



Our Lady's Catholic Primary School

Learning to Love; Loving to Learn

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Featuring Year 3 and 4

EMBRACING THE UNIQUENESS OF EACH CHILD THROUGH THE MESSAGE OF GOD'S LOVE

LEARNING TO LOVE; LOVING TO LEARN...



An unexpected week...

It's been a strange week, for obvious reasons! I would like to thank you again for your support and understanding with, what was, a difficult situation.

Year 5 and 6 Family Mass

On Sunday 2nd April at 10:15 the children are invited to a family Mass at Princethorpe Chapel. It would be really lovely to see you there. You should have received a personal invitation from your child. As always, all children and their families are welcome.



Alton Castle

Alton Castle, for our Year 6's, is fast approaching. The 3rd instalment of £25 for those of you who are paying monthly, is due by the 7th April.

All payments must be completed by 12th May.

Hedgehogs at Our Lady's!

On Monday 27th March, we had a special assembly all about hedgehogs. Our special guest speaker from Warwickshire Wildlife Trust, brought along hedgehogs tunnels for us to have on site. This 'Footprint Tunnel' will be set up in the grounds over Spring/Summer so that the children can easily survey the hedgehogs. Our Year 2 children will be responsible for the tunnels and for helping the younger children collect data

Attendance

This week's attendance: 96%

School Meals

For those who pay at the beginning of each half term for school meals, the cost will be £48.30 when we return after the Easter break. However, because school had to close on Tuesday, all children will have at least one credit due. Your child will therefore bring home a blue slip on the last day of term advising their amended amount. Please look out for these in your child's bag. Payment by cash or cheque payable to Warwickshire County Council please.

Mary Arden's Farm

The Year 3 and 4 children had a really wonderful time at Mary Arden's Farm on

Tuesday. I was so pleased that this was able to go ahead, despite the school closure. It is always very educational and inspiring for the children and I know that the children felt that they learnt a lot.

The children were complimented on their behaviour and were told that their manners were impeccable. Well done children.



A Visit to the Moon!

The Reception children have been very excited about putting on their helmets and flying to the moon this week! They went so that they could have a picnic with Baby Bear, who they met last week....

The children made their sandwiches to take and were delighted to speed off in their rocket (a wheelbarrow....!)

This week's special mentions

Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Adelaide	Jacob Bi	Clara and Daisy	Naomi	Samuel B	Eleanor	Charlie

This week's attendance figures

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
94%	91%	98%	95%	97%	97%	98%



The children have really enjoyed their special treats for filling their Respect jars. Well done children for working so hard!



Year 3 and 4 Sharing Assembly

Thank you to the children of Year 3 and 4 who shared some of their wonderful learning with the school this afternoon. The drama was super and it was great to see some of your work and all your lovely photos on the presentation and around the hall – fabulous!

Holy Week Reflection

Year 3 and 4 will be taking us through the stations of the cross with their Holy Week reflection on Wednesday 5th April at 2pm. Parents are welcome to attend.



How have you been attentive and discerning this week?



PTA dates for your diary

Friday 7th April – Easter Bonnet Parade – 2pm

Looking forward to seeing the children's creations and finding out who the winner of the Easter Hamper will be!

Remember you can make: Easter gardens, decorated eggs or an Easter Bonnet...

I would like to give my personal thanks to the PPA for all the time, thought and energy that they give to making our school even more fabulous. Thank you for all the money raised so far, it really will make a huge difference.

Next PTA meeting: 28th April 1:30 at school.



Walk With Me Prayer

God, our loving Father,

We come to you today.

Be with us, hear us guide us,

In all we do and say,

You give us times and seasons,

Your Spirit makes us grow,



In times of joy and sadness,

We see your blessings flow.

I place my life before you

In all my work and play.

I'll try to walk with Jesus,

And in his friendship stay.

Amen.

Next week at a glance:

Tuesday 4th April:

BIG SPELL

Wednesday 5th April:

Year 3 and 4 Holy Week Reflection
2pm

Parents are welcome to attend

Friday 7th April

Mass: 9:15

Easter Bonnet Parade 1:30. Parents invited

Children break up for Easter and return
Monday 24th April

Have a wonderful weekend
Kate Madia





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