

St. Joseph's Catholic Infant School

APRIL NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the Summer Term, it promised to be action packed. Our new concept for this term will be Culture. Part of celebrating our diversity will be a Multi-cultural Day. We would like to invite parents to come to talk to our pupils. Children will be returning to weekly Mass on a class rota basis. If a funeral is scheduled or the weather is inclement, we will not attend. You are all very welcome to join us.

Provisional Mass Rota:

| Date | Class |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| 3 rd May | Mrs. Turner |
| 10 th May | Mrs Owen |
| 17 th May | Mrs James |
| 24 th May | Mrs Map p/Mrs Torrance |



Today we saw the reorganisation of our Parent Teacher Association. A group of parents met with me to discuss ideas for events and fundraising activities. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 24th May at 9:05. Please come along and join us. If you are unable to make this date but want to get involved please join PTA Whatsapp by giving your number to Carina Thomas, Cassandra Davies or Aime Parry.

Help is needed for Friday 5th May 2023. (12 O'clock to set up and clean up at the end).

Events pencilled in for Summer Term

| Event | Date | Information |
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| Family Walk (Family Mass) | 14.05.23 | Meet at Reemo's bring family and friends and |
| | | bucket and spade |

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| Our World Book Day | 09.06.23 | Create a character using a potato Design a book front cover Dress as a character |
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| School Fete | 07.07.23 | Contacting our local community services. Inviting businesses to run a stall. Is there a Dance group who could perform? |
| Nursery Sports | 13 th July | Shorts T shirt Trainers |
| Whole School Sports | 14 th July | Shorts, Coloured T shirt, Trainers (Colours to follow) |
| Pyjama Day- Teddy bear picnic, favourite book | 21 st July | Teddy Bear picnic- bring a book and a teddy |

Missio Group - Year 2 pupils.

Most pupils have chosen to be part of 2 groups: Missio Prayer and Missio World. Missio Prayer are helping to lead different types of prayer within the school. Missio World are working at supporting our Catholic Life and Mission in the wider world.

Missio World Update: Our charities for this term are CAFOD and Mission in Peru. Please sign up to our Strava Challenge to walk 5929 miles to Peru. We have walked over 3000 already! Bishop Giovani is working on providing bike to children to get to school. Some journeys take over one hour to walk.

Working with our community- Pre School sessions Come

along and **bring your friend- all** welcome.

| | Activity | Time |
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| Monday | Baby Sensory Music | 1:15 – 2:30 |
| Friday | Pre School Language and Play | 1:30 - 2:45 |

We would like to take this time to thank all pupils and parents in continuing their support and understanding in the importance of keeping our schools safe. We as a school strive to prioritise the health and wellbeing of our pupils at all times, please note to ensure that this remains the case our school undertakes termly fire drills and lockdown drills to make sure our students and staff are prepared for any incident that may occur. If any parent has any concerns or questions about our safety measures, please contact the school.

If you have any questions/queries in the meantime please let me know. Thank you for any assistance in this matter

It is looking like a very exciting term!

Ms Beaumont

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