

St Mary and St Peter Catholic Primary School

NEWSLETTER



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Our school code of conduct:

MINDSET

PEACE

RESPECT

Easter Raffle

Thank you to everybody who kindly supported our Easter Raffle which was to raise funds for the coach to Eatonvale for our Yr 6 residential visit in May. Keep a look on the website as the final amount raised will be posted on there once the final counting has finished.

School Books to be Returned

We would like all books taken home by pupils to be returned to school on **Tuesday 23rd April 2019**. This will allow us to look at the resources currently held in school. Please have a good look in the Easter holidays and return any books you have.

St Mary & St Peter – New Friends Group

Thank you to all the parents who attended the meeting to form a “New Friends Group” and those who have contacted us since to join.

We had a very productive meeting where the time commitments, safeguarding requirements and some ideas for future events were all discussed.

A further meeting has been arranged for 2.00 pm on Wednesday 8th May 2019.

If you wish to be an active member of the group please ensure your “Volunteer Application Form” is completed and returned to us ASAP so references and a DBS can be carried out.



Our school values are –

Love

Peace

Joy

Patience

Kindness

Respect

Honesty

Forgiveness

Trust

Celebration Assembly

After the Easter break we will be celebrating pupil’s awards in our Celebration Assembly every Friday. If your child has received an award outside of school and they would like to share this in assembly, please ensure they bring the trophy or information of the award in on a Friday.

Medical & Dental Appointments

Please ensure if your child will be late for school or picked up during the school day you advise the school in advance. We also request proof of all appointments. The office staff are happy to copy proof of appointments for the files. Thank you for your support with this.



Girls Football Match SMSP V’s Peterhouse


It’s sad that we lost but we tried our best even though the score was 0 – 5 to Peterhouse. We worked as a team and showed great sportsmanship everyone worked the best they could which was brilliant. We looked like a team and it brought us together. By Nyla Yr 6 & Michelle Yr 5.

Boys Football Matches

SMSP V’s Woodlands

On Tuesday 2nd April the boys football team played a game against Homefield. Unfortunately we lost 5 – 1 but Teddy scored an amazing goal for us. By Teddy & Santi Yr 6.

<p>Hope</p> <p>Resilience</p> <p>Challenge</p>	<p><u>SMSP V's Hopton Primary School</u> We played very well and we put up a good performance. We scored 2 goals in the first half. We conceded 2 goals but Brendan scored the winner with a final score 3 – 2.</p> <p><u>SMSP V's Hillside Primary School</u> We were outstanding in the first half making brilliant passes and taking good shots. The score at the end of the first half was 0 – 3 but although we put up a good fight we lost 0 – 5. By Alfie Yr 6</p> <p><u>Items Not Allowed in School</u> Please ensure your children do not bring spray deodorants into school this includes when swimming. Only roll-on deodorants are allowed.</p>
 <p>We seek to inspire in children the joy and wonder of learning, through cherishing, nurturing, supporting and challenging each one, whatever their talents and needs. As we journey together with Christ, we aim to develop in all children intellectual curiosity, creative endeavor, compassion for others and the</p>  <p>courage to act on their beliefs.</p>	<p><u>School Meals</u> The meals for the next half-term are now available to you to book on Wisepay. Copies of “Special Day Menus” will be sent home and the next one we are holding is Tuesday 7th May 2019 – “Galactic Space Menu.” All meals to be booked by 23.59 on the Sunday prior to the meals being taken or 23.59 on Monday 22nd April and Monday 6th May due to the bank holidays.</p> <p><u>Moonwalk – Fund Raising</u> We have 4 members of staff who will be walking in this years Moonwalk in London to raise money for Breast Cancer. Mrs Bird, Mrs Gooch, Miss Janisch and Mrs McKenna will be walking 26.2 miles throughout the night around London on the 11th May 2019. If any parents would like to sponsor the team called “SMSP Angels” there is a form in the foyer of the main school. Thanks you so much for your support.</p> <p><u>Nursery – September 2019</u> We currently have spaces in our nursery starting September 2019. If your child will be 3 on or before the 31st August 2019 they would be eligible for a place. If you would like to come and look around our nursery one morning to see us in action, you would be very welcome. Please call the school office to book an appointment or for a nursery application form.</p>
	<p><u>Easter Holidays</u> We wish all our pupils, parents and staff a restful and peaceful Easter holiday and look forward to seeing you all again on Tuesday 23rd April 2019.</p>

	<p><u>Easter Prayer</u></p> <p>As we continue our journey through Lent towards Easter, we pray that you would continue to guide and strengthen us. Help us to get closer to you through prayer and fasting and to see you in others through giving, so that we may grow to love you and those around us more.</p> <p>We make this prayer in Jesus' name, Amen</p>
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SCHOOL DIARY DATES

DATE	EVENT	ACTION REQUIRED
8 th April – 22 nd April 26 th April 2019 29 th April 2019 1 st May 2019	Easter Holidays. Whole School Mass – 10.00 Yr 5 swimming commences Yr 3 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00	Welcome back on Tuesday 23 rd April 2019 All welcome. See letter sent home or website. All Yr 3 parents welcome. Art themed.
3 rd May 2019 8 th May 2019	Yr 1 Mass – 10.00 am New Friends Group – Meeting 2.00 – 3.00 pm	All welcome. All welcome if you would like to join the group.
8 th May 2019	Yr 5 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00	All Yr 5 parents welcome. Art themed.
10 th May 2019 10 th May 2019	Yr 2 Mass – 10.00 am Yr R Togetherness Café 1.30 – 2.45	All welcome. All Reception parents welcome. Art themed.
13 th – 17 th May 2019	Yr 6 SATS week.	Y6 children in school for 7.45 (Mon-Thurs). Light breakfast provided.
17 th May 2019 20 th – 22 nd May 2019 22 nd May 2019	Yr 5 Mass – 10.00 am Yr 6 Residential – Eaton Vale. Yr 1 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00	All welcome. All payments should now have been made. All Yr 1 parents welcome. Art themed.
23 rd May 2019	Nursery Togetherness Café 10.30 – 11.30	All Nursery parents welcome. Art themed.
24 th May 2019 24 th May 2019 27 th May – 31 st May 2019	Yr 3 – Walsingham Trip Yr 4 Class Mass – 10.00 am Half-term	Further details to follow. All welcome. Monday 3 rd June 2019 children return to school.
5 th June 2019	Yr 4 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00	All Yr 4 parents welcome. Art themed.
10 th June 2019 12 th June 2019 12 th June 2019 19 th June 2019	Yr 4 Pentecoste trip Class photos Yr 2 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00 Yr 6 Togetherness Café 1.30 – 3.00	Further details to follow. All Yr 2 parents welcome. Art themed. All Yr 6 parents welcome. Art themed.
2 nd July 2019	NDHS – New Parents Evening	Yr 6 parents invited to New Parents Evening at Notre Dame High School
11 th July 2019	NDHS – New Students Transition Day	New students to go to NDHS for transition day.
Monday 22 nd July 2019 Wed 4 th September 2019	Summer holidays commence. Start of new academic year.	Children in school on this day (staff training 2 nd & 3 rd Sept 2019).