

'It is for each of us to learn the path by which Jesus requires us to follow him; to follow in that path.' St Katharine Drexel

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy and productive week here at St Patrick's. We want to start by saying a huge thank you for all the amazing sock puppet book characters that have arrived in school; we have been amazed at the wonderful work and creativity on display. A massive well done to our winners overall winners: Sofia, Skyla and Frankie!

In order to safeguard the children, please remember that all visitors must be let into the building through the telecom system once they have been announced. We also ask that you ensure the gate is closed at all times and that you do not let other people enter the school behind you.

By now, you should have received an email informing you about our new medical tracker. This communication platform ensures that you will receive an instant email notification if your child is injured whilst at school. As a school, we record every medical incident, some of our younger children report of 'hitting their heads' very often (which is why we always send home a bumped head note.) From now on, you will receive an email informing you, please do not be alarmed. If our First Aiders think that your child needs medical attention we will always call you and not just send the email. This virtual system will save a significant amount of paper and time. To ensure this works effectively, please make sure the office has your most up-to-date email address (and mobile number).

To understand more about what your child is learning at school, please remember to check the curriculum newsletters for each year group on our website. Can I also remind the juniors that snacks during morning break should only be fruit; we are a healthy school and have noticed a wide variety of other snacks coming in lately.

Finally, we understand that life can be very challenging at times, if you are struggling and would like some extra support, please do get in touch with the school office to see if we can help in any way.

Mrs Newman



Dates for your Diary

Summer term: Monday 13th April 2026- Friday 17th July 2026

- W/C commencing 11th May –Year 6 SATs
- 18th - 22nd May: Year 6 residential trip to Bawdsey Manor

Half term: 25th - 29th May

- Friday 12th June: Sport's Day
- Wednesday 17th June: Provisional Sport's Day (in case of bad weather)
- Friday 19th June: Non-contact day (teacher training)
- Friday 26th June: Bounce into Summer
- Monday 6th July : Open evening / meet the teacher
- Tuesday 7th July: Rock steady concert @2:15
- Wednesday 8th July: Yr 5 retreat to Walsingham House
- Wednesday 8th July: Yr 6 production (pm performance)
- Thursday 9th July: Yr 6 production (evening performance)
- Thursday 16th July: Leaver's mass (10:30 in Church)
- Friday 17th July: Leaver's assembly (9am) - Last day of term, finish at 1pm

Class Assemblies 2:45pm all are welcome to attend

Wednesday 6th May –St Thomas

Wednesday 13th May—St John the Baptist

Wednesday 20th May—St Joseph

Wednesday 10th June –St Matthew

Wednesday 17th June—St Paul (**Please note change of date**)

Wednesday 24th June—St Peter

Wednesday 1st July—St Mark (**Please note change of date**)



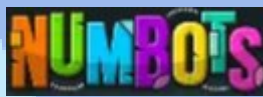


Congratulations!

This week we would like to wish happy birthday to:
Taiyeba (St Joseph), Safwan (St Anthony), Chance (St Thomas), Nona (St Thomas), Alexandru (St Bernadette), Jessica (St Bernadette), Michael (St Blaize), Joel (St Teresa), Alexis (St Blaize), Noa (St Joseph), Luiss (St Blaize), Bonnie (St Bernadette)

GOING FOR GOLD

Well done to these children who achieved Going for Gold – a demonstration of our School Core Values:
St Peter - Savannah & Caswin
St Mark - Jasnoor, Freddie & Sienna
St Anthony - David



Highest Accuracy
Alexander P



Great work to our TimesTable Rock Stars this week:
KS1 - Feyi A
LKS2 - Olivia T
UKS2 - George F

Well done for completing the Reading Challenge:
St Matthew - Eva, Henryk & Grace



Top table winners this week are:
Violet (St Bernadette), Wesley (St Bernadette), Mare (St John the Baptist)

WOW!

Well done to the children who achieved Work of The Week (they will be awarded during assembly on **Friday 8th May**. All parents are invited to attend, WOW assembly starts at 9am:

St Paul - Summer & Kroi

St Peter - Isabella & Kaiden

St Matthew - Grace & Alexander

St Mark - Rex & Jasnoor

St John the Baptist - David & Harrison

St Joseph - Harvey & Alfred

St Teresa of Calcutta - Nha-Uyen, Antoni & Whole Class

St Thomas - Aviana, Sebi & Nancy

St Anne Line - Luca & Sofia

St Anthony - Emily, Joshua & Safwan

St Bernadette - Richard & Mickayla

St Blaize - Freya & Favour

St David - Amelia & Amaan

St Dominic - Logan & Lorna

Congratulations!

**Class Highest
Attendance**

For the Week 20th April to 24th April

St Mark (98.28%)

Well Done!!