

#### **Holy Family Catholic Primary School**

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11<sup>th</sup> February 2022

# **NEWSLETTER**

#### **Dates for your diary**

Year 4 Rejoice Assembly (to be re-arranged)

14th February – Y6 Police Officer workshop

15<sup>th</sup> February – Y5 Police Officer workshop

16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> February Y6 Robinwood residential

18th February FEEL GOOD FRIDAY (own clothes and £1 donation please). Finish for half term

28th February Back to school and start of Fairtrade Week

2<sup>nd</sup> March Ash Wednesday (KS2 Service in church)

3rd March World Book Day

14<sup>th</sup> March Science Week

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2nd Communion/Confession preparation service in Church for Y4 parents 6pm

**25**<sup>th</sup> March Feel Good Friday – Non-uniform day (£1 donation please)

**28**<sup>th</sup> **March – 1**<sup>st</sup> **April** Parent and Teacher Meetings on School Cloud (specific days for each class to be shared)

4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> April Y4 First Confessions in church 2pm

8th April Year 5 Rejoice Assembly (will be filmed and uploaded to Seesaw)

13<sup>th</sup> April Break up for Easter 1.30pm

25<sup>th</sup> April Back to school for the summer term



## Holy Family Catholic Primary School and Nursery

Do you have a child who will turn 3 years of age before September 2022?



We look forward to hearing from you!

Email: holy.family@holyfamilycronton.co.uk

Website: www.holyfamilycronton.co.uk Twitter: @HFCronton



# **Nursery places**

Please call in to the office for an application form if you have a child due to start nursery in September. If you can promote our nursery to friends and family we would most appreciate it! We currently have spaces available for September. Many thanks

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#### Car Park

We have heard from Knowsley Council that work is due to commence in the next few weeks on the double yellow lines and signage outside school. This work is required before the exit gate can be safely opened. Thank you for your patience with this. We will keep you up to date with any further news as we get it.

#### **Celebrations for Sophie**



Our celebration assembly for Sophie's birthday was a lovely occasion. The children sang beautifully, we shared happy memories and talked about the positive impact Sophie had on everyone she met. We are immensely proud of all the children. Their splashes of colour certainly brightened the day.



#### **Busy Week**

It has been Children's Mental Health Week, Safer Internet Day, Dress to Express and there has been a hive of activity across the school this week with lots of wonderful work going on in every class. Look out on Twitter for some examples of what the children have been learning about. Impressive work!

#### **Dress to Express**

Thank you for the donations for the 'Dress to Express' day. We have raised £70 so far for the Place2Be charity.

#### **PTA Raffle**



Thank you once again for your generosity with our school fundraising. The raffle for the Valentine's Day Build a Bears will take place on Monday morning. Thank you to the PTA members who donated the teddies and organised the raffle.

Good luck to everyone who bought tickets!

#### **SCHOOL LEVY**

In England, the Government does not fully meet the costs involved in building and maintaining our Catholic Schools. The Catholic Church, through its dioceses, in our case the Archdiocese of Liverpool, has to find 10% of these costs.

To help meet its legal obligation for these considerable expenses, the Archdiocese of Liverpool requests a contribution from all parents/carers of pupils who attend Catholic schools – the School Levy. **We are charged £10.00 for every family in school.** 

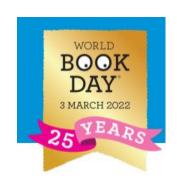
Holy Family has benefitted a great deal over the past few years from this building fund (e.g. the Year 5 classroom extension) and hope to apply for further developments such as the outdoor area in Early years and internal work to modernise certain areas of the school. We feel it is important to pay our levy in full so we can benefit from this scheme again in the future.

We would appreciate if you would contribute to this levy payment of £10 as a family. Payments can be made from today through ParentPay. Thank you.

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> March - World Book Day 2022

World Book Day is a celebration! It's a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) it's a celebration of reading.

Children are welcome to dress up as a character from a book (fiction or non-fiction) if they wish, or to wear cosy bedtime story clothes. The main purpose of the day is to celebrate reading and we will certainly be doing this whatever the children wear. We know time is precious and don't want parents to go to any expense for a day that's intended to promote and celebrate reading.

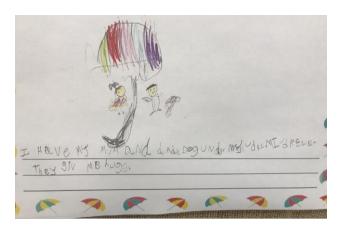


Throughout the week there will be a number of fun book- themed activities to support the children's love of reading and we're sure it will be an enjoyable week for everyone.

#### Writers of the week

Congratulations to the children chosen as our 'Writers of the Week'. Their wonderful work is displayed in the corridor so everyone can admire it throughout the week. Reception have been reading this lovely book. What beautiful writing all about who lives under their love umbrella!







## **EYFS Request**

EYFS are looking for the donation of a compost bin please. If anyone has one or knows of a business that could donate one to us, please can you get in touch. Many thanks.



# Have a lovely weekend!