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Holy Family News

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Hello everyone!

This week has been a busy one across the school. We joined in with the joy of National Storytelling week, celebrating the power of stories as classes came together to share and read with one another, putting our oracy skills to practice and promoting a love of reading in every year group.

We also took part in NSPCC Number Day, enjoying fun maths activities, including a teacher vs pupils quiz, while raising funds and awareness for an important charity.

In addition we were proud to host a football tournament with local schools, where our pupils showed excellent teamwork and sporting spirit, and finally, we held a special celebration for our children on the sacramental programme making their First Reconciliation, it was a wonderful moment that our children will always remember.

A positive week with so much learning and togetherness.

Have a lovely weekend everyone.



National Storytelling Week.

This week we took part in National Storytelling Week where the children enjoyed sharing stories with each other in different classrooms. It was lovely to see the children interacting with one another through story and practising their oracy skills. A great time promoting reading for pleasure in our school.



First Reconciliation

This week, some of our children celebrated the Sacrament of First Reconciliation in school with Fr Stephen. It was a truly special moment in their faith journey and we are incredibly proud of each and every one of the children who took this important step. We keep them in our prayers as they continue to grow in faith, understanding and love.



NSPCC Number Day

The children had a fantastic time celebrating Number Day! They kicked things off with an exciting quiz against Holy Family staff to get their brains buzzing, followed by some Times Tables battles that brought out their competitive side. During the day, they also researched mathematicians and enjoyed time in the hall exploring a range of Maths-based and number games. It was a brilliant day filled with lots of numerical fun whilst also raising funds for NSPCC.



Football Tournament

On Thursday evening, we were delighted to host the football tournament at Holy Family. It was a wonderful event full of energy and sportsmanship. A big Thank You to PSP for organising and making things run so smoothly and to the parents for coming and supporting the boys. They all played with real team spirit and we were very proud of their effort and attitude. We look forward to hosting more of these events in the future.

Well done boys!



Dates for Spring Term

February

- 9th Children's Mental Health Week
- 10th 9.05am Year 5 Class Assembly
- 11th 9.30am Kindness Workshop
- 12th 9.30am Year 4 Mass
- 13th 9.05am Values Assembly (Parents welcome)
- 13th 3pm Finish for Half Term**

23rd Return to School

24th Author workshop in school

26th 9.30am Year 3 Mass

MARCH

2nd 3.15-4pm Book Look for parents. (plus Scholastic Book Fair in School Hall)

4th 3.15-4pm Book Look for parents

5th World Book Day (Details to follow, plus scholastic Book Fair in School Hall)

9th & 11th 3.30PM EYFS and KS1 Parent Teacher Meeting.

13th 9.05AM EYFS Mother's Day Assembly (All Welcome)

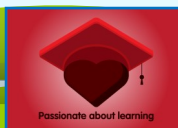
23rd & 25th 3.30PM KS2 Parent Teacher Meeting.

26th 9.30am Lenten Mass

27th 9.05am Values Assembly (Parents Welcome to join)

31st Break the Rules Day

31st End of Term—Children Finish at 3.15pm



Parking Reminder

For the safety of our children, please can we kindly ask parents not to use the staff car park for drop off. Pupils often walk across the entrance gates to the car park so reducing the traffic in this area helps us to keep everyone safe.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in keeping our school community safe.



ATTENDANCE

	LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
RECEPTION	93.8%	95.0%
YEAR 1	98.2%	100%
YEAR 2	96.9%	96.2%
YEAR 3	97.8%	94.4%
YEAR 4	98.4%	97.5%
YEAR 5	97.3%	98.8%
YEAR 6	93.0%	95.2%
WHOLE SCHOOL	96.5%	96.6%