

★ SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary School ★



Part of... St. John Paul II Multi-Academy

We live and learn in the light of Christ!

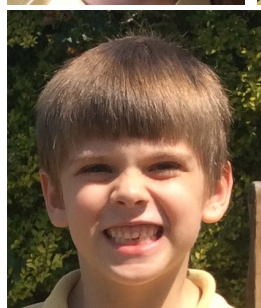
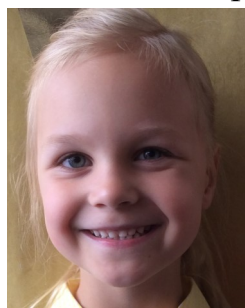
Weekly Newsletter to Parents

Friday 7th June 2019



Summer 2 - Week 33

This week we pray for these special people!



Jake
Louis
Kieran
Lily
Eszter-Izabella
Rylie-Rose
Emilia

Dear Parents, Staff and Children,

Welcome back again for the final half-term of this academic year, I hope you all had a lovely break last week and are back raring to go!!!

All of the staff enjoyed the whole MAC training day on Monday. It was a great opportunity to come together as an Academy community; learning together, sharing good practice, developing new friendships and networks with colleagues, celebrating Mass,... it was a very productive day for all who attended.

Well done to Year 5 who led the Key Stage 2 Mass this week, all of the children did an excellent job. The readers were brilliant and the singing was powerful, so thank you. My thanks also goes to Mrs Wright and Mrs Lines for preparing the children so well. Also, to Ms Dormi for helping with the music. Very much appreciated.

Next week, Year 6 (and their parents) are looking forward to the children being away on their 3 day residential visit to PGL at Boreatton Park in Shropshire. This is always such a great 3 days, please pray for good weather!!!

It is also Year 1 Phonics testing week, next week. This is nothing to be concerned about but please ensure your child is in school all next week so they do not miss it.

Mrs Dilks remains absent from school due to illness, please keep her in your prayers as we wish her a speedy recovery and return to work.

Please remember, next Friday is a Non-Uniform Day in exchange for chocolate or sweets. All donations for the Summer Fair will be gratefully received.

God Bless.



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ACADEMY TERM DATES

Term	Autumn 2018	Spring 2019	Summer 2018
New Term Begins	Monday 3rd Sept	Monday 7th January	Monday 29th April
1st Half-Term Ends	Friday 26th October	Friday 15th February	Friday 24th May
2nd Half-Term Begins	Monday 5th Nov	Monday 25th February	Monday 3rd June
Term Ends	Friday 21st Dec	Friday 12th April	Friday 19th July

SCHOOL FUND DONATIONS

(now including standing orders)

Week 33

School Fund will continue...

Direct Debit

My mistake! If you pay school fund via direct debit we have been informed by the Multi Academy that we can continue to keep our School Fund account open for another year. Sorry for any confusion caused please continue paying as usual.

School Fund Account Details.

Account Number: 30048268

Sort Code: 30 98 37

Thank you all for your support.

School Mobile Phone

Please use for urgent contact out of office hours (3.30 pm - 8.00 am):



07885 235 496

NEWS

We will keep you informed, please read this information carefully.

- **School Pupil Places**—Please can I ask all parents to keep an ear to the ground for anyone who is looking for a space for their child at our school. We've had a number of families leave already or leaving soon for pastures new and we need to replace these children as soon as possible. We have space in **Reception** Class, Year **2**, Year **3**, Year **4** & Year **5**. Please contact Mrs Wright or Mrs Brennan in the school office for more details, either by phone: 0121 675 6028 or via e-mail: enquiry@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk. Thanks.
- **Church Cleaning Volunteers**—The Church are looking for volunteers to help clean the Church. It will be done on a rota basis so you would do it once every 6 - 8 weeks, maybe longer if more people come forward. It only takes an hour. If you are interested, please contact either John or Julia in Church or see Mr Porter and he'll point you in the right direction.
- **Swimming**—Year **3** will be swimming on Friday Mornings. All children need to be in school **before 8.45 am** when the coach leaves. Thank you.
- **Fashion Haircuts**—Please can I remind all parents that we have a very strict uniform policy which is clear on our high expectations regarding uniform, shoes and haircuts (See our website for more details). I have noticed a small minority of parents are ignoring our policy and having fashion haircuts which are too closely shaved to the skin or have a line shaved in as a parting. I would like to remind all parents that this is unacceptable. Thank you to all those parents who abide by our rules and keep their child's hair in a sensible and appropriate style for school. Thank you.
- **SENCO**—Mrs Calvert-Lyons will be holding her next SEN drop in session on Friday 14th June @ 9.30 to 10.00 am. Please phone the school office or e-mail:- senco@ssptrpl.bham.sch.uk, to book a session.
- **Parent Contact Numbers**—Please can all parents ensure that the school office has accurate and up to date contact details for you. We have tried to contact some parents only to find that the mobile number no longer works. It is important that we are able to contact you in case of any emergency.
- **School Pupil meals**—Would you please inform the office if your child is swapping to school meals or sandwiches so that we have an accurate record of how many dinners we are ordering, thank you.
- **No Smoking**—Please note that we have a no smoking policy on site at any time, whether you are dropping off or picking up your child at Leading Light Club or School. Plus, I would ask politely that anyone who does smoke out on the road, if they could do it away from the gates. Thank you.
- **Year 6 'Safeguarding Me' Workshops**—In preparation for Secondary School we are running a series of workshops for Year 6 children. They have already started and the children have loved them so far. The dates for these are as follows: Thursday 13th June, Tuesday 18th June, Tuesday 25th June, Tuesday 2nd July, Tuesday 9th & Wednesday 10th July.
- **Year 6 Sacrament of Confirmation**—Please be aware that Sacramental preparation is well under way for the Year 6 children who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from Archbishop Bernard Longley in Church on Saturday 6th July @ 5.00 pm. The whole school community is welcome.
- **School Photographs**—On Monday 17th June we will be having Whole Class Photos and Reception Graduation Photos. Please ensure that your child is wearing Summer Uniform and looking smart.

IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

Y6 PGL Residential
Mon 10th - Wed 12th June 2019

Y1 Phonics Screening Check Week
Monday 10th to Friday 14th June

All Class Mass for Key Stage 1
Thursday 13th June @ 9.15 am

SPFA Non-Uniform Day (sweets/choc)
Friday 14th June 2019

School Photographs
Monday 17th June— am

BCSSA Athletics @ Alexander Stadium
Monday 17th June @ 3.00—6.00 pm

New Reception Parents Induction
Wednesday 19th June @ 6.00 pm

Y3 Class Mass for Key Stage 2
Thursday 20th June @ 9.15 am

Year 2 Class Assembly for Parents
Friday 21st June @ 9.00 am

SPFA Car Boot Sale
Saturday 22nd June @ 10.00 - 2.00 pm

Spanish Day
Wednesday 26th June 2019

TRAINING DAYS

- Monday 3rd September 2018
- Monday 7th January 2019
- Tuesday 22nd January 2019
- Monday 29th April 2019
- Monday 3rd June 2019 (MAC)

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Monday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)
- Y5/6 Football
- Change for Life Club (4.30 pm)

Tuesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)
- Monster Craft
- Skills 4 Life Club

Wednesday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)
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Thursday (3.20 - 4.20 pm)
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Friday (2.00 - 3.00 pm)
- Y3/4 Football
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SS Peter & Paul School Mass Times

Thursday 13th June 2019 @ 9.15 am
Key Stage 1 Mass led by all classes



The details of our next school Mass will be in this newsletter each week. All parents, family members & Parish are invited to come and join our Mass celebration so please pop in if you have time to spare. See you soon.

This week in school... Y5 'Road to Emmaus' - Luke 24: 13-35



GENERAL INFORMATION

Copies of the newsletter with a larger font are available in the School Reception for people with visual needs and on the school website.

www.ssptrpl.net

Punctuality – School starts at 8.50 am & closes at 3.20 pm Monday to Thursday. Every Friday it's open 8.50 am to 2.00 pm. Punctuality is important to ensure a good school day for both children and staff.

Security – Once children have been dropped off at school they must not, under any circumstances, leave the school premises for reasons of Safeguarding.

Pupil absence – If your child is absent from school please remember to **phone school before 9.30 am.** & send a note in when your child returns.

Uniform – Please ensure that **ALL** school uniform is clearly labelled with your child's name.

Dinner money – Please note this will increase to £2.35 per day (£11.75 per week) with effect from 30th April 2019. Please remember we are now 'Cashless' so all dinner money payments must be made via ParentMail.

School Dinners – If your child changes their meal pattern from School dinners to packed lunch or swap from pizza day to packed lunch we must insist on half a terms notice. Thank you.

Thought for our Diocesan Virtues Summer 2 - Intentional and Prophetic

Our pupils are taught to live our lives; getting the balance right, living in the present moment rather than in the unchangeable past or unknown future. Be *intentional* and deliberate in your choices, setting a good example to others. As a disciple we are *prophets*, predicting what our future holds in this life God has given us, remembering to live in the 'here and now' as God wants us to do.

Riddle of the Week!!!

Q: Why are elephants so wrinkled?

(See Mr Porter with your answer to check if you're right!)

Last weeks answer was:
... they don't wear socks, they have bear feet ...

Prayer of the Week!!! **Prayer for a birthday**

God our Father,
the birth of your Son Jesus Christ
brought great joy to Mary and Joseph.
We give thanks to you for name whose birthday we
celebrate today.
May he/she ever grow in your faith, hope, and love.
We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

(A prayer to say together with your family)

Parish Events

Parish Weekend Masses

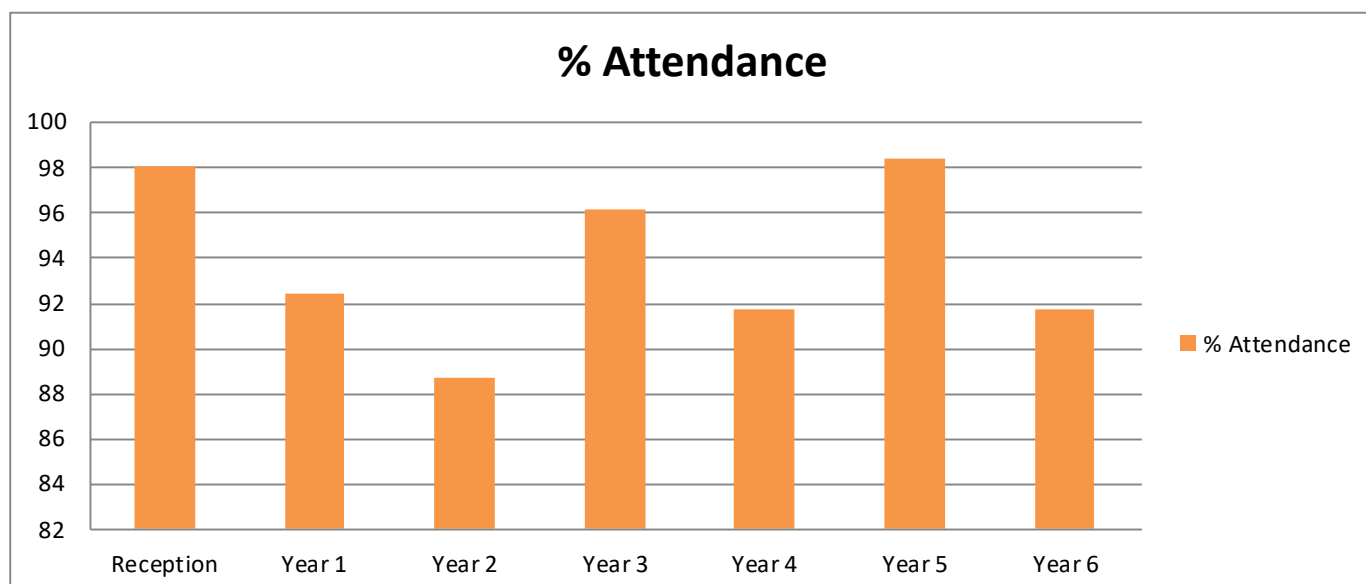
Saturday Evening @ 5pm
Sunday Morning @ 9.30 am

Cultural Evening

Saturday 29th June @ 7.30 pm
Tickets available from Church Piety Stall

As a School and Parish community we should be supporting these events to make SS Peter & Paul a lively and thriving Parish, full of joy and community spirit.

Pupil Attendance 20th May to 24th May 2019 = 93.82%



Congratulations to Year 5 well done for their excellent attendance.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

We wish the following children a very Happy Birthday:-

Victoria Potocka, Lauren Santos, Maksym Gabiec, Niamh Thompson.



'STAR OF THE WEEK'

Congratulations to these children awarded Star of the Week:-

- Reception — Victoria Potocka
- Year 1 — April Salari
- Year 2 — Finn Brennan
- Year 3 — David Mozes
- Year 4 — Olivia Warnock
- Year 5 — Holly Conway
- Year 6 — Maksym Gabiec



House Points

Saint Peter	64
Saint Paul	92
Our Lady	100
Saint Joseph	63



Well done to Our Lady's our winners.
Congratulations!!!

Stay Safe Online

E-Safety is very important! Do you know what your child is watching or doing on the internet?

Top Tips for staying safe online

Please check out this website for support

<https://www.internetmatters.org>

Spanish Word of the Week

(Palabra de la semana)

"Soy inglés" (male) "Soy inglesa" (female)
means... I am English



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Thank you for taking time
to read our Newsletter.





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S.P.F.A Page

Our SPFA will trial an 'Advertising Page' in each weeks school newsletter. Anyone with a small business or service to promote can pay the SPFA to put their advert on this page.

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Kristina Moore on 07950815868 or Kelly Thompson on 07938638541

**SPFA Bonus Ball Winner
£220.00
Friday 31st May 2019
Ball 82 - Miss Tricia Friel
Well done to you!!!**

SPFA FAMILY FUN NIGHT

FRIDAY 17TH MAY

**RAISED AN AMAZING
£756 SO THAT'S
£378 FOR SCHOOL**

SPFA CAR BOOT SALE

**SATURDAY 22ND JUNE @
10 AM - 2 PM**

**SEE NEWSLETTER PAGE 7
FOR MORE DETAILS**

Fashion Show & Clothing Sale Raffle Prize Winners!!!

I have 2 unclaimed prizes from the event last Saturday as the winning tickets had no name on!

If you have a white ticket with either 86-90 or 91-95 then you are a winner. Please contact Kristina Moore on the number at the top of the page to claim your prize!

SPFA information and events...

- Saturday 22nd June - SPFA Car Boot Sale
- Friday 14th June - Non-Uniform Day for sweets or chocolate (TBC) for Summer Fair stalls
- Friday 28th June - Non-Uniform Day for Bottles for Summer Fair stall
- Friday 5th July - Non-Uniform Day for filled and decorated Lucky Bags (to be supplied by SPFA)
- Friday 5th July - Summer Fair

19 5

30 10

SPFA Bonus Ball Draw Dates 2019

January Friday 25th DRAW COMPLETE Recorded & Posted (4)	February Friday 22nd DRAW COMPLETE Recorded & Posted (4)	March Friday 29th DRAW COMPLETE Recorded & Posted (5)	April Friday 26th DRAW COMPLETE Recorded & Posted (4)
May Friday 31st DRAW COMPLETE Recorded & Posted (4)	June Friday 28th (5)	July Friday 26th Recorded & Posted (4)	August Friday 30th Recorded & Posted (5)
September Friday 27th (4)	October Friday 25th (4)	November Friday 29th (5)	December Friday 27th Recorded & Posted (4)

*Draws will take place during Celebration Assembly. Where no assembly takes place the numbers will be drawn by Mr Porter or Mrs Calvert-Lyons and sealed in an envelope for revealing on the draw date.



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Saturday 22nd June

Open to the public

from 10am – 2pm

(set up from 9am)



**Cars are £5
in advance**

**Or £8 on the
day**

**To book your place speak to Kristina
on 07950 815 868**

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