



17th June 2022

No Assembly
this week due
to Science Fair

This week in school...

Dear Parents and Children,

What a scorcher this week has been! Well done to everyone for coping in the heat.

We began our week with an assembly focusing on staying true to our beliefs. We heard the story of Eric Liddle, the 'Flying Scotsman' - an Olympic Athlete who refused to compete in his 100m race as it was held on a Sunday. Instead he ran in the 400m, an event he had never competed in - and won gold!

We thought about the strength of character that was needed to stay true to our beliefs, even when others are pressuring us to change, or we are afraid of the ramifications.

A very big well done indeed to

our choir who took part in the Dorking Halls Schools Music Festival this week. The joy on their faces as they sang was wonderful to see.

Thank you also to Miss Shaw and Miss Casey who worked so hard with the choir to prepare them. This coming Monday is World Music Day and the choir are going to give us a snapshot of their songs during assembly so that all our children can share in their success.

Thank you also to Mrs Roberts who organised this week's Science Week in school. There is more information inside about the week's activities and I have really enjoyed seeing the work on which the children have collaborated in class.

I have also been into the hall this afternoon to enjoy the Science Fair and I am, as always, astounded by the efforts that our children and parents put into these events. Thank you for your support.

One last small message, although we are trying to reduce our plastic use overall - please don't send children into school with glass lunchboxes. Bags and lunchboxes are easily dropped and we would not want anyone to be injured by broken glass. Thank you

Best wishes,

Richard McKenzie
Headteacher

Coming up next week:

20.06.22—Deanery Y6 Day
at St Peter's

21.06.22—EYFS & KS1
Sports Day (Parents welcome from 9.30am)

Cherry (Y4) Class Liturgy at
2.50pm, parents welcome
to join us.

22.06.22—St Peter's Pals at
Good Shepherd Mass

Oak Class (Y1) Class Liturgy
at 9am, parents welcome
to join us

23.06.22—KS2 Sports Day
(Parents welcome from
9.30am)

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From Sunday's Gospel...

This coming Sunday we celebrate the **Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**. At one time, this day was called Corpus Christi, Latin for "the Body of Christ." In this week's Gospel, ([Luke 9:11b-17](#)), we hear the story of Jesus feeding the crowd of 5,000 people.

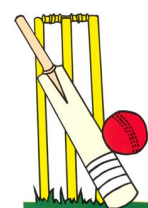
As a church family we think about the kinds of hunger that people have in addition to physical hunger. Living as a church community nourishes our hunger for love, compassion, forgiveness and laughter. We give thanks for the food that Jesus gives us in His Body and Blood. Please take time to read the Gospel with your child.



Y3 Mission Week

On Tuesday, Year 5 attended a cricket tournament at The Dawney School.

After a very narrow, six-run loss to Oakfield in our opening game, the team did fantastically well to end up second in our group to qualify for the semi-finals, where we lost to a very good Eastwick team (the eventual winners).



Well done to the team: **Dexter, Ethan, Jake, Joseph C, Joseph L, Ollie, Rafi and Rory.**



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School Safeguarding Team

If you are worried about something that your own, or another child has told you, or you think that they may be at risk of harm, please contact our Designated Safeguarding team:

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Supporting Families

We are able to offer support to any families experiencing financial difficulties. Please contact us in confidence and we will do whatever we can to help you.

Y3 Mission Week

Last week, was the Year 3 Mission Week where we spent all week making and creating hand-made crafts.

We sold these after school last Friday to raise money for JDRF (Junior Diabetes Research Foundation). We raised a huge £239.50! Thank you to everyone who supported us and this great charity.

Louisa - We sold positivity seeds, so that when the flowers grow, they will be positivity flowers!

Elise - I loved it because it felt great to do something for charity.

Madison - I feel very proud of our crafts and all the money we raised.

Henry F - We sold hand painted keys and book marks, I really enjoyed making them.





Save the Date!

Open Evening

You are warmly invited to attend our Open Evening on
Thursday 7 July 2022
4.30pm - 7.30pm

Welcome talks at 5.00pm, 5.45pm & 6.30pm by
Ros Allen – Executive Headteacher &
David Lach – Head of School

Parents/carers and prospective students are invited to
visit Rosebery School, to arrive from 4.30pm

Students will provide tours of the school with key
members of staff available to answer any questions

Rosebery School, Whitehorse Drive, Epsom, KT18 7NQ www.roseberyschool.co.uk

COLOUR RUN

Saturday, 2nd July 12:00-16:00

Lucky Jars Class Competition

13th - 30th June

The class that collects the most jars will win extra
Golden Time.

- use clean glass jars with a lid
- fill with wrapped sweets and small toys
- decorate your jars with stickers, ribbons etc...
- please remember no nuts and no unwrapped sweets
- bring your jars into your child's class
- some empty jars will be left at the office if you need one

Thank you!



FOSP News

Thank you to everyone who has purchased a ticket for our Colour Run on Saturday, 2nd July - we are looking forward to a great afternoon! A reminder we are running the class Lucky Jars competition and Friday, 1st July will be a mufti day in exchange for a bottle for the bottle tombola.

We are pleased to launch our Summer 2022 Raffle - we have some amazing prizes this year. Click this link for more information: <https://fosp.charityhive.co.uk>

Cake Sale Friday returns next week, this time hosted by Year 3 and Year 4 - cakes will be on sale in the main playground during pick up, soon...

First Holy Communion

We send our warmest congratulations to Bella, Eva, Louisa, Harriet, Jacob, Mylo, Tom, Julian, Ciaran, Eleanor, Xavier, Henry, Wojciech and Phoenix who received Jesus for the first time at Our Lady and St Peter's, Leatherhead and to Leona who will be making her Holy Communion in India. Congratulations also to Niamh, Emma, Cameron, Oscar, Jasmine, Henry and Christian all celebrated their First Communion at St Michael's, Ashted this weekend, and last but not least, Jasmine made her communion at The Holy Spirit, Fetcham last week.

May you feel the warmth and comfort of this special gift from Our Lord Jesus with you each and every day. Amen



Science Week 2022

COSP01 - Climate warriors: little people, big dreams

What an amazing week we have had.

Firstly, we all considered what climate change is, who can help combat it and how they might be able to do this. Then, in our year groups we explored a particular element, individual or aspect linked to it, in greater detail:

Year R - Plastic waste

Year 1 - Deforestation

Year 2 - Plastic and Oceans

Year 3 - Recycling

Year 4 - Water Usage

Year 5 - Save the chimpanzees

Year 6 - David Attenborough

Here's what some of the children said about the week:

"We need to look after our earth and not just throw plastic away - so we can turn the earth from sad to happy. We can reduce, reuse and recycle" - Alexandra, Amelia and Kashvini (YR, Willow).

"We've been learning about rubbish and Recycling. Recycling means you put it in the bin so it becomes a new thing. It helps the animals not to get hurt and having to cut down less trees, because the paper gets recycled" - Harvey (Y3, Elm).

"We've been doing living things, including David Attenborough. We went to the pond to see the different variety of creatures around us. David talks a lot about the environment and has inspired lots of people and us to do a better job of looking after the environment. We could do this by reducing our water waste. I could also create awareness amongst others through public speaking" - Gabriel (Y6, Chestnut).

Finally, on Friday some of the children got an opportunity to showcase what they had been engaging with at home, in relation to our 'climate change' focus. Winners of the prizes for the best showcase will be announced in next week's newsletter - 1 x EYFS, 1 x KS1 and 1 x KS2.

Thank you to everyone involved for their support and enthusiasm that helped make this week happen and everyone's determination to focus on such a poignant area of modern science.

If you would like to continue to explore this in more detail at home, you might find the following link useful:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xh_LcQWpyN8



In addition, I will leave you with a very apt Tanzanian Proverb, which became our Reception mantra during the week and I hope will be something we can all strive to adhere to: "Little by little, a little becomes a lot".

Best wishes, Mrs Roberts

Dates for your diary

20.06.22	Year 6 Deanery Day @ St Peter's	
21.06.22	EYFS & KS1 Sports Day (YR-2) 9.15am - 11.30am Parents warmly invited to join us. Cherry Class (Y4) Liturgy @2.50pm. Parents warmly invited to join us.	
22.06.22	Oak Class (Y1) Liturgy @ 9.00am. Parents warmly invited to join us. St Peter's Pals attending the Diocese of Arundel & Brighton 'Good Shephard Mass'	CORRECTION
23.06.22	KS2 Sports Day (Y3-6) 9.15am - 11.30am Parents warmly invited to join us. 'Get to know you' phone calls to new Year R parents	
24.06.22	Y6 Residential Visit to PGL Osmington Bay (returning approx. 4pm on Monday 27.06.22) 'Get to know you' phone calls to new Year R parents	
29.06.22	Feast Day Celebration of St Peter & St Paul	
30.06.22	Whole School Group Photograph (all children & staff)	
30.06.22	Y5&6 Rounders Tournament (pm) @ The Raleigh (more info to follow)	
01.07.22	Willow Class (YR) Liturgy @2.50pm. Parents warmly invited to join us.	
02.07.22	FOSP Summer Event—Colour Run	
04.07.22	Y6 Bikeability all week Beech Class (Y2) Liturgy @2.50pm. Parents warmly invited to join us.	
05.07.22	Rowan Class (Y2) Liturgy @2.50pm. Parents warmly invited to join us.	
08.07.22	Storytime sessions for our new YR children Year R visiting Hobbledown Farm	CORRECTION
11.07.22	Y6 Bikeability all week	
13.07.22	Maple Class (YR) Liturgy @2.50pm. Parents warmly invited to join us 'Open House' between 3.30pm and 4.30pm - come along and visit your child's class to look at their work Music Evening (more information to follow) at 7pm in school hall	NEW DATE
18.07.22	Y6 Play Performance at 7pm	
19.07.22	Y6 Leavers Mass at 6pm	
21.07.22	School closes for the end of the School Year at 1pm	
22.07.22	Additional day holiday due to Queen's Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday (rolled over from May Half Term)	