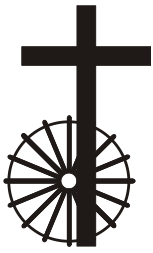




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Dear Parents,

Friday 17th April 2026

Lenten Fundraising

Thank you for your kind donations of chocolate and money in support of our CAFOD fundraiser. With your help, we raised just under £400. We are very grateful for your generosity and involvement.

OPAL play

As we embark on our new play scheme in school, we kindly remind parents and carers that children need to come to school with a waterproof coat every day. It is also important that children bring clothing appropriate for the conditions, such as a sun hat in warmer weather or a warm winter hat if the temperature drops. Being suitably dressed helps keep children comfortable, safe, and able to enjoy their learning and play outdoors.

Celebration Assembly

For the rest of this half term we will no longer be holding our celebration assemblies on a Wednesday afternoon this is due to Class 3 and 4 being out of school on sporting activities. However, we will be moving the assemblies to a Monday afternoon from the 27th of April until the half term. Therefore please note that there is no assembly the week beginning the 20th of April.

Parents Evening & Reports

Children in Years 1–6 will receive their end-of-year reports on **30th April**.

Parent Evenings will take place on the following dates:

Wednesday 6th May, 2:00–4:00pm – Class 3 and Class 4

Thursday 7th May, 3:30–6:00pm – Class 2, Class 3 and Class 4.

Bookings for Parent Evenings will go live on Arbor no later than **27th April**. We will notify you once booking is open.

Please note that there will be no parents evening or reports for Class 1 as Mrs Grice will meet with parents in the summer term.

Miss Davies

Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 4th May – May day – school closed

Wednesday 6th May – Whole School Mass 9:15am

Wednesday 6th May & Thursday 7th May – Parents Evening

Monday 11th May – SATs week for Year 6 pupils

Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May – Half Term Week

Wednesday 3rd June – Friday 5th June - Class 4 Residential

Thursday 9th July – Sports Day