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Friday 22nd June 2018

Dear Parents, Carers, Children and Governors,



Sports Day — This will take place at 1pm on Wednesday 27^{th} June 2018. There will be a parent's race, a raffle and hotdogs will be on for sale from 2pm -3.30pm at £1.50each.

The forecast is for very warm weather please put sun cream on your child before school and make sure they bring a hat / cap.

Pre-loved Uniform Sale: During sports day Wednesday 27th June

- School Logo Jumpers/Cardigans £5
- Footwear £5
- Shirts/blouses 50p each, 3 for £1
- School Dresses £2
- School Trousers £2
- School Shorts/Skirts £1
- PE clothing £1
- Tights 50p for 2 pairs
- Anything else £1

Please bring change with you.

<u>PTA Summer Raffle £1 per ticket</u> - Tickets to be bought on the day only, if you are unable to attend Sports Day you can still purchase a ticket through your child. Please send money in an envelope with your child's name and year group clearly written and how many tickets you wish to purchase.

1st prize - Coventry Blaze family ticket for the 2018-19 season / 2nd prize - Octanauts private swim lessons 3rd prize - Balsall Common swim school block of swim lessons / 4th prize - WASPS family ticket 5th prize - Planet Ice family pass



<u>School Games Gold</u> - We are delighted to announce that we have achieved the School Games Gold Mark Award for the 2017/18 academic year.

- . Our sporting achievements this year include:
 - Increase in children's participation within physical activity clubs
 - Taking part in lots of competitions and sporting event
 - Clear and structured lesson plans and assessment
- Clear progression of children's skills over the year
- A wide range of sporting activities for the children to compete and achieve

As part of our application, we were asked to fulfil criteria in the areas of participation, competition, workforce and clubs, and we are pleased that the hard work of everyone at our school has been rewarded this year. A special thanks to Miss Matthews (our PE Co-ordinator) Mr Higginson, Mr Neenan, Mr Shale and all the staff that have supported the children to competitions and events. We look forward to applying once again in 2019.

Year 1 class assembly on Thursday 28th June at 9am — The theme for the assembly is the Seaside - all welcome.

Former OLA pupils win awardsThe Year 11 teachers at Bishop Ullathorne school voted for the pupils to receive the 'Best Pupil Awards'. Ethan Ward won a trophy in 1st winner and Georgia Hogg and Yen Ngoc Luong were runner-ups. It's great that they were all former OLA students that got selected out of the whole year group! Congratulations to all three past pupils — brilliant!

<u>Coats / sun hats</u> - With our ever-changing, unpredictable British weather please send your child in a coat if it's cold and a sun hat if its fine and sunny.

Year 6 production of Beauty and the Beast This will be on Wednesday 11th July at 6pm. Please put the date in your diary!

Nursery closed – Our Nursery will be closed to current pupils on Friday 29th June to allow the new Nursery pupils for September to visit.

It's a Knockout Day - What a great day we all had! My favourite comment came from a child in Year 1 when as she walked out onto the field she said 'This is all my dreams come true!' Priceless!

Wizard of Oz - M+M Productions - Thank you to the PTA who paid for yesterday's performance of Wizard of Oz — all the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

<u>School Uniform Sale</u> <u>from Andy Blair</u> We will be holding another school uniform sale this year, offering our school uniform items at cost price. The next dates is: **Thursday 5th July 3pm – 5pm**

Year 6 trip to London - This will be on Monday 25th June — the children will visit the Science Museum, The Natural History Museum and pop to see Buckingham Palace. We hope they have a great trip.

Nursery places for September 2018 - We have a couple of spaces left in our Nursery for this coming September. If you know of anyone who would like a place then please ask them to contact us. Our Nursery is open to Catholic and Non-Catholic children who are 3 years old by 31st August 2018

Stars of the Week:

Congratulations to these wonderful SUPERSTARS who have shone this week: They had 'Tea with Mrs C' this morning and shared with me their Maths and English books.

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Reception – Darcie Gilling -Davies

Year 1 – Whole class at the Sealife Centre

Year 2 - Lennon Braithwaite Year 3- Kaiyla Jai Hopkins Year 4 - Rawnaq Kassa

Year 5 - Shane Stanton
Year 6- Doreen Tetteh

Attendance: for the last week - Well Done Year 6 - Baby Cookie Bear visiting you today

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
96%	94%	97%	96%	97%	93%	98%

<u>Mass –</u> Mass on Tuesday 26th June – Year 3 / Tuesday 3rd July – Reception and Year 5 / No school mass on Tuesday 10th July.

Medical information — attached to this newsletter is a table giving details of different infections, the exclusion period from school and any other comments. I am sure you will find this useful if your child is ill.

Relationship and Sex Education Policy. — We are currently in the process of updating our policy and would like to seek your views and opinions on its contents. This policy is taken directly from the Catholic Education Service as we are obliged to follow their policy for this area. I've put the policy on the website under Catholic Life / Relationships and Sex Education. Please contact admin@ourlady.coventry.sch.uk to add your thoughts — the deadline is Monday 2nd July. Thank you.

SPORTS DESK

<u>Athletics Competition</u> - The squad competed on 21st June at Warwick University Track — more info next week.

Making The Memories! Here are some of the key events for this half term.

Monday 25th June – Year 6 trip to London – Science Museum and Buckingham Palace

Tuesday 26th June — Year 3 at mass / pm Dental nurse in for Year 6 Dental hygiene / Family Learning Night — Astronaut training for Year 5 at SS Mary's and Benedicts School in Hillfields

Wednesday 27th June – Dental nurse in for Dental Hygiene with Year 1 and Year 3 / 1pm SPORTS DAY inc parents' race! / raffle / pre-loved school uniform sale/ hot dogs £1.50 from 2pm -3.30pm

Thursday 28th June - 9am Year 1 class assembly

Friday 29th June – Holy Day of Obligation - Feast Day of SS Peter and Paul – 9am school mass led by Y4.

Tuesday 3rd July - 9am Reception class at mass / Ogden Science Awards at SJV 6pm

Wednesday 4th July — Transition Day —Y6 go to their new schools, our children move up to their new classroom to be with their new teacher

Thursday 5th June — Andy Blair School Uniform Sale — all at cost price 3pm — 5pm

Wednesday 11th July at 6pm — Year 6 production of Beauty and the Beast

Thursday 12th July – 9am Year 2 Graduation assembly

Friday 13th July - Pupil Progress Reports go out today

Tuesday 17th July - Year 6 Leavers and Thanksgiving Mass 9.15am in church

Thursday 19th July - End of term awards assembly

Friday 20th July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Friday 20th July - Break up for summer holidays

Children return back to school on Tuesday 4th September 2018

Week commencing 25th June 2018 at a glance - ALL CLUBS FINISH AT 4.15PM

Date	Time	Activity	Venue
Monday	3.15pm -4.15pm	Irish Dancing	Hall
Tuesday	9.15am	Y3 at mass today	
	3.15pm - 4.15pm	Sports Club Years 3 and 4 with Mr Shale	Field
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 4 / 5 with Mr H and Mr Neenan	
Wednesday	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 1 and 2 Multi skills with Mr Neenan/ Mr Shale	Astro pitch
Thursday	9am	Year 1 class assembly — theme Seaside	
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 3 and 4 Football	Astro pitch
	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Year 4 and 5 Netball with Miss Matthews and Mr H	
Friday	9am	Celebration assembly	

Have a lovely weekend