

St. Joseph's Home-School-Parish Newsletter

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Summer Term Friday 20th April 2018

Dates for your diary

- Monday 23rd April** - Year 3 to visit Ecology Park
Tuesday 24th April - Year 2 to visit Ecology Park
Wednesday 25th April - Girls Football matches
Thursday 26th April - Year 4 to visit Apple Store
Reception to Emirates Aviation Experience
Thursday 3rd May - School closed (polling station)
Tuesday 8th May - Year 5 to visit Ecology Park
Wednesday 9th May - Year 3 trip to British Museum
Friday 11th May - Team B football matches
Tuesday 15th May - Reception trip to Pizza Express
Thursday 17th May - Team A football matches
Friday 18th May - Team B football matches
Wednesday 23rd May - Year 3 Good Shepard Mass
Thursday 24th May - Team A football matches
Friday 25th May - Team A football matches
Friday 27th May - Break up from school
Monday 4th June - Return to school
Monday 4th - Friday 10th June - Year 6 Swanage trip
Friday 22nd June - Sports day

Gospel

One day Jesus said, 'I am the Good Shepherd, who is ready to die for his sheep. A man who is hired to look after the flock does not really care about it because he knows that the sheep do not really belong to him. When the hungry wolf appears, the man runs away, and the sheep are worried or scattered. I know each of my sheep by name, and they know the sound of my voice. They will always follow me and I am ready to give up my life for them.'



Late collection of children

In future if your child is collected after 3:30pm they will be put into a club for safety. The school reserves the right to call social services if they aren't collected within a reasonable time.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every school day counts.

Q When is 90% NOT considered to be a positive outcome?

A When it is linked to attendance

- 90% attendance = $\frac{1}{2}$ day missed every week!
- One school year at 90% attendance = 4 weeks of learning missed!
- Over 5 years of school = $\frac{1}{2}$ school year missed!

Congratulations on the birth of Emma's Younger brother Benjamin Anderson born on 13th December 2017.



**Words read since 15th
September to 20th April
2018**

Y2 - 628,102
Y3 - 2,015,395
Y4 - 2,492,317
Y5 - 4,662,117
Y6 - 4,627,288



Sponsorship Money

Thank you to everyone who took part in the sponsored event with athlete Rion Pierre and returned their sponsorship money. We raised the enormous amount of £1602.80p. A special congratulations to Dolly Hayward who raised the most money. With this money we will help future Olympic athletes at the next games. We also had 40% of the money to spend on sports equipment which will be used to support weekly PE lessons, lunch time play and Sports Day. All pupils who returned their sponsorship form and money will be receiving their packs very soon. Thank you for all your support in this event.

Also we got the free equipment from the Premier league stars scheme!



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Greenwich School

Term and Holiday Dates 2018-2019

Autumn Term 73 days	Tuesday 4 th September 2018 – Thursday 18 th October 2018
Half term	Monday 22 nd October 2018 – Friday 26 th October 2018
Back to school	Monday 29 th October 2018 – Friday 21 st December 2018 (Friday 21 st December School closing at 1.30pm)
Spring Term 59 days	Monday 7 th January 2019 – Friday 8 th February 2019
Half term	Monday 11 th February 2019 – Friday 15 th February 2019
Back to school	Monday 18 th February 2019 – Thursday 4 th April
Summer Term 58 days	Tuesday 23 rd April 2019 – Friday 24 th May 2019
Bank Holiday Monday	Monday 6 th May 2019 – SCHOOL CLOSED
Half term	Monday 27 th May 2019 – Friday 31 st May 2019
Back to school	Monday 3 rd June 2019 – Friday 19 th July 2019
3 INSET DAYS + 1 BANK HOLIDAY WHEN SCHOOL IS CLOSED	Monday 3 rd September 2018
There will be 4 twilight training sessions for teaching staff.	Friday 19 th October 2018
	Friday 5 th April 2019 Parent Consultation Day
	May 6 th Mayday Bank holiday

Rainbow bench

Friday 20th April 2018



Reception - Veenil, Jaiden, Adetola, Louise

Year 1 - Folawami, Ray-Leigh, Tyler, Chloe

Year 2 - Mya, Lijon, Chidubem, Manu

Year 3 - Jayden, Jeziyah, Hannah, Esther

Year 4- Essa, David, Jaeden, Melissa

Year 5- Yemi, Elona, Katie Star, Toby

Year 6 - Tommy, Nathan L, Naza, Matilda

Year 3 & 4 Tag Rugby at Greenwich Park

Years 3 & 4 enjoyed perfect weather conditions (no snow!) on Wednesday when they went to Greenwich Park to take part in the intra-school six nations mini rugby tournament organised by Mr Maher. Of the six teams competing in the league Wales and Ireland finished top with Wales winning by scoring the most tries. We have some potential at rugby the standards was extremely high! Well done years 3 and 4



Chain Reaction Company

On Thursday years 1 to 4 enjoyed a brilliant theatre production from the Chain Reaction Company linked to health and how we treat our bodies. Through dance, song and drama we learnt how important it is to use sun cream, to avoid cigarettes and alcohol and how not all drug are medicines but all medicines are drugs. The children learned a great deal. Audrey in year 4 said "I enjoyed the show because I learnt how to keep my body healthy!"

To learn together and grow in God's love