



NEWSLETTER NO.1 SPRING TERM – 11 JAN 2019

Welcome back to all pupils and families. I hope you have all had a happy and restful holiday and, on behalf of all the staff, wish you a very Happy New Year

WEEK AHEAD

WEEK 2 – CLUBS START		
Monday 14 th	School Shop Open Whole School Assembly Cricket Coaching: 'Chance to Shine' (Y3 & Y4) (please see below)	08.45-09.45 08.55 13.30-15.00
Tuesday 15 th	Quantum Theatre: Performance of 'The Nutcracker' Ethos & Curriculum Sub-Committee Meeting	14.15-15.15 14.00
Wednesday 16 th	Y3 Swimming @ Mayfield (1) Musical Movement Session – Foundation Stage U11/U10 Girls Hockey v Brickleyhurst (Mayfield Astro) School Shop Open	09.30-11.30 09.20-10.00 Leave 13.45 Start 14.00 Collect from Venue 15.45 15.30-16.30
Thursday 17 th	U9 Girls Netball Tournament @ Rosehill	Leave 13.00 start 13.30 Collect from Venue 15.45
Friday 18 th	Awards Assembly Parent & Toddler Session	08.55 09.00-10.15
Saturday 19 th		
Sunday 20 th		

MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS

RECEPTION	Liam	For always being a kind and caring friend to all.
YEAR 1	Noah	For great Maths work using ordinal numbers and number bonds
	Eloise	
YEAR 2	Luke	For great participation in our Epiphany Mass, answering all Fr Martin's questions!
YEAR 3	Liberty	For a fantastic start back this week
	Baxter	For being a star, leading the way with his behaviour, kindness and work ethic!
YEAR 4	Josephine	For being a great role model and particularly kind to another child in class
	Belle	For using her Growth Mindset when working with decimals
YEAR 5	Ramona	For writing a fantastic scary short story
YEAR 6	Monty	For showing real kindness to a member of the class on the playground.
	Sophie	For being cheerful and for her positive attitude this week - keep smiling Sophie!
PE	Matilda (Y5)	For huge improvement in Hockey
	Jack (Y6)	For excellent team play and skills in the Tag Rugby match
	Alana (Y6)	For excellent goal keeping skills in Hockey
	Florence (Y5)	
FRIENDSHIP	Lettie (Y3)	For being a supportive friend
	Ava (Y6)	For being an excellent buddy



CONGRATULATIONS

- Bea Bea (Y3) for achieving the British Gymnastics Proficiency Award Advanced Level Bronze in Pairs and Groups
- Matty (N) for achieving the British Gymnastics Proficiency Award for Pre-school, 2nd badge.

Bea Bea, Olivia, Charlie and Dean are in our prayers as they receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time tomorrow.



WORLD GIFTS

Children in Year 6 raised £26 for World Gifts before Christmas by bringing in pocket money donations. They chose to buy a mosquito net, a Period Pack and a Tree For Life from World Gifts to help children around the world who are less fortunate than themselves. They gave careful consideration to the items they would like to buy and were pleased to receive 'Thank you' certificates this week.

CHESS CLUB

Mr Anthony's Chess Club Trophy Awards for the Autumn term are:

- KS1 Winner – Millie (Y2)
- KS1 Boys Winner – Gus (Y1)
- KS1 Most improved – Charlie (Y2)
- KS2 Winner – Elena (Y6)
- KS2 Boys Winner – Oliver (Y5)
- KS2 Most Improved – Felix (Y3)



WELCOME

To our new pupils and their families: Charlie, Juliette and Blaise in Nursery. We hope this is the start of a happy and successful time as part of the school community.

CRICKET COACHING

Next week, for a 6-week block, Years 3 and 4 will be coached by Alex Murray, Community Coach from Sussex County Cricket as part of the Chance to Shine cricket scheme.

Chance to Shine is a national cricket charity that works in schools and communities across England and Wales. Its aim is to increase physical activity, resilience, team work, leadership and communication through cricket. Chance to Shine works in schools to provide children with a brilliant first experience of cricket. As well as the physical benefits of regular activity, through cricket children learn important key life skills that will help them beyond the playground. Through the values of cricket, children learn about respect and fair play. We are all looking forward seeing how our pupils develop through this exciting opportunity!

PARENT & TODDLER SESSIONS FOR SPRING TERM 2019



SACRED HEART SCHOOL
Come and have fun at
our Parent and Toddler
Sessions in the Nursery
this Spring term!

2019
18th January
1st February
15th February
1st March
15th March
Fridays 9.00—10.15am





TAG RUGBY v Beechwood *Wednesday 9th January 2019*

We had 2 mixed teams playing against Beechwood.

Team 1 Monty Z, Monty, Jack, Sophie (capt), Mia and Eliza won both their matches 6-3, 6-4

Team 2 Elena (Capt), Oliver, Ava, Charlie D, Charlie A and Max drew both their matches 6-6 and 4-4. Well done to everyone who played.

Key policies are available via the school website or on request from the school.



The PTA has been working very hard to drum up some support for the Burns Night Supper, a joint event with the Parish. If you don't yet have your tickets please speak to Pam in the office, if you are unable to come but would like to show some support, raffle tickets have been distributed to all our families via the bookbags!

*The Sacred Heart Church and Sacred Heart School,
Wadhurst*

*Invite you to an evening of Scottish food and much
cheer,*

At a Burns Night supper,

With a live band and Scottish dancing,

On Saturday 2nd February 2019

Uplands School, Wadhurst,



A reminder about the Arts Festival which take place over the weekend of 9/10 March this year. School will be submitting entries on your behalf on Monday; you have up to Friday 18 January if you intend to enter independently. Thanks to those who have let us know already which classes they wish to enter; if you have yet to decide please make up your minds this weekend and let me know on Monday. www.twaf.co.uk

PERFORM DRAMA

Perform has contacted us to offer SH pupils a special £50 discount for any child joining their classes during January 2019. There is the opportunity for a free trial session before signing up before the deadline of 31st January. Use the discount code JANU31-01019 to receive a further £50 off.

To book a Free Trial Session call 020 7255 9120 or email enquiries@perform.org.uk Visit the website www.perform.org.uk to find your nearest class.

Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School where learning is fun!

Trojan War - History



This week, children in Year 6 have been learning about the Trojan Wars in History and the Trojan Horse in particular. They learnt about the discovery in 1873 of Priam's Treasure which suggests that Homer's story may have had some basis in fact. Having examined photographs of

the finding and listened to the story, they freeze-framed parts of the story from the point of view of the Greeks and the Trojans.

