



Newsletter – 25.3.24 Spring 2 week 6

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Dear Parents/guardians,

Crikey, where did the Easter break go? It certainly went in a flash for me but I hope that you all enjoyed the week's break.

Catholic life of the School – How can we serve others?

Once again, please can we say a HUGE thank you for all your support with our Lenten acts of Mercy. I was blown away by your generosity. Year 1 are going to sing for the residents of Brian House on Tuesday as part of their Lenten work.

Mass at Holy Family

On Sunday 21st April we will be giving the readings and leading the bidding prayers at Mass at Holy Family Church. We would like as many families as possible to attend and enjoy the service together. Mrs Mallinson will be playing the organ and hopes to see lots of pupils join us, especially choir members - We hope to see you there!

School Council

School Council have been busy this week. They invited the Playground Friends to their meeting on Tuesday to hear what new playground equipment they would like. They agreed on the items they could afford to buy from their budget and these have been ordered.

Also, as part of their local community project at Jubilee Gardens at the Gynn, they painted some pebbles to take down and invited pupils from Y3 and Y4 to plant some nasturtium seeds which they had purchased and plan to take to the Gardens when they are ready. As part of our eco ethos they used some of the biodegradable milk cartons they had collected and washed out instead of plastic pots.



Car parking

Those collecting from afterschool clubs are also asked to avoid entering Seacrest Avenue. We have permission to park on the church car park, which requires parents to only walk through the 'ginnel' and up to school. Seacrest Avenue car park is for staff only and is **not** to be used by parents, other than those with disabled blue badges OR using afterschool club post 4:30pm.

Elmer

If you haven't already, please download the Elmer's Big Parade Blackpool app. Our beautiful elephant, Grace, is now part of the Big Parade in Blackpool. This event is the result of our fundraising efforts this year for Brian House Children's Hospice. If you want to see our elephant, she is on display at the Sandcastle. It should be a fun family event to go and 'collect' the other elephants around the town, why not give it a go?

Finally, don't forget to give our Grace a vote as your favourite!

Dates for your diary coming up – SUMMER

17/4/24	Year 5 class assembly @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
18/4/24	Year 2 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
21/4/24	SCHOOL-LED MASS AT HOLY FAMILY CHURCH 11:30am
25/4/24	Year 4 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
2/5/24	Year 3 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
6/5/24	BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)
9/5/24	Year 5 Mass @ 2:15pm at Holy Family Church – all welcome
13/5/24	SATS week begins
15/5/24	Year 3 class assembly @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
23/5/24	Year R Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
24/5/24	Break up for half term @ 3:15pm

