

ST GREGORY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

"LOVING & LEARNING"

END OF TERM NEWSLETTER JULY 2010

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



JULY

- Thursday 1 - 9.15 am Football tournament -Hagley Stadium
- Friday 2 - 9.00am Reception Assembly
Yr.6 Picnic in Warley Woods
- Wednesday 7 - **Nursery closed**
Classes move
- Thursday 8 - KS 1 & 2 Performance by
- The Hagley Irish Band
- Reports to Parents
- Friday 9 - 1.30 pm Year 6 Careers Fair
- Monday 12 - 2.00 pm Year 6 Performance
- Tuesday 13 - Sports Day
- Parents evening
- Wednesday 14 - 7.00 pm Year 6 Performance
- Thursday 15 - 11.00 am and 2.30 pm
Nursery Graduation
- Friday 16 - Whole School Weston-
Super-Mare trip
Nursery closed
- Tuesday 20 - 9.00 a.m. Leavers Mass in
School
- 7.00 p.m. Leavers Disco and
Firework Display
- Wednesday 21 - Training Day

SCHOOL RE-OPENS ON THURSDAY 2 SEPTEMBER 2010

**(RECEPTION AND NURSERY
RE-OPENS
MONDAY 13 SEPTEMBER)**



Happy Holiday

CHANGE OF CLASS TEACHERS FOR SEPTEMBER 2010

Year 6	Mr R Heard
Year 5	Mrs A Farrell
Year 4	Mrs C McIlroy
Year 3	Mrs E Powell
Year 2	Mr T Boodell
Year 1	Mrs S Wolfe
Foundation	Mrs E Smith
Stage	Mrs H Murphy

SCHOOL MEALS

There will be a change in the price of school meals from September, meals will cost £1.80 per day £9.00 per week.

Please put the correct amount of dinner money in a clearly marked envelope with your child's name and class on. Thank you.

Packed lunches - please remember not to pack your child packets of nuts (we have children in school with nut allergies) or chocolate bars.

We like to encourage the children to eat a healthy



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to Year 3 children on the celebration of their First Holy Communion. I am sure you will agree it was a lovely day and the children were a credit to you.

THANK YOU

A massive thank you from the Governors, staff and children to all of those parents and volunteers who give so freely of their time to help in school. Without your support we could not provide so much for the children.



SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT

Please find attached a summary of the School Development questionnaire sent to you earlier in the Term.

LOST UNIFORM

Any 'lost' property which has not been claimed by the end of the term will be re-cycled.



SUMMER DISCO

Tickets will be on sale from Friday 2 July for the end of year Disco and Firework display.

Tuesday 20 July 2010
7.00 p.m. - 10.00 p.m.
Adults £4.00 - Children £3.00
Family ticket - £12.00 (2 adults + 2 children)

Year 6 pupils are entitled to a free ticket but must be accompanied by an adult. Please ensure you buy your tickets early, remember if it rains the Disco will be held in the Hall and only ticket holders can be admitted- maximum 200 tickets.



WATER BOTTLES

Water bottles will be issued to the children during the first week back in September. The school initially purchases the bottles and should your child lose their water bottle you will be able to purchase a new one at the price of £1.00.

These bottles are purchased from school fund and given to pupils to ensure they have the correct size bottle and access to water at all times.



SAINSBURY'S VOUCHERS

Many thanks for your support we collected 13,115 vouchers for sports equipment.



SCHOOL BAGS/PUMP BAGS

Don't forget to purchase school bags or pump bags from the school office, book bags £5.00, pump bags £3.00 and back packs £6.50. £1 off if you buy bag and pump bag together.



MR TURVEY'S JOKE CORNER

Q. How do you make a band stand?
A. Take away their chairs!



BREAKFAST/AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Breakfast Club will open Wednesday 2 September 7.45 - 8.45 a.m. Monday to Friday (term time only). £3.50 per child to include a healthy breakfast, children can attend every week or odd days to fit around your working pattern.



The after school club will be open 2 September 3.25 - 6.00 p.m. (term time only). £5.75 per child per day which will include a light healthy snack.

Application forms are available from the school office.

EDGMOND HALL AND PLAS GWYNANT VISIT SEPTEMBER 2010

May I remind the parents of pupils who will be going on the above visits in September that the balance should be paid by the end of term. Please ensure that you have also returned the Parental Consent form. Thank you.

If you have any problems please contact the school office.

HOME LEARNING BOOKS

Would you please return all Home Learning Books to school before the end of term (the multi coloured book).



Thank you.

REPORTS

Please note that on your child's report satisfactory indicates your child has made one sub level progress.

Good progress indicates your child has moved up two sub levels.

Excellent progress indicates your child has moved up three or more.

Often a child is working above the national curriculum levels but will have made satisfactory progress because of the breadth of that sub level.

SWIMMING - YEAR 3

Starting next term Year 3 will be swimming each Monday afternoon.

Mrs Powell will send out a letter in September to ask for parental help. We would be very grateful if you can spare the time to walk the children to the swimming baths, this will be arranged on a rota basis. Please remember you need to have a current CRB check. Thank you.

I _____ the parent of _____

have received the July Newsletter.

Signed: _____