

Friday March 6th 2020



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Dear Parents

The sun is finally shining and giving us a small glimpse of spring.

Canon Frank joined us for Junior liturgy on Wednesday where Students discussed Lent and their Lenten promises.

Congratulations to our Year 6 Students who found out their Senior School places this week. We have Students who have gained places at Wallington Girls' Grammar, two places at Wilson's School, scholarships and offers of places at Whitgift and Trinity schools, St Philomena's, John Fisher, St Bede's and Riddlesdown amongst others. Well done to you all!

Our Parent Consultations took place this week; I do hope you have all had chance to speak with your child's Teacher about their progress and targets for the rest of the year.

Students and Staff thoroughly enjoyed World Book Day on Thursday. It was lovely to see everyone dressed up in their

fabulous costumes. You can see pictures from the day on Pages 2 and 3 and more on the school website.

Next week is Open Week from 9.30-11.30am each day. Please do let your friends and family and other prospective families know. Our greatest strength is the word-of-mouth of Parents and your assistance with this is very much appreciated.

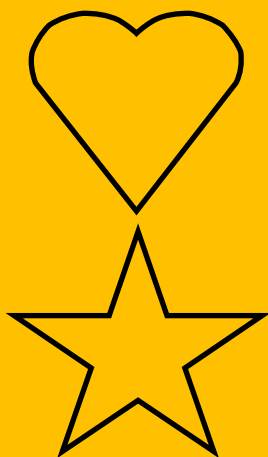
Rehearsals are well underway for the Junior Easter Concert on March 17th at 7pm. Our Musicians have been auditioning with Mrs Corrigan and I know they are all busy practising their pieces at home. It promises to be a wonderful evening.

Wishing you a happy and peaceful weekend

Ms K Barry

Head teacher

Stars and Hearts of the Week







Nursery News

This week Nursery have been looking at the topic 'People that help us'. Children took part in:

- A group discussion and shared their own experiences about people that have helped them.
- Drawing a picture of someone that has helped them before and explaining how they helped them.



- A Dentist game using a dice, reinforcing turn taking and matching the correct amount of teeth to fill spaces in the mouth.
- Role-play using different resources and available props to experience 'helping others'

Finally this week Nursery also had a fantastic day celebrating 'World Book Day' with our themed story 'Supertato'.

Miss Hogsden



Our chosen Lenten Charity this year is The Children's Trust and we would like to raise as much as we can for this very worthwhile cause.

Each classroom has collection jars for Students to donate pocket money they would have otherwise spent on the thing or things they are giving up for Lent.

Please encourage your child to take part in this very worthwhile challenge. It would be great if the whole family got involved.

The children might decide to give up using their Play Stations or X Box for one week; give up chocolate another week, and give up eating junk food a third week and make a donation to The Children's Trust instead of doing/eating these things– it doesn't have to be the same thing for the whole season of Lent.

Thank you in advance as always for your support with this.

Children's Stations of the Cross service

The Children's Stations of the Cross service is being held at St John the Baptist Church at 11am on Good Friday (10th April). This annual event is a really moving way to start the Easter weekend and children of all ages are welcome to take part.

Organisers need readers, actors, actresses and musicians! A rehearsal will take place at 10am on Maundy Thursday (9th April) and children will need to attend to the rehearsal if they want to take part in the service.

Costumes will be provided where necessary and everyone who attends the rehearsal will be given a part.

If you have any questions, please contact Christina Clarke on 07867 797772.

School Calendar W/C March 9th 2020

Monday March 9th	Swimming Latin Spanish Scrabble Art Club 11+ Booster Reading Club	Yrs. 1&4 Yrs. 5-6 Yrs. 3-6 Rec—Y2 Yrs. 1-2 Yrs.3-6 Yrs. 1-2	Kit needed 1.05-1.35pm 12.40-1.05pm 3.20-4.00pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.30-4pm 3.30-4pm
Tuesday March 10th	Chess Homework CPFC French Club Accelerated Maths	Yrs. 4-5 Yrs. 3-6 Rec-Y2 All Yr. 5 invitees	1-1.30pm 3.30-4pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.30-4.15pm
Weds March 11th	Travel the World Homework Games Tennis	Yrs. 3-4 Yrs. 3-6 Yrs.3-6 Yrs.1-6	1.05-1.35 3.30-4pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.20-4.20pm
Thursday March 12th	Drama Homework AM Soccer STEM Ballet Ballet Ballet Lego Club	LAMDA Yrs.3-6 Yrs. 3-6 Yr.5 Nursery Reception Y1/2 Rec-Yr.2	12.30-1pm 3.30-4pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.30-4.30pm 3.15-4.00pm 4-4.45pm 4.45-5.15pm 3.30-4pm
Friday March 13th	Music Theory Prayer Club Art Club Fencing	Yrs. 3-6 All Yrs.3-6 Yrs. 3-6	1.05-1.35pm 12.35-1.05 3.30-4.30pm 3.30-4.30pm

Dates for you diary this term:

March 17th (7pm)—Easter Concert (Yrs.3-6) John Fisher Chapel

March 27th (12.15pm)—End of term

