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*School starts at 8:55am
(Nursery 8.45am and 12.15pm),
gates will be shut promptly.
Please ensure children are in
class in plenty of time. Please
pick your child up promptly at
the end of the day at 3.10pm
(KS1) or 3:15pm (KS2)*

*Children **should not** be on the
school grounds before 8:30am
under any circumstances.
The school does not take re-
sponsibility for children who
are on the school grounds be-
fore 8:30am.*

*Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary
and Nursery School has a commit-
ment to safeguarding and promoting
the welfare of children.*



*Whole School Mass
Friday 25th May 2018*

Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School

'With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

Headteacher's Message



Dear Parents/Carers,

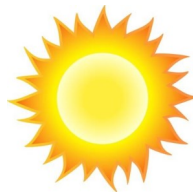
Welcome to this week's newsletter. This week we have had the school photographers in to take class photographs and Year 6 leavers photographs. Year 3 visited the Verulamium Museum in St Albans, more information about the trip will be displayed in next weeks newsletter.

Thank you for your continued support.

God Bless you all.

Sun Awareness Week

Sun Awareness Week starts 6-12th May. The awareness week is to encourage people to regularly self-examine for skin cancer and to teach people about the dangers of sunburn and excessive tanning. In light of the weather starting to get hotter please ensure your child comes into school wearing sun cream and a hat. The school Sun Safe letter will be attached to this newsletter. Thank you.



St Georges Day

St Georges Day was on the 30th April which is also known as the Feast of Saint George. It is celebrated by various Christian Churches and by the several nations, kingdoms, countries, and cities of which Saint George is the patron saint including England, and regions of Portugal and Spain. We are proud to display the St Georges flag at the front of the school.



Lost PE Kit

We would be grateful if you would check that your child has the correct PE kit. We have a report of a missing PE bag containing a full PE kit which is not named. Thank you.

Champions League Tournament

Over the course of the spring term the school ran a champions league football competition. The teams were made using their Saints houses and mixed between 3/4 and 5/6. The children learnt the skills of how to dribble the ball and how to work as part of a team. a wonderful time was had by all. Please see Final results below and on next page for each year band. The children all received an engraved medal. Well done to you all!

Year 3/4 Final Results

ROUND 1				
St Patrick	St George	6	:	0
St George	St Andrew	0	:	3
St Patrick	St David	9	:	0
St Andrew	St Patrick	1	:	1
St David	St Andrew	0	:	15
St George	St David	1	:	4

ROUND 2				
St George	St Patrick	0	:	6
St Andrew	St George	6	:	1
St David	St Patrick	0	:	11
St Patrick	St Andrew	1	:	1
St Andrew	St David	9	:	0
St David	St George	2	:	2

ROUND 3				
St Patrick	St George	8	:	0
St George	St Andrew	0	:	6
St Patrick	St David	6	:	0
St Andrew	St Patrick	2	:	3
St David	St Andrew	0	:	14
St George	St David	3	:	2

ROUND 4				
St George	St Patrick	4	:	0
St Andrew	St George	3	:	1
St David	St Patrick	0	:	14
St Patrick	St Andrew	3	:	1
St Andrew	St David	12	:	0
St David	St George	4	:	0



Final Results for Year 3/4

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
St Patrick	12	9	2	1	68	9	59	29
St Andrew	12	8	2	2	73	10	63	26
St George	12	2	1	9	12	50	-38	7
St David	12	2	1	9	12	96	-84	7

Overall Winner St Patrick—Congratulations!

Year 5/6 Match Results

ROUND 1

St Patrick	St George	6	:	2
St George	St Andrew	0	:	2
St Patrick	St David	1	:	1
St Andrew	St Patrick	2	:	2
St David	St Andrew	3	:	1
St George	St David	1	:	3

ROUND 2

St George	St Patrick	5	:	5
St Andrew	St George	3	:	2
St David	St Patrick	2	:	3
St Patrick	St Andrew	3	:	2
St Andrew	St David	0	:	7
St David	St George	5	:	2

ROUND 3

St Patrick	St George	0	:	3
St George	St Andrew	2	:	0
St Patrick	St David	1	:	2
St Andrew	St Patrick	0	:	4
St David	St Andrew	3	:	3
St George	St David	1	:	2

ROUND 4

St George	St Patrick	2	:	1
St Andrew	St George	0	:	0
St David	St Patrick	2	:	3
St Patrick	St Andrew	5	:	0
St Andrew	St David	0	:	3
St David	St George	1	:	1



Final Results for Year 5/6

	GP	W	D	L	GF	GA	GD	PTS
St David	12	7	3	2	34	17	17	24
St Patrick	12	6	3	3	34	23	11	21
St George	12	3	3	6	21	28	-7	12
St Andrew	12	2	3	7	13	34	-21	9

Overall winner St David—Congratulations!

Choir Wednesday 8th May 2019

Unfortunately, choir practice has been cancelled on Wednesday 8th May. Choir practice will resume on Wednesday 15th May 2019. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.



Fundraising Events—Mary's Meals and Lighthouse

On Friday the 10th May 2019 the school will be fundraising for Mary's Meals and Lighthouse. Mary's Meals is a registered charity, formerly known as Scottish International Relief, which sets up school feeding programmes in some of the world's poorest communities, where hunger and poverty prevent children from gaining an education.

Lighthouse is a Christian holiday club which gets the summer holidays off to a great start. Lighthouse started in Great Missenden in 1987 and has spread in the local area with Burnham starting in 2002.

At the start and finish of the day everyone joins together in the Main Stage for a time of 'Discovery', drama, singing, dancing, prayer, lots of fun and the occasional messy game or gunging! For the rest of the day, the children experience sport, drama, craft and 'Discovery' time to explore the bible theme of the day plus group time in the afternoon with fun books. The 'Agents' (10 and 11 year olds) have a more free programme with a choice of workshops throughout the day.

Next Friday the children will come into school in full school uniform, we would be grateful if you are able to help us support these worthy causes. We would appreciate it if the children could bring in a donation. All donations welcome. Thank you for your support.



Farewell Miss Goodyear!

On Tuesday we said a sad farewell to Miss Goodyear who is leaving to start a new adventure. Miss Goodyear has been a valued member of our staff and we will miss her very much. Join us in taking the opportunity to wish her all the best for the future.



Sports Day KS2 lower school Year 3&4

Due to unforeseen circumstances sports day for year 3 and 4 has changed to Wednesday 26th June 2019— 9.30am -11.45am. Sorry for any inconvenience this may caused.

Year 6 PGL Residential Trip

Thank you to parents who have returned their permission form for the Year 6 PGL trip. If you have not yet returned the form, I would be grateful if you would do so as soon as possible.

All outstanding balances must be paid in full as soon as possible. Please contact Mrs O'Sullivan if you wish to discuss any difficulties.

Positive of the Week

My time at OLOP has been a memory I will treasure forever. OLOP is a lovely school and I have enjoyed every moment—Miss Goodyear.

We welcome your positive commentThank you!

Please find attached the following communications and information

⇒ **Church Bulletin**

⇒ **Beavers**

*“Let not the sun go down upon your
wrath.”*

Ephesians 4:26

KS2 Pupil of the Week

3MP St Clare	Alisha M	For always striving to achieve her very best in everything and for displaying exceptional behaviour and manners.
3RB St Peter	Carla C	For her positive contributions to all class discussions.
3CK St John Bosco	Acksel S	For growing in confidence and for being a positive role model for his classmates.
4RS St Columba	The Whole Class	For making a fantastic effort in writing the innovated version of their story in English.
4BS St Blaise	Darsh G	For excellent behaviour and contributing to class discussion in all subjects with interesting comments.
4JR St Paul	Kaamil Z	For his positive attitude to learning and good concentration in lessons.
5RR St Maximilian	Kavin G	For working hard in English and showing great determination.
5KD St Ethelbert	Ben C	For making a real effort to improve his spellings.
5SS St Dunstan	Ashleigh M	For working hard to improve her spellings and for always getting on with her work quickly and quietly.
6TH St Joseph	Sam T	For working hard in all lessons and setting a good example to others with his kind and helpful behaviour.
6SP St Brigid	Olivia Z	For consistently trying her best in everything she does in school and for making excellent progress in Maths.
6JOK St Cuthbert	Filip C	For continuing to impress in all lessons and for being a fantastic role model.

Well done to you all!

KS1 Star of the Week

RLC St John	Zaiden R	For all his hard work he has done in reading and writing.
RHA St Francis	The Whole Class	For all their hard work in learning their lines for their class assembly and for behaving sensibly during rehearsals.
RKB St Valentine	Ashmika V	For her hard work in Literacy.
1EH St Bernadette	Mollie W	For being such an enthusiastic learner and a great role model to her peers.
1OS St Jude	Isaac N	For always working on his concentration in lessons and producing amazing independent work.
1MB St Teresa	Benjamin V	For always taking an active part in class activities
2CW St Christopher	Hanna C	For growing in confidence in explaining her reasoning in Maths.
2KS St Thomas-Moore	Zain A	For working so hard to develop his writing skills and asking very interesting questions in class.
2RC St Mary-Magdalene	Michael B	For his excellent manners towards teachers.

Well done to you all!

Local Parishes Mass Times

Holy Redeemer Parish	Wexham Road, Slough,	Sunday – 9am and 11am
Holy Family Catholic Parish	226 Trelawney Avenue, Langley, Slough, SL3 7UD	Saturday – 5:30pm Sunday – 9:30am, 11:15am and 6:30pm
Our Lady of Peace The Presbytery	Lower Britwell Road, Slough, SL2 2NL	Saturday – 6pm (Vigil Mass) Sunday – 9:45am
St Andrew's Shared Church	Washington Drive, Slough, SL1 5RE	Sunday – 11.30am
St Anthony's RC Church	Farnham Road, Slough, SL2 3AE	Saturday – 6pm Sunday – 10:30am
St Ethelbert's Catholic Church	Wellington Street, Slough, Berkshire, SL1 1XU	Saturday – 9.30am Sunday – 9am, 11am and 6:30pm

Useful Dates for Your Diary—2019



04/05/19	First Holy Communion at 11am—3MP and 2pm—3RB
08/05/19	Year 4 Trip to Ufton Court
10/05/19	Fundraising—Mary's Meals and Lighthouse
11/05/19	First Holy Communion—3CK and Year 4
17/05/19	Year 4 St Blaise Class Assembly
22/05/19	BAGS2SCHOOL
23/05/19	Year 1 trip to Look out Discovery Centre, Bracknell
24/05/19	Whole School Mass starts at 10am with refreshments to follow. Everyone welcome.
05/06/19 to 07/06/19	Year 6 Residential Trip
06/06/19	Sports Day—Reception and KS1 at 9.30am –11.45am
19/06/19	Sports Day—Year 5 & 6 at 9.30am—11.45am
21/06/19	Year 5 St Ethelbert and Reception St Valentines Class Assembly at 2.30pm
24/06/19 & 25/06/19	School Nurses Visit Reception—Vision and Hearing
26/06/19	Sports Day KS2 Year 3 & 4—9.30am-11.45am
28/06/19	Year 2 St Mary Magdalene Class Assembly at 2.30pm
29/06/19	Summer Fayre—12-3pm

Attendance of the Week—(29th April—3rd May 2019)



<u>Year band</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Nursery	98.67%
Reception	90.85%
Year 1	96.33%
Year 2	97.80%
Year 3	97.02%
Year 4	96.02 %
Year 5	95.24%
Year 6	96.36%



Well Done Nursery !

Whole School 95.3%

**KS1 Class of the Week is 2CW
99.10 %**

**KS2 Class of the Week is 6TH and
6JOK 99.3%**

Early Years Class of the Week is Nursery AM

If your child is absent please email the Attendance officer on attendance@olopprimary.co.uk or leave a telephone message selecting option 2. Thank you.

Attendance Information

Children with poor attendance may fall behind with school work and will attract the attention of the Attendance Officer. Pupils with 90% or below attendance will be brought to the attention of the Attendance Officer and put on the monitoring list. Once on the monitoring list, any absence will require an appointment card or letter from the child's doctor confirming their illness, before an authorised mark is granted. In extreme cases parents can face prosecution and substantial fines for failing to ensure that their child(ren) attends school.

Please note if your child gets an unauthorised late mark this will affect their overall attendance. All children should be in class by 8.55.am. Lateness is detrimental to your child's learning as they miss the vital part of the lesson.

Please can we remind you that all holiday taken during term time will not be authorised. All medical appointments will need to be verified with an appointment letter/text or email. If the school does not receive this all leave will be unauthorised.

The whole school attendance should be 95% or higher on a regular week. All children should aim for an attendance of 98-100% though as a school we do recognise that children may become unwell so will be absent from school.