

St Catherine's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

29th April 2022

Live, Love and Learn Together,

Growing with God, in Knowledge and Faith

Important dates for your diary: Coming up...

Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022 School is closed.

<mark>Back to School:</mark> Tuesday 3rd May 2022

FOREST SCHOOL SESSIONS: OAK CLASS, every Friday please bring wet weather gear and wellies.

LEE CUFF SPORTS SESSIONS: HAZEL CLASS, every Wednesday.

<u>ASH Class Trip:</u> Friday 13th May

Message from Mrs Terrey:

We have hit the road running this term! Year 5 had their first Bikeability session and everyone passed! Hoorah! We had a Curriculum visit from Charlotte Targett who is our CAST Educational Standards Manager and everything is progressing nicely! Hoorah!!

Our Handball Team came second in the Primary Schools Handball Tournament and, most importantly, once again showed their brilliant Sportsmanlike attitude by sincerely congratulating the winning team! Hoorah! We held our Sports Festival and it was a MASSIVE success! Hoorah!

I am looking forward to us all getting out and about this term and experiencing new things together. Mrs Terrey

Sports Festival:

The Sports Festival was a raging success and so much fun! There was something for everyone from the tiddlers in Oak Class to the 'grown ups' in Maple Class and everyone in between. We started off dancing, then did Hockey, ball skills, Netball and Football. After a nail-biting count up of points the winners are as follows: 1st Temperence - Yellow 2nd Justice - Blue 3rd Prudence - Green 4th Fortitude - Red <u>Year 6 SATs Week:</u> Week commencing Monday 9th May

<u>Year 6 Residential</u>

Dartmoor 23rd May to 27th May

<u>Year 3</u> In school Sleepover 27th May

<u>Sycamore Class</u> Open Afternoon:

Wednesday 4th May 1:45pm

<u>Year 6 Parents</u> <u>Meeting:</u>

Tuesday 3rd May 4pm

<u>Reports:</u> Frida<u>y 13th May.</u>



After School Clubs:

The emails have been sent out for After School Clubs. The Running Club on a Friday will morph into an Athletics Club so we can offer more varied activities.

Handball Tournament:

We are so proud of our competitors. Every time we enter a tournament or competition the St Catherine's Team tries their very best and they are always commended for their team spirit and sense of sportsmanship. Well done everyone!

Sycamore Class Open Afternoon:

The children of Sycamore Class are inviting their parents and carers to come into class to have a look at what they are working on. Please fill in the form and return it to the office if you would like to attend.

PE Kit:

Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school. The correct PE kit is as follows:

All PE kit NAMED (including individual shoes) in an allocated PE bag (not their school bag)

- Navy or black PE shorts (black/navy plain joggers in the colder months)
- Plain white round neck t-shirt
- Plimsoles or trainers for outside
- Plain black or navy hoodie or zip jacket

Book Fayre:

We are continuing our Book Fayre next week so do not despair if you haven't had a chance to browse the selection (and have a peep at the newly refurbished Library!). You will be able to come and look at the books and order them for delivery to the school.







Year 6 Parents Meeting:

Year 6 SATs week is 9th May. There will be a meeting at 4pm on Tuesday 3rd May to discuss SATs and the Year 6 Residential Trip.

Have We Got Your Number?:

Communication is always a hot topic but, do we have your current phone numbers? Are you getting emails from us or do you need to let us know your new email address and lastly, are you 100% sure we have your correct house address? If you aren't sure if your details are up to date, please contact the Office, either via email, (office@stcatherinesbridport.dorset.sch.uk) or call us (01308 423568) and we will be happy to check!

Did you know?:

We have five Bug Hotels around our grounds to encourage insects to make their homes here so we can watch them and learn about them.

It's Good to Talk:

If you would like to speak to your child's teacher please make an appointment through the Office or speak to Miss Fearn in the mornings.



Star of the Week

It could be argued that every one of the St Catherine's Family is a star, and they are! But each week a child is chosen from each class for recognition. Going forwards we will feature our Stars in each Newsletter so, here are the Stars so far..!

Oak Class:

20th Jan 22 - Jessica B: For excellent improvement in her writing and becoming more independent

27th Jan 22 - Esme: For making fantastic progress with her reading



4th Feb 22 – Amelia T: For making excellent progress with her reading

11th Feb 22 – Gabriel: For fantastic 'hold a sentence' writing in English

3rd Mar 22 – Chloe: For learning and performing her poem so well

10th Mar 22 – Daisy: For excellent partner work and supporting in her Read, Write Inc work

17th Mar 22 – Theo D: For always having a positive attitude towards his learning

24th Mar 22 – Kayson W: For always trying super hard even when things are tricky

31st Mar 22 – Ellie C: For making improvements in your writing based on teachers feedback

7th Apr 22 – Kason B: For being such a hard working member of class and participating with great enthusiasm when the storyteller visited us this week

28th Apr 22 – Kinga: Super independent writing in both science and RE. Well done!

Sycamore Class:

14th Jan 22 - Malachy: For deepening the moment in English - using personification and the power of 3

20th Jan 22 - Belle R: For working really hard in Science this week. Belle labelled her work and presented it neatly.

27th Jan 22 - Ophelia: For working so hard on her independent reading this week. She included lots of Yr 2 skills including using question marks.

4th Feb 22 – Wesley: Having a positive attitude. Trying your best. Showing determination

11th Feb 22 – Peter: For working so hard on your reading challenge this week and achieving an excellent result.













3rd Mar 22 – Belle C: For learning and performing her poem so well

10th Mar 22 – Keeley: For working so hard in Phonics this week and supporting others with their learning

17th Mar 22 – Mylor: For writing a brilliant letter in RE to recall the events of Palm Sunday. Including Yr 2 writing objectives, showing he can transfer skills across the curriculum.

24th Mar 22 – Gracie C: For being a very kind, thoughtful and understanding member of our class this week.

31st **Mar 22 – Kinsley:** For putting in so much effort with your handwriting and sentence writing this week, using finger spaces and neat letters.

7th Apr 22 – Jack M: For having such a positive attitude towards his Maths challenge task this week.

28th Apr 22 – Henry: For always producing beautifully presented work in all areas of the curriculum. You take pride and care in all you do.

Ash Class:

14th Jan 22 - Leah: For always trying her best and learning from her mistakes.

20th Jan 22 - Leo: For being helpful and trying his best.

27th Jan 22 - Gabby: For using great vocabulary in her story this week.

4th Feb 22 – Monty: For having being determined in all your learning and great progress in reading and Maths.

11th Feb 22 – Sophia: An excellent attitude to maths and good progress in all her learning.

3rd Mar 22 – Ruby S-R: For working so hard to complete her Maths

10th Mar 22 – Evlyn: For trying to challenge herself and deepening the moment.





17th Mar 22 – Aimee: For working hard in English and using fantastic vocabulary words.

24th Mar 22 – Marley: For having a Growth Mindset when things are difficult.

31st Mar 22 - Theo W: For great Maths.

7th Apr 22 – Sophia S: For a great speech.

28th Apr 22 – Milo: For Growth Mindset, learning from mistakes.

Hazel Class:

14th Jan 22 - Ted: A great effort on English and an improved Growth Mindset.

20th Jan 22 - Poppy W: For always being sensible and hard working.

4th Feb 22 – Rylo: For having a fantastic attitude to learning and always trying your best.

11th Feb 22 – Amelia H: Enthusiasm for learning and doing her best.

3rd **Mar 22 – Angel:** For a continued good effort in literacy and for performing her poem so well.

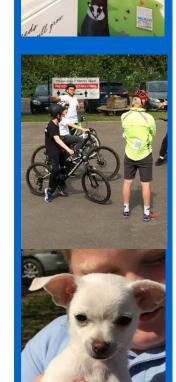
10th Mar 22 – Georgina: For working consistently hard, particularly in Maths this week when adding and converting fractions.

17th Mar 22 – Oscar H: Great effort in English and trying hard with handwriting.

31st Mar 22 – Amelia L: For a great attitude to learning both in class and with homework.

7th Apr 22 - Owain: Conscientious attitude to his writing

28th Apr 22 – Summer: For Conscientious effort in writing and growing confidence in Maths.



Maple Class:

14th Jan 22 – Isaac H: For improving handwriting and putting in extra effort in English.

20th Jan 22 – Gracie C: For having a Growth Mindset and persevering with her fractional work.

27th Jan 22 - Elspeth: For working hard on improving her handwriting and writing a great story.

4th Feb 22 – Harry E: For trying his best in al his subjects.

11th Feb 22 – Charlie M: For improving his handwriting.

3rd Mar 22 – Oscar S: For persevering with reciting his poem and taking great effort to learn it off by heart

10th Mar 22 – Liam: For trying to do his best in all subjects and challenging himself in Maths.

17th Mar 22 - Immie C: For setting out her workings in Maths carefully

24th Mar 22 – Edward R-B: For thorough research in Geography and good focus in all subjects.

31st Mar 22 – Poppy Pielesz and Maddie Parr: For challenging themselves in Maths.

7th Apr 22 – Freya: For fabulous listening leading to amazing results in her SPaG.

28th Apr 22 - Harry B: For excellent focus in Maths.

Well done to all our Stars!!!!