

## St. John's RC Primary School

Inspired by the Holy Spirit and guided by the teaching of Jesus

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#### Head's News...

It's been a wonderfully sunny week at school, a lovely way to end this busy term!

We've been celebrating all things international this week with each class focusing on numerous countries and learning all about culture, art, music, food and geography. Our exhibition showcased the children's fantastic works, and it was a pleasure to welcome so many members of our community into school to see the brilliant work. Thank you to Miss Callan for her hardworking efforts in arranging this.

Our Marian Procession took place this afternoon which was led by our whole school, and nursery, processing through to our woods. Our Year 6 pupils carried the statue of Mary into the woods to be crowned, and Fr. John led a special service to commemorate the Marian month of May. The children sang beautifully and joined in with the praying the Rosary. It was a pleasure to welcome our school community to be part of this special occasion. Thank you to Mrs Trivett and Mrs Avilez for organising a memorable event.

A special WELL DONE to Year 2 for getting 100% attendance again last week – this is FANTASTIC!

From everyone at St. John's, we hope you all have a wonderful, well-deserved break and let's hope the weather stays!





#### **Prayer**

Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

FOR 15<sup>TH</sup> - 19<sup>TH</sup> MAY

'Attend today, achieve tomorrow'

Early Years: 89%

Year 1: 97%

Year 2: 100%

Year 3: 99%

Year 4: 97%

Year 5: 99%

Year 6: 97%

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Key Dates	
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June MAY HALF TERM	
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	New Term Starts
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Cake Sale 3:20pm - NEW
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Multiplication Testing Weeks
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June – Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Residential to Youlbury
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Screening Checks
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Residential
Friday 16th June	Fathers' Day Stall
Friday 16th June	Year 1 Parents' Meeting
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 First Holy Communion St. John's Church 12:00pm
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 Residential to Youlbury
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Year 3 and 4 Bikeability Taster Sessions
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Matilda Theatre Trip
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July – Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Week at BGN
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July and Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Days at Wykham Park School
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July and Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Meet the Teacher Days for EYFS – Y5
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> July and Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Transition Days at Warriner School
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Play – 1:45pm and 6:00pm
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Play – 6:00pm
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	St. John's Summer Fete
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day and Parent Picnic (Times TBC)
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Back-up Sports Day (Times TBC)
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	End of year Mass (Times TBC)
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 6 Leaver's Assembly (Times TBC)
Friday 21st July	End of Term – Summer Holidays 1:30pm finish

#### **HOUSE POINTS**







Air = 199

#### CLUBS

After the May half term, football, tennis and cheerleading will continue. Those who signed up for Rubik's Cube club and Choir will also still have their places. There will be no other clubs this half term.

Thank you.

## St. John's RC Primary School

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# St. John's RC Primary School Nursery Now Open

Funded nursery places available
For 15 & 30 Hours
Age 3 / 4-year-olds
Qualified Teacher

Please call or email us to enquire about a place for your child

01295 263740

office.3350@st-johns-banbury.oxon.sch.uk Avocet Way, Chatsworth Drive, Banbury, OX16 9YA



# Stars of the Week

Congratulations to the following pupils who received awards this week:

Reception: Esther, Maggie, Anliya

Year 1: Kaitlny, Helena, Uzo<mark>n</mark>du

Year 2: Ummayah, Charleigh, Sanchez

Year 3: Macey-Rae, Connie, Leo

Year 4: Ivy<mark>, A</mark>rtur, all of Year 4!

Year 5: Alicia, Sonny, all of Year 5!

Year 6: Ava, Ruby, and all of Year 6!



## Upcoming Birthdays

Jack y2

Rebeka V3

Uzondu VI

Roby Y6



If you have concerns that a child may be in immediate danger, call the **police on 999** or **MASH on 0345 050 7666.** 

If you have safeguarding concerns about a child or family, please do not hesitate to contact us on 01295 263740 and ask to speak to a member of the safeguarding team. Alternatively, you can email our DSL directly <a href="mailto:louise.kenny@st-johns-banbury.oxon.sch.uk">louise.kenny@st-johns-banbury.oxon.sch.uk</a>





GAMES \* LICENSED BAR \* PRIZES \* BBQ \* STALLS \* BOUNCY CASTLE \*

> Parentkind Member Association



### **May Football Camp**

**a** St Johns Catholic School

Avocet Way, Banbury OX16 9YA

Tuesday 30th May to Friday 2nd June



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Kick Off: 10.00am

Final Whistle: 3.00pm

(Drop off available from 9.30am)

To Book: Call/Txt/WhatsApp/Email Mark on

07952 579358

mark@markandrewsfootballcoaching.co.uk

1 Day : £20 Thereafter

£15 per day

All 4 Days £60



In our **21<sup>St</sup>** Year!

Our FUN Camp is located within the safe & secure

gated environment of St Johns RC School

Our games have been

specifically designed for Boys & Girls of all abilities

aged 4 - 12

Payment Details: M Andrews Cash/Cheque on the day or alternatively by Bank Transfer to 40-09-02 / 21588257

