



# St Gregory's Catholic School June 2017 Newsletter

## Upcoming Events:

### June:

- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> - **Term starts**  
Year 3 visit to Warley Woods, tree planting
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> - **School Closed - General Election**
- Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> - Year 3 First Holy Communion  
12.00pm
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> - Phonics Screening Check week
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> - Plas Gwynant and Edmond Hall parental meetings
- Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> - Year 2 Inspire 9.00am
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> - Mufti Day, wear blue or green to raise money for Cystic Fibrosis  
Summer Fayre 3.45pm - 6.00pm
- Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> - Year 2 Mass 5.00pm
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> - Scholastic Book Fair
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> - Induction meetings (Nursery 7.00pm and Reception 8.00pm)
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> - Year 1 Assembly 9.00am
- Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> - Year 3 Going Forth Mass 11.00am
- Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> - Summer Concert 3.40pm - 4.30pm
- Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> - The Feast of Saints Peter and Paul - Mass 10.00am  
Year 5 Space Centre visit
- Friday 30<sup>th</sup> - Mufti Day - Toy Sale (info to follow)  
Year 3 Cadbury World visit

## Any other business:

- ❖ **First Holy Communion:** Please keep our Year 3 children in your thoughts and prayers as they prepare to make their First Holy Communion on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June.
- ❖ **Ordering school Meals:** Thank you to everyone who orders their child's meals in plenty of time for the kitchen to be on top of preparation. If you are not in the habit of ordering meals yet, then please make an effort to start ordering at least the night before.



## Head Teachers News:

Well done to all our children on their recent completion of their SATS. Thank you for supporting your child/children during this time.

Congratulations to Mr Hancox (Year 5) and his wife on the birth of their baby daughter.



## Upcoming Events:

### July:

- Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> - I can do it week
- Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> - Year 4 Harry Potter visit  
Parents Evening
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> - Nursery Induction for new intake (Nursery Closed)  
All children to move up classes to their new year group
- Thursday 6/7 - Year 6 London Trip
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> - Nursery Graduation 9.00am  
Hagley Band visiting 2.00pm
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> - Years 1 & 2 Visit to All Things Wild  
Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Visit to Warley Woods
- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> - School Disco 6.00pm - 9.00pm
- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> - **2.00pm** Leavers Mass & presentation  
**School Closes**

## Reminders:

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

The children are looking very smart in their summer uniform since returning after the Easter holiday.

Unfortunately, it has been noted that some pupils are not adhering to the school uniform code so please remember that:

- no jewellery is to be worn
- nail polish is not permitted
- sensible school shoes should be worn at all times
- no extreme hairstyles are allowed and long hair should be tied back

Pupils should only use the St Gregory's school bags, please do not send them with alternatives, as storage is limited.

Thank you for your co-operation.

*Attendance for May.  
Well Done to Year 6  
for their excellent  
attendance.*

Attendance	%
Year 1	97.9
Year 2	95.7
Year 3	96.1
Year 4	97
Year 5	96.5
Year 6	98.7



### May half term multi-activity & gymnastics holiday camp

Premier Education are running a holiday camp during half term at St George's Upper School, Edgbaston. If you would like to book please visit [www.premier-education.com](http://www.premier-education.com)

The cost for this camp is £30 per day or £60 for the week when using discount code RP/60, there is a 15% discount on the daily rate when booking two weeks prior to the start of the camp. For more information, contact Nathaniel at [ngordon@premier-education.com](mailto:ngordon@premier-education.com) or 07756846987.

### Charity – British Heart Foundation sponsored skip!

The children raised an amazing £358.00 by participating in a sponsored skip. Well done to all who took part.



**Father Hudson Boxes: Huge thanks to everyone who sent back their boxes. You raised a fantastic £385.76, which we have forwarded on.**

## Monthly Reflection:

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to a certain devotion. In June, it is the Feast of the Sacred Heart. The Sacred Heart represents Christ's love for all mankind, and our devotion to it is an expression of our faith in His mercy.

**Sacrament most Holy, O Sacrament Divine, All praise and all thanksgiving, Be every moment Thine**

**The Solemnity of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 29th June 2017.**

Jesus spoke to his disciples saying, "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day. For my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Just as the living Father sent me and I have life because of the Father, so also the one who feeds on me will have life because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven."

The Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is on 23rd June 2017  
The Feast day of St Peter and St Paul is on the 29th June 2017

