

St. Francis' Catholic Primary Newsletter



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Holy Week Assemblies

Thank you for attending our fantastic performances based on the final week of Jesus' life. Year 3 started the story with an arousing retelling of Palm Sunday, followed by Year 4 who tenderly depicted the Last Supper. Year 5 performed a passionate portrayal of the Garden of Gethsemane and the arrest of Jesus and today, Year 6 led the school in an emotional Stations of the Cross service. Also our Year 1 children retold the Easter Story to a packed house of parents and friends with wonderful acting and vigorous singing. We hope that our performances helped you to remember that Easter is a promise God renews to us each spring. May the promise of Easter fill your heart with peace and joy. We wish you a blessed Easter.

Important Dates

1st April 2015

2.00pm

Last day of term

16th April 2015

Children return to school

4th May 2015

School closed for
May Day Bank Holiday

22nd May 2015

3.15pm

Last day of half term



Classical Spectacular

KS2 had an amazing time at UK's most popular classical music show at the Royal Albert Hall on 20th March. The performance was bigger and more thrilling than ever with the very best classical music and state of the art technology to electrifying multi-coloured laser displays. The famous thundering finale to the music of the 1812 Overture had everyone jumping in their seats.



Attendance for the this half term:

Gold: 5V 98.2%

Silver: 4B 98.1%

Bronze: 3C 98%

Attendance **must** be 100% because **any** absence affects children's learning and the more they miss the harder it will be for them to catch up.

World Book Week

During the week of 2nd March, we celebrated World Book Week with a focus on Myths and Legends. We were lucky to have workshops led by various theatre productions on The Lion King and Isis and Osiris which were enjoyed by children and adults. In addition, we held class story swaps, made 3D mythical creatures and turned our classrooms into cafés for the afternoon. Everyone also went to the library for story telling or information session. Finally on Friday everyone dressed up as their favourite book character with many being a famous myth or legend. Costumes were outstanding this year as the photographs show.



Going for Gold

These pupils have been on Gold since 24th February 2015.

- 6RM: Nancy Goba, Riaz Rashid, Amith Shabu, Kyra Young and Esther Armah
- 6CD: Charlotte Anonuevo, William Aquino, Tolulope Awoniyi, Jazmyn Cabey, Liam Duggan, Shanel Kayuma, Ryan Mendoza, Georgina Odunsi, Victor Sesay
- 5K: Nickelle Ferguson, Maria Foley, Jaden Hamilton-Jack, Carsten Kyei, Luigi Kyle Llana and Andrew John Simmons
- 4G: Faustina Aniagoh and Dudlyna Cline
- 4B: Laura Fernandes
- 3C: Ayomide Akinleye, Zuzanna Golebiewska and Aloniaeb Haben
- 3B: Simon Alfred, Natalia Baron, Jeremy Ledda, Kimani Lesforis, Matthew Marsh-Stamp, Renee Okhwarobo, Dariusz Wiktorski and Valeria Martinez-Lopez
- 2K: Abigail Balakrishnan, Mayeva Ekoh, Chisom Elo-Chikezie, Amelia Grzechula and Elliot Odoi
- 2D: Dejour Bailey, Maria Fernanda Montoya Gomez and Raheim Smith
- 1K: Gabi Lopez-Marulanda, John Rockefeller, Tia Plante and Augustyn Miakisz
- 1F: Kenadie Richards and Alexa Pacioga

Well done

