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*School starts at 9am (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)*

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



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

Dear Parents/Carer,

University Challenge Success

We are delighted to announce the sensational news that a number of our Year 6 children have won the Cambridge University research competition. Out of twenty five winners, seven were from OLOP!

Our winners are:

St. Cuthberts (6KK): Sushila Kapoor, Tamsin Darroux-Allen, Carlita Dias-Delisser, Jennifer Czarnecka

St. Brigids (6SE): Cameron Martin, Chiara Dos Santos Silva

St. Josephs (6TH): Shruti Sharma

Michelle Tang (from Cambridge University) thanks all involved for their support with the project and stated that the university were very impressed with the level of detail and care that went into the research. She said that the children's work far exceeded their expectations and that they were impressed with the range of topics submitted.

Our seven winners will be picked up by coach today (Friday 14th July), given welcoming refreshments on arrival and then spend a day looking around Selwyn College which is one of the Colleges that makes up the University of Cambridge. **There will be fun and engaging sessions as well as time to look around Selwyn College.** The winners will also have the opportunity to experience lunch at the university's 'Hogwarts-style' dining hall and venture further afield to see the famous King's College and the city centre of Cambridge. To end this inspiring experience, the winners will take part in a mini-graduation ceremony when each project winner will be awarded with a certificate in a formal ceremony.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SEVEN WINNERS AND ALL THE CHILDREN WHO SUBMITTED THEIR RESEARCH. YOU SHOULD BE VERY PROUD!

Sports Day Year 5 and 6

Sports day for Year 5 and 6 will now take place on **Wednesday 19th July** and will start at 9.30 am and finish at 12.00 pm, weather permitting. Please note, there will be no picnic afterwards and the children will return to school for lunch as normal. Children are to arrive in their PE kits, and are allowed to wear their house colour T shirts (only if they have them at home, otherwise their white PE T shirt will be fine). Please ensure your child has a water bottle, a hat and has applied sun cream. The children will stay in their PE kits for the remainder of the day. Please may we request no football shirts. *There will be a designated viewing area for spectators to use, please ensure all spectators adhere to this.*

New Staff Structure next year

You will have received a letter from Mrs O'Keeffe regarding the staff structure next year. A copy is attached for your information.

Non Uniform day

There will be a non-uniform day on Friday 21st July (last day of term). Children are invited to wear their own clothes on this day in exchange for a £1 donation. Many thanks for your support and all monies raised will go towards the final payment for our Statue of Mary.

Lost Property

There is a lot of lost property, we shall be putting the items out on the KS1 and Ks2 playground (weather permitting) every day next week.

Church Bulletin

Please find attached copy of this weeks Bulletin.

School Reminders

We would like to remind you of the following:

- There is a clothes recycling bank in the entrance of the KS1 playground, please donate your clothes so we can raise more money.
- We are a nut free school, please do not send your child in with any food containing nuts.
- All children should be in the correct uniform, no trainers please. Please see the Uniform Guidance under the parent section on the website.
- If your child is absent, please notify the school office before 9:15am. No holiday during term time will be authorised.
- A copy of the school menus are on the website

Thames Valley Police Open Day

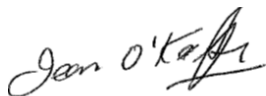
Please find attached a poster with detail of the Thames Valley Police Open Day on Saturday 5 August 2017.

Slough Summer Activities

Please see information on Slough Summer Activities from Slough Family Information Services.

Educational Visits Summer Newsletter

You will find information on what's happening over the Summer holidays for families and children as well as details of up and coming events for the Autumn term for school days out or workshops on the following link <http://www.educationalvisitsuk.com/blog/educational-visits-uk-summer-newsletter-2017>



Mrs J O'Keeffe

Headteacher

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'Weeping may endure for a night but  
joy cometh in the morning'

*Psalms 30.5*  
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KS2 Pupil Of the Week —w/e 14th July 2017

St Clare	Connor Brown	For developing into a mature, considerate, caring, hardworking, delightful boy. It has been a pleasure having you in 3SB. Wishing you a successful year in Year 4.
St Peter	Lucy Wilson	For working hard in English (Writing) to be more independent and persevere with her tasks.
St John Bosco	The Whole Class	Well done to the whole of St. John Bosco's class, you've been a pleasure to teach this year and we wish you every success in Year 4. Keep up the good work!
St Columba	Ena Adunyame	For consistently working hard in all your lessons to achieve an excellent standard! Well done.
St Blaise	Alfie Young	All year you have been a role model to others. You are always kind, caring and polite to all children and staff.
St Paul	Harry Carter	For having an excellent attitude toward work.
St Maximilian	Ben Morris	Well done Ben. You have made a huge effort this week to focus on your learning. You have contributed well in class and truly believed in yourself. I am very proud of you.
St Ethelbert	Rhion Isabelle	For working hard and persevering in all tasks.
St Dunstan	Paddy Whelan	For showing a much improved and mature attitude to his work. Lovely to see Paddy really focus on improving on his work. Well done!
St Joseph	Verity Carty	Verity has shown great spirit and determination since returning to school and the whole class is delighted to have her back.
St Brigid	Rhys Wilder	For behaving in a mature and sensible manner lately. Well done.
St Cuthbert	Amelia Poszeleзна	For trying to improve her writing and working hard in our Science lessons on "Healthy Bodies". Well done.

Attendance of the Week (w/e 14th July 2017)

<u>Year band</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Nursery	89.0%
Reception	94.5%
Year 1	95.0%
Year 2	95.5%
Year 3	95.4%
Year 4	96.0%
Year 5	96.1%
Year 6	95.8%

Useful Dates for Your Diary

Monday 17 th July	KS1 SPORTS DAY (Reception Class) at 9:15am KS1 SPORTS DAY (Key Stage 1) at 10:30am
Tuesday 18 th July	Year 6 leavers Mass at 6pm at Our Lady of Peace Church
Wednesday 19 th July	Year 5 and 6 Sports Day at 9:30am
Thursday 20 th July	End of Term for Nursery
Friday 21 st July	End of Term—Finish at 1:15pm NON UNIFORM DAY
Monday 4 th September	INSET DAY
Tuesday 5 th September	INSET DAY
Wednesday 6th September	Start of Autumn Term—Children to return to school
Tuesday 12 th September	Buck 11+ Prep tests
Thursday 14 th September	Bucks 11+ Test
Monday 25 th September to Friday 29 th September	Travelling Book Fair visiting the school