



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary and Nursery School

School Newsletter No 3 - Pentecost Term



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'With Christ in our hearts, together we grow'

School Starts 9am (Nursery 8.45am and 12.15pm), gates will be shut promptly. Please ensure children are in class in plenty of time.

Attendance of the Week

(w/e April 2016)

<u>Year band</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Nursery	87%
Reception	95%
Year 1	92%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	99%
Year 4	97%
Year 5	98%
Year 6	97%

Excellent attendance! Keep it up!

Playground

We would appreciate it if parents would leave the playground at the infant site as soon as possible at the end of the school day for Health and Safety reasons. The After School Club is held on this site and it is important that we secure the area as soon as possible for the safety of the children in our care.

Road Safety Assemblies

PCSO Ward came in on Wednesday and Thursday to give a talk to KS1 and KS2. The children were told about road safety and how to keep themselves safe while crossing roads.

Urgent Reminder

Can we please remind you to ensure your children dismount from their scooters as soon as they enter the main gate at OLOP Primary, there are a large number of children still riding them as they enter the school. Priory have also asked us to inform parents that if you are on Priory playground the same rules apply. It is really important that these rules are followed as there have been some accidents where children have been knocked down and adults having to move out of the way in order for them not to be knocked over or ran into with a scooter. Thank you for your understanding and support.

Email address

We would like to remind you that the school email addresses are post@olopprimary.co.uk and office@olopprimary.co.uk Please do not email any correspondence to admin@olopprimary.co.uk Many thanks.

Fire Awareness

Year 5 had a visit from the local Fire Service on Monday. They reminded the children about potential fire hazards around the house and what to do in an emergency. Staff and pupils all learnt a lot!

Reception and Year 3 new intake

If your child will be starting Reception or Year 3 in September 2016 please make sure you have accepted the place via post@olopprimary.co.uk

Achievement

KS2 Celebration Assembly



Congratulations to all those children who received a certificate in the Celebration Assembly



KS2 Accelerated Reader Class of the Week

3TM	1,504,203
4TB	1,142,317

KS1



Star of the Week

This week the Stars of the Week are Arjun Benawra in Reception, Cristiano Rebello in Year 1 and Benedicht Nsiah-Boateng in Year 2. Well done and congratulations!



News from KS1

Magical Maths

Magical Maths will be starting again for KS1 children on Tuesdays. If you would like your child to attend please contact the Magical Maths team directly on 01494 854443 or visit their website at www.magicalmathsclub.com

Irish Dancing

There are still plenty of spaces for Irish Dancing. Please enquire at the school office for more details.

1GK Assembly

Well done to Miss Kearley's class for their wonderful assembly. The children portrayed the message of Pentecost beautifully. It was nice to see the children speaking in different languages.

Lost property

Parents of lower school children whose child has a blue Minion Mayhem coat, please would you check that they have the correct coat. We have a child who is missing the same coat which had their name inside and the current one they are wearing is not named, we believe the coats have been mixed up. Thank you



News from KS2

Year 5 Trip to the British Museum

Year 5 visited the British Museum on Monday. The children all had a wonderful day and came back with great enthusiasm and knowledge of the trip. Thank you to the staff, governors and parents who accompanied the children on the trip.

Fruit Club

If you would like your child to continue or start to have fruit at break times please contact the school office to get a letter.

Woodrow High House

We would like to remind the Year 5 that the Woodrow House deposits must be paid in now.

Year 5 Egyptian day

Year 5 will have their Egyptian day on Wednesday 4th May. Your child can dress for the day in the style of that time, it would add authenticity to the day.

Sainsbury Vouchers

We would like to remind you that the Sainsbury's Vouchers will be ending soon. Please do keep them coming in. Vouchers will be collected in school until 30th June. The more we get, the more we order. Many thanks.



After School Clubs

<u>KS1</u>	
CLUB NAME	Date and Time
SEWING CLUB	Anita Kulkarni Monday Lunchtimes` 18/04/16 – 11/07/16
BALLET	Karen Robinson Mondays 3:20pm – 4.10pm
MULTI SPORTS	Kidz Active Sports Tuesdays 3:20pm-4:10pm 26/04/16 - 05/07/16
MATHS CLUB	Magical Maths Tuesdays 3:20pm-4:20pm Dates to be confirmed
STREET DANCING	Kidz Active Sports Wednesdays 3:20pm-4:20pm 27/04/16 – 06/07/16
LEGO CLUB	Miss Goodyear Wednesdays 3:20pm-4:00pm 20/04/16 – 25/05/16
DRAMA CLUB	Little Tanks Drama Club Thursdays 3:20pm- 4:20pm 21/04/16 - 07/07/16
IRISH DANCING	Theresa O'Donoghue School of Irish Dance Fridays 3:15pm - 4:15pm 15/04/16 – 08/07/16
TENNIS CLUB	Kidz Active Sports Fridays 3.20pm – 4.2pm 29/04/16 -08/07/16
COMPUTER CLUB	Miss Barum Fridays 3.20pm – 4.00pm 29/04/16 – 08/06/16

<u>KS2</u>	
CLUB NAME	Date and Time
ATHLETICS	Get Active Mondays 3:30pm-4:30pm 18/04/16 – 11/07/16
ART CLUB	Mrs K Brown Tuesdays 3:30pm-4:30pm Year 3
CHEERLEADING	Tuesdays 3:30pm-4:30pm Year 6
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MATHS ACTIVITY CLUB	Miss Downer and Mr Brown Wednesdays 3:30pm-4:30pm Until Further Notice
NETBALL CLUB	Miss Finn and Miss Connor Thursdays 3:15pm-4:15pm Until Further Notice
MULTI SPORTS	Kidz Active Sports Thursdays 3:30pm-4:30pm 28/04/16 – 14/07/16
CHESS CLUB	Mr Brown Thursdays 3:15pm- 4:15pm Until Further Notice
IRISH DANCING	Theresa O'Donoghue School of Irish Dance Fridays 3:15pm - 4:15pm 15/04/16 – 15/07/16
SEWING CLUB	Anita Kulkarni Fridays 3:30pm – 4.30pm 22/04/16 -08/07/16

KS2 After School Clubs

Due to the demand for the Cheerleading Club, there are no more spaces available.

There are still spaces available in the Art Club, Sewing Club and MultiSkills Club. Please collect a form from the front office

Church Bulletin

Please see the attachment for this week's Church Bulletin.

Feast Days

Thur 5 th May	The Ascension
Sun 15 th May	Pentecost

Useful Dates for Your Diary

30th April 7 th May 14th May	FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
May 2 nd May	May Bank Holiday
Sun 1 st May	Registration available for 11+ from any of the Consortium grammar schools' websites or www.sloughconsortium.org.uk
Wed 4 th May	Year 5 Egyptian Day
Wed 4 th May	11+ Information Evenings Herschel Grammar School 5pm & 6pm St Bernard's Grammar School 5pm & 6pm
Thurs 5 th May	11+ Information Evenings Langley Grammar School – 5:30pm & 6:30pm Upton Court Grammar School – 6pm
30 th May – 3 rd June	Half Term
Mon 6 th June	Inset Day
Mon 27 th June By 12 noon	Closing date for submission of Registration to the consortium
Thurs 1 st Sept	Local Authority Common Application Form opens online
Sat 10 th Sept	11+Entracnce Examination Date

‘But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth..’

Acts 1:8

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