



# St Mary and St Peter Catholic Primary School

## NEWSLETTER

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Please let us know if you would like this letter (or others) in another language. We would be happy to organise this for you.  
Por favor, deixe-nos saber se você gostaria que esta carta (ou outros) em outro idioma. Ficaremos felizes para organizar isso para você.  
Daj nam znać, jeśli chcesz ten list (lub inne) w innym języku. Chętnie zorganizować to dla ciebie.  
S'il vous plaît laissez-nous savoir si vous souhaitez que cette lettre (ou autres) dans une autre langue. Nous serions heureux d'organiser pour vous.

### **Roald Dahl Day**

A huge thank you to everyone who dressed up for our event, children and staff looked amazing. It was a brilliant effort from you all and the amount raised was £82.35 which will go to Roald Dahl Charity which helps to improve life for seriously ill children – a very worthy cause.

“Sebastian in Year 5 won 1<sup>st</sup> prize and we had a great fun day with lots of excitement.” By Adarsh & Brandon Year 4.

### **Year 5 Evacuees Day**

On 21<sup>st</sup> September Year 5 went on a trip to the Time and Tide museum to learn about WW2.

“We did 4 activities first we went to a shop, then we got trained to be a home guard, learnt to make rag rugs and how to survive an air raid. I really enjoyed it.” By Ethan.

“Year 5 visited the Time and Tide Museum on Wednesday and we all had a great time learning about World War 2. I really enjoyed it because it was exciting and I learned a lot on how to make a carrot sandwich.” By Alena.

### **Arriving at school**

Please ensure that if your child comes to school on a bike or scooter they dismount at the gate and do not ride into school under any circumstances. This is to ensure their safety and the safety of other children.

Once your child has gone through the school gate please do not beckon them back for bags, drinks etc. Please pass these to the member of staff on the school gate. This is to ensure your child's safety.

### **Dinner money**

We are receiving the incorrect dinner money or no dinner money at all on a Monday morning. I would like to remind you the cost of a school meal is £2.20 per day which is £11 per week. Please ensure the correct amount is sent on a Monday morning. Envelopes should be placed in the box in the foyer by 9am.

Parents should also complete envelopes for children receiving free meals clearly identifying which meal is required.

### **Applications for Nursery**

If you would like your child to start nursery in the future then please see the office staff who will give you a form to complete.

### **Individual photographs**

Individual school photographs will be taken on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2016. Further details will follow.

## **Bake Off**

To launch our book fayre we will be holding a Bake Off competition on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October. Every child, parent and member of staff can bake a cake which will be judged during the afternoon and the winners announced at a café in the school hall directly after school. Tea and cake will be available for a voluntary donation whilst you browse the book fayre. We will be supporting children in the local area who have been diagnosed with cancer.

## **Prompt collection**

Please be aware that school finishes at 3pm and children must be collected promptly at this time. If you are going to be late then you must inform the school office. This also applies if you are collecting your child from a club.

## **UPCOMING DIARY DATES: -**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>ACTION REQUIRED</b>
29 <sup>th</sup> September	Visit to St John's Cathedral - Year 6	Permissions to be returned by Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct.
30 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 3 class mass – 10.00 am	All welcome.
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Whole School Harvest Mass – 10.00 am	Non-uniform day also voluntary donations of food and 50p per child for CAFOD welcome.
11 <sup>th</sup> October	Bake Off, book fayre launch and café – 3.00pm.	Further details to follow.
12 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Parents evening 3.30 – 5.30	List to book appointments will be available on 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct
12 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Book fayre.	Book fayre open before school each morning and after school Wednesday & Thursday.
14 <sup>th</sup> October	Years 1 & 2 class mass – 10.00 am	All welcome.
21 <sup>st</sup> October	Year 6 class mass – 10.00 am	All welcome.
24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> October	Half-term	Term starts Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> October 2016.
1 <sup>st</sup> November	All Saints Mass – 10.00 am	All welcome.
8 <sup>th</sup> November	Art exhibition & café – 2.45 pm	Further details to follow.
9 <sup>th</sup> November	Individual photographs	Further details to follow.
29 <sup>th</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Festival of carols at The Hippodrome in the evening.	Further details to follow.
14 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole school visit to Gorleston Pavilion for pantomime	Further details to follow.
16 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day	Further details to follow.
19 <sup>th</sup> Dec – 4 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2017	Christmas Holidays	Term starts Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2017.

