

St. Theresa's Newsletter

St. Theresa's
Catholic Primary School



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Yesterday we held a special memorial assembly to remember Mr Brohan. Sister Jenny led us in our assembly where we shared our favourite memories about our beloved Site Manager and how we miss him dearly. Mr Brohan would have been very proud of the children coming together to sing one of his favourite hymns. Thank you to Sr Jenny and Mr Ruddy for helping to organise the assembly. Please remember Mr Brohan's family in your prayers.



On Tuesday Year 5 went to visit the Science Museum as part of their Science topic 'Space'. The class had the opportunity to visit the Wonderlab where they got to see lots of hands on experiments and observe a huge replica of the Solar System showing all the different planets orbiting the Sun.

Afterwards the children went into Science Museum IMAX cinema where they watched short film about our beautiful Earth. Thank you to the Year 5 team who helped organise the trip and to all the parent helpers who assisted on the day. The children had a great time and learnt a lot!



FILM NIGHT!

**On Wednesday 5th February –
Reception to Year 3**

watching "The Secret Life of Pets 2"

**Wednesday 12th February- Year 4 to Year 6
watching 'The Queen's Corgi'**

SAVE THE DATE

On **Friday 7th February** St Theresa's will be celebrating Number Day to raise money for the NSPCC.

The children will be looking at a variety of maths challenges including problem solving activities. All children can come to school wearing clothing or costumes that have a 'Maths or Number' theme. Children to bring £1 to donate towards the NSPCC.



World Book Day will be take place at the school on **Friday 27th March**. The children can come to school dressed as their favourite book characters. The day will be filled with fun activities such as online workshops and a range of reading challenges.

Sports Update



Well done to the Year 5 and 6 **Netball Team**

for their fantastic performance in the Hi5 Netball Tournament on Wednesday at Copthall School. The boys and girls showed some excellent organisation and understanding of the different positions throughout all their games. The highlight of the day was definitely the second game where the team showed some amazing passing and moving to draw with Hollickwood – a team they suffered a heavy defeat to just a few weeks earlier. The team also won a game thanks to some great shooting from Mia and excellent organising by Hanna and Lily.

Last week the **Boys Football Team** also played in the Year 5 and 6 tournament where they were extremely unlucky to go out in the group stages. Well done for trying your best.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Wednesday 29th January- Year 1 trip to the Childhood Museum

Friday 31st January- Hearing and Vision nurse to see Reception Class.

Wednesday 5th February- Reception class assembly 9.15am

Friday 7th February- Number Day

Friday March 27th World Book Day

Certificates for week ending: Friday 24th January

Rec	Nikola – For becoming more confident and independent in class. Darius – For doing a fantastic job with writing his name.
Yr 1	Chisom – For settling into St Theresa's really well and being a fantastic member of Year 1. Albert – For making a fantastic effort with his joined up handwriting.
Yr 2	Maia V – For great problem solving in Maths. Oliwia W – For focussing better in class.
Yr 3	Seamus – For his amazing diary entry using a variety of excellent vocabulary. Matty – For his amazing work ethic and dedication in class.
Yr 4	Mamie – For her fantastic "can do" attitude while learning area and perimeter. Isabel – For showing a friendly and positive attitude in all she does! Fantastic!
Yr 5	All of Year 5 – For representing our school so well during our trip to the Science Museum. You were all fantastic!
Yr 6	Pouria – For his motivation to uplevel his newspaper report. Filip C – For his excellent teamwork and attitude to learning.

Golden Ticket

Well done to Maya and Emily Reception
House Points
Congratulations to St Andrew's!

Staying Safe

As many children are starting to walk home by themselves we would like to remind them to go straight home without taking diversions and not to talk to any strangers.
It's important to stay alert so distractions such as playing on mobile phones or listening to music on headphones should be avoided.

Attendance and Punctuality this week



	Attendance	Late
Reception	96%	5
Year 1	98%	0
Year 2	99%	0
Year 3	93%	0
Year 4	96%	1
Year 5	96%	1
Year 6	97%	0

Well done to Year 2 for your excellent attendance this week!

Well done to Years 1, 2, 3 and 6 for coming to school on time!

School Uniform



PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILD WEARS THE CORRECT SCHOOL UNIFORM AND FOOTWEAR.

Trainers and trainer socks are **not** permitted. Jewellery is limited to a sensible wristwatch and a pair of **stud** earrings **only**. **Strictly no chains, bracelets or hooped/dangling earrings of any type (including a cross and chain) are permitted for health and safety reasons.**

Please ensure haircuts are in line with school policy.

Long hair **must** be tied back for health and safety reasons with a simple band.
For P.E. lessons children should be wearing a white round neck t-shirt with the school crest on it and plain blue shorts/tracksuit bottoms. Leggings, cycling shorts or branded logos are **not permitted**.

Please refer to the Uniform Policy on the website. This policy must be adhered to.

Thank you for your support.