

St Joseph's Catholic Primary School



'Treat others the way you want to be treated.'

Matthew 7:12

26/4/24

Dear Family,

It has been extremely busy here in school this week, with lots of learning taking place outside the classroom! Our Year 2 children have been to Eastnor pottery, Year 5 have been making pizzas at Pizza Express and Nursery and Year 3 have been to the Community Gardens!

We have also celebrated St George's Day on Tuesday, as well as enjoying our daily lessons and welcoming visitors to lead a variety of workshops linked to our current topics.

On Thursday morning Liberty Class went to Church, to celebrate Mass with Father Nick and fellow parishioners at St Frances of Rome. Miss Sadler received lots of compliments from fellow parishioners on how well behaved our children were and how well they participated in the Mass.

We are so proud of them— Well done Reception Class!



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YEAR 2 VISIT EASTNOR POTTERY

As part of their art topic on sculpture, Year 2 visited Eastnor pottery on Tuesday for a fun filled day of sculpting! The children loved creating their own houses and are looking forward to seeing the finished pieces in a few weeks. A huge thank you to Jon for teaching us so many new skills.





BLUE LAGOON AT COMMUNITY GARDENS

A message from Mr Mason....

Blue Lagoon class enjoyed their sunny trip to the Community Gardens on St. George's Day. They were surprised to be welcomed by the head of the willow dragon that St. George must have defeated before we arrived! The children enjoyed holding the dragon head and hearing how it was made. We weren't the only visitors on day the either. There were hives of bees that have just been delivered and the children learnt how respectful and quiet you must be around them so they can make our world look beautiful. Before we left they had the chance to plant some peas and bring them home to look after. A great day once again thanks to the wonderful volunteers at the Community Gardens!





PIZZA MAKING IN YEAR 5!

Year 5 had the most amazing time at Pizza Express in Monmouth yesterday! Their DT work is all about recipes and food preparation and they were so lucky to all have the chance to make a pizza from scratch. They each rolled the dough and then added toppings carefully, before delivering their pizza to the chef to be put in the super-hot oven for an incredible four minutes. Once the pizzas came out of the oven, they smelled so incredible that the children couldn't resist testing out their new-found culinary skills! Well done, Year 5!





HAPPY ST GEORGE'S DAY!

On Tuesday we celebrated St George's Day as a whole school family. We all enjoyed dressing in red and white and learning more about the story of St George.

Happy
St Georges
Day







Garden Club



A message from Henry Bennett..

This week in gardening club we planted beetroot. We used the rake to flatten the soil, make some holes and then plant our beetroot seeds. We're looking forward to watching them grow and then tasting them!



THE COOKING CLUB

A message from Miss Sadler...

This week at Cooking Club, the children helped to bake Sausage Rolls and Cheese Twists. After filling our pastry, the children helped to roll and crimp the dough to seal in the filling. We then brushed milk over the top before putting them into the oven to make them nice and golden once cooked.



NEWS FROM OUR FSJ....

We are looking for volunteers to help us with the Summer Fayre on Saturday 29th June. If you are able to help please contact the school office or a member of the FSJ .

VOLUNTEER



On Monday 20th May, we will be holding a 'CRAZY HAIR DAY' here in school. On this day the children are invited to come to school with a wacky hair style and we will be holding a competition for the craziest styles!

On this day, we are asking for donations for the summer fayre, such as toiletries, chocolates, bottles and toys. Please could these be brought to the school office on the morning on 20th May. Thank you in advance.

we are looking for jam jars for one of our stalls, if anyone could donate any with or without lids please...

Thank you in advance for your help!



HELP
WANTED



Thank you!

We raised £54.40 from our cake sale last Friday! And £162.56 from our Jumble Sale. Thank you to everyone who supported this event.



YEAR 5 SCIENCE IN ACTION!

A message from Rhys. B....

In Science this week we have been investigating how materials can mix. We looked at how mixtures of solid materials can be separated by sieving.

