



*We show our love for God, in the way we treat each other.  
Together we follow Jesus, by learning, and sharing our gifts.*

## **SS Peter & Paul's Catholic Primary School**



**NEWSLETTER Issue 32**

**Week ending Friday 28th June 2019**

### **UNICEF article of the month: June: Article 15**

Every child has the right to meet with other children and young people and to join groups and organisations, as long as this does not stop other people from enjoying their rights.

*Dear Parents and Carers,*

*Happy Saint Peter and Saint Paul Feast day! Father Andrew celebrated mass with our school community today, with a special visitor in attendance, Mrs Shepherd, Deputy Director of Education, from the Diocese; it was a beautiful occasion.*

*We had a visit from the Dog's Trust this week; they shared an assembly with all the children and workshops with KS2, explaining the importance of how to behave around dogs and what to do if the children are confronted with a dog off the lead.*

*The Ilford Library service launched the fantastic Summer Reading Challenge 'Space Chase' they will return in September to see how many books the children read over the summer.*

*Nursery raised money for the Dr Barnardo charity this week with their Big Toddle; they were unrecognisable in their animal masks as they walked and jogged with their energetic parents around the field.*

*RA certainly won the 'cute factor' on Thursday, as they looked for 'Sharks in the Park' in their class assembly; they also reminded us about the importance of friendship.*

*I look forward to seeing you all at our Parish Fun-Day on Saturday, for mass at 12.30 and an afternoon of fun activities.*

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Wishing you a restful weekend*

*God Bless*

*Mrs S Johnson*

*Headteacher*

## CLARE CUP

A team of Year Six boys took part in the annual Clare Cup 5-a-side football tournament hosted by St Ursula's Foundation in Harold Hill. They were in a very tough group and, after losing their first match, pulled themselves together and soldiered on to win their next three matches, meaning they made their way to the top of their group.

Having made it through to the quarter finals, the boys played an outstanding game of football, but were very unfortunate to lose this game. They played well as a team, supporting each other throughout the tournament and were a credit to themselves and the school. It was even

commented on by a family member from another school what a polite and well-mannered group of children they were. You did us and yourselves proud boys, well done!



## BOLLYWOOD PERFORMANCE



Children in years one to six have been participating in a Bollywood after-school club, provided by Angelique Parvez of D-Style Dance. The children have only had five sessions and on Monday performed their very first routine to their incredibly proud parents. Bearing in mind the children only had a very limited time to learn this routine, they were outstanding. They have participated with enthusiasm and energy every week, astounding us with their finished dance.

If you want to see more of our Bollywood dancers, join us this Saturday at the Parish Fun Day when they will be performing at 2.30pm.

## GOSPEL REFLECTION

**Gospel: Luke 9:11-17**

Last Sunday, we heard how Jesus performed a great miracle with bread for five thousand people.

The disciples want to send the crowd away to find food and shelter. But Jesus says that the disciples have to feed the people themselves. Jesus wants them to care about the people they meet and whether they are hungry or not. He wants God's love to be shown through the disciples. Jesus took the five loaves and two fish, blessed them, broke them up and asked the disciples to share them around. In the gospel, everyone, all 5000 people, eat the bread and the fish, and there is plenty left over, twelve baskets full!

Even though there is enough food produced in the world to feed everyone there are many people who go without food every day – both here in the UK and in other countries. The food in our world is not shared out fairly.

We are all members of one global family. We are all parts of one body – the body of Christ. So if one person is hungry, it is like we are all hungry.

Just like Jesus asks the disciples to feed the crowd in today's reading, we are also asked to do what we can to make sure that everyone has enough to eat.

## PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

God of miracles, through your body and blood we are truly blessed. Let us hunger for you and be whole again. Amen.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

Just to remind you, the new PE shirt will be on sale at Rupens outfitters, hopefully within the next couple of weeks. The yellow polo shirt with the school logo, will be part of the PE kit as from September, the plain round neck T-shirts will NOT be worn as from September. The school will have a range of sizes for sale in the last week of term.

We still have three weeks left until we break up, and we have noticed children not wearing the full school uniform; we do not intend to drop our standards now, so please ensure your child does not come into school wearing earrings, trainers or beads in their hair.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June @ 3:30pm

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June @ 12:30pm

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July @ 5pm-6pm

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July @ 5pm-6pm

Y5 Mill Rythe meeting for parents and pupils

Parish Fun day – SSPP school

KS1 Maths Parent Workshops

KS2 Maths Parent Workshops

## ASSEMBLY AND MASS TIMETABLE

Refreshments will be available before class assemblies from 8.55am. Volunteers are always needed to help escort the children to church, please give your name to the office if available.

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 11am at SSPP Church**

## ATTENDANCE

The whole school attendance last week was: 97.02%

The class winners for the best attendance last week were: 1B with 100%

The class which needs to improve most: RS for attendance of 92.13%

Best punctuality: 2S with 0 late marks

Class that needs to improve: 5B with 9 late marks

If your child is sick please phone the office by 9.30am or the absence will be unauthorised, also remember to send in a letter to the class teacher to explain the nature of the absence. Please avoid taking your child to medical appointments in school time, unless it is an emergency, in which case you must provide a copy of the appointment letter or card. Keep up the good work!



## STAR PUPIL AWARDS



EYFS		KS1		KS2	
N (AM)	Joao/Inaya	1B	Elijah	3D	Kavigan
N (PM)	Gratiana Melody	1K	Dylan	3I	Kaylan & Julien
RA	Jacob	2B	Sandra	4M	Karthigan
RS	Sehajdeep	2S	Gabriel	4S	Daniel & Josiah
				5B	Sappphire
				5R	Aasil
				6P	Giovanna
				6R	Siya