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Dear Parents

Stars of the Week

Reception Nicholas for amazing independent writing St Cecilia Jax for huge improvement with effort in writing

St Bernadette Micael for improving his concentration and attitude to learning

St Anthony Amelia for great effort in writing

St Christopher Rhiannon for working hard on her diary entry in English

Good Disciples of the Week

Reception Mia for trying hard to wait her turn to talk

St Cecilia Leandros for being such a fantastic role model all the time

St Bernadette Lucy for being a joyful member of the class

St Anthony Ben for super group work

St Christopher Eva for her positive attitude to learning and being a good friend

Well done to you all.

50 Years at Prospect Road

The week of celebrations began with Mass celebrated by Bishop David followed by refreshments at school. The Mass was beautiful, a lovely atmosphere with so many people in church. The children were a real credit to you as parents, lovely singing and impeccable behaviour. A special mention for Conor, Dexter, Lucy, Aiden, Zach, Maja, Bohan, Amrita, Beta and Fernando for their singing, reading, signing, offertory procession, welcoming and serving. A huge thank you to Bishop David, Fr John, Deacon Kevin, Mrs Boyle, Mr Temple and Fr Shalbin for helping make the Mass so special. I want to thank all the staff for their work in providing refreshments and decorating the hall with a special mention also to Mrs C Boyle and Mrs Appleton for organising and displaying photos and decorations. Thanks to Mrs Taylor for obtaining donations from Burgers and Gail's and to Bishop David for cutting the cake, donated by Burgers, to start a lovely evening. There was a great buzz around the school with many people visiting the school for the first time since leaving and catching up with people they had not seen for a long time.

Thank you for your support in providing donations for the refreshments.

The children have enjoyed tie dying, their singalong and we are looking forward to the disco this afternoon.

Football

On Tuesday 6 February 2024 our school played the first match of the season and lost to Burford school 0-3. After many attempts in the first half Burford were missing many

shots thanks to our great defending and epic goal keeping from Fernando. In the second half Burford had a cheeky quick shot which was not easy to save. St Peter's was holding up but five minutes before full time they scored another 2. At last play, Conor tackled another player and had a shot but it bounced off the post.

Conor, Year 6

Thank you to Mr Milton for giving his time to coach the team and to all our supporters.

Attendance

The weekly draw will take place before the disco this afternoon.

Snowdrop Lunch

Last Saturday, a group of Key Stage 2 children volunteered to help at the SVP Snowdrop lunch held at Pugin Hall. Words cannot express how great they were and what a credit they were. A number of people, both from the SVP and participants at the lunch, came to make comments about how fantastic the children were, how they 'lifted the event', and how polite they were.

Well done to Dexter, Conor, Maja, Niamh, Beta, Ava, Lucy, Lewis, Loic, Daisy, Rosie and Harry for representing St Peter's so well.

Curriculum

You will receive an outline of areas your child will be covering next half term.

Lenten Lunches

Every Friday from 16 February 2024 - 22 March 2024 12.00 - 2.00 pm at Pugin Hall, St Peter's Church. A bowl of soup, bread, tea/coffee £5. All money to Third World Aid.

Girl Guiding Thinking Day

On Thursday 22 February 2024, Guides, Brownies and Rainbows celebrate Thinking Day. Anybody who is a Guide, Brownie or Rainbow is encouraged to wear their uniform to school on that day.

Parking

It is a shame to have to end on a negative note but parents have been parking in Sir Aubrey Ward's car park. This is for staff, visitors, doctors and ambulances only. By parking there you could be putting someone's life at risk.

School closes for half term on **Thursday 8 February 2024** and re-opens on Monday 19 February 2024 at 8.40 am (St Anthony's and St Christopher's) and 8.45 am everybody else.

Yours sincerely

Miss A McCluskey Headteacher





