

NEWSLETTER NO.8 SUMMER TERM – 24 JUN 2022

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

OUTDOOR LEARNING

During the course of this week and next, each class has had the wonderful opportunity of a taster session of Forest School. The children have loved being able to use a selection of tools to create some beautiful pieces of natural art. Every child was given the opportunity to make a name badge necklace that they will be able to wear

to any future sessions. They were taught how to safely use tools such as a Palm Drill and a saw to cut into slices of wood. There will be no hungry birds at Sacred Heart School in the near future as the children also made apple bird feeders and were incredibly inventive with their unique designs! If you look closely in the trees at school, you may just spot an apple 'snowman' or a smiley face apple 'stick lady'! Other activities included mini-beast hunts and making seed balls out of clay, compost and seeds - expect some beautiful wildflowers to appear on the grounds very soon....!





THE GOOD SHEPHERD



On Wednesday this week all the children from the GIFT team and CAFOD clubs joined Mrs Collyer, Mrs Gabriel and Miss Irwin to go to Worth Abbey for the Good Shepherd celebration. It was lovely to be able to come together with all the primary schools from the diocese of

Arundel and Brighton for this wonderful, jubilant celebration with Bishop Richard. The theme of the celebration was



appropriately The Sacred Heart and all the schools presented beautiful art depictions of The Sacred Heart. The children commented on how much they loved being able to join in with all the beautiful singing and watching the performances of liturgical dancing. A cheque for over one thousand pounds was presented to Missio to help those children who are less fortunate.

The children involved were such a credit to Sacred Heart School and we were very proud of them all!



RECEPTION

Last week Foundation Stage received a visit from Mr Alcock. He spoke to us about the different roles people play in FedEx and all of the deliveries that they do. From letters and presents, to important medical supplies and even animals! We looked at a variety of transportation vehicles and the packing that is used to protect items. Thank you very much to Mr Alcock for such a wonderful visit.





YEAR 2

In preparation for our special feast day on Friday, Nursery, Year 2, 4 and 6 have been making their own interpretations of The Sacred Heart. The children all enjoyed creating this special icon in their Art lessons using a variety of different mediums whilst learning about the symbolism behind the heart: that Jesus loves us with all His heart, so much so that it is literally burning with love for us all. The crown of thorns reminds us that Jesus suffered for us when He died on the cross. Our Artwork will be on display in the church for our special Mass next Monday when we will be able to celebrate this feast day with Bishop Richard.



y5 & y6 wakehurst place



Children in Year 5 and Year 6 went to Wakehurst last week for a fantastic day of learning and exploring. They had the opportunity to visit the Millenium Seed Bank where they learnt about how the scientists collect and store seeds from all around the world, keeping them safe. There are billions of seeds securely stored from the giant record-breaking coco-de-mer seed to the tiniest of orchid seeds. In the laboratory, all children had the chance to dissect a flower and to look at all the parts through a microscope in order to better understand the reproduction process. Some even captured and observed tiny pollen beetles!

Each group also was guided around the kitchen garden and the nursery to observe pollinators and to have an understanding of the work that is being carried out there. Even though it was a very hot day, everyone had a wonderful time!



U11/10 FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Wednesday 22nd June 2022

On Wednesday 22nd June Sacred Heart hosted a 5 aside Football Tournament. There were five teams in the tournament and the results were:

Sacred Heart (Y6) lost to Frant 1-2

Sacred Heart (Y6) won against Beechwood B 3-0 Sacred Heart (Y6) won against Beechwood A 4-0 Sacred Heart (Y6) won against Sacred Heart (Y5) 3-0

Sacred Heart (Y5) won against Beechwood B 1-0

Sacred Heart (Y5) lost to Frant 0-4

Sacred Heart (Y5) lost to Beechwood A 1-2

Sacred Heart (Y5) lost to Sacred Heart (Y6) 0-3

FINAL RESULTS:

1st – Frant, winning on goal difference

2nd - Sacred Heart (Y6)

3rd - Beechwood A

4th - Sacred Heart (Y5)

5th - Beechwood B



WEEK AHEAD DIARY DATES - WEEK 9		
Mon 27 th June	School Shop open	08.30-09.00
	Feast of Sacred Heart Mass with Bishop Richard	11.00
Tue 28 th June	Outdoor Learning Taster Sessions	Y1 (am) / Y5 (pm)
Wed 29 th June	Y3 Swimming @ Mayfield	08.45 @ Mayfield
	U11/10 Girls Cricket v Beechwood (HOME)	14.15
	U11/10 Boys Cricket v Skippers (AWAY)	Leave 13.45 Start 14.15 Collect from Venue 15.45 Collect from SHS 16.15
Thu 30 th June	School Shop open	15.30-16.00
	Sussex U11 Boys Cricket @ Buxted Park	Leave 09.00 Start 10.00 Finish 15.00 Collect SHS 15.45
	U9/8 Girls Cricket v St Ronans (HOME)	14.15
Fri 1 st July	KS2 Open Classroom	08.30-08.45
	Awards Assembly	09.00
	Parent & Toddler Session	09.00-10.15



Celebrating swifts



Join us to celebrate swifts at Wadhurst Church Tuesday 5th July 2022 5pm till 6pm

Free walk and talk about swifts which come all the way from Africa to nest at Wadhurst church! Email widwadhurst@mail.com for more information

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