

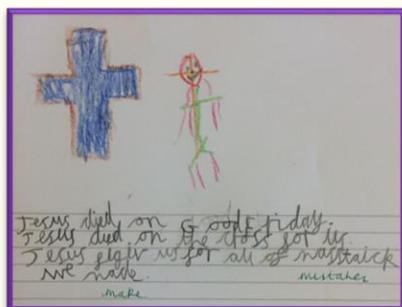


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Learning about Good Friday in Year 1



Year 6 Passion



Dear Parents, Carers and Children, as we arrive at the end of the spring term, we can look back over what has been a productive and enjoyable term, packed with some wonderful events, successes and sporting achievements. Well done to all the children for your hard work this term and for your many achievements across a range of curriculum subjects. My thanks also to the staff of the school who work hard to provide the children the rich and engaging learning experiences that they enjoy.

Parents' Evenings: It was good to see the high level of engagement at parents' evenings this week and I hope that you found your meetings productive and fruitful. The staff and I are grateful for all you do to support the school in its aims to provide the best possible Catholic education for your children.

Year 6 Passion of Christ: On Wednesday, Year 6 parents were invited to see their children re-enact the events of Holy Week in their dramatization of the Passion of Christ. The children provided a solemn and thought-provoking narrative through poetry and mime and the performance is available for all of Year 6 on SharePoint. Thank you to year 6 staff and children, to Mr Pugh for assisting, and to the parents who attended.

End of Term Mass: Yesterday for the first time in more than two years, we attended Mass in church as a whole school. Class 5 Rowan prepared the readings and prayers and Fr Derek spoke to the children about the joy of Easter and how their Easter eggs are a wonderful gift to remind them of the new life in the risen Lord on Easter Sunday.

Ukraine Appeal: Thank you for your generous donations to this appeal which closed today. The collection raised **£2127.00** which will be going to the Disasters Emergency Committee.

Sports Update: On Monday, ten children from Year 6 played in the Harrow Football League Shield final at The Hive. They played six matches and overall finished 6th in the tournament. The scores were: Roxeth 3-0 (W), Belmont 0-0, Krishna Avanti 0-0, Whitefriars 1-0 (L), Cedars Manor 1-0 (L), Weald Rise 1-0 (L). Well done to all the children who took part. Then on Wednesday, 10 children from Year 5 took part in their first ever tag-rugby tournament against Stanburn Primary and St John's Primary. We won against the Stanburn Year 6 team 2-1 and against their Year 5 team 2-0, but lost against St John's 4-1. It was a fun afternoon and we are looking forward to playing in the next round soon.
C. Ward PE Lead

Reception Classes: In preparation for Year 1, from next term we encourage reception children to walk to their classrooms from the gate independently.
EYFS Team

COVID Vaccination Programme: Please find attached a letter from NWL CCG for parents and guardians about the 5 to 11 vaccinations. In North West London, vaccinations for 5-11 year olds will start on **Monday 4 April 2022** and there are a number of ways in which children can be vaccinated. These are laid out in the letter which is also available on the school website for you to refer to: <https://bit.ly/3LxJNOi>

And finally, the staff and I wish you all a blessed and Holy Easter filled with the hope and joy that the Easter season brings, and an enjoyable, safe and relaxing holiday. I look forward to welcoming the children back to school on **Wednesday 20th April 2022**.
With kind regards,

Mrs. O'Connell

Wishing a very happy birthday to the many children celebrating their birthday this week or during the Easter Holiday!

- Matilda, Harrison, Lucy & Max- Alder
- Jewel – Ash
- Noah G - Aspen
- Daisy, Luke, Oskar & Nikolas – Beech
- Leo, Felicity & Thomas – Cedar
- Aadhya - Elm
- Geofin – Larch
- Gheorghe – Maple
- Rita, Miyuki – Pine
- Oliver, Victoria & Eli - Oak
- Joanna & Hephzibah - Poplar
- Abigail & Aoife – Rowan
- Chizitere & Sochima – Willow
- Andrew & Jessica - Yew

Notices and Dates for your Diary:

Date	Event
Tuesday 19 th April	Staff Training Day
Wednesday 20 th April	Start of Summer Term
Thursday 21 st April	St Anselm's Day - Whole School Mass at 10.30
Monday 25 th April	SPA Meeting 7pm
Friday 29 th April	Perform Workshops EYFS & KS1
Monday 2 nd May	Early May Bank Holiday – School closed
Tuesday 10 th May	Year 3 to Roald Dahl Museum
Wed 18 th & Thu 19 th May	Year 3 Art Workshops at Salvatorian College
Mon 23 rd – Fri 27 th May	Year 6 School Journey to Kingswood, Isle of Wight
Thursday 26 th May	Feast of the Ascension – Whole School Mass
Monday 30 th May – Monday 6 th June	Half term holiday
Tuesday 7 th June	School reopens
Friday 10 th June	Platinum Jubilee Celebration
Tuesday 14 th June	New Parent Information Evening 7pm
Friday 17 th June	SPA Fathers' Day Present Room
Wednesday 29 th June	Year 5 Shakespeare Festival Ryan Theatre
Tuesday 5 th July	Year 5 Taster days at Salvatorian College and Sacred Heart Language College.
Thursday 21 st July	End of Term and Leavers' Mass
Thursday 21 st July	Leavers Disco
Friday 22 nd July	End of Summer Term

Term dates for 2021/22 are available on the school website

Shape Up Harrow: is a FREE 12-week weight management course for Harrow residents with a BMI of 30 or greater. Sessions are 90 minutes long and run weekly at Whitmore High School. There is also App based support for people who would prefer this. To sign up go to our website www.shapeupharrow.com or for more information contact shanae.francois@watfordfc.com

Parking: This week, there have been concerns raised with me from residents in Kingsfield Court on Kingsfield Road about parking on private parking spaces. Please may I ask that we show consideration for local residents by not parking in their spaces or obstructing them from doing so. Thank you for your cooperation.

St Anselm's Pre-worn Uniform Sale: We have listed several pieces of pre-worn uniform for sale, with all proceeds going to our SPA fundraising. Parents can browse the uniform we have for sale on the sustainable selling website <https://uniformerly.co.uk> Simply search for 'Harrow' and then 'St Anselm's' to find uniform for sale. All uniform is pre-worn and in good wearable condition. If you would like to buy uniform, you can browse the listings and click on 'contact owner' leaving your child's name and class in the message box. You will then receive instructions to pay for the uniform via PayPal. Once payment has been received safely via PayPal, the uniform will be sent home. We hope this sustainable initiative is helpful and welcome any feedback once you have browsed and used the Uniformerly website.

Mrs Kelly-Keegan

Support for Parents: For any parent in need of support with any aspect of parenting, there is help available including one to one parenting support. Hope Harrow can be contacted on 0208 863 7319 or by email info@hopeharrow.org.uk or visit their website <http://www.hopeharrow.org.uk> for further details of their work with families.

Parental Consent Form: We are conducting a whole school review of photo and video permissions we currently hold on record for your children. We would greatly appreciate it if all parents and carers could spare us a few moments of their time to inform us of how they consent to us using photos and videos of their children within the school community. This will ensure that we only use photos and videos containing your child in school where appropriate and in respect of your views.

Please the link to complete the form: <https://bit.ly/3ouTjln>

**Safeguarding is
Everyone's
Responsibility**

Safeguarding of Children is the responsibility of everyone. If you have a safeguarding concern about a child please contact **Mrs O'Connell** the Designated Safeguarding Lead or in her absence **Mrs Kelly-Keegan** or **Mrs Marotta** who are Deputy DSL's. The Safeguarding Governor is Mrs Leanne O'Brien.

Valuing the uniqueness of the individual in the belief that each is 'created in the image and likeness of God' (Gen 1:27)

Our Learning and Achievement Gallery

Special Achievement Awards:

(R Ash) Asmi & Francesca
(R Alder) Irine & Oli-Rae
(1 Aspen) Hendrix & Mikhail
(1 Beech) The whole class
(2 Cedar) Patrick & Shiloh
(2 Elm) Aadhya & Martina
(3 Larch) Nuala & Leon
(3 Maple) Nathaniel & Ellen
(4 Oak) 4 Oak
(4 Pine) Rita & Glen
(5 Poplar) Robert & Emily
(5 Rowan) Olive and Alayna
(6 Willow) Millie and Kalina
(6 Yew) Jessica and Catherine
Sportsmanship : Pius

Semper Fidelis Award:

Reception Alder: Wiktoria
6 Yew: Kuba

French Achievement Awards

(3 Larch) Mark
(3 Maple) Ella
(4 Oak) Sienna
(4 Pine) Scott
(5 Poplar) Elise
(5 Rowan) Sara
(6 Willow) Andrew
(6 Yew) Oliver

Numbots and Times Tables Rock Stars Award:

(1 Aspen) Milan
(2 Cedar) Aiden
(2 Elm) Miriam
(3 Larch) Nathan
(4 Oak) Adam
(4 Pine) Arianna
(5 Poplar) Joanna & Tilda

Reader of the Week:

(1 Aspen) Amber
(1 Beech) Adam
(2 Cedar) Felicity
(2 Elm) Cathal
(3 Larch) Geofin
(3 Maple) Audav
(4 Oak) Thomas
(4 Pine) Scott
(5 Poplar) Jaysha

Writer of the week:

(1 Aspen) Chloe
(1 Beech) Crystal
(2 Cedar) Olivia
(2 Elm) Viktor
(3 Larch) Larch
(3 Maple) Zach
(4 Oak) 4 Oak
(4 Pine) Maria
(5 Poplar) Antony
(5 Rowan) Aoife

Handwriting Heroes and Pen Licences:

(3 Maple) Sophia

Easter Messages from Our Classes

Reception:

We would like to say a big well done to all of the Reception children for working so hard this term 😊

And a big thank you to all of the Parents for your continued to support.

We wish you all a very blessed Easter.

Mrs Maher, Mrs Solomon, Mrs Campbell & Mrs Madden



Year 1:

Wishing you all a restful and peaceful Easter!

We are very proud of all the children in Year 1 for their efforts and achievements this term.

A big thank you for your continued support.

We look forward to seeing you back for a fun filled summer term.



Year 2:

May the Risen Christ bring you and your families many blessings during this Easter Season and throughout the coming year.

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a happy and restful Easter.

Mrs Clayton Le Sueur, Mrs Ward, Mr Mossop & Mr Scannell



Year 3:

We want to say a huge well done to all of the children in Year 3 for their amazing efforts this term. We would like to also thank parents for your ongoing support and commitment to your child's education.

May you be blessed with our Lord's love and peace this Easter. Let us remember the miracle of Jesus' resurrection and His endless love. We thank the Lord for his blessings and wish you all an Easter full of joy, love and peace.

Miss Knott, Mr Paraskevas, Mr Williams & Mrs Reilly

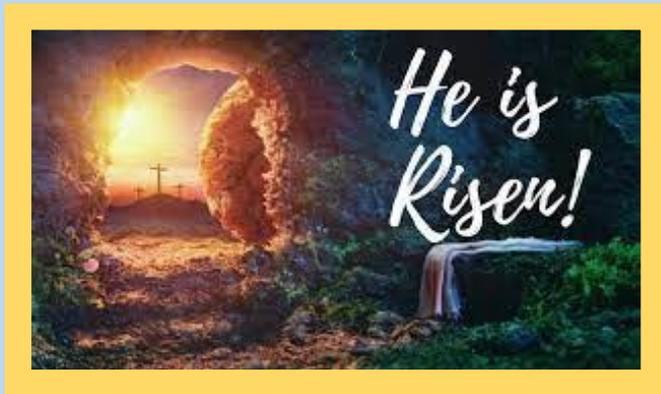


Year 4:

Firstly, we would like to say a huge well done to all of the children in year 4 for their hard work, perseverance and enthusiasm throughout the Spring term. You have all achieved many wonderful things and we look forward to the next term ahead.

We would also like to take this opportunity to wish you all a happy and restful Easter.

Miss Ruane, Miss Fitzgerald, Mrs Redmond & Mrs Chebli



Year 5:

Well done for all your hard work and effort during this Spring term.

We can't wait to welcome you back for the Summer term feeling refreshed and being more motivated than ever to achieve your very best!

We would also like to wish you all a very happy Easter filled with joy, family and love!

From Miss Barton, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Thillai and Mrs Pasi.





All of the Year 6 Team would like to wish you all a safe and Holy Easter. We hope you take the time to relax and enjoy this special time with your loved ones.

We are extremely proud of all the hard work you have completed this term and look forward to seeing you in the new term refreshed.

God Bless,

Mrs Millar, Mrs Taylor, Mrs Thorogood

and Mrs Campbell.

Easter Box Competition WINNERS! Thanks to all who took part, the boxes were fantastic!

Our Congratulations goes to...



- (R Ash) Jewel
- (R Alder) Matilda
- (1 Aspen) Skye
- (1 Beech) Pola
- (2 Cedar) Aubrey
- (2 Elm) Kornel
- (3 Larch) Ophelia
- (3 Maple) Sophia
- (4 Oak) Olivia S
- (4 Pine) Abigail
- (5 Poplar) Amelia M
- (5 Rowan) Julia J
- (6 Willow) Millie
- (6 Yew) Jessica