



# ST GREGORY'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL

“LOVING AND LEARNING”

## SEPTEMBER 2009 NEWSLETTER

### DATES FOR SEPTEMBER

Please find attached a list of dates for your diary.



#### September

Monday 7-11 Year 6 Edgmond Hall visit  
Year 5 Plas Gwynant visit

Monday 14 Reception re-opens  
Year 3 commence swimming

Thursday 17 Nursery re-opens

Tuesday 22 Parents Evening

Sunday 27 9.00 a.m. Family Mass-Year 5

Wednesday 30 Whole school Photographs

#### October

Thursday 1 10.00 am Year 4 Mass - Church

Friday 2 2.00 p.m. Harvest Festival

Thursday 8 10.00 am Year 3 Mass - Church

Monday 12-16 'I can do it' Week

Sunday 18 9.00 a.m. Family Mass-Year 2

Monday 19-22 'Who do you think you are?'  
3.40 pm Celebration in School  
Hall - St Gregory's 40 Years old  
School closes

Friday 23 Training Day

Monday 26-20 Half term Holiday

#### November

Monday 2 School re-opens

Thursday 5 10.00 am Year 6 Mass - Church

Thursday 12 10.00 am Years 1 & 2 Mass -  
Church

Sunday 22 9.00 a.m. Family Mass-Year 6

### JOINT HEADSHIP

As you are aware Mrs Foley is now working on a joint Head basis with Mrs Bickley. Mrs Foley is working on Monday, Tuesday and Friday's. Mrs Bickley is Head on Wednesday and Thursday and reverts to Deputy Head on the other three days. Mrs Farrell is Assistant Head.

### DISCO

A good time was had by all at the summer disco but unfortunately due to the bad weather we were unable to make any profit for the school fund.

Thank you to all those who were supported the event.



### UNIFORM

The children have returned to school looking very smart in their new school uniform. It costs you as parents a lot of money to make them look good so please make sure your child's clothes are labelled in some way. Thank you for your support in this matter.

Please remember your child will need a school bag for taking books, etc. home. Bags are available from the school office, back pack £6.50, book bags £5.00 and pump bags £3.00

- if you buy both together you will save £1.00



### ART SHIRTS - Year 1 – 6

Please ensure that your child brings an old shirt to school to wear for their art lessons. This should be kept in their PE bag and worn in order to protect their uniform during art lessons. Thank you.

### CAN YOU HELP FOUNDATION STAGE?

If you have any 'wellies' that your child has grown out of the Foundation Stage would be happy to have them. They will be useful for pupils when working on their garden project.



### QUIZ QUESTION

What was the special visitor to Birmingham airport last week?



I \_\_\_\_\_ the parents of \_\_\_\_\_

have received the September 2009 Newsletter

The answer to the quiz question is: \_\_\_\_\_

### HOME LEARNING

Your child will be bringing home a 'fp

Learning at Home' booklet. **Please note;** this booklet needs to be returned to school at the end of each term. Unfortunately a charge will be made if the booklet needs to be replaced.

### MR COX'S JOKE CORNER

Q. Why did the scruffy schoolboy finally take a bath?

A. Because he realised that grime doesn't pay!!



### FOOTBALLS

Unfortunately due to the number of incidents in the playground before/after school and at lunchtime pupils will no longer be able to bring their own footballs to school.

There will still be football in the arena at lunchtime as normal with a ball provided by the school.

### PARENT GOVERNOR

There is currently a vacancy on the Governing Body for a Parent Governor.

If you are interested and have the time please obtain an application form from the school office.

### FOUNDATION STAGE

If you have any school uniform that your child has out grown the Foundation Stage would be very pleased to receive it. Any items, suitable in size for the Foundation Stage pupils including trousers, t-shirts, underwear, etc. would be gratefully received.

