



Newsletter – 29.4.24 Summer 1 week 4

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Elmer's Big Parade

Have you been to visit our Elmer? She is at The Sandcastle! If you haven't already downloaded the Elmer app, please do and enjoy a free day out spotting the wonderful Elmers all around the town.



Free School Meals

Is your child entitled to 'Free School Meals'? Are you aware that you can apply for this benefit even if your child is in Reception, year 1 or 2?

If you are, please apply!! Schools get extra funding, known as pupil premium, for every child who is eligible for a free school meal. Schools can then use this funding for activities like booster classes, subsidising educational trips and after-school clubs.

Your child(ren) may be eligible to receive free school meals if you are in receipt of one of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part V1 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- the guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you are not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross household income of no more than £16,190)
- Universal Credit (provided you have a **net** annual earned household income of no more than £7,400 (or £616.67 per month))

If you feel that your child is eligible for pupil premium, please contact school and we will happily check whether you qualify.

Trimtrails

Please be aware that allowing children to play on the infant and junior trim trail at drop-off/collection time is not permitted. We will not be held responsible for any accidents that occur outside of our school hours on this equipment.

Seacrest Avenue

After receiving yet another complaint from a nearby resident who has faced difficulty accessing their driveway multiple times, I am reaching out to request your cooperation in being mindful of our neighbours when parking at drop off and pick-up times or when attending school events.



Mass

Thank you to all the families that attended Mass on the 21st – we make such an impact on the congregation and it makes me very proud to stand and sing with our community. Thank you.

Dates for your diary coming up – SUMMER

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
21/5/24	SPORTS DAY (reserve day 22/5/24 - weather permitting)
23/5/24	Year R Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
24/5/24	Break up for half term @ 3:15pm
10/6/24	Back to school
12/6/24	Y5 Taster day at St. Mary's Academy
13/6/24	Year 1 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome Reception 2024 intake parents' meeting @ 5:30pm
17/6/24	Youth Games week
18/6/24	Year 4 Mass at St. Mary's
20/6/24	Year 2 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
22/6/24	First Holy Communion
27/6/24	Year 3 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome
28/6/24	School Summer Fair
1/7/24	Science week
4/7/24	Year 4 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome Reception taster days
5/7/24	Year 5 camping
10/7/24	Year 4 mini Olympics event
11/7/24	Year 5 Mass @ 2:30pm in our hall – all welcome Year 6 Play
18/7/24	Year 6 Leavers' Mass
19/7/24	Finish for summer @1:30pm

