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# Laleham Lea

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

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Dear Parents

Welcome back to our summer term after the Easter celebrations.

We welcomed our new Deputy Head Teacher Mrs Reece to our school and to our Year 2 Classroom; we hope she enjoys being with us and wish her every blessing in her new post.

We have enjoyed a short, but busy week with our Eco displays being created for the whole school. Our Year 5 students have provided beautiful individual paintings of the resurrection for all to enjoy in the Long Room.

Our Reception Class have very much enjoyed their 'Fairy Tales' topic and dressing up day today, you can see pictures of their brilliant costumes on page 2.

Our Year 2 class were delighted to show off some amazing 'Animal Habitats' that they created over the Easter Break and have enjoyed starting their Nocturnal Animals topic.

We have much to look forward to in this summer term with Sports' Day, our EYFS and KS1 plays, our Junior Production of 'Hoodwinked' as well as Prize Giving, with plans now underway.

Some of our families are celebrating Eid this weekend and we wish them every happiness at this special time.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Ms K Barry  
Head Teacher



## Luke 24:13-35

After Jesus had been crucified, two of his disciples were on their way to a village called Emmaus. They were feeling sad and talking together about all that had happened and how some women had seen a vision of angels who declared that Jesus was alive. Then as they were talking Jesus came and walked by their side and talked to them about the scriptures; but something prevented them from recognising him. As evening approached, the disciples begged Jesus to stay with them for supper. It was when Jesus took the bread, blessed it and broke it and gave it to them that their eyes were opened and they recognised him; but then he vanished from their sight. Then they said to each other, "Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road and explained the scriptures to us?" Filled with joy, they set out immediately and returned to their friends to tell them all that had happened and how they had recognised Jesus at the breaking of the bread.



## Reception



Reception Class were excited to be back in school this week and have enjoyed a magical day of dressing up and Fairy Tales! This week we also enjoyed discussing our Easter holidays with the class and seeing all our friends again. Eid is being celebrated today and Reception Class has enjoyed observing this special time of year along with their friends. Thank you to those who kindly brought in gifts to share with everyone.



## Nursery

This week Nursery have been exploring 'Mini-beasts'. We enjoyed watching a short clip about Mini-beasts and their habitats. Other activities included:

- Using a variety of different mark making tools draw our favourite Mini-beast.
- Using a number line for support, we completed the counting Mini-beast activity. For differentiation some children explored the meaning of 'adding more'.
- Reinforcing turn taking, we played the board game 'Mini-beast' snakes and ladders.



## Year 1

This term, Year 1 are learning about Transport. They have produced some excellent diagrams and information about different types of transport.



## Year 2



Year 2 enjoyed drawing, painting and making a collage of an owl in Art this week. This was a lovely introduction to our nocturnal animals topic.

## Year 3



Year 3 made colourful 'story wheels' depicting the story of Easter and the resurrection of Jesus.

## Golf Superstars



Well done to our Year 4 Golf Stars who took part in 'The Elexis Brown Golf Foundation Charity Day, playing 18 holes of golf on a huge course in Leicester over the Easter break. The team placed 2nd after a gruelling 6hrs on the course battling heavy winds and hail at times.

## Year 4

This Week Year 4 have been creating their own mythical creatures inspired by Newt Scamander's 'Fantastic Beasts!'.



## Year 5

Year 5 created these beautiful illustrations this week depicting the resurrection of Jesus for our school display.



## Year 6

Year 6 started learning about the Kingdom of Benin in Humanities this week.





## Stars & Hearts of the week



WHO IS?  
WHAT IS?  
WHERE IS?  
HOW MANY?

### PARISH QUIZ NIGHT

FRIDAY 19 MAY  
PARISH CENTRE, DALE ROAD  
7.30pm FOR 8.00pm START

Price £10 per person, light supper included

BYO drinks  
(although small amount of beer/wine available to purchase)

PRIZE FOR WINNING TEAM

ADVANCE TICKETS FROM  
JAN CZEZOWSKI 07836 204326

ALL STARS CRICKET @  
PURLEY CC  
FOR GIRLS AGED 5-8



TUESDAYS 5:30PM-6:30PM  
MAY 16TH - JULY 4TH

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NO EXPERIENCE OR KIT REQUIRED!  
£40 FOR 8 WEEKS COACHING AND KIT!



Our Music Teacher Katherine Corrigan writes songs for Preschool children and has recently released a new fun food song called 'Yes Yum Yum'. You can find all of Katherine's songs on her YouTube channel <https://www.youtube.com/@katyandkiki>