



# St. Bartholomew's Catholic Primary School

# Newsletter

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Issue 05

## DEAR PARENTS AND CARERS,

October is one of the months the Church particularly dedicates to Our Lady and we will be thinking and learning about her over the month and asking her to intercede for us all.

Wishing you a lovely weekend,

**MRS MCRAE**



## ATTENDANCE

Well done to St Peter's who won the class Attendance Ted and St Clare's who won Punctuality Pup this week.

| CLASS         | %      |
|---------------|--------|
| St Bernadette | 98.8 % |
| St Clare      | 99.3 % |
| St Peter      | 99.4 % |
| St Paul       | 97.2 % |
| St George     | 96.4 % |
| St Martin     | 96.9 % |
| St Josephine  | 96.4 % |
| St Theresa    | 97.7 % |
| St Andrew     | 96.6 % |
| St Patrick    | 97.0 % |
| St David      | 98.9 % |



## HOT CHOCOLATE FRIDAY

| CLASS        | PUPIL      |
|--------------|------------|
| St Josephine | Reggie     |
| St Martin    | Julia      |
| St Theresa   | Chinemerem |
| St Andrew    | Maja Z     |
| St Patrick   | Harper     |
| St David     | Shanjevan  |



## Congratulations!

## Corner

### HEADTEACHER'S CERTIFICATES

- ★ Jenica and Roman in St Peter for excellent independent writing
- ★ Obafemi, Takshvi and Alex in St Theresa for excellent creative writing
- ★ Lauren in St Theresa for being creative and making her teacher happy!
- ★ Celina in St Martin for just being amazing all the time
- ★ Olivia in St Martin for fabulous creative writing
- ★ Bobbi in St Martin for being very helpful to her classmates



### ACADEMIC REVIEW DAY

We would like to invite you into school to talk about your child's learning and progress with their class teacher.

The Academic Review Day will take place on **Friday 23rd October between 08:30– 15:00**. Appointments will be 10 minutes per child, and are bookable in advance.

You will have a chance to view some of your child's work just before your appointment. Children can attend the appointments and we particularly encourage Y5 and Y6 pupils to attend.

**To book your appointment please click on the Guardian Consultations via the Arbor app. Bookings will open at 4pm today.**



## CST CUP

### KS1:

Roshika is a kind and caring girl who helps others and makes everyone feel included. She spreads hope and kindness, helping make St Peter's a happier place for all.

### KS2:

This week, Sarah receives the KS2 CST cup for consistently embodying our class principle of human dignity, showing remarkable kindness, politeness, and respect to everyone around her. Sarah is a true role model whose daily actions demonstrate how love, responsibility, and service to others make our school community a better place.

## DARTFORD FC

Congratulations to Santino and Ella, who were named joint winners of the competition to design the new Dartford FC football kit. With over 30 primary schools taking part, this was a fantastic achievement. We are excited to see their winning designs brought to life. As part of their prize, they each received a Bluewater gift voucher.



## ST THERESA CLASS MASS

Well done to St Theresa's class who led a wonderful class Mass on Thursday on the day of their class Saint



## KCSP MASS

On Tuesday our KS2 chaplains represented the school at a wonderful outdoor Mass in Aylesford to celebrate the beginning of the year with our KCSP family.



## COMING UP IN OCTOBER



### OCTOBER

#### Tuesday 13th

- St Peter Class Trip

#### Thursday 15th

- 11+ Kent Test Results published to parents
- EYFS Phonic Coffee Morning 09:15
- Prospective Parent Tour 2pm

#### Friday 16th

- NHS Flu Vaccinations
- Autumn Themed Own Clothes Day in exchange for Harvest Festival goods

#### Monday 19th

- Y3 & Y4 Egyptian Day
- PTA Movie Event

#### Tuesday 20th

- St George Class Trip

#### Wednesday 21st

- St Paul Class Trip (pm)
- Harvest Festival 09:30

#### Thursday 22nd

- Buddy Assembly EYFS Parents invited
- **Last day of Term**

#### Friday 23rd

- **ACADEMIC REVIEW DAY**



**WE SERVE THE LORD WITH JOY AS ONE SCHOOL ONE FAMILY**