



Sacred Heart School

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Friends of Sacred Heart School

Sat 13 th May	9.00am – 1.00pm Peace Picture Competition, Exhibition & Coffee Morning at The Assembly Rooms. Free Entry
Mon 15 th May	No Playdayz
Tues 16 th May	3.45pm – 6.15pm U12 & U14 Rounders v St Clements. Away
Weds 17 th May	3.45pm – 5.00pm U13 Rounders v Glebe. Home
Fri 19 th May	LAMDA Exams all day
Mon 22 nd – Fri 26 th May	School Exams Book Fair after school
Mon 22 nd May	6.30pm PTA Meeting – All welcome
Tues 23 rd May	3.45pm – 6.15pm U12 & U14 Rounders v Springwood. Away 5.00pm – 7.00pm Lower School Parents Evening in the Gym
Weds 24 th May	3.45pm – 5.00pm U12 Rounders v TGS. Home 5.30pm for 6.00pm start LAMDA Performance Evening in the Barn Theatre
Fri 26 th May	3.40pm Half Term begins
Mon 5 th June	8.30am Summer Term resumes 3.00pm – 6.00pm U9 Rounders v Glebe. Away

Year 3 & 4 Humanities Lesson



Years 3 & 4 have been studying volcanoes with Miss Oatridge in their Humanities lessons. The class made volcanoes in glasses and understand the different layers. They used biscuits different coloured icing and custard. The results were excellent and it really helped to see the different layers in a volcano.

Miss Oatridge & Mrs Wilson

Holiday Egg Challenge – What an Eggcellent Eggstravaganza! Thank you all for engaging so well in this challenge. The eggs look amazing and have been a pleasure to display. We are really proud of everyone's efforts. We have had all sorts of designs from Cleopatra to Donald Trump. Thank you to everyone involved. Very well done! *Mrs Wilson*

The Gideons Visit to Year 7 – On Thursday 4th May the Gideons came to visit and gave all the class a bible each. The Gideons told Year 7 about the work they do and the different kinds of bibles they give to people. It was a really interesting visit. Mr Warnes commented how well Year 7 participated and how they listened attentively. He said he very much enjoyed his visit. This is lovely to hear particularly as their Form Teachers.
Mrs Heale, Mrs Wilson and Miss Wookey

First Aid Training – On Friday 5th May Years 8, 9, 10 had a first aid course. We learnt all about what to do in a situation and how to help in certain scenarios; for example, choking or fainting. We were also made aware of the fact that only a small proportion of the general public know basic first aid and how useful it would be if more of the public did know about it. This talk was very interesting and most of the classes agreed we would not now be afraid to help if we see any casualties take place in the future. We would like to thank St John's Ambulance for this very useful talk. *Connie Wilbur Year 10.*

On the 5th May, Years 8, 9 & 10 had a first aid morning. Through the St John's Ambulance we learnt about what's needed in a first aid kit, how to put someone into the recovery position and what to do if someone is injured. We all learnt useful information which could change someone's life.
Catherine Hazel Year 10.

On Friday Years 8, 9 & 10 enjoyed 'Lifesaving Skills in First Aid'. Everyone came out of the session feeling that they had learnt so much about First Aid. I especially enjoyed it because it can be used in the future.
Charlie Spurling Year 10



Quiz & Chips - Last Friday was the second PTA Quiz and Chips Evening. The theme was a school day with question rounds based on each subject, complete with break and lunchtime challenges. There was a diverse mix of tasks: netball shooting, origami, guess the ingredients, name the plant, country anagrams, etc. The evening was really well attended with a great mix of pupils, parents, staff, friends and family, and the action was both frantic and fun with many different skills and knowledge areas tested – truly something for everyone! The prize money was donated back to the PTA to help support future events. From a personal point of view, the real prize was seeing so many people come together and enjoying an event to support both the PTA and school. Our thanks go to everyone who attended and was involved in arranging the evening. Particular thanks go to Mrs. Calvert for her part in the planning and oversight.
Mr Murphy



Book Fair Parent Help Please –
 Monday 22nd May help between 3.20pm and 4.20pm
 Tuesday 23rd May at Parents Evening for half hour slots between 5pm and 7pm
 Friday 26th May Run the Fair between 3.20pm and 4.20pm
 Please let the office know if you are able to help.
 Thank you

Congratulations to our Catering Manager, Kirsty and her team in the kitchen on achieving another 5* Food Hygiene Rating Certificate.

Car Parking - We have had several incidences of staff not being able to park or exit the staff car park because it is being used by parents. We realise that parking has been particularly difficult on Sporle Road this week but we cannot have a situation where the Air Ambulance isn't able to gain access to our field in an emergency. **Fr would be happy for parents to use the carpark of Our Lady of Pity to ease the situation. Thank you**

All Speech & Drama Students – LAMDA exams on 19th May!! Please bring in words and props if needed, note cards and visual aids for public speaking exams and favourite book and/or photo for Years 1 & 2.

There will be a Speech & Drama Evening run-through after exams in the Speech Room at 1pm – 2pm. All S & D students must attend!

The LAMDA Performance Evening will take place on Wednesday 24th May from 6.00pm.

(Participants to arrive for 5.30pm). We hope that you will be able to come along to encourage and support all our performers!

Mrs Pickering and Mrs Bhundia

URGENT – Please would all Lower School pupils check PE bags etc. for a jumper belonging to Ava McInnes. It is labelled. Thank you.

Miss Gooderson

The Sainsbury voucher collection is going well with a new total of 2838! This promotion will end shortly so please be nice to the check-out staff who will often add a few extra from the shoppers not saving vouchers, and keep them coming in! Thank you

We have received the following notice from Julia Stafford Culture and Heritage Officer at St John the Baptist Cathedral -

Why not visit the Cathedral of St John the Baptist for a stunning tower tour? Nowhere else in the city can you experience such memorable views of Norwich. Climb 280 steps up a spiral staircase to the top of the tower and find yourself surrounded by a 360 degree view of the historic and beautiful city. Spot iconic local landmarks on the skyline and of course don't forget to take advantage of this perfect photo opportunity! But that's not all; on your way up the tower stop off to catch your breath at the crossing balcony and view the transept and nave from great heights.

Tower tours take place every Saturday and started on May 6th at 1.30pm, and go through until the end of September.

Sensible shoes are advised – children must be 8 years or at least 130 cm tall.

No need to book, but arrive early to avoid disappointment.

£5 adult, £3.50 child, or pre-book a group visit for a discounted tour.'

Sr Francis and Staff

