



NEWSLETTER NO. 1 SPRING TERM – 05 JAN 2024

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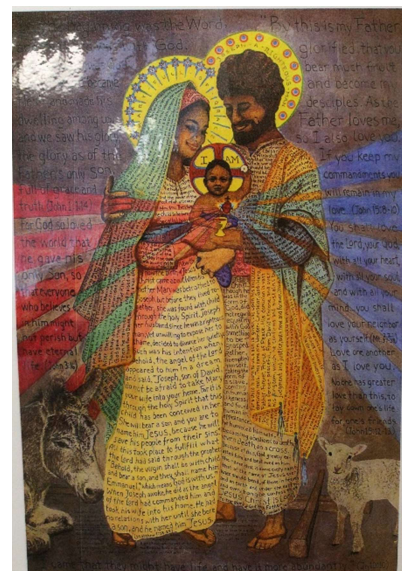
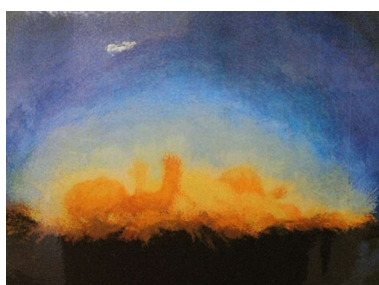
2024

happy new year

Welcome Back!

Wishing you all a Happy New Year as we enter into 2024 and a warm welcome back to all our children, in particular those who join us this term: Louisa, Georgia, Ava, Edith and Roland in Nursery Class, and Alissia who rejoins Year 6 Class. It has been lovely to see so many smiling faces this week and to hear all about your Christmas holidays.

The start of term coincides with celebrating The Holy Family, revered for its love, unity, support and guidance. In our whole school Liturgy of the Word, we talked about how the Holy Family can be a symbolic model for us all - children, staff and families alike. Following the values that Mary, Joseph and Jesus represent of love, unity and support, we can develop our own sense of community, empathy and cooperation at Sacred Heart School for the good of us all. Throughout the term ahead, we are going to try to emulate the positive attributes exemplified by the Holy Family.



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

OTHER NEWS



This stained-glass wooden sculpture will be placed in our Mary Garden in loving memory of Antonia Beary, our previous Chair of Governors. It is our way of honouring and perpetuating her memory and will serve as a reminder to us all of the dedication, commitment and support she always showed Sacred Heart School. We will be eternally grateful for everything that she did for our school community. May she rest in peace.

YEAR 3 & 4 PLAY

Please note that on the recent email that was sent out to parents with the diary dates for the term, timings for the play were 5pm. This is the time that children are required back in school to get ready. The performance will start at 5:30pm.

SPORTS

On Sunday, the 10th of December, three Year 5 girls - Octavia, Poppy and Lara - represented Tunbridge Wells Hockey Club playing in the U10 regional tournament against Ashford. The day was a great success with Octavia's team winning three games and Lara and Poppy's team winning two. Tunbridge Wells Hockey Club won five out of their six games.



SCHOOL OPEN DAYS




Bethany is a leading independent co-educational day and boarding school for girls and boys aged 11-18.

OPEN MORNINGS

SATURDAY 3RD FEBRUARY AT 10AM	WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH AT 9AM
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"At Bethany, from the friendliness of the staff and headmaster's welcome, and the willingness of the pupils to tell us how much they rate the school. It really ticked all of our boxes."
- Prospective parent

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DIARY DATES

WEEK 2 – CLUBS START

Mon 8 th January	Whole School Liturgy	09:00
Wed 10 th January	Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield	08:45-10:00
Thu 11 th January	U9/8 Girls Hockey v St Ronans (Home)	14:00–15:30
Fri 12 th January	Awards Assembly	09:00
	Local schools Chess Competition hosted by Sacred Heart	13:45

WEEK 3

Mon 15 th January	Whole School Liturgy	09:00
Tue 16 th January	Pantomime Theatre Company – Sleeping Beauty	14:00
Wed 17 th January	Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield	08:45-10:00
	U11/10 Girls Netball v Frant (Home)	13:30–15:00
Fri 19 th January	Awards Assembly	09:00
	Parent & Toddler Session	09:00-10:15

WEEK 4

Mon 22 nd January	Whole School Liturgy	09:00
Wed 24 th January	Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield	08:45-10:00
	U11/10 Boys Tag v Beechwood (AWAY)	13:30-16:00
	U11/10 Girls Netball v St Ronans (HOME)	13:30-15:00
Fri 26 th January	Awards Assembly	09:00

WEEK 5

Mon 29 th January	Whole School Liturgy	09:00
Wed 31 st January	Y4 Swimming @ Mayfield	08:45-10:00
	U11/10 Boys Tag v Hilden Oaks (AWAY)	13:30-16:00
	U11/10 Girls Netball v Skippers (HOME)	13:30-15:00
Thu 1 st February	Year 5 Trip to Trinity Theatre to see Adams Family	12:30
	U9/8 Boys Tag v Hilden Oaks (AWAY)	13:30-16:00
	U9/8 Girls Netball v Skippers (HOME)	14:00-16:00
Fri 2 nd February	Candlemas Assembly led by Year 6 and Reception	09:00
	Year 6 Cake Sale	
	Parent & Toddler Session	09:00-10:15

WEEK 6

Mon 5 th February	Whole School Liturgy	09:00
Tue 6 th February	Open Classrooms Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2	08:30-08:45
	E-Safety Day – whole school play and workshops	ALL DAY
Wed 7 th February	Open Classrooms Year 5 and Year 6	08:30-08:45
	U11/10 Boys Tag v Wadhurst (AWAY)	13:30-16:00
	U11/10 Girls Netball v Claremont (HOME)	13:30-15:00
Thu 8 th February	Open Classrooms Year 3 and Year 4	08:30-08:45
	U9/8 Girls Netball v Beechwood (AWAY)	14:00-16:00
Fri 9 th February	Awards Assembly	09:00
	NSPCC Number Day	
	Half Term Holiday – 12 th -16 th February	