

# ST MARY'S NEWS

## MORNING PRAYER

Please join us to celebrate with your class

Fri 14<sup>th</sup> June Class 5

Fri 28<sup>th</sup> June Class 4

Fri 12<sup>th</sup> July Class 3

## KS1 SUPERKIDS AWARDS

Class 1 Brianna Alves Pinho & Lola Viczena

Class 2 Cyprian Pac

Class 3 Scarlett France

Class 4 All the class for their work as Secret Agents

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## SCHOOL GALA

The school gala is on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July this year. Our very small, committed PTF have been preparing and organising this event since last summer, but need help with donations to the stalls. For each donation received a raffle ticket will be given for the chance to win £20 Smyths voucher. Donations requests are listed below:

Week beginning **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May** Teddies

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** Adult tombola,

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June** Toys (good condition, no bits missing),

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June** Jars filled with goodies

You can still donate any of the above items even if it isn't the official week for them.

## SPORT

St Mary's has been nominated and won an achievement award for sport. We have participated in most of the sports competitions organised in Kirklees and won many of them! As recognition of this Coach Nikki, Mr Glover, Maddison Newsome and Callum Hartley attended a presentation evening on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May to receive the shield. We now need a new, bigger trophy display cabinet!! Many thanks to the parents who regularly offer lifts and help at these sporting events. Your help is much appreciated.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Thank you to those 7 parents who have recently been successful in their applications for Free School Meals. This has benefited school budget for an extra £9 100.

If you are in receipt of one or more of the following:

- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods)
- Income support
- Income Based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income Related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit, but are not entitled to a Working Tax Credit and your annual income (as assessed by Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs) is less than £16,190
- Support under Part V1 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Guaranteed element of State Pension Credit

Please go to [www.kirklees.gov.uk/schoolmeals](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/schoolmeals) or ring 01484 221928

For all successful new applicants from 3<sup>rd</sup> May, a Tesco voucher (£25) will be available to be collected from the school office once we have received confirmation from the school finance office (Years Reception to Yr 6)

## SCHOOL TRIPS

More trips have been organised across school but unfortunately will be cancelled if we do not receive enough donations, if any family are really struggling to pay please speak to me in confidence, rather than just not paying (see earlier concern regarding budgets) or your child being absent on the day of the trip.

## YR 6 RAFFLE

Yr. 6 have decided to fund raise towards the cost of their trip to Flamingoland. Each morning you can buy a raffle ticket from outside class 11 and the prize is a lovely hamper full of biscuits. 1 ticket for 20p or the strip of 5 for £1.

They also have a 'guess the number of sweets in the jar' and that is 50p per guess.

## JUNE

Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Sacrament of Confirmation for Yr 6 at 10am Mass
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Sacramental classes after Mass
Wk beg 10 <sup>th</sup>	Phonics tests classes 2/3
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>	bikeability continued Yr 5/6
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 5 transition day to High School
Wed/Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup>	Father's Day Shop
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>	SEAL day Yr 6 (group 1)
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Class 9 walking to Fox's biscuits
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	First Confessions @ 4pm in church
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	SEAL day Yr 6 (group 2)
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Classes 2/3 trip to Oakwell Hall
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup>	Mission Active Yr 4 to Huddersfield sports event
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming Gala
Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	SJFisher Parents evening for new pupils in September
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	First Holy Communion rehearsal @4pm
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>	non uniform day for gala
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	First Holy Communion Mass @10am (not 11am as previously stated)
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	First Holy Communion presentation Mass @10am

## JULY

Wk beg 1 <sup>st</sup>	Active week (PE kit needed all week) including sports day
Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Yr 6 transition day to High school
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sports Day KS1 (morning) and KS2 (afternoon)
Thurs 4 <sup>th</sup>	School Run (charity to be confirmed)
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Class 4/5 trip to Pontefract Castle
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup>	Class 9 trip to Armley Mills
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 6 trip to Flamingoland
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup>	Class 8/9 choir recital for parents 2.30pm
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 6 Leavers Assembly
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Yr 6 Leavers Mass and final day for all.