



St Cuthbert Mayne Catholic Primary School

Newsletter 26 Week ending 29th March 2019

Believe
you can
achieve!

Dear Parents and Carers,

On my visits to classrooms this week I have seen lots of great learning. Well done everyone!

Thank you to everyone who attended our Parent Consultation Evenings and also to those who filled in the questionnaires. The data from this will be analysed and shared with parents, thank you for your ongoing support.

This morning we had a very successful Parent Forum meeting, thank you to everyone who was able to attend. The minutes from this will be published on the school website. The Parent Forum Meetings are open to everyone, we hope that many people will join us at our next meeting on Friday 17th May at 9.00 am.

Thank you to the FRIENDS for organising today's Mother's Day Craft event. We wish all Mothers a special day on Sunday.

Please remember that the clocks go forward on Sunday at 1am as we look forward to the promises of British Summer Time.!

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Natalie McCarthy (Headteacher)

Preparing for First Holy Communion

Please keep in your prayers, our children who are preparing for the First Holy Communion.

First Holy Communion classes take place in our school hall. If you are interested in finding out more details about First Holy Communion classes then please contact Fr. David who will be happy to talk to you about the sacrament of First Holy Communion.



Wintershall Easter Celebration

Thank you to Wintershall actors Stephen and Mike, who gave up their time to lead our assembly on Wednesday.

<https://www.wintershall.org.uk/our-events>



Listening to Jesus

Thank you to Father David for leading us through the Stations of the Cross today. Please remember that the church is open for you, you may like to take this opportunity during Lent to visit the church and see the beautiful stations of the cross.

Netball Year 6

On Monday 25th March the Year 6 Netball team went to Rodborough School to play in a tournament against 10 other teams. This marked the end of the Netball season and it was fantastic to see how much each player has developed and improved.

We drew our first game and lost the next three by a goal difference. Well done to all the girls who participated and what a marvellous season this has been. I have truly enjoyed coaching you all and watching you develop your love for the game.

Next Tuesday will be our final Netball session before we go on to Rounders in the Summer term.

A huge thank you to Mrs Singleton for training the netball team. Next year we are hoping that more boys will join the netball club.

St Andrew's Architects

Thank you to Year One St Andrew's Class for helping me to measure the playground equipment. Well done on your accurate measuring using the trundle wheels and metre sticks to measure the areas. We also found some children and staff to measure on the way outside!



St David's Engineers

It is always a pleasure to visit Reception St David's Class and see what engineering products are being undertaken by our young designers! I enjoy hearing what your designs are and what you will do with them. Great creativity and imagination!



Mufti Day for the Catholic Children's Society

Thank you to everyone for their contributions to the Catholic Children's Society which is raising money for the Arundel and Brighton Crisis Fund. Monies from this are used exclusively to support families in our schools and parishes. Headteachers and Parish Priests can apply to the crisis fund, on behalf of a family, for a one off grant that is usually responded to within 24 hours of the request being made. This can make a huge difference to families in desperate situations.



Thank you to the children who have already returned their Lenten money boxes, please can all boxes be returned to us by Friday 26th April. If you are aware of any families in our school who may be eligible to access funding then please contact Mrs McCarthy confidentially. <https://www.cathchild.org.uk/crisis-fund/>

Diary Dates

April

1st Spiritual Council visit to St Joseph's Specialist Trust

2nd School Values Ambassadors' Breakfast with HT

2nd Last netball training

3rd Year Three visiting Fishbourne Palace

5th Last day of Spring Term 3.15pm finish

8th-19th Easter holidays. School closed

22nd Bank holiday. School closed

23rd Start of the Summer Term

26th Quiz night organised by the FRIENDS

30th Year 3 St George's Class Assembly (please note the date change)

May

17th 9am Parent Forum

24th INSET DAY School closed to children

June

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More dates for the Summer Term to follow...

House points

Well done to this week's winners
Walsingham and to overall winners Lourdes.

HOUSE POINTS Weekly total 22.03.19



HOUSE POINTS Overall total this half term



Cranleigh Rocks

We will be taking part in the Spring into Cranleigh event organised by Cranleigh in Bloom. They will be attempting to break the Guinness World Record for the most amount of painted pebbles. We are delighted to be part of this record breaking attempt. When they return after the Easter holiday, each child in the school will be painting a rock in school which will be part of this attempt. Thank you to our willing parent volunteers who have offered to source the rocks and prepared them for the children to paint, and also deliver them to Fountain Square for the event.

ATTENDANCE Attendance figures for

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22.03.19
Congratulations to
Year 3 with 99.3%
Attendance

Class	%
Reception	98.0%
Year 1	95.2%
Year 2	96.9%
Year 3	99.3%
Year 4	97.5%
Year 5	98.5%
Year 6	98.8%
Whole School	97.8%