



# St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

### Friday 2nd July 2021



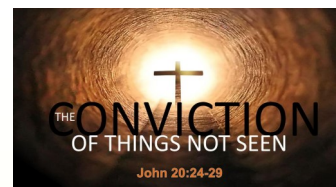
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#### Sports Days

Year 2 had Sports Day on Tuesday 15th June 2021. The theme this year was Euro 2020 and the teams were, France, Italy, England, Belgium and Poland. Children took part in a series of events including dribbling the ball, balancing and relay races. Everyone had an ice-lolly, courtesy of the PTA, and sticker for taking part and those who reached the finals were awarded with 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed stickers.



**Sunday 4th July 2021**

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Gospel: John 20 : 24 - 29**

*Thomas, called the Twin, who was one of the Twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. When the disciples said, 'We have seen the Lord', he answered, 'Unless I see the holes that the nails made in his hands and can put my finger into the holes they made, and unless I can put my hand into his side, I refuse to believe.'*

#### Food Bank

During these times of financial difficulty, Mrs Baran has organised for us as a school to reach out and support our local food bank. This is based at St. Mellitus Hall, Church Road, Hanwell. Collections for the food bank will begin on Monday 5th July. The final day of collection will be Monday 12th July. Please help our school to support those in need by sending your child to school with a donation from the list attached to the back of this newsletter. Mrs Baran offers a big thank you in anticipation of your support. She will let our community know how we get on.



#### Contacting the school office

If you have a general office related enquiry please use [ask@stjosephs.ealing.sch.uk](mailto:ask@stjosephs.ealing.sch.uk). Please do not use the Admin domain for correspondence as it will not be picked up.



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### School trips

On Wednesday, Year 3 had a wonderful day at the London Wetland Centre. The children took part in a learning session entitled 'How do animals live in a pond?' The children learnt all about the diets of different pond-dwelling creatures and tried their hand at pond dipping. Different creatures were discovered including newts, greater water boatmen and water snails. After the workshop, we had the chance to walk around the centre looking for wild animals such as otters, kingfishers and cranes. The day ended with a visit to the Adventure Playground via the 'wobbly bridge' and a few soggy socks and shoes in the process! A fantastic time was had by all. Thank you to all the staff and helpers who made the trip possible.



### Laudato Si' project – Caring for our common home

Sustainable gifting – If lockdown restrictions have taught us anything, then it is that spending time with loved ones gives immense pleasure. As we begin to enjoy more freedoms again, think about what are the best gifts to give, and receive? Many children love opening a pile of presents but could some of the items be replaced with an 'experience' gift? Perhaps a Teddy Bears' picnic with friends, camping overnight in the garden, a membership to Kew Gardens, or adopting an animal at a zoo that you can visit. Often these presents forge the most special memories and leave no environmental footprint.



**Challenge:** Write down the birthdays of the people in your family. What does each person really love to do? Can you come up with ideas of experiences each family member might enjoy that would replace a bought gift?

Please do share your ideas with us by emailing your photos in to school and we will upload them to the Year Group page.

Let's make a difference – together!

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### Sporting achievements

Congratulations to "The Eight FC" football team who won the Junior Premier League. We are especially pleased as Callum and Oliwier in Year 5 are in the team and we celebrate their excellent achievement. It is lovely to see them wearing their medal proudly!



### Hanwell Community Library

HCL on Cherington Road has re-opened. The whole community can use this valuable resource; please support it. Everyone is welcome and it is open 4 days a week: Tuesdays 2pm – 5pm, Wednesdays 10am – 1pm, Thursdays 2pm – 5pm and Saturdays 11am – 3pm.



### Self-isolation payments

From the Government - Many children are being sent home from schools across the country because someone in their class or year-group bubble has tested positive for coronavirus. If so, and you - the parent - can't work as you need to be with them, this can trigger the £500 isolation payment for those on low incomes. Click on link for further information:

[How to report self-isolation support payments - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/how-to-report-self-isolation-support-payments)



### School Meals payment portal

The current online meals payment portal will no longer be available to make payments for meals beyond the 31st of July 2021. If you are paying for your child's meal online please do not make any payments beyond the 23rd of July 2021. The current online payment portal is being replaced with the ISS new online payment portal, details of which will be sent to you at a later date.



If you have credit on your Harrison account beyond the 23rd of July 2021 or when our school closes for the summer holidays, the payments team will be in touch to refund your money.

### In the event...

In the event that somebody in your household wakes up with a fever ( $>37.8^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), or a new, continuous cough or a loss of the sense of smell or taste do not send your child to school. Immediately inform the school via email or phone and then book a test for the person. If this were to happen at the weekend, email [head@stjosephs.ealing.sch.uk](mailto:head@stjosephs.ealing.sch.uk). The whole household must then self-isolate. If the test returns negative and nobody has any ongoing symptoms, the child can return to school and the household no longer needs to self-isolate. If a positive result is returned, the household must self-isolate for 10 days and resume normal activity after 10 days as long as they have been symptom free for 48 hours.



If your child has a sniffle, runny nose or is sneezing, they are not coronavirus symptoms and your child should come to school if well enough.

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## Celebrations

Good Disciple awards are given to children who have shown exceptional love and kindness to fellow pupils and are helping to build God's kingdom here and now. Well done to the children listed below:

Phase	Name	Reason
Lower	Joseph RH	For being kind and caring to all.
Middle	Evelina 3SR	For always being well mannered and friendly.
Upper	Borys 6J	For showing kindness and support to others during Y6 production rehearsals.

Headteacher awards are presented each week to children who the staff think have put that little bit of extra into their work. Well done to the children listed below:

Class	Name	Reason
1B	Malannie	For always showing great enthusiasm during our PE lessons.
1S	Enda	For using exciting punctuation in his recount of our trip to Bekonscot Model Village.
1SW	Nataniel	For a good effort with his reading.
2AL	Kaine	For working hard on his morning maths challenges.
2B	Leonardo	For tidying up after another child without being asked.
2SL	Pola	For the fantastic effort that she puts into all she attempts. Well done!
3AR	Nelly	For making a huge effort and great improvement with her maths number knowledge.
3DS	Alice	For being a kind and supportive friend and caring greatly about others.
3SR	Thalia-Lee	For displaying great knowledge and enthusiasm on our trip to the London Wetlands Centre.
3SR	Oliver	For displaying great knowledge and enthusiasm on our trip to the London Wetlands Centre.
4B	Ashriel	For a good piece of descriptive writing.
4C	Lilianna	For excellent home learning about gases – Helium.
4S	Zosia	For showing fantastic understanding in our maths lessons.
5B	Finbar	For his fantastic explanations using mathematical vocabulary on Teams.
5S	Adrian	For his very good effort at punctuating speech from Journey to Jo'burg in English.
5W	Lena	For making a great effort during isolation on the live lessons on Microsoft Teams.
6B	Lukasz	For his good understanding of the purpose of the Sacrament of 'The Anointing of the Sick'.
6I	Isabelle	For super work in RE, linking the Anointing of the Sick with both scripture and Catechism.
6J	Maya	For a fantastic C.A.D pattern for her D&T project.



**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING EALING FOODBANK. WITH OVER 150% INCREASE IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS, ALL DONATIONS ARE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED AND NEEDED. PLEASE FIND BELOW OUR SHOPPING LIST:**

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- HAIR SHAMPOO

**WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF**

- PASTA



# VCYM

The Vaughan Centre for Young Musicians



**a chance for your son to benefit?**

The Vaughan Centre for Young Musicians, held from 4.30-6.30 pm, on ten Mondays each term offers Primary School age boys (Years 4-6, ages 8-11) the opportunity to extend their music curriculum and receive specialist instrumental and choral tuition

**Auditions to join in September 2021  
will be held in July 2021**

Further details and apply online by clicking [HERE](#)

**Closing Date for Applications Friday 2 July 2021**



The Cardinal Vaughan Memorial School  
89 Addison Road, London, W14 8BZ



#### AP STARS FOOTBALL ACADEMY

AP Stars Football Academy runs sessions every Saturday at Barnhill Community High, Yeading Lane, Hayes, Middlesex, UB4 9LE on Astro Pitch (suitable footwear required) or Grass.  
09.00 am - 10.00 am : 4 - 7 year old ( Reception through to year 2)  
10.00am - 11.30 am: 8-14 years old (Development and Competitive ages)

#### HISTORY

AP Stars Football Academy was founded by two friends (Al & Pas)  
Both Al and Pas are FA Qualified Coaches and have dedicated a big part of their life to grassroots football. They are passionate about the game and in particular the development of young players. AP Stars will teach your kids the necessary skills required for the modern game from an early age, to ensure they are ready for the next stage of their football development as well as providing an environment where your kids can just have some **FUN!**

#### COACHES

All coaches are CRC checked and have the appropriate Safeguarding and Emergency Aid qualifications. AP Stars and the kids are also fully insured via our Sports Insurance Policy.

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#### BOOKING

All ages welcomed, please contact either coaches to book your first session( free of charge), further details about AP Stars Football Academy will be provided on the day.

#### COSTS

£6 / hour (session) or 10 sessions at £50

AP Stars Coaching Team

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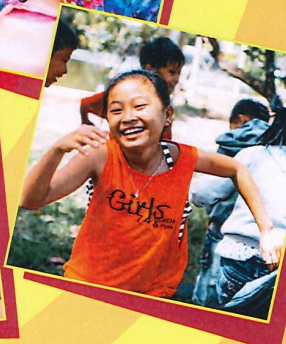


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12 July -  
27 August  
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Building confidence  
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experience™



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Childcare vouchers accepted



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**BRACKENBURY, WEST ACTON**  
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