

NEWSLETTER

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

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W/E 27th October 2023

Issue 2

Mrs Bury's thought for the week:

The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still.
Exodus 14:14

loving
hopeful
attentive
faith-filled
generous
eloquent
intentional
truthful
learned
prophetic
wise
grateful
discerning
compassionate
active

Our Catholic Life and Mission

*Next Half Term
we are being
Attentive &
Discerning*

RISE THEATRE

Our Non-Uniform Days raised a fantastic £716.66!



A huge thankyou to all you wonderful parents for raising the money for our recent visit from Rise Theatre. Sarah and Lydia, who visited our school last Friday, did a wonderful job of promoting ways in which we can care for God's Planet. They did a rehearsal where they taught the children songs and sign language then they performed along with the children. All the children had a wonderful time and came out of the hall smiling. Here is what some of them had to say...

'I learnt that we have to protect God's planet' - Year 3 Oak

'I really enjoyed learning the songs and practising with the actions' - Year 2 Oak

Diary Dates

NOVEMBER	
Monday 6 th	School Opens for Autumn Term 2
	Poppy Appeal Sale in School
Tuesday 7 th	Flu Vaccinations for whole school – Reminders to register consent have been sent!
	9:00am Mass in Church Year R, Year 3 & Year 6
Wednesday 8 th	9:15am – 11:15am Parenting Course in Studio
Thursday 9 th	13:00pm Year 2 Gymnastics at Flics Worcester
	7:15pm Friends AGM
Friday 10 th	10:00am Mrs Bury's Zoom
Monday 13 th	Children in Need Sale in School – Pudsey Ears £2.50
Tuesday 14 th	9:00am Mass in Church Year 2 & Year 4
	Book Fair Arrives – details to follow
Wednesday 15 th	9:30am – 11:30am KS1 Visit to The Swan Theatre
	Year 3 Stay & Read – Letter to follow
Thursday 16 th	Year 4 Stay & Read - Letter to follow
Friday 17 th	11:00am Carol Service in Church
	5:45 – 8:10 KS2 Movie Night
Sunday 19 th	11:00am Mass in Church followed by Coffee & Mince Pies in School Hall
Monday 20 th	8:45am Tudor Grange in School Fairbanding Test
Tuesday 21 st	9:00am Mass in Church for Year 1 & Year 5
Wednesday 22nd	Non Uniform Day - Wear your own clothes in exchange for a raffle donation for the Friends Grand Christmas Draw.
	Year 3 Stay & Read
Thursday 23rd	Vision Screening for Reception Children
	8:45am Online Safety Assembly for Parents Only
	Year 4 Stay & Read
Monday 27 th	Friends Christmas Gift Sales
	6:00pm Y3 oak Reconciliation
Tuesday 28 th	9:00am Mass in Church for Year 3 & Year 6
	Dog's Trust Workshops - Day 1
	Friends Christmas Gift Sales
Wednesday 29th	Dog's Trust Workshops - Day 2
	6:00pm Y3 Pear Reconciliation
Thursday 30 th	Braibrick Photography - Pre-School Portraits
DECEMBER	Season of Advent
Sunday 3rd	11:00am Mass Advent Wreath Blessing in Church
Monday 4 th	Christmas Grand Draw Raffle Tickets on Sale this week
Tuesday 5 th	9:00am mass in Church for Year 1 & Year 5
Wednesday 6 th	9:15am Pre-School Christmas Assembly
	Hearing Screening for Year R
	KS1 Christmas Lunch
Thursday 7 th	9:15am Reception Christmas Assembly
	Year 2 Parents in school making Baminelli
Friday 8 th	9:00am Service of the Word in the Hall for Year R, Year 1, Year 3 & Year 6
	2:00pm Mass in Church for Year 2, Year 4 & Year 5
Sunday 10 th	11:00am Children's Mass - Baminelli
	12:30pm – 2:30pm Year R Welcome Party
Tuesday 12 th	9:00am Mass in Church for Year 2 & Year 4
	10:15am Rocksteady in School Hall
Wednesday 13 th	KS2 Christmas Lunch
Tuesday 19 th	9:00am Mass in School Hall for Year R, Year 3 & Year 6
Thursday 21 st	Golden Certificates Assembly
Friday 22nd	End of Autumn Term 2 – School Closes for Christmas Holidays
Sunday 24 th	4:00pm Christmas Mass
JANUARY	Season of Christmas
Monday 8 th	TED Day – School Closed to Pupils
Tuesday 9 th	School Opens for Spring Term 1
APRIL	
Saturday 20 th	Year 3 Oak First Holy Communion – Time TBC
Thursday 25 th	6:00pm Confirmation at St Joseph's Church
Saturday 27 th	Year 3 Pear First Holy Communion – Time TBC
MAY	
Thursday 9th	6:00pm Confirmation at St Joseph's Church



ROCKSTEADY PERFORMANCE DATES

Our Rocksteady children have been rocking out, shredding their guitars and jamming together since the end of the last academic year and we are delighted to announce that their bands - 'Geode', 'Gravity Falls', 'Fire Phoenix' and the 'Lasagne Bread Chickens' - are ready to rock your socks off and have finally posted their first gig dates!

Tuesday 12th December 2023/School Hall/10:15

Tuesday 12th March 2024/School Hall/10:15

Tuesday 9th July 2024/School Hall/10:15

So, if you'd love to see the next Foo Fighters, Queen or George Ezra, make sure you come and see them perform!

<https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/>

PARKING

Once again, please may we ask that whilst you are on the school run that you are mindful of where and how you park. We are receiving a large amount of complaints from our neighbouring residents who are being regularly blocked in or unable to access their own parking spaces. We have also received photographs of offending vehicles displaying extremely inconsiderate and dangerous parking.

Residents have been advised to call the police in these situations

Many thanks in anticipation of your cooperation

Home/School Partnership Agreement

Please look out for our Home/School Partnership Agreement which will be sent electronically. Please take the time to read and sign the agreement using the link provided.

Breakfast Club

Please remember to book online for breakfast club at least 24 hours in advance for catering and staffing purposes.

In an emergency situation you can still pay on the day.

The poster is for 'easyfundraising' with the tagline 'feel good shopping'. It is for 'Friends of St Josephs School - Worcester'. The main text says 'Help us raise FREE donations every time you shop online'. It includes a QR code with the text 'Scan me' below it. A list of steps to sign up is provided: 1. Visit easyfundraising.org.uk, 2. Search for Friends of St Josephs School - Worcester and support our cause, 3. Raise FREE donations for us when shopping. A statistic states '4,500 online sites will give us a free donation when you shop with them - at no extra cost to you!'. At the bottom, there are logos for various retailers: Booking.com, ebay, M&S, GROUPON, azor, veeva, switch, Currys, Apple, Viking, ASOS, BT, JUST EAT, and bolton. At the very bottom, it says 'Over £34 million raised', 'Trustpilot' with a 5-star rating, and '1.9 million users'.

Sporting News...



UNDER 11's FOOTBALL

The Under 11 boys' team made an impressive start to their league games with a 4-1 win against Witton Middle School. Well done all!



Under 9's Football

On Wednesday 11th, our U9's football team played Holy Redeemer. St Joseph's came out as 6 -2 winners and battled through torrential rain and mud. The team played fantastically well and showed excellent sporting values on the pitch.

Well done boys!



£35 PER DAY

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- Mixed Boys and Girls

DATE	LOCATION	DISCOUNT
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LTA 6 week course includes TENNIS RACKET & T-shirt

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CALLING ALL GIRLS
Fun, social starter tennis courses for girls

Fun, social starter tennis courses Starting in November

- MIXED sessions:
 - Saturday 10-11am 5-11years
- GIRLS only intro to tennis
 - Wednesday 5-6pm TEENS 12+
 - Thursday 4-5pm 5-8 years
 - Thursday 5-6pm 8-12 years

Any questions please email Tina and Sarah
boughtonparkcoaching@gmail.com
 For more information and to book visit our website:
www.clubspark.lta.org.uk/BoughtonParkCoaching

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TENNIS & MULTI SPORT HALF TERM CAMP

INFORMATION

- Run by fully qualified coaches
- Open to non members with all equipment provided
- Suitable for ages 6-16 - children will be grouped by ability & age
- Beginners welcome - learn new skills & play fun games
- Existing players - develop technique & tactics
- Multi sports include: Pickleball, table tennis & badminton

SCHEDULE

Running Wednesday 1 November 2023
 9am – 3pm
 Tennis in the morning
 Multi sports and team challenges in the afternoon

DISCOUNTS

20% off with EARLY BIRD savings and sibling discounts – please see website for details

BOOKING

Visit : clubspark.lta.org.uk/BoughtonParkCoaching/Coaching/Camps
 Email any questions to: Tina and Sarah at
boughtonparkcoaching@gmail.com

20% off
 Early Bird
 Discount up
 to 15 Oct

woodgreenchurch's

Light and Bright party

A fun FREE alternative to Halloween, aimed at primary aged children. Games, activities, food, Bible talk and fireworks!



All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult throughout the evening.

6.00 - 7.30pm 31st October

book a free ticket online :

www.woodgreenchurch.co.uk



SPORTS IN
EDUCATION

**30TH OCTOBER
TO
3RD NOVEMBER**



**'SPOOKTACULAR' OCTOBER
HOLIDAY CAMPS**

SCAN ME



**SIGN UP
ONLINE**

**Year 1 - 7
£24 per DAY!
8:30am - 4:30pm**



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