



9th November 2018

Message from the Head of School

Please help us keep the children safe by not bringing dogs into the school grounds. Please remember that dogs are not allowed into the grounds even if they are being held. Thank you for your understanding.

This week

Foundation Class celebrated Bonfire Night with soup, bread rolls and their own fireworks in the garden.



Lower Key Stage 2 enjoyed a trip the cinema this week to see 'The Fantastic Mr Fox'.



Next Week

We will be kick starting anti-bullying week by coming in to school wearing odd socks. Let us see who can have the funniest combination of colours to raise awareness for this important issue.

Have a lovely peaceful weekend.

Mrs Potterton



Anti-Bullying Week

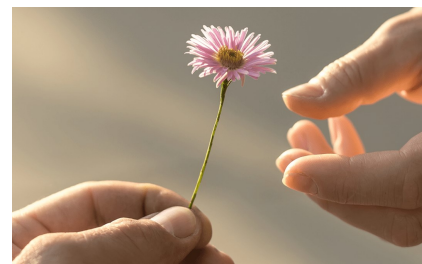
12th November to 16th November is Anti-Bullying Week. To help us raise awareness within the school, we would like to invite all pupils (and staff!) to come to school on **Monday 12th November** wearing odd socks.

Liturgy in School

PLEASE NOTE: THERE IS NO LITURGY IN SCHOOL NEXT MONDAY (12TH NOVEMBER).

The theme for our prayer and worship next week is:

GIVING



Jesus, you showed us that being generous isn't about giving lots and lots of money away and looking really impressive to other people; it is about sharing what we have, even if no-one notices. Help me to share.
Amen



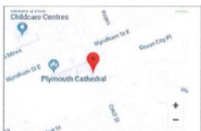
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Garden of Remembrance

You are invited to place a Cross in our special 'Garden of Remembrance' during the month of November to remember a loved one (or a stranger) at The Cathedral Church of St Mary and St Boniface, Wyndham Street West. Open daily until 4pm.

(crosses will be available to purchase at the Cathedral for £2)
www.plymouthcathedral.co.uk



First World War
100



The Evangelisation Team at Plymouth Cathedral would like to share with you that during the month of November, the Cathedral will have a special 'Garden of Remembrance' to commemorate the centenary of the First World War. It is an opportunity for people to place a remembrance cross, with the name of their loved one, in the Cathedral for them to be remembered. The Remembrance Crosses are available to be purchased from the Cathedral throughout November.



HCPT is an International Charity based in Rugby, taking disabled/disadvantaged children to Lourdes in France on a Pilgrimage /Holiday every Easter for a week. GROUP 45 is the local Plymouth group who take between 6—8 children each year with around 16 adult helpers, a group nurse and a priest (all DBS checked) HCPT Plymouth are looking to raise £900 to cover the cost of a child who will be going to Lourdes next Easter .

Would you be willing to take a Smartie Tube (or Tubes) and fill them with 20p pieces and then when full return them to either Mrs K Jarvis, Mrs Goddard, Miss Fennell or Mrs Coyte? If you would be willing to help, please let the school office know how many Smartie tubes you require.



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**Disco tickets are
now on sale in the
school office.**

Christmas Prize Draw

We are starting to collect raffle prizes for our Christmas raffle (please see the list below for suggestions for each year group). All donations much appreciated. We are also looking for volunteers to help with the refreshments, cakes and draw ticket sales at each of the Christmas Productions as follows:

Monday 3rd December @ 1.30pm

Tuesday 4th December @ 1.30pm

Tuesday 11th December @ 1.30pm and 6pm

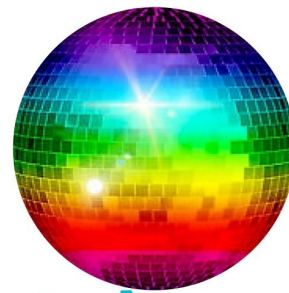
Wednesday 12th December @ 6pm

Playground Project

Do you own a company (or work for a company) who would like to sponsor any equipment for our playground project to improve our children's outside space?

For more information on any of the above please contact Justine, PTFA Chairperson, on hc.ptfa@gmail.com

Thank you in anticipation of your help!



SCHOOL DISCO

£2:00

Friday 23rd November

FD & KS1 4:30 - 5:30

KS2 5:45 - 7pm

**Pocket money needed for glitter
tattoos & tuck shop items**

Tickets go on sale 9th November from the office

Entrance at red side door.

Collection from usual after school pick up points.

**The PTFA are making a request
for donations of the following
items for our Christmas Raffle:**

Foundation: Toiletries or tinned food

Year 1: Christmas arts and crafting materials
or soft drinks

Year 2: Gardening products or chocolates

Year 3: Biscuits or toiletries

Year 4: Tea, coffee, hot chocolate or garden-
ing products

Year 5: Toiletries or tinned food

Year 6: Christmas arts and crafting materials
or soft drinks



Mary
of the Cross
Federation



Here is a list of some Important dates confirmed for this year.
All information is available on our website calendar.

12th—16th November

Anti-Bullying Week

20th November

Tempest Photography – School Photos

23rd November

School Discos

3rd December—1.30pm

Foundation Christmas Production

4th December—1.30pm

Foundation Christmas Production

11th December

Christmas Production – 1.30pm & 7pm

12th December

Christmas Production – 7pm

13th December

Christmas Dinner Day - Mufti Clothes

21st December

Last Day of Term



DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH

Ice-Skating

10—17 years

Sunday 25th November
2018 followed by BBQ and Mass

Meet at Plymouth Pavilions at 11.30am. Finish 4.00pm.

Price £8.00

If you wish to come please contact Patrick on 07880-734088 by no later than 20th November

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mr Cotter and Mrs Potterton