

3rd May 2024

St Mary's Priory Catholic Infant and Junior Schools' School Newsletter

'Love one another; Always do our best; Take care of ourselves and the world around us'

Dear parents and carers,

We have had a busy week this week at St Mary's, and we have definitely been enjoying the change in weather also! Today, the Chaplaincy Team organised a 'book swap' where the children donated books and swapped them for new books!

Exciting visit!

On Thursday 23rd May, Bishop John Sherrington is coming to visit our school. We would love for parents to join us from 9:30am to take part in our annual Crowning Of Mary celebration. The celebration will take place in the Junior Playground. We look forward to welcoming you.

Come dine with us!

Over the next two half terms, we will be welcoming parents and carers to join us for lunch with their child's class! We will be sharing the invitations with classes shortly and will be starting with our Reception parents!

School Street

We hope you've been enjoying a quieter Hermitage Road, since we've become a 'school street'. Our Year 2s have been busy doing some geography fieldwork today and collecting some important data about the road!

| Attendance winners! | | | |
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| Infant School: | Junior School: | | |
| Woodpeckers 97.62% | 6B 98.7% | | |
| Punctuality winners! | | | |
| Woodpecker Class 1 late | 3M and 6B 1 late | | |



Reminder- we are closed on Monday for the Bank Holiday.

Have a lovely long-weekend!

Mrs Reynolds



Dear parents and carers,

Schools have received notification from the Local Authority that major repair works along West Green Road will begin next week. Cadent Gas is starting a project to improve the reliability of its network across north London, with closures to West Green Road for about 10 weeks from Tuesday 7th May to Sunday 21 July 2024. Please take time to plan your journey to school, so your child is able to arrive on time.

Cadent Gas is closing the following roads:

- West Green Road between Westerfield Road and Portland Road and High Road from 7th May to 21st July;
- Westerfield Road, at the junction with West Green Road, with access only via Seven Sisters Road

Traffic travelling between Turnpike Lane and Seven Sisters will be diverted to use Green Lanes and Seven Sisters Road.

Bus diversions will be in place, as well as temporary changes to certain parts of the Bruce Grove West Green and St Ann's Low Traffic Neighbourhood (LTN) trials.

Thank you

School calendar:

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| When: | What: | Who: | Where: | Time: |
| 6th May | May Bank Holiday- school closed | All pupils | | |
| Wb 13th May | KS2 SATs examinations | Year 6 | | |
| 23rd May | Bishop John Sherrington to visit our school. | All parents invited | Junior Playground | 9:30am |
| 24th May | Staff INSET Day- school closed | All pupils | | |
| Wb 27th May | Half term holidays- school closed | All pupils | | |
| Wb 22nd July | Year 6 performances and mass | Year 6 | | |













This week at SMP.

Our wonderful Chaplaincy Team organised a 'Book Swap'!









Years 4 and have been enjoying their Gaelic football lessons!



Robin class have been working hard on their overarm throwing this week! They did amazing work on their positioning to make sure they were throwing accurately.



| Owl Class | Kendrick | Eryk |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Penguin Class | Mia | William |
| Robin Class | Olivier | Aaron |
| Woodpecker Class | Ava-Marie | Eldora |
| Dove Class | Rakeb | Leila |
| 3C | Olivia | Sophia |
| 3M | A'Zaria | Samuel |
| 4B | Sophia M | Zaina-Marie |
| 5D | Milena | Wincent |
| 5S | Yohan | Lucia |
| 6B | Gabriella | Rihanna |
| 6J | Javier | Yueyan |

Congratulations to our Stars of the week!
These pupils have worked exceptionally hard
to stand out amongst their peers. Well done
everyone!



Haringey SEND Service and Hirstwood Training presents:



iPad and Tablet Use for Young **Children with SEND: Workshop for** Parents & Professionals

Join us to learn about:

- Apps to support development
- Tools for rest and relaxation
- How to get the right balance of screen time
- Sources of financial support for purchasing iPads and tablets

Follow the QR code to register or visit https://shorturl.at/qyTV9

Thursday, 16

7:00 - 8:30pm Online



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Heavenly Father,

We come before you with hearts full of gratitude for the gift of childhood and the innocence it holds. We ask for your guidance and protection over each child within our community.

Grant them the wisdom to recognize what is safe and what is not, and the courage to speak up when they feel uncomfortable or unsure. May they always feel empowered to express themselves and seek help when needed.

Shield their hearts and minds from harm, and surround them with a circle of love and support that knows no bounds. Help us, as adults, to be vigilant guardians of their safety, nurturing their trust and confidence in us.

In your compassionate embrace, may they find solace and strength, knowing that they are cherished beyond measure. Bless our efforts to create a safe and nurturing environment where every child can thrive and flourish.

We offer this prayer with hopeful hearts, trusting in your boundless love and protection.

Amen.