



Week 2 Newsletter

Week beginning 11th September 2023

Autumn Term 1

Well it's been another successful week in school. Our new reception children have settled in beautifully completing their first full week in school. Reception children have also met their Year 6 buddies today. Year 6 have been so excited to take on this role. We know they will do a brilliant job supporting our youngest members of the school.

You should have received your class newsletter this week, which lets you know about your child's learning this half term. Don't forget to check out our Facebook page for further updates and information about all the wonderful things going on in school.

Have a brilliant weekend!

Best wishes,

Mrs Rhodes

Mrs Gilhooly

Notices and News

Little Hearts Playgroup

Mrs Gilhooly and Mrs Rhodes were thrilled to see so many families and children at Sacred Heart's first Little Hearts Playgroup session. These sessions will run every Wednesday from 9am to 10:30am. Babies, toddlers and pre-school children are all welcome. If you couldn't make it this week then pop along this coming Wednesday. Bring a friend – the more the merrier.

Budding Entrepreneurs

Thank you to Daniel, Arthur and Samuel, who had an idea to sell lemonade to the public to raise money for FOSH. They were really enthusiastic and although they only had enough supplies for one jug of lemonade, they raised an impressive £10.30. Great jobs boys- we are very proud of you!



Catholic Life

Student Council Elections

All the classes have been busy voting for school council representatives this week. Later today, candidates for our new Head boy and Head girl will take place. We'll let you know the outcome next week.

Wednesday Word

Please find below the link to the Wednesday Word. This is an excellent resource that can be used at home to reflect on the issues and messages from Sunday's Gospel.

<https://www.paperturn-view.com/uk/wednesday-word/forgiveness?pid=MTA101634&v=102.6>

PE Days

Bluebell (Reception/ Yr 1)-Tuesday and Friday

Wharfe (Yr 2)- Monday and Thursday

Rombalds (Yr 3/ 4)- Wednesday and Wild Hearts Friday

Wheatley (Yr 4/ 5)- Tuesday and Wednesday

Olicana (Yr 5/ 6)- Monday and Thursday

Save the Date

Please note that dates and times will be added along the way

Thursday 14th September- FOSH Committee meeting at 6pm in school. All welcome.

Tuesday 26th September- Flu nasal spray for all year groups

Friday 29th September- Macmillan Coffee Morning (Year 6) tbc

Monday 2nd October- Friday 6th October- Year 6 Peat Rigg Residential

Saturday 7th October- Cross Country League (Westville@Ilkley Rugby Club)

Thursday 12th October- Year 6 Information evening 5pm

Monday 16th October- Individual photographs

Wednesday 18th October – FOSH AGM

Friday 20th October- 14:45 Rombalds Class Assembly and Special Mentions; Rombalds' class cake sale

Monday 23rd October- Olicana Class Mass 14:15 with Father Tim

Wednesday 25th October- Come and Meet the Senior Leadership Team 5:30pm

Thursday 26th October- School breaks up for half term

Save the Date (Cont'd 1)

Friday 27th October- Training Day

Monday 6th November- School opens at 8:45am

Friday 10th November- 14:45 Olicana Class Assembly and Special Mentions; FOSH Quiz night in school

Saturday 11th November- Open Morning 10am-12md. All welcome.

Week beginning 13th November- Antibullying week

Wednesday 15th November- Parent / Teacher Meetings (face to face) 15:30- 18:00

Thursday 16th November- Parent / Teacher Meetings (virtual) 15:30- 18:00

Friday 17th November- 14:45 Wheatley Class Assembly and Special Mentions; Wheatley Class FOSH cake sale

Saturday 18th November- Cross Country League @ Ghyll Royd

Week beginning 20th November- Road Safety Week

Monday 20th November- 13:15 Rombalds Class Mass with Father Tim; 2.15pm Bluebell storytime with Father Tim

Thursday 30th November- Friday 1st December-Wheatley Class Residential to Nell Bank

Saturday 2nd December- FOSH Christmas Fair (time tbc)

Thursday 7th December-Advent Whole School Mass at 9:30am. All welcome.

Wednesday 13th December-14:00 KS1 and Reception Nativity Performance

Friday 15th December- 14:00 KS1 and Reception Nativity Performance; Bluebell Class FOSH Cake Sale

Tuesday 19th December- 18:00 KS2 Christmas Carols at Sacred Heart Church

Friday 22nd December: School closes at 15:15 for Christmas break

Monday 8th January- School opens at 8:45am

Thursday 18th January- Whole school trip to the pantomime (details to follow)

Week beginning January 29th- National Storytelling week

Friday 2nd February- 14:45 Wharfe Class assembly and Special Mentions

Saturday 3rd February- Cross Country League Ben Rhydding

Week beginning 5th February- Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 6th February- Safer Internet Day

Friday 9th February- School closes at 15:15 for Half Term

Monday 19th February- School opens at 8:45am

Saturday 2nd March- Cross Country League All Saints (@Ilkley Pool)

Thursday 7th March-World Book Day

Friday 8th March- Bluebell Class assembly and Special Mentions

Save the Date (Cont'd 2)

Week beginning 11th March- British Science Week

Monday 11th March- Science Fair (tbc)

Wednesday 20th March- Parent / Teacher Meetings (face to face) 15:30- 18:00

Thursday 21st March- Parent / Teacher Meetings (virtual) 15:30- 18:00

Wednesday 27th March- Year 3 and Year 4 Easter production 14:00

Thursday 28th March- School closes for Easter break at 15:15

Monday 15th April- School opens at 8:45am

Friday 26th April- Olicana Class Assembly and Special Mentions

Wednesday 15th May- International Day of Families; 14:30 extended family e.g. grandparents are invited into school.

Friday 17th May- Wheatley Class Assembly and Special Mentions

Friday 24th May- School breaks up for half term at 15:15

Tuesday 4th June- School opens at 8:45am. PLEASE NOTE MONDAY 3rd JUNE IS A TRAINING DAY

Thursday 6th June- Class photographs

Friday 14th June- 14:45 Wharfe Class Assembly and Special Mentions

Friday 21st June- Dravet Syndrome Awareness Day; Bluebell Class Assembly and Special Mentions

Friday 28th June- Rombalds Class Assembly and Special Mentions

Tuesday 2nd July- Sports Festival Day (tbc)

Friday 5th July- NHS Day- wear blue to school

Tuesday 9th July- 15:30-17:45 Celebration open evening; reports to families

Wednesday 10th July- 18:00 Year 5/ 6 Leavers production

Friday 12th July- 13:45 Year 5/ 6 Leavers production

Thursday 18th July- Leavers' Mass (tbc)

Friday 19th July- 13:45 Leavers' Assembly; School Closes for Summer at 15:15