

St Kentigern's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

June 2006

Dear Parents,

As we approach the end of another school year we reflect on all the hard work of our children, staff, PTFA and the support of the parish given to the children throughout the Sacramental Programmes.

Our PTFA is a small but dedicated group of parents, friends of the school and staff who work hard to organise

events that all our families can enjoy. The biggest event of their calendar takes place this weekend and I invite all of you to come and join in the fun and support the school.

Children who took part in the Sacramental Programmes will be pleased to know that the photographs of the First Communion and Confirmation Days will be

available on Sunday at the Summer Fair.

I look forward to seeing you at the many events before the end of term which is approaching very quickly!

Yours sincerely,

Frances Wygladala

PTFA News

Thanks to all who supported the Treasure Hunt. It was a poorly attended, but those families that came certainly had fun!

M a n y Congratulations to the winners, Matthew Tobin and family and to the quiz winners, Helena Leonard's family.

My thanks also go to the PTFA for organising the event and Andy Birch, ably assisted by James and Joseph for setting up the treasure hunt around the locality.

Bags 2 School

A new fund raiser!
Clear out your



**SUMMER FUN DAY
THIS SUNDAY
11.30AM**

Stalls include: BBQ, Bouncy castles, Guess the name of the Flower Pots, Face Painting, Tin Can Alley, Penalty Shoot Out, Hook a Duck, Name the Gorilla,



BRING A BOTTLE & SOME CHOCOLATE TO SCHOOL DAY

Please bring a bottle and chocolate to school on Friday, 30th June to help us with the Summer Fun Day. You can bring wine, water, pop, sun-cream, perfume,

bubble bath or anything that is in a bottle and chocolate bars, boxes of chocolates etc (Please make sure that whatever you bring is "in date".) Thank you.

"CALLING ALL BAKERS"

We are looking for parents to bake cakes, make mini trifles, scones etc for the cake stall. Please ring school (393302) and just confirm that you can help. Chocolate brownies and

buns are a real favourite. Please bring any items along on the day and leave them in the school entrance. Thank you.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Please can all raffle tickets be returned to school by Friday, 30th June (£1 per book). We have some fantastic prizes on offer this year including; £100 first prize

Tickets to local attractions
Fancy Goods
Bottles etc.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES PHOTGRAPHS

Individual photographs from the First Holy Communion Day and the Confirmation evening are now ready. They will be available at the Summer Fun Day this weekend. The group photographs can be ordered on Sunday and collected at a later date.

DIGITAL VIDEO COMPETITION

Congratulations to all those pupils who took part in the Digital Video Competition this year.

We entered the following categories:

Make me laugh.... Saul, Alex, Senga, Courtney, Lauren, Jin Yang, Matthew, Jessica,

Teach me something.... Joseph, Eleanor, Beth, Tiffany, Liam, Chris, Dalton,

Digital Animation... the whole of Y6 'The Jabberwocky'

Many thanks to Miss Wallbank, Mrs Heyes and Mr Dobbert for all their time and talents.

Several children attended the Odeon cinema and voted for their favourite films.

We won the 'Make me Laugh' category with 'manage my homework' a video made up of excuses for not doing homework! Slightly worrying!!

The children went up to receive their Oscar and were thrilled to have won.

The digital video project has been running two years and we have won on both occasions, this shows the commitment of the staff and governors to ICT and a celebration of the quality of work that is produced in ICT throughout the school. On our last inspection in February 2002 ICT was a weakness and now it is a strength, used constantly to deliver the curriculum throughout the day. WELL DONE!!

SCHOOL UNIFORM

School uniform is now in stock. Please try and purchase uniform for September before school closes in July.

Order forms are available from Mrs Winston in the School Office.

Thanks to all parents who support the School Uniform Fund.

PRINTER CARTRIDGES

This recycling scheme allows us to claim money back for empty printer cartridges (HP, EPSON, CANON & LEXMARK) Please keep sending in any used toner/cartridges.

PERSIL STARS

Please collect the token from the boxes and send them in to school. They help us to buy much needed arts and craft resources. .

NESTLE CEREAL

Please keep sending in the Box Tops. They can be found on packets of Shreddies, Fibre 1, Clusters and other Nestle cereals which provide a healthy start for the day for the family.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT. IT IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

Shoe Boxes

Mrs McGrath is collecting shoes boxes for Y1's Design & Technology topic, houses and homes.

Please recycle any spare ones to the school office for Y1 to use.

Thank you

Road Safety Training

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 29th June

10.15am Mass for St. Peter & St. Paul

Friday 30th June

Own Clothes Day—bring a bottle and some chocolate to school

10.10am Y5's Class Assembly

Sunday 2nd July

10.30am Family Mass in Church

11.30am PTFA Summer Fun Day

All welcome

Tuesday 4th July

1.30pm Y6 to The Norbreck Castle for Veterans Day Celebrations

Wednesday 5th July

2pm KS2 Garden Liturgy

Thursday 6th July

Reception/Y1 and Y2 trip to the zoo

Friday 7th July

1.30pm KS2 Sports Day at Stanley Park Area

Tuesday 11th July

6.15pm Full Governors Meeting

Wednesday 12th July

2pm KS1 Garden Liturgy

4pm/5pm/6pm Open Evening in School

Thursday 13th July

Good Shepherd Day in Lancaster

Friday 14th July

10.10am Y4's Class Assembly

6pm Leavers Mass

7pm PTFA End of Year Disco and BBQ

Monday 17th July

2pm Y6 Concert 'What a lot of bother' in the hall

Wednesday 19th July

10.15am End of Year Mass and presentations

2pm Close for the Summer Holidays

Return to school on Monday 4th September