

# **NEWSLETTER NO.9 SPRING TERM – 11 MAR 2022**

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NDATION STAGE	Nursery: Annabel, Bobby, Harriet, Henry, Billy, Edward, Macsen, Gwyneth Reception: Lucia, Ellen, Joseph B, Cianan, Amelie			
Blaise	LEARN: For his effort in phonics; learning lots of sounds			
Andrew	LOVE: For being kind and thoughtful towards others			
Meg	LEARN: For showing such resilience and always trying her very best			
Sienna	LEARN: For great enthusiasm in her writing about The Hare and the Tortoise			
Sophia	LEARN & GROW: For a wonderful improvement in her handwriting			
Millie	LEARN & WORSHIP: For thoughtful contributions to the liturgies and RE lessons and for very neat sewing.			
Marcus	GROW: For using his growth mind-set to try a new skill and doing so well!			
Ottilie	LOVE: For always working so hard and giving her best in everything she does!			
Liam	LEARN: For their amazing dragon stories which were completely brilliant!			
Annie				
Oliver	LEARN: For their amazing work in English this week!			
Liam				
Henry	LEARN: For excellent responses to questions in class			
Alissia	LOVE: For being such a super helper in the classroom			
Eloise	LOVE: For being so kind and sharing together at Touch Typing			
Coco				
Annabelle	LEARN: For superb acting in scenes from both Romeo and Juliet and Macbeth			
Harrison	LEARN: For working very hard to improve his writing by adding more detail and a more varied vocabulary			
Winnie	GROW: For being responsible and helpful			
Laila	LOVE & LEARN: For being such a hardworking and gentle member of our class			
Beatriz	LEARN: For being such an enthusiastic member of Spanish Club			
Felix	GROW: For being such a responsible member of Touch Typing and helping others			
	Blaise Andrew Meg Sienna Sophia Millie Marcus Ottilie Liam Annie Oliver Liam Henry Alissia Eloise Coco Annabelle Harrison Winnie Laila Beatriz			











P.E.	Joey (Y2)	For excellent balances and attitude in gymnastics
	Teddy (Y2)	For excellent balances and attitude in gymnastics
MUSIC	Lucy (Y2)	For hard work and good progress on the piano
	Pip (Y4)	For his lovely manners and his positive attitude every week in class music

#### THE SCHOOL COUNCIL

Following a meeting of the School Council this week, they would like to put a donation box out next week (w/c 14<sup>th</sup> March) to collect essentials to send to Ukraine. The box will be situated by the rope at drop off and home time from Monday to Friday and we would like to collect the following items.

- Face Masks
- Sterilising Wipes
- Cuppa Soups
- Pasta
- Pot Noodles
- Noodles
- Cotton Wool
- Bandages
- Disposable Macs
- Cereal Bars (Nature Valley etc)
- Batteries
- Plastic cutlery and plates
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Candles
- Playing Cards
- Kids playing cards (Uno etc)

The School Council also thought it might be nice to write a letter/ card of hope and support from children and families and to maybe hold a minute silence in assembly.

### **FUNDRAISING**

• The total for World Book Day is £191.32 (plus 20 cents)! A big thank you for all donations made!

#### **SCHOOL SHOP**

The School Shop will be closed on Monday 14 March and instead open on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March in the morning.

#### **UNIFORM**

We have reviewed the cost of uniform for the summer term and the new prices can be found on the uniform section on our school website: Sacred Heart School Uniform Shop.

#### WALK AGAINST HUNGER FOR CAFOD

Last Friday, the CAFOD club led the whole school on a walk to help raise money for the 200 million children whose lives are at risk because of malnutrition. The older children paired with a younger pupil and they talked about what they would be doing during Lent to help those less fortunate than themselves. We walked a total of 83,981 steps! Please sponsor us on our just giving page: Sacred Heart's Walk Against Hunger | Walk against Hunger | CAFOD

We will take part in two more walks next week.



## **FIXTURES**



## **#LETGIRLSPLAY FOOTBALL DAY**

# Wednesday 9th March 2022

On Wednesday, we took part in the Youth Sport Trust #letgirlsplay football day. At break time, the girls had the MUGA to themselves to play football. Throughout the day, the focus in lessons was shooting practice and football matches,



## U9/8 BOYS TAG RUGBY v Hilden Oak Thursday 10th March 2022

TEAM: Rafe, Eddie, Paddy, Pip, Henry, Lorenzo, Gus, Harry, Oliver and Liam

RESULTS: Match 1 – 5-6 Congratulations Hilden Oak

Match 2 – 2-4 Congratulations Hilden Oak Match 3 – 5-6 Congratulations Hilden Oak Match 4 – 5-7 Congratulations Hilden Oak

PLAYERS OF THE MATCHES: Paddy and Liam



WEEK AHEAD DIARY DATES - WEEK 10				
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> March	School Shop (CLOSED)	08.30-09.00		
	Whole School Liturgy	08.55		
Tue 15 <sup>th</sup> March				
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield	CANCELLED		
	School Shop	08.30-09.00		
	Webster Cup Battle Abbey School U11 Boys Football & U11 Girls Netball (AWAY)	Leave 12.00 Start 13.00 Finish 15.30 – Pick up either from Battle Abbey at 15.30 or 16.30 from Sacred Heart		
	Parent Consultations	16.30 onwards		
Thu 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent Consultations	17.30 onwards		
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Awards Assembly	08.55		
	Parent & Toddlers	09.00-10.15		

Another busy and exciting week at Sacred Heart School



# YEAR 1

In RE, a very important time in the Church year has begun with the start of Lent. We have been reflecting on what we will try to do during Lent, our Lenten promise, thinking about both Jesus and the people around us.

We have been very excited to start sewing in our Art lesson, a new skill for many of us. We have all carefully chosen our favourite colours of Binca and wool to make a lovely surprise for someone very special.



# YEAR 3

As part of our Science topic on Rocks and Soils the children made their own fossils. They learnt about how 'mould and cast' fossils are formed; using clay, shells and Plaster of Paris they created their very own fossils. They were very pleased with how realistic they looked! In English we have been learning about Greek Myths. One of the stories the children heard was that of Arachne the Spinner. Inspired by this, the children learnt how to fold a piece of paper to create lines that they could then use to draw a spider's web. They then coloured in their webs choosing the patterns and colours they liked. They are very eye-catching!



# YEAR 5

As part of our history topic on the Vikings, Year 5 have been learning about Viking long ships. They have learnt that the ships were skilfully built to sail fjords, rivers and seas with ease in order to explore, pirate and combat. The ships usually measured approximately 25-30 metres in length, could carry up to 60 men and were steered by an oar at the back of the boat. A figurehead at the front of the ship was used to scare the enemy.

During Half Term, the children were asked to make their own versions of a Viking long ship using any materials that they felt were most suitable. The results were absolutely fantastic! A



variety of media was used for their ships including clay, card, Lego and wood. The attention to detail and expert craftsmanship ensured that each ship was made to replicate the original! Excellent work, Year 5!

