

# St Mary's R.C. Primary School, Meadowside Newsletter

'Growing, loving and learning in the arms of Mary'

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Date: 9<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

# **ST MARY'S CHURCH**

All First Holy Communion children are invited to St Mary's Church for the **Sending Forth Mass** this **Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> June 2017** at **10.30am.** 

The children should wear their First Holy Communion clothes for this Mass.

After the Mass there will be a celebration breakfast for all of the children in St Mary's Church Hall.

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

St Cecilia's Church – 6pm Mass – Saturday 10th June 2017

St Mary's Church – 10.30am Mass – Sunday 11th June 2017

## **WELLBEING MONTH**

June is Wellbeing Month at St. Mary's

Happy children learn better - Wellbeing can add 7 ½ years to our lives

Mental Health affects 1 in 4 of us at some time in our lives.

During June we will be talking about the 5 ways to wellbeing. Why don't you try some of these at home!

Give

Connect

Take Notice

Take Notice
Keep Learning
Be Active

Visit our Wellbeing Page on our website to learn more

Sports Events

JUNE 2017						
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
12 • Y5/6 Quadkids @ Biddick 12 -3 • Y5/6 Tennis @ Puma • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm)	Y6 DANCE FESTIVAL     Y3 Tennis @ Puma     Chess Club     Choir Practice & Choir Meeting	Y4 Tennis @ Puma     Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6	15 • Guitar PM	16 • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3	17	18
Year 3 PE Day	Reception, & 6 PE Day	Year 5 PE Day	Reception, Year 4 PE Day	Year1 & Year 2 PE Day		
19 • .Y3/4 Quadkids @ Biddick 12-3pm • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm)	Chess Club     Choir Practice & Choir Meeting  Reception, & 6 PE Day	Y4/5/6 Drama Production     4pm Parents Welcome     Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6  Year 5 PE Day	• Guitar PM  Reception, Year 4 PE Day	23 • Y2/3 Drama Production 4pm Parents Welcome • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3 Year1 & Year 2 PE Day	24 SUMMER FAYRE	25
26 • Rockband • Karate • Drums/Brass/Woodwind • Guitar (pm)	Chess Club     Choir Practice & Choir Meeting	Wednesday Drama Y4/5/6	• Guitar PM	30 • Violin • Keyboard • Friday Drama Y2/3	1	2
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# FOREST SCHOOL CLEAN UP VOLUNTEERS

Cleaner Communities is a SIB funded project, supporting local communities to clean up local areas.

The project is supporting St Mary's RC Primary School's Forest School, with two Clean Up sessions running across June as follows:

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017, 1.00-3:30pm – Eco Club Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2017, 1.00-3:30pm – Yr6

The sessions will focus on tackling the brambles and litter in the Forest School.

If any parent, grandparent or family members from any year group are taking part in any of these sessions, please ensure they are wearing suitable shoes and clothes as it will be messy work.

Due to the prickly nature of working with brambles, please make sure arms and legs are covered - long sleeved t-shirt and trousers are advised.

Tools will be provided but please, if you have any, bring along your heavy duty gardening gloves.

### **CAKE SALE**

A cake sale will be held on **Thursday 15**<sup>th</sup> **June 2017** with all proceeds going to Macmillan Cancer Support.

Any donations of cakes will be greatly received on the morning of Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2017. Children can bring between 20p and 50p for a cake.

# SAFETY IN THE SUN

During periods of good weather, children will spend more time outside. May I remind parents to encourage your child to...

- Come to school wearing a hat/cap and to wear it outside at all times. (Reception children can bring in a spare cap to keep in school at all times please ensure it is marked clearly with your child's name)
- Apply sun cream. (please send in sun cream for your child, sun cream sticks are easier for children to use)

Please remind children of the importance of a regular intake of water. Water is available in school and all children should have a plastic bottle clearly marked with their name.

# ST MARY'S / PTA REMINDERS:

#### ST MARY'S PTA SUMMER FETE

Come and join the fun!

Saturday 24th June 2017 12pm to 3pm

**There will be:** face painting, go karts, bouncy castle, candy floss, BBQ, Refreshments, tombola, lots of exciting games and stalls including our Grand Prize Raffle and much, much more! Hope to see you there

### PTA 100 CLUB

Thank you to all those who have joined - if you are still interested in joining the PTA 100 Club, please email:

stmaryspta100club@gmail.com with your name and contact details and the PTA will be in touch.

Article 24 – Every child has the right to the best possible

#### **THE "CONNECT" CHALLENGE**

The School Council challenges you to **switch off** all of your **devices** and spend time with your family.

Are you up for the challenge?

"Connect with your family – not your devices!"

Choose 3 days out of the week to make a difference to your family

Article 13 – Every child must be free to say what they think and to seek and receive all kinds of information.

# **THE "ENTERPRISE" CHALLENGE**

During the month of June, each **Class** has been given £5 with a challenge to make it grow using enterprise.

At the end of June the £5 must be given back.

Any profit on the £5 that the class make during June can be used and spent by the class.