



# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

Please pray for our Year 3 and Year 6 children who are receiving the Sacraments this week.

### First Holy Communion Children are:

Evan Gregory, Ezra Bird, Harry Matthews, Sebastian Mytton, Mason Unsted, Nathan Makawa and Lucy Redmond, (aswell as Mila Dibble who will make her First Holy Communion later on).



### Confirmandi children are:

Sophie Dudley, Hayden Yates, J.J Murphy, William Pearce and Otis Makawa.



Please keep them in your prayers. Everyone is welcome to join First Holy Communion children in church this Saturday at 12.30pm.

## READING SUPPORT

We are looking for volunteers to come into school and help support our pupils with their reading in school.

Full training will be given over the rest of this term — this will equate to approximately 2 x 1 hour sessions.

Tuesday 18th June 2pm—3pm.

Thursday 13th June 2pm—3pm.

Anyone who may be interested, please let Mrs Hewitt or Mrs Tonks know.



There will be flexibility around the times you are able to come in and work with the children once the training is complete.

## FRIDAY 10th May ASSEMBLY AWARDS KS2

CLASS	SHARING CATHOLIC VALUES	WONDERFUL WORK
Year 3	Sarah-Jayne Bevan-Lloyd for her hard work and determination.  Reece Lavender for trying his best and helping others.	Grace Cook for working hard in her Maths work.  James Lyndsay for his great attitude to learning particularly in Geography.
Year 4	Luna Chatwood for her kind and caring ways that she shows everyday.  Jenson Lacey for always showing kindness and care towards everyone he meets.	Jacob Powers for working hard in all that he does.  Lillian Jennings for working hard in her Maths work.
Year 5	Holly Cashmore for being kind to all including those in lower year groups.  Neavee Cowell for being a helpful and caring member of Year 5.	Kodi Beever for her fantastic work in Maths.  Alan Foster for his great work in our Romeo & Juliet topic.
Year 6	Macy Bate for consistently demonstrating a kind and caring approach to all.  Eve Briers for being a calming presence and good friend to those around her.	Sam Johnson for not being afraid of asking the questions he is curious about, helping others to learn.  Tate Blakeway for consistently showing a good attitude towards his work.
	This weeks Attendance winner is...	Reception 98.18%



# 3rd May 2024



## BIRTHDAY PARTY LUNCH

Parents can now purchase a 'Birthday Party Lunch' for their child and this will be catered for in school. You would need to give us at least a weeks notice so that food can be ordered. The minimum we do is for 10 pupils and that is £40. If you want to add extra pupils on then it would be £4 per extra child. This must be paid for in advance on Parent Pay. There are a choice of 4 menus... Hot dog, beef burger, chicken nuggets or pizza to choose from. There is also a vegetarian option. Decorations, party hats, balloons and a birthday cake made by our cook is included in the price. Any further help you need please don't hesitate to get in touch. Please note we cannot facilitate parties on a Friday.



## DINNER MENUS For Tuesday 7th May

	WEEK 3 Menu For all Key Stages	Deli Bar For all Key Stages
Mon	Chicken Tikka or Cheese & Tomato Pizza or Cheese & Onion Roll	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
Tue	Hot Dogs or Quorn Dippers	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
Wed	Roast Pork & Stuffing or Quorn Fillet	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
Thur	Beef Bolognese or Vegetable Fingers	Pasta Neapolitan
Fri	Fish Fingers or Cheese & Tomato Wholemeal Pizza	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans



**Please remember that school meals *MUST* be paid for in advance.**

## NUTS REMINDER

We are a nut free school due to several children having allergies to various nuts. Please don't send in any nut products including chocolate spread.





**YEAR 6 TRIP - HARVINGTON HALL**





## EARLY YEARS FOUNDATION STAGE OPEN DAY

We will be holding an open day on May 9th to welcome anyone into school who may still be undecided as to where to send their children to school in September.

We have a small number of places available in both our Nursery and Reception classes. Please spread the word amongst your family and friends and invite people to come and look around. The open day will run between 9.30am and 2pm.



## MAY DAY

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On Monday 6th May, school will be closed for Bank Holiday.

## KEYBOARD CONCERT

Our pupils who are learning to play the keyboard on Friday mornings would like to put on a little show for their parents. This will take place on Friday 10th May at 9.30am. If your child takes part in keyboard lessons please come along and support your child. They are really looking forward to showing you how they are doing.



## NON UNIFORM DAYS

We have four non uniform days coming up.

The first one will be Friday 17th May for sweets & bottles for our tombola stall for funday.

The second one is Friday 24th May for Chocolates & Sweets.

The third one is on Friday 7th June for bottles.

The last one will be on Friday 14th June for funds to support Teddy.

## SCHOOL TRIPS

Please keep a lookout for your child's class trip on Parent Pay. Also check the date which it needs to be paid by, we wouldn't want your child to miss out on their class trip.



## BLAST

We are open from 7.30am in the morning, then from 3.15pm until 6pm every evening. If you would like to book you can do so on line through our website [www.blastkidsclubltd.com](http://www.blastkidsclubltd.com) or contact Tami on 07783942084. If your child does attend an afterschool club and will be coming to Blast afterwards, please can you let us know.

## QUINTON PLAYGROUP

As from September 2024, we will no longer be offering 30 hours funding for 3 year olds. (St. Thomas More Nursery will be offering these 30 hours). We are looking to develop a nursery for children aged 18 months to 3 years. There is a lot of funding available for children aged 2 years plus... I am looking at opening any day to offer working parents an opportunity to let their children develop in a safe and happy environment. Seasonal Care will also be available.

For more information or any queries please do not hesitate to contact them. 07990868773.



Dear Lord Jesus, thank you for being our loving friend. Please help us always to love you and to keep growing in love for one another. Amen.



Dear Lord, please watch over our pupils who are receiving their Sacraments this week. Amen.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY** - Please note that all dates are subject to change so please keep checking the newsletter every week.

### **MAY 2024**

Saturday 4th	First Holy Communion, Year 3 at St Mary's Church 12.30.
Monday 6th	Bank Holiday—school Closed.
Wednesday 8th	Swimming. Year 5.
Thursday 9th	Year 4 & Year 2 Twycross Zoo Trip.
Thursday 9th	Year 5 & 6 Mass. 2.30pm.
Friday 10th	Key Stage 2 Assembly.
<b>Monday 13th</b>	<b>Year 6 SAT's Week.</b>
Wednesday 15th	Swimming. Year 5.
Friday 17th	Key Stage 1 Assembly. Own Clothes Day for Sweets & Bottles.
Wednesday 22nd	Swimming. Year 5.
Thursday 23rd	May Procession. Mass Reception, Year 3 & 4.
Thursday 23rd	Year 6 Drayton Manor Trip.
Friday 24th	Key Stage 2 Assembly. Own Clothes Day for Sweets & Chocolates.
Friday 24th	Break up for Half Term.

### **JUNE 2024**

Wednesday 5th	Swimming. Year 5 Year 6.
Thursday 6th	Year 2 Mass. 2.30pm.
Friday 7th	Key stage 1 Assembly. Own Clothes Day for Bottles.
Monday 10th	Laches Wood Residential Trip. Year 6.
Wednesday 12th	Swimming. Year 5.
Thursday 13th	Year 3 & Year 4 Mass. 2.30pm.
Friday 14th	Key Stage 2 Assembly. Own Clothes Day for Teddy's Fund. £1.
Wednesday 19th	Swimming. Year 5.
Wednesday 19th	Big Bang Fair at NEC. Year 6.
Thursday 20th	St Thomas More Day.
Thursday 20th	Mass Year 5 & Year 6. (Time to be confirmed).
Thursday 20th	Sports Day! EYFS—10am. Key Stage 1 & Key Stage 2—1.30pm.
Wednesday 26th	FUNDAY. Straight after Sports Day.
Thursday 27th	Swimming. Year 5 & Year 6.
Friday 28th	Reception, Year & Year 2 Mass. 2.30pm.
Saturday 29th	Key Stage 1 Assembly.
	Great Wyrley Carnival.

### **July 2024**

Wednesday 3	Year 6 Swimming.
Thursday 4th	Mass Year 3 & Year 4.
Friday 5th	Key Stage 2 Assembly.
Tuesday 9th	Rounders Match. Year 6 v's Adults.
Wednesday 10th	Year 6 Swimming.
Thursday 11th	Leavers Mass. 2.30pm.
Friday 12th	Key Stage 1 Assembly.
Sunday 14th	End of year Parish Mass at 1pm at St. Marys Church.
Monday 15th	Reports to parents.
Tuesday 16th	Signing Assembly. 9.30am & 2pm.
Wednesday 17th	Year 6 Swimming.
Thursday 18th	No Mass.
Friday 19th	Year 6 Leavers Assembly. 9am.
Friday 19th	School Closes at 1pm.

