

NEWSLETTER-20 MAY 2022

'JESUS IS AT THE HEART OF ALL THAT WE DO'

Dear Parent/Carer

It has been a busy few days in school this week and I am pleased to announce that we have been able to appoint a class teacher, who will join our teaching team in September following Mrs Smith's retirement at the end of this school year. The new teacher will bring with them a breadth of experience to support our continuing strive for excellence. We look forward to welcoming them later in the summer term when they will visit the school to support transition.

Next week is Health Week in school where we have a range of activities to support our knowledge and understanding of how to stay healthy. On Monday we have a very exciting opportunity which will bring together the schools and communities of Lytham St Annes through the exchanging of the Spar Lancashire School Games Commonwealth Games Baton. Much like the Olympic flame relay, the Commonwealth baton will be making its way across Lancashire over the coming months to ultimately finish its journey at the Spar Lancashire School Games Day on the 5th of July and will take part in the Commonwealth baton . To celebrate and support this, on Monday at 10am, the children of St Peter's will line one side of Norfolk Road waving flags to support the journey of the Baton from St Peter's to Lytham C of E. The rest of the week will be filled with a visit from the Life Education team, potted sports and of course our Jubilee tea party on Thursday. On Friday we will be having a picnic style lunch, which we are hoping to have outside, weather permitting. What a great way to end the half term!

On Wednesday Evening I had the privilege of welcoming the parents of our Reception September 2022 children. It was a lovely relaxed evening and exciting to look forward to September when I will be at St Peter's full time!

The PTFA are looking forward to providing all our children with a street party Afternoon Tea on Thursday and will be busy packing all your donations into hamper prizes throughout the day. Which reminds me I must buy some tickets!

Wishing you all a restful weekend and looking forward to seeing you next week. Mrs Gili-Ross

FREE SCHOOL MEALS INFORMATION

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to universal free school meals. However, some families who are on low income and meet a certain criteria, are also eligible for supermarket shopping vouchers during school holidays and free holiday club places. Eligible families will continue to receive free school meals after Year 2.

Some families with children in Key Stage 1 do not claim as they are already getting free school meals, however they are missing out on the other benefits so please double check.

Please click on the link below to see if you are eligible. If you are eligible or have any problems please email Katy (Family Learning Mentor) <u>katy.s@st-peters-pri.lancs.sch.uk</u> so that your shopping vouchers can be emailed to you asap.

https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/free-schoolmeals/?page=1



PLEASE CHECK THAT ANY SUN LOTION USED IS NUT FREE, WE RECENTLY LEARNT THAT SOME LO-TIONS CONTAIN ALMOND OIL.

TO, THANK YOU

Congratulations to the children who celebrated their First Holy Communion last Sunday at St Joseph's. We hope you all had a special day.



THANK YOU!

A huge thank you to The Lytham Lions Club who have funded the shipping container for us and also to the Lee family, especially Melanie and Spencer, who have supported us with our pledge and worked incredibly hard over the last few months to find and respray a container and organise delivery. Spencer also very kindly fitted

new wooden flooring in the container this week, we are very grateful for their time and effort.





A big thank you to Bethany Manderson of Lytham Cake Company for bringing in cake for the staff....you made our week!!

EVENTS & FUNDRAISING

Invitation to the Jubilee

Afternoon Tea St Peter's School

26th May 2022

Please wear your best outfit and

include some red, white and blue.

KS1 to bring in Chocolates/biscuits plus £1

KS2 to bring in a bottle plus $\pounds 1$

Jubilee Raffle will be drawn on the

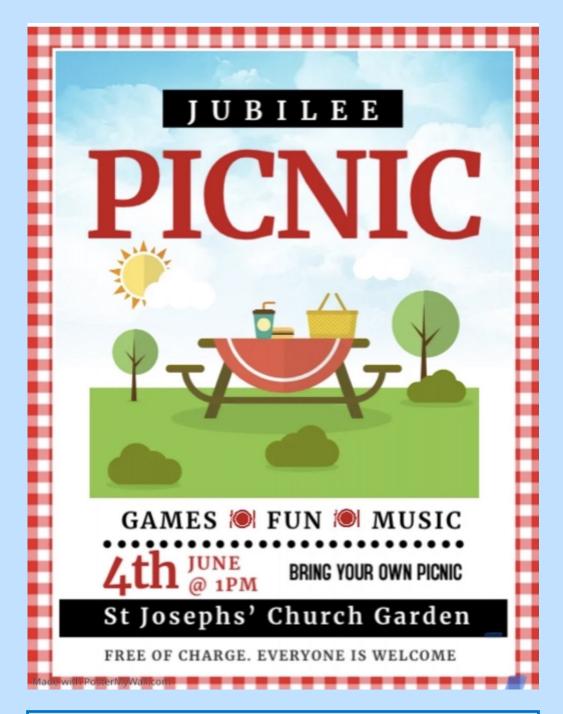
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PLEASE RE-TURN RAFFLE TICKET STUBS BY WEDS AM-RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN THURS 26TH

> WE ARE COLLECTING STAMPS

IN AID OF BONE CANCER RESEARCH

Please save used stamps and send into the school office. Please remember to leave a 1cm (or ½ inch) border around the stamps when cutting them from the envelope or parcels.



FULL ENGLISH JUBILEE BREAKFAST

On **Sunday 5th June** there will be a Full English breakfast being served in St Josephs Church Hall after the 9.15am Mass to continue the Queens Jubilee celebrations. There is a sheet at the back of Church for interested parties to put their name down. It's free of charge, so please come along and bring your Union Jacks! If anyone has any questions, please contact Emma Cox on 07808821397.



SCHOOL LUNCH ON **FRIDAY 27TH MAY** WILL BE PICNIC STYLE AND WEATHER PERMITTING WILL BE SERVED OUTSIDE

