Newsletter

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Attendance for week: 95.33%

St Mary of the Angels Catholic Primary School "Love Jesus, Love Learning, Love Life"



A message from Mrs Thorpe to all our families...As the end of

term draws near I know that everyone is working their socks off to try and fit in as much as possible in what seems like very little time left! Our Y6 and KS2 classes are busy putting the final touches on our drama production of "The Tempest" ready for next week. Our Summer Fair is coming together and I'd like to thank all our families who so generously support these events. To ease burdens on families, and to try new things, we will not be holding any fairs next year and instead we have a plan of alternative fundraising activities including our infamous School Sleepovers ...more details to follow in September! Thank you to all those parents who support our school and work with us to ensure that our children receive the best education possible. Please look out for the summer activities available over the holidays on the additional newsletter.



Our Year 2 have been caring for our caterpillar chrysalises who this week turned into beautiful butterflies! The children had a lovely surprise when they arrived in school to see the butterflies had hatched overnight. Our infants joined together to release the butterflies into our sensory garden, which is a natural habitat and safe place for them. Y2 have also been busy harvesting their potatoes! More wonderful examples of our children learning the responsibility of stewardship, caring for the world that God has gifted to us.



<u>Governor Action</u>: This week our Governors have been extremely busy in school. Mr Kwateng has attended strategy meetings with myself whilst Jan, Kate and Jo have all given time to supporting in school with reading

and forest school. Jon, one of our Parent Governor has been working with Ms Beaumont to give strategic support to our funding bids for premises development. Thank you to all our governors for their work.



Dates for your diary...

- CALENDAR
- Tuesday 9th July—KS2 Drama production of The Tempest, 2pm and 6pm.
- Wednesday 10th July—Summer Fair! 3.15pm
- Thursday 11th July—Y6 College Visit Day
- Thursday 11th July—CO2 Safety Assembly for everyone
- Monday 15th July Reports out to parents
- Tuesday 16th July—Y6 Pizza and Quiz Party
- Wednesday 17th July—End of Year Thanksgiving Mass at 9.15am, everyone welcome, please come along.
- Friday 19th July—School Closes for Summer at 1.15pm

This Week's Special Awards

Well done to you all! Year 6: Lucy & Billy C Year 5: Jacob P & Indie Year 4: Megan & Thomas O'D Year 3: Daisy & Leo Year 2: Barney & Elsie Year 1: Jax & Sebastian EYFS: Rory & Archie

EYFS had their second outing in two weeks with a visit to Rivacre Valley for Forest School on Thursday. Once again, these visits are made possible by our lovely parents who give their time to support and facilitate these enrichment opportunities—THANK YOU! Our



children are developing their character strengths of resilience building, teamwork, turn-taking and so much more at Forest School and this is a valuable part of our curriculum.

<u>End of Year</u> reports will come home on Monday 15th July. Teachers will be available for drop in appointments on Wednesday 17th July for any parents who wish to discuss the reports.

Next week's Dinner Menu is: Week 2