



ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Alive in Jesus'

Parent Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

VIRTUES

The virtues this half-term are **grateful** and **generous**. **Grateful** for our gifts, for the gift of other people, and for the blessings of each day; and **generous** with our gifts, now and in the future

Rec	Hollie-Rose	Y1	Zoe	Y2	Teagan
Y3	Chloe	Y4	Delicia	Y5	Julianna
Y6	AJ				

BENCH OF HONOUR

These children were chosen by their class teachers:

Rec	Charlotte & PJ	Y1	Devlin & Hayden	Y2	Eva Rose & Jamie
Y3	Brooke & Lizzie	Y4	Mateusz & Daivee	Y5	Paul & Keren
Y6	Doha & Jamie				

WELL DONE!



ATTENDANCE

Our attendance this week was 91%. The class with the highest attendance was Y3 with 95%. Well done!

DUCKLINGS

Duckling update!! Mrs Holmes is feeling sad today because the ducklings are going home. I can't believe how much they have grown in such a short time. Three children have absolutely loved their visit. "I thought it was a velociraptor but when it hatched it was a duckling." Corey. "The ducklings are adorable. I wish I could take one home." Hollie-Rose "The ducklings have webbed feet. It helps them to swim. They have oil on their feathers to keep them dry." Olivia



PLAY, STAY AND LEARN

Reception had a wonderful morning as they were joined by their parents and friends for a 'play, stay and learn' session. Children were excited to share their learning with their parents who had the opportunity to see how their children learn in school.

FOOTBALL MATCH (a report from Mr Cadney)

On Tuesday eleven children from Y5 and Y6 took part in 7-a-side football tournament. The standard was very high, and although the team lost their group matches, they showed great commitment and attitude. Well done to Ismaeel and Kyani for scoring goals. Kyani summed up the afternoon nicely, saying

'Well we didn't win, but we had a really good time.'





LOST PROPERTY

We are gathering a lot of lost property around school. At this time of year the children get hot playing and take off their coats and jumpers. It is really helpful if the children have their names on their clothes and we can quickly return lost items to their owners.

PARKING



During the week there was a serious incident when one of our children was nearly knocked over as a car mounted the pavement to park. We have reminded parents numerous times about driving and parking carefully around school, as you know we are fortunate to have use of the church car park. Please use it!



MAY BANK HOLIDAY

Enjoy the long week-end. The weather forecast is good with warm temperatures predicted.



LUNCH-TIME AWARDS

During lunch time the children are given a raffle ticket by a Lunch-time supervisor for good behaviour. This raffle is held every week and was won this week by:

Y1	Ramin	Y2	Logan	Y3	Sian
Y4	Josh	Y5	Orlaith	Y6	Godwin

A GOOD READ

This week's book has been recommended by *Delicia - A Series of Unfortunate Events- A slippery slope by Lemony Snicket, she thought that it was a mixture of mystery, drama and anticipation.*



During the Month of May we remember Mary the mother of Jesus.

*Dear Lord,
Help us to do your will
even when it is difficult,
help us to be like Mary
and say yes to you always.
Amen.*

Dates in the new year...

- 7th May – May Day Bank Holiday (school closed)
- 25th May – Half term
- 4th June – school open/Health Week
- 6th June – Sports' day
- 10th June – First Holy Communion
- 11th June – Y5 & Y6 Residential
- 18th June – Bikeability
- 29th June – Whole School Retreat
- 10th July – Y6 Leavers Assembly
- 12th July – Safari Park
- 17th July – EYFS Umberslade Farm
- 19th July – Y6 Leavers' Picnic
- 20th July – Summer Holidays

