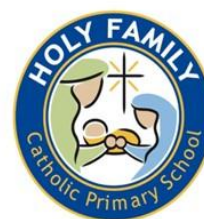


Newsletter Summer Term Week 12
Friday 10th July 2026

Holy Family Catholic Primary School



*Jesus said "Let the children come to me"
We live and learn and love in his way.*

Spotlight on School trips



Prepare for this Sunday's Gospel:

This Sunday the Gospel is from Matthew 13:1-23. In this Sunday's Gospel, we hear Jesus inviting us to listen to him and act upon his words. Have a read with your child and see what message it gives to you: [Click this link for the Wednesday Word](#)

25 Years!

We would like to say a huge congratulations to Mrs Kemp, who has completed an amazing **25 years** with Holy Family!



Volunteers Needed!

We are looking for any green fingered parents, grandparents, parishoners who would be able to spare some time to help us clear up and work on our eco garden - we would love to get this space back up and running again and any help would be greatly appreciated! If you can help, please leave your name and contact details with the school office.



Dates for your Diary

Monday 13th July

Reports go out

Tuesday 14th July

9:15am Reception

Group Mass

Thursday 16th July

SATs results out

Friday 17th July

9:15am Y6 Leavers

Mass

Summer holidays ☀️

Wednesday 2nd

September

Back to school for
Autumn term 🍁

Celebration Afternoon – Wednesday 15th July

We are delighted to invite parents and carers to our **Celebration Afternoon** on **Wednesday 15th July**, starting at **1:30pm**.

From **1:30pm**, you will have the opportunity to look through your child's work and celebrate their achievements over the year. This is open to all year groups from **Reception to Year 6**.

At **2:30pm**, our **Rocksteady** pupils will be performing for parents and carers.

Once you have viewed your child's books and/or watched the Rocksteady performance, you are welcome to leave with your child.

Please enter via the school office.

Cleaner Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a cleaner starting in September, the position will be for 15 hours per week. If you are interested or would like further details, please contact the office.

Free Summer School Uniform Pop Up

Please see the attached poster for a **free summer school uniform pop up** at Queens Road Baptist Church from the 10th - 28th August.

Booking for this event is essential, please use the following link to reserve an appointment:

<https://clothingcoventry.org/uniform/>

Congratulations!

A massive well done to Annie Moloney from Year 5, who has officially qualified for the **Oireachtas Rince na Cruinne 2027** (Irish dance world championships)! She came 4th in an absolutely incredible U10 competition at the Scottish Nationals which was the first qualifying competition of the year. She will be competing in Belfast next year! Congratulations Annie and we wish you the best of luck in the championships next year!



Dance for Rights

The Year 4 and Year 5 children had a wonderful day taking part in the Dance for Rights project with the Royal Ballet and Opera at Warwick University. They showed great enthusiasm throughout the day, worked incredibly hard, and were praised for their excellent behaviour. The children's dedication and confidence shone through in a fantastic final performance, which they proudly presented to parents and the Lord Mayor, making it a truly memorable experience for everyone involved.



Great British Summer Savings Schemes

From 25 June to 1 September 2026, the Government is temporarily cutting VAT from 20% to 5% on children's meals in restaurants, children and family tickets to cinemas, theatres, concerts and exhibitions, and admission to a wide range of attractions. Combined with free bus travel during August for children aged 5 to 15 in England.

As part of this campaign, the government have launched an attraction finder website which allows families to type in their postcode and find participating venues near them to make the most of summer savings. To use the attraction finder, please visit <https://summersavings.gov.uk>

Coventry Rocks

Coventry Rocks have created a free guide packed with local events, days out and activities to help families make the most of the summer holidays: **FREE Summer Holidays What's On Guide**



Raring2Go!

Please click the following link for the Raring2Go! Summer magazine, filled with lots of things for families to do this summer: **Raring2Go!**

MHST

Please see the attached posters for the 3 different family workshops that the Mental Health in Schools Team are offering for primary school children and their parents/carers at local family hubs over the summer holidays.

Summer Vibes Menu

On Tuesday 14th July we have a special summer vibes menu - please see the menu attached and book through the School Foods United app if your child would like a dinner on this day.



Have a lovely weekend

Mrs G Griffiths
Headteacher



YRMcG	Alicia Lasek	Y3N	Iga Rozanska
YRH	Ada Harvey	Y3N	Mason Shaw
YRH	Jesse Dzasani	Y4R	Freya Knight
Y2N	Edith Mulligan	Y6ST	Luke McGwinn
Y1B	Jonah Kelly	Y6ST	Saraiyah Nshuti

We hope you all have a lovely birthday!



Attendance for this week
Whole School attendance
93.5%



	YR	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance	94.4%	94.8%	95.7%	96.2%	95.8%	92.7%	84.5%

Congratulations to Y2N & Y3C for the highest attendance of 98.3% this week!

HEAD TEACHERS MERIT & WRITER OF THE WEEK

Y6 Mrs Tompkins

Cara Corr Wilson
Lucy Roberts



Y6 Miss Thompson

Cohen Christian
Lena Dabrowska

Y5 Mrs Corr-Wilson

Leon Douglas
Trinity Aneke

Y5 Mrs Mariadoss

Daisy Darling Bates
Cody Ross

Y4 Mr Richardson

Whole class

Y4 Mrs Ward

Whole Class

Y3 Mrs Nicholls & Mrs Newman

Iga Rozanska
Janina Chwalek

Y3 Miss Clyde

Chrizya Gonsalves
Helana Sutharson

Y2 Mrs Marlowe

Scarlett May Howells
Daniel Oduro Nkansah

Y2 Mr Newell

Aaron Antonjeyaraj
Macy Hollingsworth

Y1 Mrs Parkes & Mrs Twycross

Oba Adedipe
Carmella Giusti-Brown

Y1 Miss Brown

Ethan Carvalho
Arthur Madeira

YRH Miss Heaphy

Cillian Kennedy
Ada Harvey

YRMcG Miss McGrath

Julia Lacka
Albertina Benson

Nursery Superstars

Whole class

*Well done to all of you for
your hard work this week!*

SMARTPHONE-FREE SCHOOL



Following the latest Department for Education (DfE) guidance to protect children's wellbeing, we are becoming a **smartphone-free school.**



HERE IS WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:



NO SMART DEVICES:

Children are not to bring any smartphones or any other smart technology onto the school site. This includes smartwatches, tablets, Kindles and other internet-enabled devices.



THE 'BRICK PHONE' EXCEPTION (YEAR 6 ONLY):

In the case of a phone being required for a **one off emergency only**, children may bring a basic, simple phone that can only make/receive calls and texts (No internet or apps).

These phones must not have internet access, apps, cameras, social media or other smart phone features.



STORAGE:

Any permitted basic phone must be switched off and handed into the teacher at the start of the day.



PLEASE REMEMBER:

To help keep our school a positive environment for everyone, **we kindly ask that parents and visitors do not use their phones on the school playground.**



Together, we can create a safer, happier, and more focused learning environment for all.



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Get
Your
Thinking
Caps On!

FUN
PRIZES
TO BE
WON!



CARDINAL
NEWMAN
CATHOLIC SCHOOL



DATE: 16th july



VENUE: Holy Family Church Hall



TIME: 7pm



ENTRY: £5 a team (6 per team)



CASH ONLY

BLACKOUT CARDS &
RAFFLE PRIZES ON THE NIGHT



Contact Nicky on 07729916076
or Rhys on 07774277193



PROCEEDS GO TO
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in memory of Lorraine Dunne



Bring your own
drinks & snacks



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Coventry HAF

**Holiday Activities
and Food Programme**



**Bookings
go live**

**Thursday 18 June 2026
for our FREE Summer HAF clubs**

21 July – 1 September 2026

**FREE fun, food and
holiday activities**



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CLOTHING COVENTRY PRESENTS

FREE SCHOOL UNIFORM POP UP



WHERE

QUEEN'S ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

Grosvenor Road
Coventry
CV1 3EG

what3words
///fear.snacks.drop

WHEN

10th TO 28th
AUGUST 2026

Monday to Friday

10am - 3pm

HOW TO BOOK

APPOINTMENT ONLY

Booking is essential

Scan the
QR code



clothingcoventry.org/uniform

Due to reduced funding, all items will be second hand / preloved

6th Form Business wear will also be available

*This event is for Coventry schools and residents only

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Coventry Outdoors

Summer Activities



*Fun, Active, Creative
Outdoor Adventures!*



Coventry Outdoors Activity Camps

Experience an unforgettable adventure, from survival techniques to outdoor activities and challenges, whilst making new friends and having lots of fun!



Coombe Creative

Participants will have the chance to learn new creative skills and techniques, try new types of media and improve their creative abilities, flexing their imagination. Whatever your art ability or experience there should be something for you.



Forest School

Join us at Coventry Outdoors for our exciting Forest School programme, specially designed for children aged 5 to 8 years. Set in an inspirational natural environment, our full day sessions focus on building self-esteem, confidence and a healthy, active lifestyle through fun, hands-on experiences.



EHCP Activity Camp

Inclusive sessions tailored to support children with EHCPs, focusing on building confidence, developing skills and enjoying outdoor adventures in a supportive and welcoming environment.



Cooking & Planting Club

Introduces children to the journey of food from seed to plate. Through a combination of hands-on gardening, environmental education, food exploration, and practical cooking activities, participants will develop a greater understanding of where food comes from and how healthy choices can be fun, affordable, and accessible.



5-12
years old



VENUES ACROSS COVENTRY



Coombe Abbey Park



Templars
Primary School



Rough Close Scout
Camping & Activity Centre



Stoke Heath
Primary School



5 – 12
years old



Full day
sessions



Building confidence,
skills and friendships
through fun and
outdoor adventure.

Limited spaces available –
book your place online:

eequ.org/coventryhaf





FITNESS AND FUN

HOLIDAY CLUB

JOIN US THIS SUMMER!

GET ACTIVE. HAVE FUN. MAKE MEMORIES!



A super-active, confidence-boosting club for KS2 children.

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Lots of fun activities, games and challenges to keep them moving, smiling and having fun with friends!

SUMMER DATES

WEEK 1	22 / 23 / 24 JULY
WEEK 2	29 / 30 / 31 JULY
WEEK 3	5 / 6 / 7 AUGUST
WEEK 4	12 / 13 / 14 AUGUST

PRICING



£22.50

PER DAY



£60

3 DAYS (FULL WEEK)



ACTIVE GAMES



HEALTHY SNACKS



FUN CHALLENGES



MAKE NEW FRIENDS

HAF PLACES AVAILABLE – CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION



Scan to BOOK your place!

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HEALTHY BODIES. HAPPY MINDS. MEMORIES THAT LAST!



SUMMER HOLIDAY 2026

Ladybug Lodge are pleased to host a range of activities across the Summer Holiday

All activities must be booked separately via the website: www.ladybuglodge.co.uk/activities

Sessions hosted at: Tiverton School, CV3 4DE & Nettle Hill, CV7 9JL (Coventry)

STAY & PLAY

Sensory Stay & Play with access to Sensory Room, Soft Play, Indoor Swing, Secure Playground and a range of activities

SWIMMING

Family Swimming:
Family Swimming Session (Siblings welcome)

Exclusive Hire Swimming:
Private pool session for a maximum of 6 people

Hoist access and Shower beds are available in all changing rooms

FOREST SCHOOL

Forest School sessions with a range of sensory activities, Fire lighting skills, Outdoor cooking, Tool work and natural play. Families must wear appropriate clothing for the session

OFF BALANCE DANCE

Group Dance:
Sensory dance and movement sessions in a small group (5 families)

1:1 Dance:
Private sensory dance and movement session tailored to interests and ability

Sessions will be led by Alexis and Mollie

OPEN THEATRE

Small group non-verbal physical theatre sessions filled with creativity, play and sensory exploration led by experienced practitioners

SOUNABOUT

Group sessions:
Small group themed music making sessions

1:1 sessions
Bespoke music making sessions with a sensory focus

Sessions are led by a variety of practitioners

Sessions are suited for individuals aged 0 – 21 with SEND needs.

Mobile hoists & a Changing places toilet is available at Tiverton

A disabled toilet with shower is available at Nettle Hill

Advance booking via the website is essential

www.ladybuglodge.co.uk/activities/holiday



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info@ladybuglodge.co.uk

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The Mental Health in Schools Team present:

Worried about moving up to secondary school? Transitions workshop

We are hosting several 'transitions' focused workshops over the summer holidays for **parents/carers and their year 6, going into year 7 child(ren)**. These are activity based and expected to last 1 hour – 90 minutes. Please note, simple refreshments are provided but please bring drinks/snacks as required – there will be breaks!

Starting secondary school is a big change for both children and families. This workshop brings children and parents/carers together to understand common worries and learn simple, practical strategies to manage them. It will help you feel more prepared, confident, and able to support your child through the transition.

Moat Family Hub

Monday 3rd August - 1:30pm

Monday 10th August - 1:30pm

Aspire Family Hub

Friday 21st August - 9:30am

Friday 28th August – 9:30am

Moat Family Hub

Moat House Primary School,
Deedmore Road, CV2 1EQ

Aspire Family Hub

Gosford Park School, Humber
Avenue, CV1 2AU

If you would like to register for one of these dates, please scan the QR code which will provide you with an email to send to our team. Or email mhst@covwarkpt.nhs.uk



The Mental Health in Schools Team presents:

Five ways to wellbeing

Join our fun and interactive Five Ways to Wellbeing workshops designed for children and parents to explore simple activities that support positive mental health. Through games, movement, and creative tasks, families will learn practical ways to connect, stay active, build confidence, and manage emotions together. Our sessions are inclusive, flexible, and supportive—ensuring every child can take part in a way that feels comfortable for them.

We are hosting several workshops over the summer holidays for parents/carers to attend **with their primary school aged child(ren)**. These are activity based and we expect them to last around **2 -3 hours**. Please note, simple refreshments are provided but please bring drinks/snacks as required – there will be breaks!

Aspire Family Hub

Gosford Park School, Humber Avenue,
CV1 2AU

Wednesday 5th August – 9:30am

Pathways Family Hub

Radford Primary School, Lawrence
Saunders Road, CV6 1HD

Thursday 13th August – 9:30am

Thursday 20th August – 9:30am

Moat Family Hub

Moat House Primary School, Deedmore
Road, CV2 1EQ

Monday 24th August – 1:30pm

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**Children and
Young People Services**
Mental Health

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SUMMER VIBES!

Tuesday 14th July

Main

Sausage Roll
Pizza Pin wheel

Jacket Potato
Served with
various fillings

Served with
Chips and Baked Beans

Dessert
Ice-Lolly
or
Fresh Fruit

FOOD Be More
SMART
FOR BODY AND BRAIN



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SUMMER FASHION CAMP

Week 1 20-24th July
Week 2 17th-21st August
 Jubilee Crescent Community Centre
 Radford

Text the word INFO to 07879672477
 check out our work @covcloth on facebook & instagram

SWAP SCREENS FOR STITCHES

COVENTRY LEOFRIC LIONS PRESENT THE 2026:

Teddy Bear's Picnic



**Come and join us @ Earlsdon RFC, Coventry for
 FUN, FOOD & GAMES!**

Saturday 8th August / 11:00am - 3:00pm

Earlsdon Rugby Club, Mitchell Avenue, Canley, Coventry CV4 8DY

Parent's & Carer's £2:50 / Kids go FREE!
 Children **MUST** be accompanied by an adult

LIONS INTERNATIONAL

For up-to-date event info follow our
 Facebook Page: **Coventry Leofric Lions**

Get School Ready @ the same time