



St John Fisher Catholic Primary School
"Growing through God, we learn, laugh and love"

NEWSLETTER 23rd February 2024



Our fabulous gymnasts placed 2nd in the local schools competition.

They are now through to the regional competition on the 21st March.

We are very proud of them all.

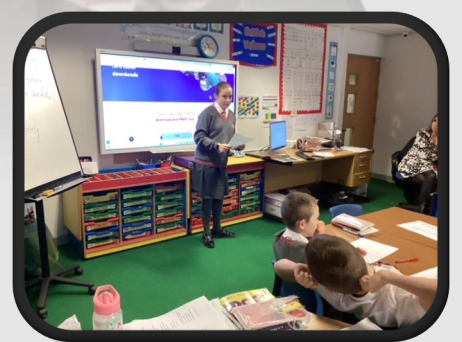
Year 1

This week Year 1 have been making 3D sculptures in Art.



Poetry

This week we have had Paul Delaney in school. Paul is a local writer and poet and has worked with our children to develop their poetry writing skills.



Year 4

Year 4 have been thinking about the promise God made to us and the promises we can make during Lent.



Friday 23rd February—Family Fast Day

We will be selling toast to raise money for CAFOD. 20p per slice but all donations welcome.

Friday 1st March—Cake Sale

Cake donations welcome by Thursday 29th Feb.

Friday 8th March—Money to be raised from World Book Day book swap scheme.

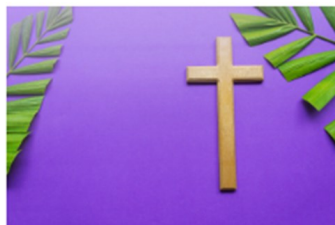
Friday 15th March— Donations for Easter Bingo.

Thursday 21st March—Easter Bingo. Doors open at 5.30pm, eyes down at 6pm.

Friday 22nd March— The Big Lent Sponsored Walk.

**ST JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC
PRIMARY SCHOOL |**

THE BIG LENT WALK 2024



**EVERY CLASS IS INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE
BIG LENT WALK TO RAISE MONEY FOR CAFOD.
PLEASE BRING A DONATION**

Awards

Congratulations to the following children

SMILE AWARDS



DOJO AWARDS



SUPERSTAR



Half term Winners

Well done to everyone who read over the half term.



This week our class winners are

Year 3

Well done to them.

Our pupil competition winner is Jake from Year 5.

Our Phonics star pupil is Elliott from Year 2.

Well done Jake and Elliott





28th February—Year 4 concert at the Foundry.

1st March—Cake Sale

4th March—Y6 Chemistry with Cabbage.

5th— 7th March—Scholastic Book Fair after School.

6th March—Choir Spring Concert at P&P

7th March—World Book Day—parents welcome in from 2.30pm

11th March— Reception -Mothers Day Forest School at 2pm.

12th March—Reception and Year 1—“The Tiger Who Came to Tea” theatre trip.

15th March— Dress down and donations for Easter Bingo

20th March— Choir Brindley Concert

21st March—Year 5 Shakespeare trip to Norton Priory

21st March—Easter Bingo

22nd March—The Big Lent Sponsored Walk

25th-28th March—Y6 Bikeability.

28th March—Y1/2/3/4/5 trip to Chester Zoo

SCHOOL CLOSSES NORMAL TIME ON THURSDAY 28TH MARCH AND REOPENS ON MONDAY THE 15TH APRIL.



SCHOOL CLUBS

Clubs until the end of term.....

- Year 1 and 2 Maths Club - Wednesday after school until 4pm.
- Year 4,5 and 6 Reading Plus—Wednesday after school until 4pm
- Year 4 and 5—Lunch time Wellbeing Club
- Choir—Thursday after school until 4.15pm
- Year 6—Boys Football Thursday after school until 4.15pm

KS2 Drama Club—Coming soon more details to follow.

St John Fisher—Live on X
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PARKING AROUND THE SCHOOL AT DROP OFF AND COLLECTION

Can we please ask that you do not park or manoeuvre outside the gates when dropping off/collecting. As you can appreciate the school is situated in a side road which makes parking difficult so we would ask that you park elsewhere rather than risk manoeuvring on Edward Street.

We understand that you are all busy and have places to go of a morning and evening but please lets not wait for a child to be hurt.

Please be courteous to our neighbours on Castle Street when parking.

WORLD
BOOK
DAY

READ YOUR WAY!

UNLEASH YOUR READING SUPERPOWER...

For World Book Day Thursday 7th March 2024, our celebrations will encourage children to *Read Your Way*.

Every reader is different, and there's no right or wrong way to enjoy reading.

To encourage children to think about what reading looks like for them, and to encourage adventure, mystery and laughter, we are running a competition.

We would like all of our children and staff to share a picture of themselves reading in their own individual way.

The more unique the better.

Each class will have a winner and there will also be an overall KS1 winner and KS2 winner.

Please email your entries before March 4th with the name of your child, their class and the subject World Book Day sec.stjohnfisher@haltonlearning.net

To continue the fun children are invited to come into school dressed their own way - whether it be in costume, pj's or own clothes. There is no wrong way to celebrate and enjoy reading.

From 4th-8th of March we will be running a book swap at lunch times where children can bring in a book to swap or buy a pre-loved book for £1. All profits will be donated to CAFOD. Book donations will be greatly appreciated and can be handed to class teacher from next week.

Finally, we would also like to invite all of our parents into class on March 7th at 2.30 to join us and share a snack, a story and some book related fun.

ECO CLUB

Green School Project "Recycling"

Our project is recycling hard to recycle items.

Examples of these include:

- Biscuit wrappers
- Cracker wrappers
- Cake wrappers

ACCEPTED WASTE



Please bring your wrappers into class to help us earn points that can be converted into cash for the school.