



# St Antony's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

19th March, 2018



## Important School Dates:

Dates	Events for Spring Term 2018
17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Governors Day of Reflection & Planning
18 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Staff Evangelical Cell Leaders Retreat
19 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School Resumes For All Pupils & Staff <b>RE LAUNCH ASSEMBLY FOR LENT</b>
22 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	Year 2 Parents Information Meeting 4:30
28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Whole School Mass-Parents Welcome
1 <sup>st</sup> March	FEAST OF ST DAVID-PATRON OF WALES
1 <sup>st</sup> March	<b>BOOK WEEK LAUNCH-DRESS UP DAY</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> March	YOUTH ALIVE @ST Antony's 5pm Yrs5-9
12 <sup>th</sup> March	Science Observation Week
13 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Parents Science Workshop</b>
15 <sup>th</sup> March	Full governing Body Meeting
16 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Sycamore Class Assembly</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>St Patrick's Day-Patron of Ireland</b>
19 <sup>th</sup> March	Whole School Assessment Week
20 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>PARENTS' EVENING -Pupil Progress+ Target</b>
22 <sup>ND</sup> Mar	Parents' Evening-Pupil Progress+ Targets
23 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	<b>Chestnut Class Assembly</b>
26 <sup>th</sup> Mar	<b>RE Launch Assembly For Holy Week</b> Director of Education Visit/Learning Walk E-Safety & Computing Week
27 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Parents Maths Workshop-school hall 9am
28 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>EASTER DRAMA &amp; MUSICAL PRODUCTION</b>
29 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Whole School Holy Week Mass-Maundy Thursday-12 staff for the washing of feet

## End Of Term Dates & Events To Remember:

- **29<sup>th</sup> March-11<sup>th</sup> April Easter Break For All**
- **Holiday Play & Learn Scheme begins 3<sup>rd</sup> Apr.**
- **9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> EASTER BOOSTERS-Years 2&6 ...9am-1pm**



## From The Head Teacher's Desk

This week we celebrate the Virtues and Values Of:

## **CHARITY: CAFOD**

*"Being CHARITABLE has less to do with **what** you give and more to do with **how** you give"*



In the new English translation of the Bible Jesus teaches us about giving in St Matthew's Gospel Chapter 6 verses 1-4 which states:

"Be careful when you are doing something good such as works of charity and mercy. Don't do these actions for show or for self-gratification, or for adulation from others -so that you are given the Glory and accolades for your actions.

If it is for selfish gain or to brag and boast about helping others, then your works of charity become meaningless. If that is how you always help the needy around you, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven. Therefore, When you give to those who are poor and in desperate need, don't announce your giving. Consider the receiver's feelings and preserve their dignity.

Don't be like those who create a fanfare in the temples and on the streets- they blow trumpets before they give so that people will see them.

Their motivation is selfish. The truth is that the only reward they will receive is empty. When you give to the poor, don't let anyone know what you are doing. Your giving should be done in private.

Then God who sees what is done genuinely from the heart... will reward you openly with showers of blessings".

**Let us practise more selfless giving.**

A.Moore

*Selfless giving unto others  
represents one's true wealth.*  
-Jon M. Huntsman



**THE PERFORMING ARTS TEAM PRESENTS**



**Holy Week**

**HIS LAST DAYS**

**A Musical Production On  
THE PASSION OF CHRIST**

**Venue: St Antony's Church**

**Date: Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

**Time: 1:45pm**

**Come Join us as we reflect on the  
message of Christ's last days**



**Attendance and Punctuality**

(All attendance and punctuality is strictly monitored by the school & Newham)  
For Week Ending 16/3/18

Class	% Attendance	Class	% Attendance
Beech	100	Pine	97
Olive	98	Palm	97
Aspen	97	Cedar	95
Sycamore	98	Willow	99
Chestnut	100	Hazelnut	94
Almond	99	Walnut	99
School overall attendance			98

**Well done to those classes with 99-100% this week!** Keep ensuring your children are in school parents!

**Lining Up and House Points**

Winners for week ending 16/3/18:

**KS2 Cedar Class – Year 3 KS1 Beech-Year 1**

**House Points Champs were: St Bernadette**



**Golden Book Achievers 16/3/18**

Class	Pupils	
Nursery	Sean	Providence
Reception	Sierra & Chizaram	Atarna & Azaila
Beech	Faith	Julita
Pine	Segun	Ashane
Olive	Anaiah	Chima
Palm	Jude	Jessica
Aspen	Kelechi	Joshua
Cedar	Chayana	Yancarolo
Sycamore	Maya	Kiara
Willow	Alazne	Kasjan
Chestnut	Jacintha	Jorelan
Hazelnut	Lyra-Mae	Jaden
Almond	Jose	Sydney B
Walnut	Samantha	Romi

**Coming Soon....**

**Free**

**Easter Booster Classes  
for Years 2 & 6 Pupils  
9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2018**



**Why worry about SATS  
when you can work to  
prepare well in  
advance? Let's go!**

**Our School Nurse**

**Hannah Straker**

comes in every Thursday  
between 1:30pm & 3:30pm  
for drop in, group or class  
sessions. Contact her via the  
SENCO or Mrs Samuel  
should you need  
an appointment.



**Here to help you!**

**PARENTS' MATHS WORKSHOP**

**ON**



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 \text{divisor} \rightarrow 3 \overline{) 16} \\
 \text{dividend} \rightarrow 15 \\
 \text{remainder} \rightarrow 1
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**THANKS FOR A GREAT SCIENCE  
WEEK!**



**All of our children EXPLORED and DISCOVERED  
new facts in science last week. Parents joined  
in the fun last Tuesday morning for the Parents'  
Workshop and on Friday for the display of  
children's work & projects in the hall-pm.**