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Dear Parents

### Stars of the Week

<b>St Peter</b>	<b>Paola</b> for some beautiful expression when reading
<b>St Cecilia</b>	<b>Blessing</b> for excellent effort with writing all the time
<b>St Lucy</b>	<b>Lucas</b> for extending his learning by completing additional reading on 'Myon'
<b>St Bernadette</b>	<b>Amrita</b> for her enthusiasm and passion in all her lessons especially our India Geography topic
<b>St Anthony</b>	<b>Jack</b> for being more focused and trying hard in all lessons
<b>St Christopher</b>	<b>Bea</b> for excellent work in Maths this week

### Good Disciples of the Week

<b>St Peter</b>	<b>Christopher</b> for always having lovely manners
<b>St Cecilia</b>	<b>Estani</b> for being such an enthusiastic learner
<b>St Lucy</b>	<b>The children making their First Holy Communion</b> for all of the hard work, commitment and dedication
<b>St Bernadette</b>	<b>Gianni</b> for his willingness to help and take on extra classroom jobs
<b>St Anthony</b>	<b>Annie</b> for being a great role model with her positive attitude
<b>St Christopher</b>	<b>Sidd</b> for an improvement in attitude and behaviour

Well done to you all.

### First Holy Communion

Please pray for Bea, Daisy, Ellie, Elisa, Gianni, Micael, Rosie, Tamia and their families as they prepare to make their First Holy Communion on Sunday. It would be lovely to see many of you there (11.00 am at St Peter's Church) joining them on this very special holy day.

### First Holy Communion Mass Choir

Mrs Boyle is welcoming children to sing in the choir this Sunday. You can just turn up on the day, ideally at 10.40 am ready for Mass which starts at 11.00 am. This is a wonderful opportunity to be part of a special celebration for many of our children making their First Holy Communion.

### Sports Day : Monday 26 June 2023

Sports Day is to be held on Monday 26 June 2023 from 9.15 am on the field. All parents and grandparents are very welcome to join us on that day. Hopefully, the weather will be kind to us. A decision will be made at 8.15 am if the weather is too wet or too hot and it

needs to be postponed. The reserve date is Monday 3 July 2023 at 9.15 am. If anybody has a gazebo we could borrow for the children to sit under it would be very much appreciated. It needs to be one that can be secured against wind and volunteers to help put them up/take them down would be great. Thank you in anticipation.

The children will wear their P.E. kits to school that day (yellow t-shirt and white shorts). The children have hats in school of their house colour but they can also wear plain house colour t-shirts if they wish. The colours are:-

Fisher – Green  
Gaffney – Red  
Moore – Blue  
Willson – Yellow

Please make sure that your child has a water bottle and sun cream on.

### **Feast Day : St Peter and St Paul on Thursday 29 June 2023**

To celebrate our feast day on 29 June 2023 we will all be joining parishioners at St Peter's church (new one) for 10.00 am Mass. It would be lovely to see many parents and grandparents joining us for Mass on this special day for the school community.

### **Kingswood Year 6 Residential**

Next week Year 6 are at a Kingswood Activity Centre for their residential. I know they are all excited and looking forward to the week, as are the staff, myself, Mrs Thomas and Mrs Coone!

We pray that they have a safe journey and an enjoyable week.

### **Dates for your diary**

Wednesday 14 June 2023	Reception are also looking forward to their visit to Odds Farm
Tuesday 18 July 2023	Reception Class Assembly (this is a different date than advertised in the dates list)
Tuesday 20 June 2023	Reception Vision
Weds 21 & Fri 23 June 2023	PCSO talk to St Christopher's

### **Outdoor Working Party**

On Saturday 1 July 2023 between 10.00 am – 2.00 pm we are looking for people from our school community to help with some much needed hands on work around our school grounds. Tasks include (but are not limited to) repairing raised beds, weeding garden areas, repainting playground equipment. Our children love being outdoors and these community days are always a brilliant opportunity to work together and make a real difference. It is impossible for staff members to complete these tasks by themselves. If you are unable to help on the day but would like to help in some way, then donations of compost or plants would be greatly received. If you think you can help in any way then please contact the office for the attention of Mrs Boyle.

### **Music Evening : Date for your diary Wednesday 12 July 2023 7.00 pm (TIME TBC)**

Next half term we will be holding another Music Evening, an opportunity for our young musicians to perform in front of an audience. For now, please speak with your child and send Mrs Boyle a message on TEAMS if your child would like to be part of the music evening. Every year these concerts showcase a wide range of abilities and skills and it is always a wonderful celebration.

## Wear it Wild Day

To honour World Environment Day which took place this week, we are asking the children to come to school dressed as an animal on Friday 23 June 2023. They may like to come as an endangered animal, so that we can raise awareness of endangered species.

[Species List | Endangered, Vulnerable, and Threatened Animals | WWF \(worldwildlife.org\)](#)



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WWF is committed to saving endangered species. Learn more about the species we are working to protecting from becoming endangered or extinct.

[www.worldwildlife.org](http://www.worldwildlife.org)

## Win Books for your School Library

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire Wildlife Trust (BBOWT) are holding their annual Photography Competition. It is free to enter and the winner receives:-

Overall winner: Top of the range camera and A3 canvas print of photo

Category winners: Workshop with Steve Gozdz of GG Wildlife Experiences, a copy of BBOWT's 2024 calendar featuring your photo, café voucher and certificate.

Children and teens category winners: Selection of nature books for school library

Further details can be found at [bbowt.org.uk/photocomp23](http://bbowt.org.uk/photocomp23).

Yours sincerely

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