

# Dear Parents/Carers,

We had a very busy week at St Theresa's! It was 'Walk to School Week' and it was fantastic to see children and parents joining our walking buses walking to school with members of staff. Luckily, the rain held off and everyone got to school before the downpours!

Year 2 completed some of their Secret Agent Training during the week and we were so impressed with the way they approached their special missions! Well Done Year 2!

On Wednesday Year 5 entertained us in their 'Hindleap Warren Assembly' It was wonderful to see children speaking, singing and performing with confidence and showing us what a valuable learning experience a residential trip can be. Year 5 also attended the Barnet Music Festival Rehearsals at Tudor School this week. They were a credit to the school and set an excellent example with their behaviour. They will be singing a range of songs, including opera at the Arts Depot in June - we are all looking forward to it! Thank you to Miss Johnson and all the adults involved. On Friday Year 1 visited the Tower of London. The children were really excited and loved meeting the Beefeaters! This trip supported their topic on Kings and Queens. Many thanks to Miss Gurevitz for organising the trip and to Mrs Solari and our parent helpers for accompanying the children. God Bless

Mrs O'Melia and Mr Troy

# First Holy Communion

Congratulations to Michael, Philip, Hugo, Tommy, Celine and Sean who received the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist last weekend.

The children were very prayerful and respectful during their very special day.



# **May Procession**

Many thanks to all those who joined us for our May Procession on Thursday. The children processed through the hall and presented their flowers to Our Lady. To honour the crowning of Mary our Mother the children sang songs and shared prayers. Thank you to Miss Gurevitz and Sr Jenny for organising this event.



Thank you to our governor, Ms Gerry Costello, who was also present. She was very impressed with how prayerful and moving the service was. Ms Costello said that she was sure Our Lady was smiling down on everyone.

## Summer Uniform

Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct summer uniform. Although the weather is still changeable all children should have a school cap in case of sunny weather. Please apply sunscreen before school and ensure that your child is aware of how to keep safe in the sunshine. Sunscreen may be sent to school, clearly labelled with your child's name. They must be able to apply this themselves. Encourage your child to take regular drinks of water, to wear their sun hats and to spend time in shaded areas. Thank you.

#### Dates for your diary – Parents are welcome to all Assemblies & Masses

Year 1 Class Assembly - Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 9.15am Parents Welcome Class Parent Rep meeting Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2.45pm Y6 Parents Isle of Wight Meeting - Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> May 3.00pm MPR "Friends" meeting all parents Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 8:40 - 9:40am Half Term Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June Children Return to school Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June SAVE THE DATE - Summer Fair 1st July - 2 to 5pm

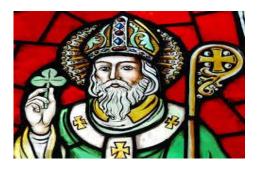
$\bigstar$	Achievements
Reception	Jan - For excellent listening on the carpet
	and circle time.
	Natalie - For excellent writing and being a kind friend.
Yr 1	Charlie - For his enthusiasm and outstanding
	behaviour on our trip.
	Sophia - For her enthusiasm and outstanding
	behaviour on our trip.
Yr 2	Joanna - For her excellent reading and
	comprehension skills.
	<b>Emmet</b> - For always being focused and trying his best.
Yr 3	Kajetan - For being focused and using all his
	learning muscles during maths learning.
	Celine - For being focused and using all her
	learning muscles during maths learning.
Yr 4 Red	Scott - For showing a great understanding of
	co-ordinates in our maths lessons.
	Flavia - For producing a good Viking Saga in
	our English lessons.
Yr 4 Blue	Olivia - For some excellent story writing this
	week.
	Andrea - For always trying her best,
	especially in maths.
Yr 5	Yr 5 - For their excellent performance in
	our class assembly.

Well done to everyone who tried their best this week and worked hard to challenge themselves.

## Golden Children this week are.

# Lily-Rose Yr 1 and Caitlin Yr 4 Red

Well done to St Patrick's who won the most house points this week!



# Attendance this week



Reception	97%
Year 1	89%
Year 2	<mark>99%</mark>
Year 3	95%
Year 4 Red	97%
Year 4 Blue	<mark>99%</mark>
Year 5	97%
<mark>Year 6</mark>	<mark>98%</mark>
Total Attendance	96%

# Well done to <mark>Yr 2 and 4 Blue</mark> who had the best attendance this week.

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our Life, our Sweetness, and our Hope. To Thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To Thee do we send up our sighs mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, Thine Eyes of Mercy toward us, and after this our exile show unto us the Blessed Fruit of thy Womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary. Pray for us O Holy Mother of God; That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

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