

Holy Cross Catholic Primary School Newsletter



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Message from the Head of Learning

We have enjoyed another busy week of learning here at Holy Cross.



Mrs King organised a day of learning about finance led by TSB Bank. We are delighted to have been able to offer this important aspect of the curriculum in such an engaging way.

Several of our KS2 classes welcomed students from Switzerland earlier this week. The children have learned about Swiss traditions, the Alps, and William Tell. Two of our families have very kindly hosted the students during their stay here.

We enjoyed a very colourful day at Holy Cross today! We celebrated the feast day of St Peter and St Paul by marking the 'Day of Many Colours'. Thank you for supporting us to contribute to Mission Together's work around the world. We are extremely proud to advise that we raised £180.00 from the rosary purchases and £204.50 from Mufti donations.

We were delighted to continue our care of the elderly project by hosting a cream tea. Our guests enjoyed delicious scones and entertainment from the children. Particular thanks to our wonderful cook Karen: and to Mrs Kirk and Mrs Jarvis.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Potterton dpotterton@holycross.plymouth.sch.uk

Liturgy in School

Please join us for whole school liturgy on Monday 18th June at 9am. You will receive a very warm welcome.

The theme for our prayer and worship is:

JESUS HEALS



Dear Jesus, thank you for doctors, nurses, paramedics, radiographers and everyone who works to take care of people who are sick. Give them gentle hands, understanding and patience. **Amen**



Please help the school by saving money, by reducing the costs of a text being sent weekly to debtors within the school. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT YOUR PARENTPAY **ACCOUNT MUST REMAIN IN** CREDIT AT ALL TIMES.

If you are having problems making payment, please contact the School Office immediately.



On Time Heroes

Being at school on time is crucial for learning. Our school gates open at 8.30am and all pupils are to be in school ready to learn by 8.50am.

Well done to:

All Classes

only 12 children were late throughout the whole school this week, well done everyone!

Headteacher: Mr Paul Cotter B.Ed Hons Head of Learning: Mrs Dawn Potterton B.Ed Hons



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It will soon be time for our Summer Fair. The PTFA are looking for donations of the following items to sell:

- Cakes and bakes (To be brought in on the day).
- Any preloved washed school uniform to resell.
- Tombola donations please: garden, home, art, craft, chocolate, sweets, tins of food, toiletries and any other non-perishable items.

SUMMER FAIR
FRIDAY 13TH JULY
2PM - 430 PM
DDQ GANDY FLOSS
DDQ Slushies
Whiz Kidz outdoor games
Toy & book stall
Face Painting Glitter tattoos
NATIONAL MARINE AQUARIUM ACTIVITIES
Toy & sweet filled £1 pots
Cakes Year 6 stalls
Kidz Klub food activities
Pre loved uniform for sale

If you would like to help out at the Summer Fair, you can sign up on the rota which can be found in the School Office. There are 2 shifts: 1 - 3pm and 3 - 5pm (shifts includes setting up and/or packing down).

Having a clear out? The PTFA would love any good quality washed preloved uniform, ties, sports, or school bags etc, also any toys & books to sell at Summer Fair to raise money for new equipment. Drop donations into the office early July and the PTFA will get it sorted. Thankyou in advance.

OOK OUT FOR PRELOVED UNIFORM AREA AT THE SUMMER FAIR FRIDAY OULY 13TH.

IN AID OF HOLYCROSS PTFA



Also we would like to say a big thank you to the PTFA, who provided our staff with specially made aprons, to wear whilst in school. These aprons hold equipment which is required to be able to teach the children and are a great asset to the teachers.



WHAT'S ON

Ivybridge Community
College Primary
Movement & Sports
Skills Programme

Our Summer Primary
Movement & Sport Skills
programme will run every
Tuesday 10-2pm throughout
the Summer Holidays (w/c 23rd
July-w/c 27th August 2018 at
Ivybridge Community College.
The sessions are open to all
interested students from Year 3
to Year 6. The cost is £40 for
the whole summer sessions.

Please contact Andy Taylor <u>ataylor@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk</u> for more details and booking.





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Here is a list of some important dates confirmed for this year.
All information is available

on our website calendar.

2nd July
Confirmation of new classes

9th July Sports Day

10th & 18th July Reserve Sports Day

11th July Reports out

12th July Meet the Teacher

12th July @ 2.15pm Whole School Mass

13th July Summer Fair

16th July @ 1.30pm Year 6 Leavers Production Dress Rehearsal

17th July @ 7pm Year 6 Leavers Production

18th July @ 7pm Leavers Production 16th & 17th July
Transition mornings

19th July @ 2pm School Talent Show

20th July @ 2pm Year 6 Leaver's Assembly

Thank you all for your support as always. Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Potterton and Mr Cotter