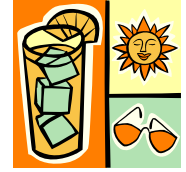




# ST GREGORY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## "LOVING & LEARNING"

### JUNE 2013 NEWSLETTER



#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

##### JUNE

Monday 3	-	<b>School re-opens</b> <b>R.E Inspection</b> 9.00 am Yr.3 Inspire Workshop	
Tuesday 4	-	Yr.6 commence Swimming	
Wednesday 5	-	3.30 pm Yr.5 parents - Puberty DVD	
Thursday 6	-	10.00 am Yr.2 Mass - Church 1.30 pm Yr.5 Puberty Talk 7.00 pm Yr. 3 Parents Catechesis session	
Saturday 8	-	'Young Promoters' Performance - Thimblemill Library	
Tuesday 11	-	Yr. 6 Pupils - Hagley High School Transition talk	
Saturday 15	-	12.00 p.m. First Holy Communion	
Monday 17-21	-	Book Fair Week	
Tuesday 18	-	R.E. Confirmation Day - Yr.6	
Thursday 20	-	9.00 am Yr. 2 Inspire Workshop 3.30 p.m. Summer Concert	
Friday 21	-	Yr. 2 Class Assembly	
Saturday 22	-	5.00 pm Yr. 2 Mass	
Monday 24	-	1.30 pm Yrs. 3 & 4 Litter Pick 'Big Spring Clean'	
Tuesday 25	-	Parents Open Evening 7.00 pm Nursery intake 8.00 pm Reception intake	
Wednesday 26	-	Summer Celebration lunch (letter to follow)	
Thursday 27	-	Whole school Sports Day	
Sunday 30	-	11.00 am Going Forth Mass	

##### JULY

Monday 1-5	-	'I can do it week'
Wednesday 3	-	<b>Nursery closed</b> - new intake p.m. Classes move
Thursday 4-5	-	Yr.6 Warner Bros. Studio visit
Monday 8	-	Reception-Year 5 Heart Park Summer trip

#### JULY

Tuesday 9	-	2.00 pm Yr. 6 Film Premiere
Wednesday 10	-	Nursery Graduation 5.00 pm Yr. 6 Cinema Experience
Thursday 18	-	9.00 am Leavers Mass 7.00 pm Leavers Disco
		<b>School closes</b>
Friday 19	-	Training Day

#### SCHOOL UNIFORM

The children are looking very smart in their summer uniform since coming back after the Easter holiday. Unfortunately it has been noted that some pupils are not adhering to the school uniform code so please can I remind you;

- that no jewellery is to be worn
- nail polish is not permitted
- sensible school shoes should be worn at all times
- no extreme hairstyles are allowed

May I also remind you that pupils should only use the St Gregory's school bags, please do not send them with alternatives as we have a problem with storage. Thank you for your co-operation.

#### MEDICATION

When sending any medication into school please remember to include a spoon.

#### HEALTH AND SAFETY

In the interest of Health and Safety may I remind you to tie your child's hair back off their face.



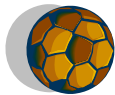
Head lice is an on going problem within the school and I would suggest regular checks for any 'visitors'.

#### PUPIL COLLECTION

There has been an increasing number of pupils who are not being collected on time at the end of the school day. Unfortunately we do not have the staff available to accommodate them and should not be in school after 3.45 p.m.

### SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS

Thank you for all the 'Active Kids' vouchers you have donated to school, we have received nearly 7,000. The scheme closed on 22 May but if you have any vouchers in your purse or pocket please bring them to school, every one counts.



### LENTON APPEAL - FATHER HUDSON SOCIETY

We have raised £180 for the Father Hudson Society. If you have still not sent in your boxes please send them in as soon as possible.



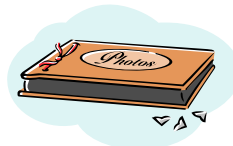
### YEAR OF FAITH MASS -WEDNESDAY 22 MAY

Thank you to all the children, staff and Father Cownley for an inspiring Mass. It was a wonderful opportunity for us to come together as a community of Faith and celebrate with one another

### MR TURVEY'S JOKE CORNER

Q. What did Cinderella say when her photographs did not show up?

A. Some day my *prints* will come!!!



### QUIZ QUESTION

How many adults in the UK have never been on line!

1million

7 million

1 billion?



### ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Year 5 for their excellent attendance this will take some beating, lets see what the other classes can do.

### REFLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

June begins with the feast of the body and blood of Christ usually known as Corpus Christi. It is now celebrated on the Sunday after Trinity Sunday. We recall that Jesus' command was to "take and eat and drink: do this in memory of me". We are reminded of this during the celebration of the Eucharist at Mass.

The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is on the 7 June. This day focuses on Jesus' love his acceptance of all of us and his forgiveness and generosity .

The Feast day of St Peter and St Paul is on the 29 June. Peter became the first Bishop of Rome and his faith would be a rock on which Jesus would build his Church upon.

Paul's conversion on the road to Damascus changed his life completely resulting in him becoming a Christian. Both Peter and Paul were not perfect and we are reminded that God accepts us as we are, with our limitations.



I \_\_\_\_\_ the parent of \_\_\_\_\_

have received the June Newsletter. Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Answer to the Quiz question is: \_\_\_\_\_