

Newsletter

Friday 16th May 2025



Dear parents, pupils, governors, staff and parishioners,
Well done Year 6! You have all worked so hard and I think we are all delighted that the SATs assessments are completed – it has been a very busy week and past few months preparing for them! We will receive the results at the beginning of July and we will let Year 6 know the outcomes as soon as we know. Now the children will continue with the Year 6 curriculum, transition work preparing for Secondary school and they will also be working towards their end of year performance which will be 'Alice in Wonderland.' Special thanks to Mrs McDevitt, Mrs Bardell, Miss Doyle, Mrs O'Shea, Mr Jordan and Miss Fallon for all their hard work so far teaching Year 6 this year, and to all the other staff who have supported their well-being, provided intervention or booster sessions or served a hearty breakfast each day during SATs week - you are a great team!



First Holy Communion – Tomorrow: Saturday 17th May at 10.30am

We are very much looking forward to celebrating with Year 3 as they receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion for the first time tomorrow. They have been especially busy this week completing their learning about the sacrament, practising for the mass and preparing their hearts by receiving the sacrament of reconciliation again. Following their special day on Saturday we shall be celebrating with them all on Monday when they will have a party afternoon, sharing the beautiful communion cake. ☺

Year 4 Camping experience – Parents meeting Thursday 5th June

One of the activities we have introduced over the past few years is for Year 4 to take part in a 24 hour camping experience on the school field. We use the professional expertise, equipment and activities led by The Outdoors People and see this as a fabulous experience for our Year 4 pupils and the chance to ready the children for the longer residential of Alton Castle and Dol-y-Moch that come up in Years 5 and 6.

Mrs Bardell will be leading a parents meeting all about the Camping experience on Thursday 5th June at 3.20pm so that families can find out more. Please do try to join us.

Child's Name and Date of Birth

Does your child know how to spell their full official name and do they know their date of birth? It was interesting to note that some of our Year 6 pupils did not when they were having to fill in the front of their SATs exam papers. If your child has a different official name than the one they use on a daily basis, then it is important that they know it and are able to spell it as a life skill, certainly we would suggest from Year 4 upwards. Thank you.

Today in Year 5, pupils experimented with an art technique called foreshortening. We learned how to create an illusion of depth and perspective using different camera angles. 📷🎨

Year 1 dissecting different parts of a plant in science 🌻✂️

Top Tweets (X) from this week!

Y2 followed in Little Red Reading Hood's footsteps and visited @covlibraries in town. Thank you Maddie for explaining all about libraries and helping us to use our brand-new library cards #welovereadingsbooks @janeconsidine



Year 4 have been learning about Mummification this week in their History lesson.



We had a fun filled session in Creative Club, decorating plant pots and sowing cress seeds. Well done all! 🌱



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The Reading Doctor – Book Shop Next Tuesday

We are delighted to have been donated enough books again from 'The Reading Doctor' Coventry to be able to gift one to every child in the school. We will be setting up a book shop in the school hall next week when each child will be able to come along and choose one to take home and keep.

Summer Uniform This term pupils are welcome to wear summer uniform if they wish. This means that in all year groups boys may wear grey tailored shorts instead of trousers and girls may choose to wear red gingham summers dresses. In addition, Key Stage 2 pupils may choose to wear a white polo shirt instead of shirt and tie.

We still have 9 school weeks left this academic year and expect all pupils to be wearing the correct uniform and PE kits. All pupils should be wearing black school shoes not trainers or sandals on uniform days.

Please can we remind all children to bring in a water bottle so they can have regular drinks of water inside and outside especially during the warmer weather.

Summer Term PE Days – Children to wear St Osburg's PE kit to school:

Monday	Year 3 Swimming – wear PE kits to school
Tuesday	No PE
Wednesday	Years 5 and 6 (PE) Years 1 and 2 (Gymnastics)
Thursday	Years Reception, 3 and 4
Friday	Years 1 and 2



Talk Topics Talk topic for this week : 'A place I would really like to go to is...'



Attendance & Punctuality – Whole school for this week: 95.6%

<u>Mrs Roberts</u> Year R		<u>Miss Doran</u> Year 1		<u>Mrs O'Shea</u> Year 2		<u>Mr Dingley</u> Year 3		<u>Mrs Bardell</u> Year 4		<u>Mrs Oluremi</u> Year 5		<u>Mrs McDevitt</u> Year 6	
93%	1 late	94.7%	2 late	94.1%	6 late ☹️	96.2%	6 late ☹️	94.7%	1 late	97.3%	6 late ☹️	99%	2 late 😊

Next Week at a Glance:

Date	Time	Activity
Monday 19 th May Year 3 swimming – wear PE kits	AM	Mission Assembly
	AM	Catholic Schools Football Tournament
	3.15-4.15pm	Netball club
	3.15-4pm	Creative club
Tuesday 20 th May	AM	Guitar lessons
	3.15-4pm	Lego Club Y2,4
	3.15-4pm	Coding Club
Wednesday 21 st May Year 6 PE day Year 1 & 2 PE day	All day	Year 5 trip to Harry Potter Studios
	3.15-4.15pm	Football with Sky Blues (Y2,3,4)
	3.15-4.15pm	Pop Choir – KS2
Thursday 22 nd May Year 3 & 4 PE day	3.15-4pm	Gardening Club (Y5)
	9.05am	KS2 Mass with the Parish
	3.15-4.15pm	Y5/6 football training
Friday 23 rd May Year 1 & 2 PE day	3.30-4.15pm	Summer Sports (Y3&4)
	9am	Friday Assembly
	3.15pm	Break up for half term

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

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