



Friday Sept 23rd 2022

# Laleham Lea

A Catholic Independent Primary School for boys and girls aged 3 to 11

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Dear Parents

On Tuesday evening governors joined us for the Committee Meetings which have all returned on site again.

We were delighted to be able to welcome Parents back on site for our Curriculum Evening on Wednesday this week. It was lovely to be able to see Parents in school once again. We do hope you found the sessions helpful and informative.

We are looking forward to our Open Week next week. The school is looking fabulous with colourful displays in classrooms and along corridors to showcase our students' amazing work. We are looking forward to welcoming prospective families so they can experience the 'Laleham Lea Journey' for themselves. We are

already very busy with applications for September 2023 and beyond so please do let your friends and families know to contact the School Office to book their tour.

Parents' Consultations are scheduled for the week commencing October 3rd to give you the opportunity to discuss your child's progress with their Class Teacher. Teachers will be in touch soon to book individual appointments.

Our Year 5 and 6 students are also taking part in The St Mark's Music Festival on October 4th.

Wishing you all a relaxing weekend

Ms Barry

Head teacher



**Open Week September 26<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> | 9.30 - 11.30am**

**Laleham Lea Independent Catholic School**

The quality of the pupils' academic and other achievements is

**'Excellent'**

ISI Inspection February 2022

call to book your tour

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## Nursery

This week Nursery have continued the topic of 'Autumn' and extended their learning further by participating in range of activities including:

- Extending our use of mathematical language and placing Autumn pictures in order of size, from the smallest to the biggest.
- Reinforcing our turn taking skills, playing an Autumn 'pairs' game.
- Exploring our Autumn themed farm in the sensory tray.
- Using Autumn themed materials with playdough.



## Reception

Reception Class have been very busy this week creating their own amazing self-portraits as part of our 'All About Me' topic. We have been learning about shapes and symmetry in mathematics and created some incredible symmetrical patterns of our own; we used peg boards, drew and coloured our own patterns, and also made some beautiful painted butterflies.



## Year 1



Year 1 enjoyed taking part in a role-play of 'Little Red Riding Hood' as they explored their topic of 'Fairy Tales' through Drama.

## Year 2



Year 2 wrote some beautiful prayers of thanks this week, thanking God for all they are thankful for.

## Year 3

Year 3 are enjoying their topic of 'The Stone Age' and have created some amazing Stone Age homes for homework.



## Year 4

Year 4 have been inspired by the contemporary artist Oenone Hammersley who is renowned for her abstract paintings using oils and mixed media.

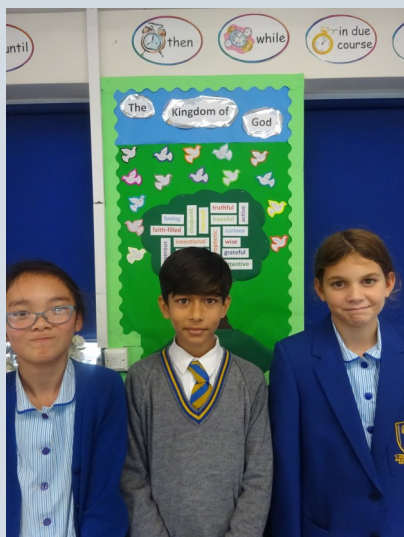


## Year 5

As part of their History topic 'The Victorians' Year 5 made their own silhouette pictures for their classroom display.



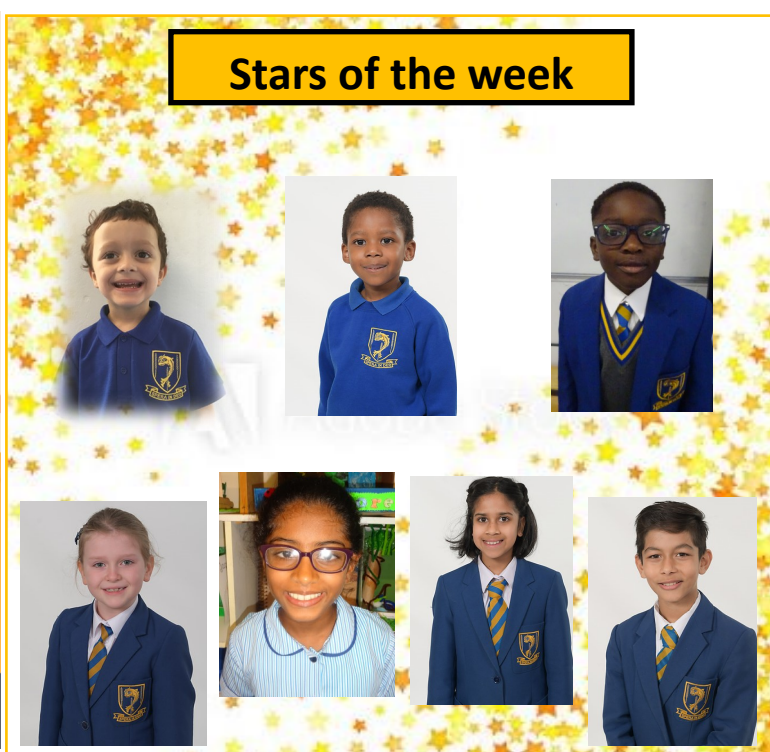
## Year 6



Year 6 have been learning about The Kingdom of God in RE and have written some very thoughtful prayers for the year ahead.

St. John the Baptist  
**YOUTH CLUB**  
Sundays (term time)  
16:15-17:45  
ages:10-15  
starts back 18th of September!  
OPEN TO ALL  
£1 contribution  
Fun, Fellowship, Community  
Games, craft, self-defence, music, discussions & more  
WHERE? Church hall: 48 Dale Road, CR8 2EF, Purley  
\*DBS approved leaders\*  
enquiries: jtbyouthclub@gmail.com

## Stars of the week



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To contact our School Business Manager, Mrs Strachan, please do so directly by email to sbm@lalehamlea.co.uk call 0208 660 3351 (Option 4) or call the school mobile.

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