing our seaside topic by writing our own seaside stories. We are looking forward to hopefully having our very own times at the beach when the Summer holidays arrive!

### **Miss Winstanley's Class**

We are really enjoying rehearsing for our seaside class assembly. We can't wait for you to come along and watch on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July!

### **Mrs Lord's Class**

We have had a busy week with our Strings Concert and class assembly. Well done to the children for all of their hard work and thank you to everyone who came to watch. In topic, we have enjoyed learning about mummification and had a go at mummifying fruit. In English, we have enjoyed creating new characters for our versions of 'World's Worst Children'.

### **Miss Philbin's Class**

What a great term we have had! We have been developing our knowledge of rivers and have produced some excellent writing using Wind in the Willows as influence. In art, we have painted some excellent river pictures in the style of Monet – we have certainly enhanced our artistic skills.

### **Mrs Summerton's Class**

It is a very busy time in our class. We have been working hard, getting ready for our performance of 'The Pirates of the Curry Bean'. Rehearsals are going very well and we are looking forward to performing next week.

## **SCHOOL ATTENDANCE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018-19**

	<b>Week 33 3 – 7 June</b>	<b>Week 34 10 – 14 June</b>	<b>Week 35 17 - 21 June</b>	<b>Week 36 24 – 28 June</b>	<b>AVERAGE SCORE OVER 36 WEEKS</b>
<b>Mrs Bird (R/Y1)</b>	98.3	91.7	95.8	98.3	<b>94.8</b>
<b>Miss Winstanley (Y1/2)</b>	98.8	100	94.7	97.8	<b>96.7</b>
<b>Mrs Lord (Y3/4)</b>	94.0	92.0	89.2	99.6	<b>96.9</b>
<b>Miss Philbin (Y4/5)</b>	97.9	92.5	93.3	93.6	<b>96.3</b>
<b>Mrs Summerton (Y5/6)</b>	96.4	96.8	98.6	91.4	<b>97.2</b>

Mrs Summerton's class are in the lead, with just two weeks left of term can anyone catch them up!

*Mr Gallagher - Headteacher*