

Part of The Romero Catholic Academy

Issue 25: Friday 1st April 2022 Keeping a Holy Lent



Dear parents, children, staff and parishioners,



#### **Achievement Awards**

**Thank you** to everyone who joined us virtually for the Achievement Award ceremonies this week. The children have worked really hard this term and this was reflected in the teachers comments – they were stunning. Congratulations to all the children that received an award. As the star badges (for Golden Children) are expensive, if they are lost then we do ask for a donation of £1 for any replacements. Keep your certificates safe a

Workers of the Week

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Annie W	Tyler G	Zuzanna W	Felix O	Igor B	Milo P	Jayden G	Ella M
	Riyan GS	Cavan W	Ana S	Freya S	Rowan P	Enya C	Phoebe E
PE Days — New days for Spring 2							
N/A	Wednesday	Thursday	Monday	Wednesday	Tuesday Thursday	Thursday	Friday
Attendance: 94.5% 🗵 Overall (total attendance for the week for the whole school) Our school target for this year is 97%.							
91.9%	95.2%	96.0%	96.5% 😊	91.9%	96.5% 😊	92.2%	93.7%
House Point Winner		Joint Winners – Winning house overall – Michelangelo House – 2021 points					
Class Attendance Winner			5L Mrs Severs Class 😊				



#### **Parent Consultations**

A huge thank you to all of our parents that joined us for our virtual parent consultations on TEAMs this week....we still have Mr Finn's and Year 6's to go next week. I hope it was useful to hear about your child's progress, learning and general behavioural attitudes. I cannot believe we only have 5 days left until our Easter Holidays.

#### Good Shepherd Appeal

Thank you for all the envelopes that have already come into school. Please find any change or coins laying around the house and pop them into the envelopes. The support from our families makes a huge difference to the success of the appeal — please rally round and help your child fill their collection envelope! **They need to be returned by the Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April.** 





#### Summer Uniform

After the Easter Holidays, children are welcome to wear summer uniform if they wish. This means that in all year groups, boys may wear grey tailored shorts instead of trousers and girls may choose to wear blue gingham summer dresses. In addition, children may choose to wear a blue polo shirt with our school logo instead of a shirt and tie. Please can all children ensure that they come to school in the correct PE kit of hoodie, black shorts, blue t-shirt and trainers, on their PE days, so that they can access the PE curriculum.

 $SHOES-please\ can\ I\ ask\ for\ children\ to\ ensure\ that\ they\ have\ school\ shoes\ for\ the\ summer\ term.$ 

#### **Earrings**

Please can I remind you that the ONLY earrings allowed in our uniform policy are PLAIN GOLD STUDS. We have children with diamante earrings, gold hoops, jewelled characters etc...see picture for clarification.



#### Lent 2022 Cake Sales

1) Year 1/Year 5 made £120.00

2) Year R/Year 6 made £127.30

3) Year 2/Year 4 made £78.00

4) Year N/Year 3 made £41.80

Thank you for all your generosity. The total amount raised was £367.10



#### First Holy Communion

First Holy Communion gifts and cards will be on sale in the church hall on Friday mornings from

9.15 am until Noon. Items will also be on sale during the church's Spring Fair on Saturday 9th April, 10 am until 4.30 pm and before and after all weekend masses. Items start at £1. Payment can be made by cash or debit/credit card. Early purchase recommended as gifts sell very quickly. Please contact Sue Wilby on 07523886340 if you have any queries.

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#### Year 3 and 4 Holy Week Reflection

Year 3 and 4 are currently busy behind the scenes preparing themselves to deliver a very special performance. The children in these year groups are working to perform a special reflective performance to retell Jesus' last moments on earth. This performance will take place on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April at 6pm. In order to make this experience a special one, and to give it the recognition it deserves, we have booked the Cardinal Wiseman Theatre so that the children are able to perform their reflection on a real-life stage with working tech including lighting and sound systems. Parents, families, and other children are then invited to come and witness their reflection at 6pm. Details have been shared in a letter yesterday.

#### OPAL Update

In the background, we are continuing to work on the development of our site ahead of our big OPAL launch on 16<sup>th</sup> May. As we begin to countdown to the big launch each week, we'll have a different focus in order to get ready.

#### New Uniform Addition - EVERY CHILD NEEDS A PAIR OF WELLIES

#### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

On Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April and 7<sup>th</sup> May, we will be having our OPAL community day — we are asking you to spare an hour or two of your time, bring tools and help us get our site ready for the children. We need strong muscles, digging, clearing bushes, fixing, building etc - refreshments will be provided...but we really need people to support. If you are free, please email <a href="mailto:s.newman@romeromac.com">s.newman@romeromac.com</a>

#### NOTE - most clubs not on next week

There are no sports before or after school clubs next week except for cheerleading (Thursday before school) and dance (Thursday after school).

#### Sacred Heart School Lottery

Hi Sacred Heart Primary School,

#### Well done - you did it!

Your hard work to promote your lottery has paid off meaning you're on track to raise £1,705.60 over the next 12 months for Sacred Heart Primary School.

The table below shows your progress so far. For a more detailed breakdown, visit your dashboard.

Performance	Amount
Number of tickets	82
Number of supporters	37
Funds raised annually	£1,705.60



Don't forget, the more supporters we have and the more tickets you buy, the faster our funds will grow. Remember, we also take new supporters from outside of our direct school community, so help us spread the word about our School Lottery further.

To help you spread the word, here is the link to our page on the School Lottery website:

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/sacredheart-primary-school Everyone can support our campaign, so the more people that know the better! Good luck with our campaign!

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P.E timetable for Summer 1

Please check you Arbor next week, Mrs Newman will send out all the P.E and club information for Summer 1.



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#### Easter Celebration Day

On Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April, we return to school and celebrate Easter during the Easter season. The children can come in non-uniform and need to bring in a £1 donation for School Fund. The children will take part in a range of activities e.g. making Easter cards and every child will be given a Cadburys cream egg with their name on. The catch is, the children have to find their own egg in a hunt on the playground and can only eat the one with their name on! Staff will have to hunt for their own egg also. We will be coming together as a whole school during our Easter Celebration Mission at 9am, with all staff and pupils and we welcome parents to join us.





On Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April, we will be holding our annual Easter bonnet parade at 9:10am, for children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. Children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will need to make their Easter bonnets over the Easter Holidays at home — we are looking for creative and unique creations. Each class will be judged and awarded prizes throughout the morning. Parents are welcome to attend the bonnet parade.

Year 3/Year 4/Year 5/Year 6 will be taking part in our annual competition — Famous Egg Head Competition. We are asking children in KS2 to boil an egg(s) and to decorate them as a famous person, or favourite character from a book etc — be creative......the bolder and crazier the better. Can all children please bring them into the school hall on Tuesday morning. I am really looking forward to seeing them. Please place the Egg Head in an egg box or decorated box with their name clearly labelled. Thank you.

Sacred Heart invites you to take part in our



- DECORATE A HARD-BOILED EGG AS A CHARACTER. THIS COULD BE A CHARACTER FROM A BOOK OR FILM, A PERSON OF A SPECIFIC OCCUPATION OR A CARTOON CHARACTER.
- 2. BRING IT INTO SCHOOL ON TUESDAY 26TH APRIL. ENSURE THAT YOUR NAME AND CLASS IS ON YOUR ENTRY.



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#### Polish Church

In our Sacred Heart church on Holy Saturday at 9.00am, there will be the Blessing of Easter Baskets, a lovely Polish tradition to which you are all warmly invited.

Święconka (sh-vee-en-soon-kah) is a long-lasting and beloved Polish tradition. Baskets containing a sample of typical Easter foods are brought to the church to be blessed on Holy Saturday.



### COVENTRY & NORTH WARWICKSHIRE SPORTS CLUB OPEN DAY

### SUNDAY 3RD APRIL 10:00AM - 2:00PM

Try our Sports & Bridge activities for FREE!

10am: Tennis (juniors) & Squash (adults) 11am: Cricket (juniors) & Netball (adults) 12pm: Tennis (adults) & Netball (juniors) 1pm: Cricket (adults) & Squash (juniors) 10am - 2pm: Bridge

Take a look at our Gym and Health Suite. Food and Drinks available in the Ian Bell Sports Bar.

All ages and abilities are welcome, with special offers available on the day for new memberships!



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### WE NEED YOU!

Clearing the site - cutting back bushes.

Digging out the sandpit & landscaping the area.







**DIY Pallet Creations** 













CAN YOU VOLUNTEER TO HELP US ON ONE OF THESE DAYS?

EMAIL MRS NEWMAN IF YOU'RE ABLE TO SUPPORT

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Week at a glance

Date	Time	Activity					
Value and Virtue — Intentional and Prophetic							
😊 All Sponsorship money to be returned to school 😊							
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	10:30am	Fourth Sunday of Lent (Parish Mass) and Mothering Sunday					
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	All Day	Guitar Lessons					
	10:45am	Casey Harpers Funeral (past pupil from Sacred Heart)					
	Morning	Reception vision screening					
	All Day	Class photographs (full uniform for all year groups — no PE kits today)					
	Afternoon	Catholic Schools Cross Country Event at Cardinal Wiseman					
	1pm – 7pm	Mr Finn's parent consultations					
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	All Day	Guitar Lessons					
	All Day	Year 4 Holy Week rehearsal at Cardinal Wiseman					
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	9:00am — 6:00pm	Year 3 & 4 Holy Week rehearsal at Cardinal Wiseman					
	1pm – 7pm	Year 6 parent consultations					
	6:00pm	Year 3 & 4 Holy Week performance at Cardinal Wiseman					
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April	9:00am	Year 2 to Mass					
	11:00am	Year 6 Reconciliation					
	Afternoon	Reception vision screening					
	2:15pm	Goodbye to Mrs Cakebread Assembly 😣					
	6:00pm	Academy Committee Meeting					
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	9:00am	Mrs Murphy/Mrs Cowley's Year 2 class assembly — parents welcome					
	Morning	Drumming Lessons					
	3:15pm	Break up for the Easter Holidays 😊					
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	10:30am	Fifth Sunday of Lent (Parish Mass) Mothers' Day					

I hope you have a great weekend.....one week to go ©



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