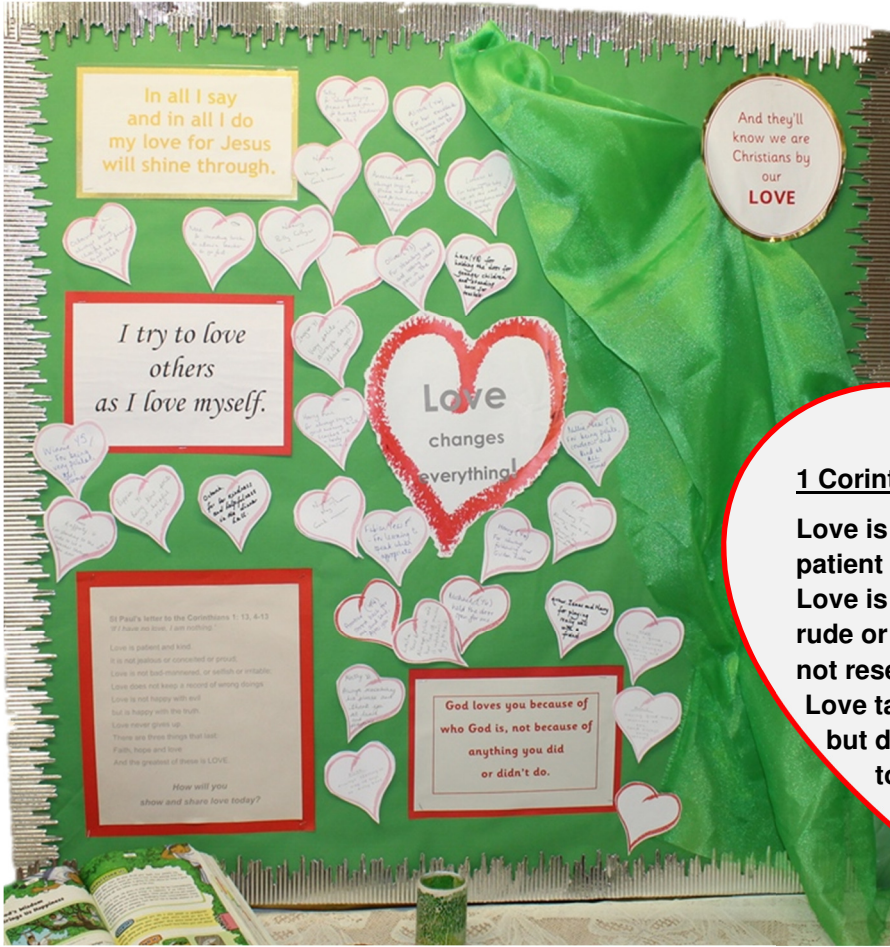




NEWSLETTER NO.5 SPRING TERM – 04 FEB 2022

MISSION IN ACTION AWARDS: LOVE, LEARN, GROW, WORSHIP




During Monday's Liturgy, we shared St Paul's first letter to the Corinthians and discussed what love should be like and how we could show our love for one another. The focus for this week's Head Teacher awards was 'good manners' and staff pinned hearts to our prayer focus area when they spotted children using excellent manners!

1 Corinthians 13: 4

Love is always patient and kind; it is never jealous; Love is never boastful or conceited; it is never rude or selfish; it does not take offence, and is not resentful.

Love takes no pleasure in other people's sins but delights in the truth; it is always ready to excuse, to trust, to hope, and to endure whatever comes.

Love does not come to an end.






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| WOWs for FOUNDATION STAGE | | Nursery: Amadea, Annabel, Harriet, Henry, Billy, Florence and Cecily C. |
| NURSERY | Henry | For always using good manners |
| | Billy | |
| | Meg | |
| RECEPTION | Lorenzo | For helping to tidy at the end of playtime and for always being polite |
| | Amu | For always saying please and thank you |
| YEAR 1 | Alice | For always offering to tidy up toys at Busy Bees |
| | Imogen | For being very polite and for always saying thank you |
| | Pippin | For being kind, polite and helpful to others |
| YEAR 2 | Matty | For always remembering to say please and thank you at lunch and playtime |
| | Annemieke | For always saying please and thank you and for showing kindness to others |
| | Tolly | For always saying please and thank you and for showing kindness to others |
| | Annie | For having good table manners at lunchtime and for always being cheerful! |
| | Joey | For always speaking politely to adults |
| YEAR 3 | Liam | For playing really well with his friends |
| | Octavia | For her kindness and helpfulness in the hall, for always being polite and for being cheerful and friendly to all the teachers (2 hearts) |
| | Oliver | For standing back and letting others pass in the corridor |
| | Lara | For holding the door for younger children and standing back for teachers |
| | Harry | For always saying good morning to all teachers with a lovely smile! He also steps aside to allow adults to go through doors and he also plays really well with friends. (3 hearts) |
| | Arthur | For being polite to adults and for playing really well with friends (2 hearts) |
| | Isaac | For playing really well with friends |
| YEAR 4 | Henry | For always following our Golden Rules and for standing back to allow adults to pass through doors (2 hearts) |
| | Alissia | For her excellent manners, her willingness to help others and for always being polite towards adults (2 hearts) |
| | Mae | For standing back to allow a teacher to go first |
| | Amber | For standing back to allow an adult to pass |
| | Rafe | For being a good role model towards the younger children and for being polite |
| YEAR 5 | Fabian | For being respectful, particularly in class during the teaching input |
| | Rafferty | For standing to the side to let a teacher through the door |
| | Winnie | For being very polite to Mrs Jarman |
| | Millie | For being polite, courteous and kind at ALL times. |
| | Thomas | For his good manners, for always saying thank you and for taking the time to tell lunchtime staff that the food is delicious. He also tells teachers that he appreciates them and holds the door open for staff |
| YEAR 6 | Lily | For always being quietly polite |
| | Michael | For holding the door open for an adult |

CONGRATULATIONS:

- **Jemima (Y1)** for achieving the Storyteller and Family Tree badges at Rainbows
- **Amber (Y4)** for coming 4th at the Show Jumping Competition at Golden Cross, East Sussex on her Pony Jack



FIXTURES

U11/10 GIRLS NETBALL v The Mead *Wednesday 2nd February 2022*

U11/10 TEAM: Lorraine, Lily, Lettie, Bea Bea, Jenna, Bella, Emma, Amelie, Millie, Annabelle and Winnie

RESULTS:

The Mead Team A - Lost 2-13 Captain: Bea Bea Player of the Match: Millie
Congratulations The Mead

The Mead Team B - Won 7-2 Captain: Lorraine Player of the Match: Lorraine
Congratulations Sacred Heart School



MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

Next week (7th – 13th February) is Children's Mental Health Week. The week focuses on the importance of promoting good mental health and wellbeing for children and young people, run by the charity Place2Be. The theme is 'Growing Together' and as well as focused mental health and wellbeing assemblies, we will be taking part in a number of activities. We want all children to come dressed in **non-uniform on Monday 7th in**

exchange for £1. The money collected will go towards the purchase of two new benches, which will be painted in rainbow colours and placed by the Muga and top playground as new 'friendship stops' - a place where they will be greeted by friends and people who care.



SAFER INTERNET DAY

On Tuesday 8th February, it is **Safer Internet Day**. This year's theme is "All fun and Games" and children will be exploring respect and relationships online particularly when playing games over the internet. Mrs Leftwich, our ICT lead, will be delivering an assembly for KS2 on this theme and the whole school will watch an E-Safety performance on Tuesday followed by year group workshops.



NSPCC NUMBER DAY

On Friday 11th February - we are taking part in the **NSPCC Number Day**, which is a maths-inspired fundraising event where schools across the UK raise money for the NSPCC. Children will take part in a number of maths activities during the day and are encouraged to make a donation and wear an accessory with a number on it.

FLUTE LESSONS



Mrs Crowley has spaces for children who would like to start learning to play the flute or the clarinet.

She would be very happy to show the instruments to any child who is keen, and chat to them about lessons. These lessons are available to children in Year 4 and upwards, although a pupil in the last term of Year 3 will be considered - if they are big enough.

This is because, to enjoy learning these instruments, your child needs to be strong enough and have a big enough breathing capacity.

For children who are too young to play these instruments, Mrs Crowley is offering one-to-one recorder lessons for pupils who would like an introduction to a wind instrument. This would be with a view to graduating to the larger instruments at the right point. The skills learnt by playing the recorder are easily transferable to the other instruments, and of course, learning about notation and time is very useful too.

Mrs Crowley is occasionally asked about saxophone lessons. The saxophone is a large, heavy instrument and even the lighter ones designed for smaller hands, are heavy for children. Therefore, saxophone lessons are limited to Year 6 children.

If you would like further information and to discuss any of this with Mrs Crowley, please give your details to the school office to pass on.



**Parent & Toddler Sessions
Spring Term 2022**

We invite children who are not yet old enough to join us in the Nursery independently, to come along with their parents or carers for play and refreshments. ;

Give us a call or ping us an email to book your place
admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk
01892 783414

Sessions run 9am - 10.15am on:

Friday 4th February 2022
Friday 4th March 2022
Friday 18th March 2022

We look forward to seeing you and your little ones!

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Bethany
SCHOOL

Join us for our
Open Mornings

Saturday 5th February
10am - 1pm

Wednesday 16th March
9am - 11am

Register for your place
www.bethanyschool.org.uk/visit

INSPIRING INDIVIDUAL EXCELLENCE

OPEN MORNINGS

Kent College

- Senior School Open Morning- Tuesday 1st March, 09.00–11.30
Please email admissions@kentcollege.kent.sch.uk to book your place.
- Fearless Girls - Saturday 11th June, 9.00am – 1.00pm
- On site individual school tours during the week beginning 21st February 2022.

Bethany School

- 5th February – 10.00-13.00
- 16th March – 09.00-11.00

EARLY MORNING CLUB

We are looking for donations of any spare comics for the Early Morning Club to occupy the children. If you have any please can these be handed into the office where they will be gratefully received.

**WEEK AHEAD DIARY DATES - WEEK 6
MENTAL HEALTH WEEK**

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| Mon 7 th February | NON-UNIFORM Day for Mental Health Week | Donation £1 |
| | School Shop (<i>Closed due to staff storage</i>) | 08.30-09.00 |
| | Whole School Liturgy | 08.55 |
| Tue 8 th February | Safer Internet Day e-Safety Performance + Workshops for all classes | All Day |
| Wed 9 th February | Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield | 08.45-10.00 |
| | U11/10 Girls Netball v Claremont (HOME) | START 14.15 COLLECT SHS 15.45 |
| | U11/10 Boys Tag Rugby v Beechwood (AWAY) | LEAVE 13.30 START 14.15 COLLECT @ VENUE 15.30 |
| Thu 10 th February | School Shop Open | 15.30-16.00 |
| Fri 11 th February | NSPCC NUMBER DAY (Don't forget to wear your numbered accessories) | Donation for NSPCC |
| | Awards Assembly | 08.55 |
| Monday 14 th February to Friday 18 th February | SPRING HALF TERM | Return 08.45 Monday 21st February |

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

RECEPTION

Children in Reception have been busy celebrating Chinese New Year. We have enjoyed learning about the story of The Great Race and have made tigers to mark this year. This week we have done lots of creating: making lanterns and red envelopes using the main

colour red, as it brings good luck. We have also had some tricky challenges, writing Chinese numbers and using chopsticks to eat noodles. After reading 'The Magic Paintbrush', we used our paintbrushes to paint some beautiful blossom trees.

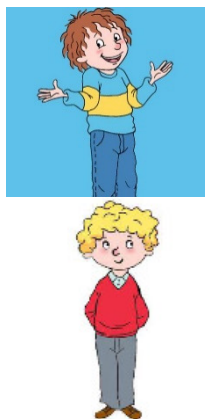


YEAR 2

In English we have been busy reading and writing poems about the senses and in particular, touch. We imagined the kind of horrible things Horrid Henry would love to touch and compared them to the kind of things Perfect Peter would prefer to touch! This helped inspire us for our own poetry writing.

Who Will?

Who will touch
A squashed banana
An ugly toad
A soggy slug?
Not me!
Who will touch
A dazzling star
An adorable fluffy bunny
A feathery owl?
I will!
By Arthur



Who Will?

Who will touch
A delicate dress that feels soft to touch
A little sweet robin sitting in your hand
A cozy blanket?
I will!
Who will touch
A rotten egg
A mouldy piece of cheese
A bowl full of slimy spaghetti?
Not me!
By Annemieke

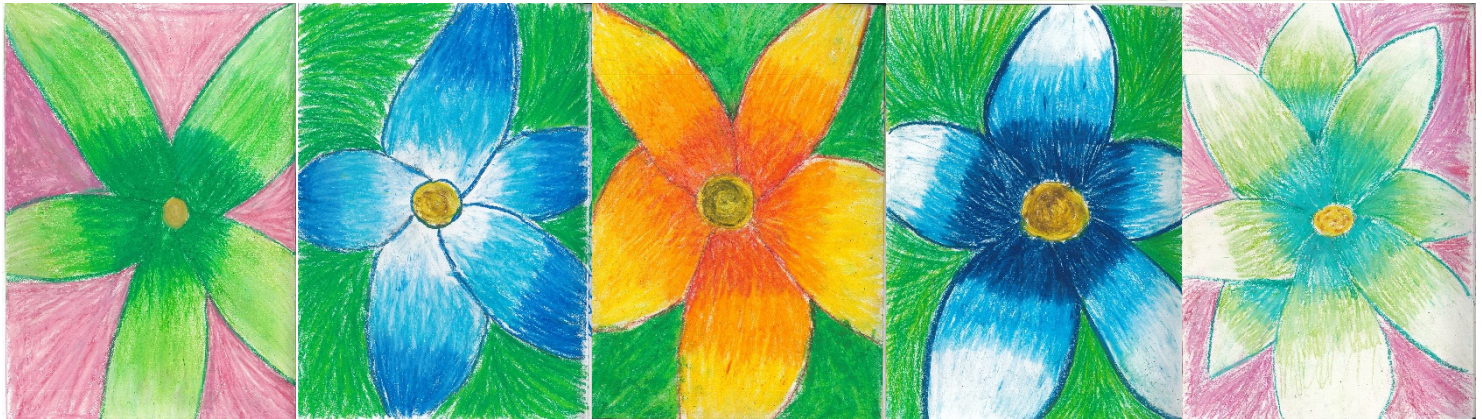
In Art we read the lovely story, "Chengudu, the panda who would not, could not sleep" and used chalk pastels to draw our own wide-awake pandas!



YEAR 4



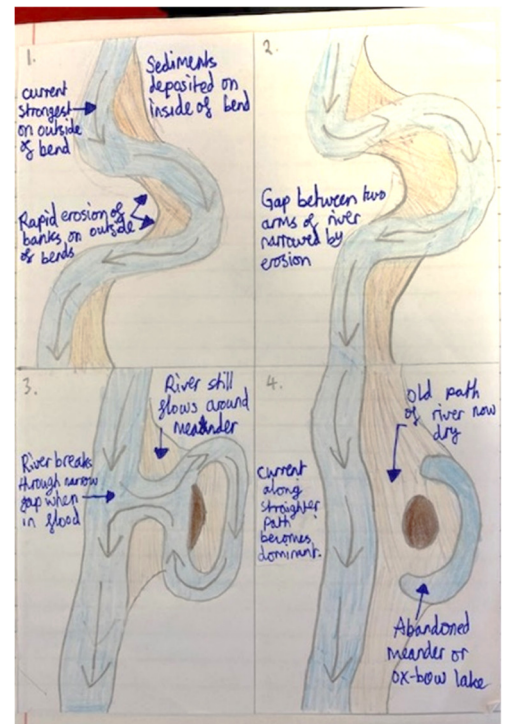
Year 4 have been looking at the work of the artist Georgia O'Keeffe this week. We looked at her paintings of big, bold flowers and then used these as inspiration for our own flower pictures. We also read the amusing book, 'Little Mouse's Big Book of Fears', and created scrapbook page recounts about our childhood fears. These included the dark, rats and lifts!



YEAR 6

Children in Year 6 have been learning about Rivers in Geography. Using maps and atlases, they have discovered the sources and courses of many world rivers and those closer to home. As well as that, they have been studying how waterfalls, meanders and oxbow lakes are formed.

Children have also been learning about life in the Roman army - including the vocabulary for a soldier's uniform. They have really enjoyed learning prepositions in Latin by illustrating their own cartoons to help them remember the words.



Spanish Club

Children in Spanish Club have been very enthusiastic to learn how to greet each other and to introduce themselves. They are able to tell each other some details about themselves, remembering to make the adjective 'agree'. It is a lively club with lots of singing happening!

