Parent Updates

Monday 5th February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Another busy, but brilliant week has gone by! Our St John Bosco Feast day was a lovely reflective day where the children had several opportunities to 'let their lights shine' and produced some beautiful work and excellent colourful lanterns. Our NSPCC Number day was a great day of fun and challenging mathematical activities from Nursery to Year 6. It was fantastic to see the whole school in clothes with numbers on. Thank you for all the money you donated- we raised £167!

For National Story Telling week, many of our older classes buddied up with younger children to read to them. They had a super time reading with each other. Have a look on our Instagram page to see some gorgeous photos of your children participating in these activities. Scan the QR code below and it will take you straight to our page...



PTA meeting- We had our first PTA meeting of 2024 this week. Our PTA is a small group of staff and parents that run events for the children and families of St John Bosco with the sole purpose of developing our school community and raising funds for the children in our school. They are fun meetings with tea, coffee, biscuits or cakes and are always enjoyable. We are always keen for new people to join us! We have planned a few events for the next few months- put these dates in your diary...

Mon 12th Feb- EYFS and Yr 1 & 2 film night- 3pm-4pm (film, popcorn & drink)

<u>Tues 13th Feb</u>- Yr 3,4,5 and 6 film night- 3pm-4.30pm (film, popcorn & drink) KS2 children will have sweets to buy as well.

Tickets for both events are £2.50 each but £5 for a family of 2 or more children.

Please complete the Google form and pay before 3.30pm on Friday 9^{th} Feb. Forms after this will unfortunately, not be accepted, due to PTA shopping for refreshments at the weekend.

<u>Weds 14th Feb</u>- Valentine's day cake sale- please donate cupcakes for the children to buy and eat during the school day. Bring in your cakes on Tues / Weds. Thank you.

Fri 8th March - Mother's day stall

Fri 22nd March- Own clothes day in return for a donation of an Easter Egg

Weds 27th March - Easter Egg raffle

<u>Sat 4th May</u>- Family Race Night - Parish Hall

Penny wars- Our 'Penny Wars' competition across the classes started today! Each class has been given a bottle to collect pennies in. The class that collects the most money by the end of February will have a treat. Please start bringing your 1p's, 2p's, 5p's and 10p's in for your child's bottles. Thank you!

Change in school hours' consultation- You have 4 days remaining to let school know your opinion of the proposal of the school hours changing to 8.45am to 3.15pm. Email the school office by 12pm on Friday 9th February.

Why is reading important?



Why are nursery rhymes important?



Attendance - If your child is poorly please call or email the office before 8.45am to let us know. Please provide appointment letters if you are taking your child out of school for medical appointments.

School Milk - If you wish your child to have school milk, please register at www.coolmilk.com

Payments to school - Please can parents make sure they are up to date with their payments to school for dinner money, breakfast club and afterschool club.

Celebration Assembly -

Friday 2nd February

	Achievement	Francis Factor (Be Collaborative)
Reception	Broccan	Finley
Year 1	Chigozie	Marianne
Year 2	Princess	Jordan
Year 3	Elizabeth	Victor
Year 4	Dolly	Alona, Hallie, Jesse, Jaxon H, Thomas W
Year 5	Praise	Denzel
Year 6	George	Esther
Headteacher Award	Richlove (yr 1)	

Thank you for your continued support of your children and our lovely school.

With love and prayers,

Mrs Pearson