

St Philip Neri Catholic Primary School

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Newsletter No 24

Thursday 28th March 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been wonderful to celebrate Holy Week in school, with opportunities to come together to mark the events of this most important week in the Christian calendar. We have come together to listen to the Gospel readings, to listen to stories and to celebrate the Stations of the Cross.

Thanks to all our families for the support you have given school this term. Best wishes for the Easter break ahead.

Mrs Sarah Williams

Catholic Life

We celebrated mass on Wednesday in St Philip Neri Church with parishioners. Father Peter was very impressed with the children's knowledge about the events of Holy Week.

THE EASTER TRIDUUM			
Holy Thursday 28 March <i>Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper</i>	6.30pm	St Mary	People of the Parish
<i>At the end of Mass there will be a period of silent watching at the Altar of Repose</i>			
Good Friday 29 March <i>Day of Fasting and Abstinence</i>	3.00pm	St Philip Neri	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord
Holy Saturday 30 March Vigil & First Mass of Easter	7.00pm	St Mary	People of the Parish
Easter Sunday 31 March Morning Mass	10.00am	Immaculate Heart	Joe Welsh (dec.)
Weekday Readings - Holy Week			
Sacrament of Reconciliation			
5.00pm - 5.20pm on Saturday 23 March at St Philip Neri			

Attendance

We have sent all parents updated attendance data for children. The school and Trust target is 97% across the school year. We appreciate the support that you give to ensure the very best attendance for your child.

Contact Details on Arbor

Please do ensure that the school holds up to date contacts on Arbor. There should be more than one contact that can be used in case of emergency.

Golden book Awards:

Zina NE	For always being such a kind thoughtful member of our community
Roby T	For always being a shining example for her class mates.
Archie T	For always trying his best and being a kind, caring member of our class
Summer C	For being an excellent role model and trying her hardest !
Jayden B	For always having a caring and conscientious attitude at all times
Emily C	For always doing her best in everything and being a wonderful ambassador for our school.
Daisy w	For always going above and beyond to help others
Annabelle B	Giving her very best, day after day, setting the example as a true SPN Role Model
Lilly S	For developing resilience and a positive attitude to all aspects of year 6
Lucas A	For trying his best and applying himself in all areas of school life – from Maths to Eco!
Megan B	For helpful and thoughtful attitude

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Hunter W For his fantastic attitude to school life!
Lexy M For always having a smile on her face and a positive attitude to work.

This Week's School Attendance

Y6	91.84%
Y5	93.51%
Y4	94.86%
Y3	94.64%
Y2	97.8%
Y1	98.05% This week's winners!
YR	93.96%

DATES FOR THE DIARY

More details to follow for some events.

March

Friday 29th March – School closed – Good Friday

EASTER HOLIDAYS: Friday 29th March – Friday 12th April

April

Monday 15th April – school re-opens for summer term.

May

Friday 3rd May - Year 3 & Year 4 visit Kirkley Hall

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday school Closed.

Monday 13th May – Thursday 16th May KS2 SATS week – Please don't book any holidays within this week.

Friday 24th May – Year 3 & Year 4 Fun Run Saltwell park

HALF TERM HOLIDAY: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May 2024

June

Monday 3rd June – INSET Day school closed to pupils.

Tuesday 4th June - School re-opens

Wednesday 19th June - New Parents Induction Meeting

Wednesday 26th June – Sports Day

Friday 28th June - First Holy Communion Y4 in Church 5.30 pm

July

Thursday 4th July - STM Team Building Day Y6

Wednesday 10th July – Sponsored Walk Whole School

Thursday 11th July – Y6 STM Visit Day, Whole School Meet New Teacher Day

SUMMER HOLIDAYS:

Monday 22.7.24 (INSET DAY) to Tuesday 3rd September (Monday 2.9.24 INSET DAY)

