

NEWSLETTER NO.9 AUTUMN TERM – 20 NOV 2020

MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS LOVE, LEARN, GROW, WORSHIP





DECERTION	Jemima	1.0)/5	For kindness: for putting others before themselves	
RECEPTION	Penelope	LOVE:		
YEAR 1	Lucy	LOVE & LEARN: For following the gospel and kindly looking after her friends. For excellent work in Maths		
	Marcus	LEARN: For beautiful, enthusiastic reading		
	Arthur	LEARN: For great problem solving work in Maths and neat recording		
YEAR 2	Рорру	LOVE: For ALWAYS showing kindness to everyone around her		
	Edward	LEARN: For making good links in RE		
YEAR 3	Willow	LOVE: For showing kindness to people and helping her friends in the classroom.		
YEAR 4	Jenna	GROW: For her hard work in Maths, learning a new method for subtraction		
	Millie	LOVE:	LOVE: For her cheerfulness, positive attitude and kindness towards others	
YEAR 5	Baxter	LEARN & LOVE: For working hard, excellent work in Maths this week; and for always being kind to others		
	Oscar	LOVE: For being a loyal, kind and supportive friend		
YEAR 6	Hector	LEARN & LOVE: For his fantastic Ancient Greek Monopoly homework and for being such a kind member of our class		
YEAR 6	Francesca	LEARN & LOVE: For always working hard and for being such a supportive and kind member of the class		
FRIENDSHIP	Art (Y4)		For being kind and considerate to his fellow friends	
	Charlie (Y1)		For being helpful and a kind friend during playtime.	
	Imogen (Y2)		For taking care of her friends at playtime	
PE	Felix MC (Y5)		For his excellent attitude in PE	
	Savannah (Y6) Sophie (Y6)		For excellent skills shown in Lacrosse	
	Mae (Y3)		For excellent shooting skills in Hockey	



CONGRATULATIONS:

11+ CONGRATULATIONS

Our Y6 Candidates have all worked hard in this strangest of years to achieve results to be proud of. Congratulations on another great year of academic achievement!

 Continuing the upward trend, Sacred Heart rose 11 places to 48th position in the Sunday Times League. Congratulations to our Y6 class of 2018-19, on whose SATs results this achievement is based.

THE SUNDAY TIMES TOP 100 PREPARATORY SCHOOLS IN ENGLAND						
48	43	34	New Hall School	Chelmsford		
40	44	49	St Andrew's School	Rochester		
37	45	45	Widford Lodge Preparatory School	Chelmsford		
10	46		Dale House School	Batley		
18	47	29	St Michael's School	Leigh-on-S		
13	48	59	Sacred Heart School	Wadhurst		
9	49	54	Loyola Preparatory School	Buckhurst		
17			St Winefride's RC Independent School	Shrewshu		

GUITAR LESSONS

We have been successful in recruiting a new peripatetic guitar teacher, Mr Ashley Hards, who comes highly recommended from local schools including Mayfield Girls, and we welcome him to our school. For those KS2 pupils interested in learning the guitar, particularly those who played before, Mr Hards has provided us with the following presentation link through which you can contact him directly otherwise please contact the office and we will put you in touch with him. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9 F3 A-vhYQ&feature=youtu.be

PTA ONLINE AUCTION - Don't forget our PTA Online Auction is now open. There are many wonderful auction lots this year and the event will run until 10pm on 11th December. Keep checking as we will be adding new lots throughout this time to add to the excitement. https://www.jumblebee.co.uk/sacredheartchristmasauction

PTA RAINBOW HAMPER RAFFLE IS HERE!

This year our ever-popular hamper raffle will be manged online to keep us all as safe as possible during these challenging times. However, the hampers are looking as fantastic as ever! You have until midday on Friday 11th December to buy your tickets and the winners can collect their beautiful hampers from Monday 14th December. Good luck everyone! https://raffall.com/SacredHeartWadhurst



PTA TREASURER - We're on the hunt for a new treasurer to join us as part of the PTA team. At present our team includes Claerwyn Hughes and Camellia Taylor as Chairpersons, and Ania Cox as Secretary. We're a fun team, we work well together and we have a good calendar of events each year.

We need someone to maintain an overview of the PTA's financial position and of the conduct of it's financial affairs, be in charge of the PTA bank account, as well as helping us out with collection of monies and cash at events. In the past this position has been undertaken by individuals, but guite often has been done by a family,

with the parents dividing the responsibilities up with one taking on the public facing role and the other doing valuable behind the scenes work.

Please have a chat with one of us or email us on 2020sacredheartpta@gmail.com if you're interested.

MAYFIELD VIRTUAL OPEN MORNING

Mayfield's next Virtual Open Morning is on Saturday 5th December. The morning will begin with a live address by the Headmistress, Miss Antonia Beary and their Head girls. Parents will then have the opportunity to learn more about the School via their video tour. The morning will end with a live Q&A with Miss Beary and other senior staff. https://www.mayfieldgirls.org/admissions/virtual-open-morning



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

RECEPTION



For the past two weeks Reception have been looking at the story of The Gingerbread Man. This week we baked our own delicious gingerbread men but unfortunately the children had a big shock to find them missing. After several clues and a video of the gingerbreads

running through the classroom (clearly not aware of our Reception class rules), we came to the conclusion that the disappearance must be down to the clever fox. We therefore wrote Wanted Posters to help with our search. We have also had a tricky gingerbread word hunt in the classroom. Thankfully, the gingerbread men were returned – almost all in one piece.





YEAR 2

In Year 2 we have been looking at the properties of materials in Science and carried out an investigation to find out the best material for keeping Humpty Dumpty safe as he falls off the wall! We had great fun predicting whether bubble wrap,

cardboard, shredded paper, netting or tissue would be best for protecting Humpty! Unfortunately, there were a lot of broken Humpties at the end of the





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





In History, Year 3 have been studying the Ancient Egyptians. As part of our studies, we made our own mummified cats. Luckily, we didn't have to follow the same process the Ancient Egyptians would have! Instead, we made ours out of a plastic bottle, a polystyrene ball and some Mod-Roc. We then painted them, looking at photographs of actual mummified cats as inspiration for our patterns.





This week in Year 6 children have been learning about how light travels and how we see in Science. They have been studying recounts in English through a story from another culture and all about the Ancient Greek Olympics in History as well as converting between units of measure in Maths.

Some of their homework has been outstanding: children have been choosing from a range of activities. Some have chosen to be very creative, they have baked honey cakes, olive bread using recipes from Ancient Greece, they have made board games, masks and Ancient Greek musical instruments too. Well done Year 6!

