

Newsletter ~ Term 4 Week 1

Welcome back to school for Term 4! We have a busy few weeks ahead, which coincide perfectly this year with the church's season of Lent, a time of reflection and preparation for the most important feast of all – EASTER!



Year 1

Children in year 1 have been using our new 'Rekenreks' to help them in their calculations and their understanding of place value. They were also exploring maps and are developing their map skills ready for their walk around the local environment. I am glad to report the map skills stood up to the test and no-one got lost!



Academy News

We begin term 4 as a new academy belonging to the Cardinal Newman Education Trust, alongside our partner schools St Teresa's and St Bernard's.

We welcome our Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Dr Daniel Doyle. I know he is looking forward to meeting you personally in due course.

Please see the attached letter of congratulations which Dr Doyle has written to introduce himself to the three school communities.

Parent / Carer Forum Friday 1 April @ 8.45am

We would like to invite all parents and carers to come along to meet with myself and the chair of governors in an informal setting. The aim of the forum is to improve communication between all in the school community and to rebuild community relationships after all the difficult Covid restrictions.

The subject of the first meeting will be 'Communication'. We would be grateful if you could let the office know if you are going to attend so that we can monitor numbers (and make sure there are enough biscuits...)

And Finally...

The season of Lent began this year on Wednesday 2 March and the children will be learning about this prayerful and reflective time of year in their RE lessons.



The children this year are linking their Lenten work with Catholic Social

Teaching and the Pope's pleas to us to engage with the world and our neighbours. With the news dominated by conflict and bloodshed, there has never been a better time to answer his plea.

Have a safe and peaceful weekend

PLEASE SEE BELOW FOR PHOTOS OF OUR WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATIONS

St Francis' Catholic Primary School



TOBY'S FUN DAY

Raffle
Magician
Bouncy Castle
Face Painting
Stall holders
Classic Cars & Bikes

Auction
Children's games
Live Music
Tattoos
BBQ
and much more!...

MULTICOLOURED FUN RUN
Sunday 8th May 2022
10am - 5pm

at Grove Fields and The Ring O' Bells
To raise money for
an outdoor gym and activity area in Nailsea,
and the Young Minds Charity
& We Want Your Help!

PRIORITY FOOTBALL

BUY YOUR TICKETS BUY YOUR T-SHIRTS BUY YOUR TICKETS
from
'TOBY'S FUN DAY' FACEBOOK PAGE
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In Memory of
Coach Toby