

# St. Peter & St. Paul Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Tracey Peters

Friday 8th March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have come to the end of another very busy week in school culminating with our dress up day for World Book Day!

#### **Prayer Life of the School**

A prayer for peace:

God of peace and justice,
we pray for the people of The Holy Land,
Muslim, Christian and Jew.
We pray for an end to acts of violence and terror.
We lift to you all who are fearful and hurting.
We ask for wisdom and compassion for those in leadership.
Above all, we ask that Jesus the Prince of Peace,
would bring lasting reconciliation and justice for all.
Amen.

# Year 2 Assembly



Year 2 did a lovely assembly all about Lent. They had some wonderful, uplifting songs and really explained the message about the Good News.







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## Year 1 Assembly

Year 1 will have their class assembly on Thursday 14th March.

## **Year 4 Swimming**

Year 4 completed their first week of swimming and they have thoroughly enjoyed it and they will continue next week.

# **World Book Day**

Today we celebrated World Book Day with our dress up theme being 'Carnival of the Animals'. Author James Sellick came to the school and did assemblies and workshops with all classes. He also went into the classrooms to look at our beautiful book corners and had the difficult task of deciding on a winner!













# **International Women's Day**

Today, is International Women's Day but as it was our dress up day for World Book Day, we will be celebrating next week. The campaign theme for International Women's Day 2024 is 'Inspire Inclusion'. When we inspire others to understand and value women's inclusion, we forge a better world and when women themselves are inspired to be included, there's a sense of belonging, relevance, and empowerment.

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Next week, we will have a series of visitors coming to the school to talk to the children about their journey and how it is important for all to celebrate women not just on this day but throughout the year.



# Year 6 Football



The Year 6 football team had another football match on Thursday which they sadly lost 1-0. Better luck next time!

#### Music Lessons

There are 2 piano lesson spaces available. If your child is interested in doing piano lessons, please email: <a href="mailto:parentsupport@stpetersandstpauls.islington.sch.uk">parentsupport@stpetersandstpauls.islington.sch.uk</a>

Music lesson payments are now available on ParentPay.

# **Community Announcements**



Drop in event Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 4pm – 7pm at the Podium Garden regarding improvements to the Triangle Estate

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Excellent opportunity to continue swimming lessons during the holidays.



# **Attendance and Punctuality**

A huge congratulations to Ruby Class with 98.1% attendance and a big congratulations to Diamond Class who had 2 lates this week. Keep up the hard work!



## **Uniform**

Please be reminded that on **non-PE days children should come to school in their school uniform**. There has been an increase in the number of children mixing and matching what to wear and thinking this okay to do. Remember we wear our badge and uniform with pride!

Thank you for your support with regards to this matter.

## **Pope Francis**

In this Sunday's Gospel, we read about the 'light' that has come into the world. Pope Francis reminds us, "Jesus is the light who brightens the darkness." Letting Jesus' light shine in our lives provides a secure foundation for our lives and for the lives of our children too. This Gospel also reminds us that God loves us so much that he gave his only Son for us.

"Jesus leads us to go out from ourselves more and more, to give ourselves and to serve others." Pope Francis.

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Have a fantastic weekend.

Kind Regards,

Miss T Peters and Mrs. F Gormley

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