#### 19th March 2024 Newsletter



# St Peter's Catholic Primary School Hinckley



# **Spring Term Diary Dates**

# (all dates are subject to change)

20.03.24 - Easter Menu change day

21.03.24 - Easter Liturgy in Church **10.00am** 

22.03.24 - Year 5 Act of Worship

22.03.24 - Easter Bonnet Competition (KS1)

- Egg Model Competition (KS2)



# School Closes for Easter Break and re-opens Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April

12.04.24 - Headteacher's Act of Worship

16.04.24 - Sports 4 Schools Athlete Assembly

18.04.24 - Whole School Mass - Good News

26.04.24 - Year 3 Act of Worship

30.04.24 – Whole School Athlete Event (sponsored)

02.05.24 - May Service in Church

02.05.24 – Maypole Dancing 2pm (weather permitting)

06.05.24 - Bank Holiday - school closed

13.05.24 - KS2 SATs Week

14.05.24 – Year 3 visit Botanic Gardens

15.05.24 - EYFS new Parent Welcome Evening

16.05.24 - Year 3 Mass

17.05.24 – Year 1 Act of Worship

21.05.24 - Year 6 visit Warning Zone

23.05.24 - Whole School Mass - Pentecost

Our Easter Liturgy start time is now 10am this Thursday 21st March in Church. You are welcome to join us. Our Eco team will be selling bird feed after this Mass.

Friday's Act of Worship will be led by Year 5.

School closes this Friday and re-opens Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April, wishing you all a Happy and Holy Easter.



#### PTFA News

Thank you for supporting our recent events, we have raised the following amounts:

Mother's Day Gifts - £344 Chocolate Bingo - £337 Rags2Riches - £95

Our last events before Easter are the Bonnet competition and Egg Models this Friday.



#### **House Cup Winners**

Last week's House Cup Winner

St Teresa



## Stars of the Week!



**Y6** – Sorom for enthusiasm and imagination when writing about 'The Last Bear'.

**Y5 –** Alice for great imagination on World Book Day.

Y4 - Edie for her courage each morning.

**Y3 –** Vinnie for consistently showing good behaviour during school activities.

**Y2 –** Edward for fantastic effort and concentration in writing.

Y1 - Arya for trying hard in phonics.

**FS –** Cillian for his ambition and positivity towards his learning.



#### **School Attendance**

St Peter's School and its Governing Body is committed to improving achievement through attendance and monitors the attendance of all its pupils.

Children must attend school regularly to ensure that the maximum benefit is obtained from the education provided.

Our Whole School Attendance is currently .....

94.6%

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A reminder to be vigilant about the symptoms of Scarlet Fever, as emailed to you all last week.

The early symptoms of scarlet fever include sore throat, headache, fever, nausea and vomiting. After 12 to 48 hours, the characteristic red, pinhead rash develops, typically first appearing on the chest and stomach, then rapidly spreading to other parts of the body, and giving the skin a sandpaper-like texture. The scarlet rash may be harder to spot on darker skin, although the 'sandpaper' feel should be present. Patients typically have flushed cheeks and be pale around the mouth. This may be accompanied by a bright red red 'strawberry' tongue. Contact your GP and stay at home for at least 24 hours after starting antibiotic treatment. Good hygiene practice such as hand washing remains the most important step in preventing and controlling spread of infection.



## **Cost of Living Support**

Please find the link to the Hinckley and Bosworth council cost of living support page:

https://www.hinckleybosworth.gov.uk/info/200411/cost of living s upport

Also, the Leicestershire County Council equivalent:

https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/leisure-and-community/find-help-with-cost-of-living

#### Free School Meals/Pupil Premium

The school receives funding to help pay for staff to support children's learning as well as resources for pupils who receive free school meals and or pupil premium. Pupils who are eligible receive a free hot meal, access to free school uniform, free school trips and discounted residential trips as well as an allowance to spend on after school clubs etc. During this cost-of-living crisis we are all experiencing, it is important to get access to any extra funding you may be entitled to.

If you think you may be entitled to support, please call 0116 305 5417 or email

<u>FreeSchoolmeals@leics.gov.uk</u>. They will be able to tell you over the phone if you are eligible.



This week's 'Statement To Live By' ....

"I know that it is ok for me to make mistakes.

