

St Mary's News

Our ethos statements this week and next week:

I know it is ok for me to make mistakes

I can learn from my mistakes and failures

Morning Prayer

A big thank you and very well done to class 5 who led Morning Prayer last week. Yet again all the children read beautifully and led us reverently in prayer

Friday 22nd March Class 3

Friday 5th April Class 2

Superkids and Star of the Week

EYU	Billy Monie, Tilly Boardman, Daisy Drain and Freddy Miles		
Class 2	Lydia Brewins and Lottie Howard		
Class 3	Riley Marshall Howarth and Lacey O'Brien		
Class 4	All of class 4 and Darcie Warren-Gott		
Class 5	Amelia Mack and Leighton Marshall Howarth		
Class 6	Amelia Lister	Class 7	Alexis Micklethwaite
Class 8	Ava Shotton	Class 9	Broden Blakeley
Class 10	Marcin Sosna	Class 11	Blake Lynn

Lent and fundraising

Today is Red Nose Day- thank you for helping us to raise money for deprived children here in the UK and overseas.

A sponsor card will come home on Monday. Our sponsored event is walk a mile and will be held on Wednesday 3rd April (weather permitting!!). Please can you send the sponsor cards back to school by Monday 1st April and then once the walk is completed the class teacher will sign the card and return it to you so you can collect in the sponsor money. Money raised for this will go towards the Bishop's charity the Good Shepherd Fund and resources for our children in school.

We have launched our loose change appeal through the Mission Together charity. Red collection boxes should have arrived home this week, amazingly three boxes have already been returned and I know some children have used savings from their money boxes. Thank you. We are encouraging children /families to use the boxes throughout Lent but to only put 1p 2p 5p 10p coins in, maybe as loose change from pockets at the end of a day/week rather than children raiding mums purses for £1 and 50p !!

Netball Hi 5 competition

Last week we had further success in a sports competition, this time in Hi5 netball tournament. Despite only having a couple of weeks to train to learn the rules and practise St Mary's came back triumphant, winning all their games and not letting the opposition teams score any goals! Congratulations to : Blake Lynn, Jacob Howard, Mason Crofts, McKenzi Fozard, Leah Flatley, Macy Connolly, Tammy Glover, Ella Lettice and Maddison Newsome.

World Book Day

World Book Day was a great success last week and there were many fantastic outfits. All children received a World Book Day token which can be swapped for one of the focus books for the day or pays £1 towards the cost of a different book you want to buy.

Prizes were awarded for best costumes on the day.

EYU Scarlett McDaid, Daisy Jackson, Rowen Ware and Peyton Hall

Class 2 Emerson Austerfield & Daniyal Hussain

Class 3 Zachariah Guest & Scarlett France

Class 4 Atlanta Todd & Shae Mitchell

Class 5 Willow McCabe & Eva Cain

Class 6 Imogen Gibbons and Gabriel Trytko

Class 7 Megan Young and Taylor Hosier

Class 8 Noah Pinder and Maddison Gavaghan

Class 9 Lucas Murray and Molly Toohey

Class 10 Harrison Fisher and Ellie McLaughlin

Class 11 Ruby Richardson and Arman Lloyd

Sports Festival

Well done and congratulations to our sports festival team who represented St Mary's this week. This is a non-competitive sports event and the following children were a credit to school. Thank you to: Harley Fennell, Caitlin Foley, Ellie McLaughlin, Summer Arnott, George Hartley and Callum Hartley

Diary Dates**April**

Monday 1st Class 2/3 Phonics meetings @ 9am or 3.30am- letter to follow

Wednesday 3rd Sponsored walk a mile

Sunday 7th Sacramental classes after Mass

Friday 12th **close for Easter @3.20pm**

Monday 29th **school reopens for children**

May

Thursday 2nd EYU trip- NO NURSERY sessions due to voting

Monday 6th closed for Bank holiday

Wednesday 8th Class 7/8 trip to media museum Bradford- letter to follow

Sunday 12th Sacramental classes after Mass

Wk beg 6th & 13th Yr 2 assessment weeks

Wk beg 13th Yr 6 SATs tests

THURS 23rd School closes for half term @ 3.20pm

June

Monday 3rd school reopens

Sunday 9th Sacramental classes after Mass

Wk beg 10th Phonics tests classes 2/3

Friday 14th First Confessions @ 4pm in church

Mon 24th school closed training day