



St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Miss V Maher

Newsletter – 8 March 2024

Spring Term

Book Week

The children have enjoyed so many activities this week including Reading breakfast, story time with Mrs Williams the English Ambassadors went to read to the other classes and dressing up on Wednesday! It is always wonderful to see our children engaging so positively with the magic of books and their characters.

Thank you to our English leader, Mrs Williams, for organising the week and to all of our children and parents for your continued support.



Pond Dipping for Reception

On Tuesday Reception visited the River Cray to do some pond dipping. They had lots of fun using their nets to catch different creatures. They caught some freshwater shrimps and even found a newt.



Congratulations

Congratulations to Year 4 who won our first Times Tables battle! They will now proceed to the final for a chance to win a trophy. Next week, Year 5 will battle Year 6. Remember to practise on Times Tables Rocks Stars!

Deanery Mass

We are so proud of our choir members who showcased their talent and devotion at our Deanery Mass on Wednesday evening. We are immensely grateful for their dedication, as they sacrificed their precious time and extracurricular activities to enrich our Catholic community. We extend our gratitude to parents and carers for supporting attendance at this special Mass. The children represented our school beautifully and we were incredibly proud of both their singing and exemplary behaviour in church. We will be rewarding attendance at this Mass with a Pyjama party.

Five out of Five !

Both our school kitchen and breakfast /after school club recently had spot checks from Bromley's Environmental Health teams. Both were awarded 5 which is the best rating possible ! Well done to all of the staff who ensured that such high standards are maintained – all very reassuring.

Year 4 Class Assembly

We watched a most informative assembly on sound and hearing presented by our Year 4 children. They have learned so much and performed so well. Thank you to Mr Oliveri and all the adults who helped prepare the children.

Girls Football Team

Our Girls' team played a fantastic match against Worsley Bridge yesterday and won 2-0 Well done girls!



Congratulations to our winners

Congratulations to our writers of the month.

	January Writer of the month
Reception	Chinenye
Year 1	Ethan C
Year 2	Amelia
Year 3	/
Year 4	Raymond
Year 5	Machi
Year 6	Henry

	February Writer of the month
Reception	Kairo
Year 1	Lorenzo
Year 2	Josiah
Year 3	Milan
Year 4	Freddie
Year 5	Elena
Year 6	Arya

Winners of our book week plate competition

Congratulations to our plate competition winners.



Pupil of the Week

Congratulations to this week's winners!

Reception - Ava

Year 1 - Alvin

Year 2 - Caleb

Year 3 - James

Year 4 - Rhian

Year 5 - Luca

Year 6 - Maksym



BPV SEND COFFEE MORNING

Join us at our supportive coffee mornings for parent/carers of children/YP with SEND

Rhiannon's Cafe, Bromley United Reform Church, Widmore Rd, BR1 1RH

Friday 22nd Feb 10 - 11:30am

Friday 8 March 10 - 11:30am

Friday 22 March 10am - 11:30am

Coffee Mornings will then resume after Easter



ADVANCE NOTICE REGARDING GREEN ROOM CLUB CLOSURE

To whom it may concern,

Our Green Room Club (GRC) After School Childcare Facility

WILL NOT BE OPEN

Thursday 16th May 2024 (3.20-5.45pm)

due to staff training.

Please make alternate provision should you require after school care on that day.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

Breakfast Club will be open as usual



JUVENTUS TAEKWONDO ACADEMY STUDENT OF THE MONTH



**FEBRUARY 2024
TARAJI**

JUVENTUS TAEKWONDO ACADEMY STUDENT OF THE MONTH - FEBRUARY 2024

CONGRATULATIONS TARAJI (Yr4)

Awarded STUDENT OF THE MONTH for showing amazing focus, determination and being a great Team Player. Taraji is growing in confidence with each session.

WELL DONE TARAJI !! KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK !!!

Class Assembly

Year 1 22.03.24
Year 5 27.03.24
Year 6 15.03.24

Attendance Race 2023/2024

Attendance and Lateness for the week beginning 26^h February 2023:

Class	Attendance (%)	Lates (occasions)
Reception	100	3
Year 1	98	1
Year 2	98	0
Year 3	94	0
Year 4	96	3
Year 5	98	0
Year 6	96	1

Reception were all in every day this week – well done !

League Table

Year	No. of Wins
Reception	1
Year 1	4
Year 2	4
Year 3	2
Year 4	3
Year 5	3
Year 6	1

Weeks in competition: 18 (full weeks only)

OVERALL ATTENDANCE FOR THE WEEK 97.5%

Have a wonderful weekend.

Miss Veronica Maher



TERM DATES

Spring Term 2024

Last day of term Thursday 28th March 2024

Summer Term 2024:

First day of term Monday 15th April 2024

Bank Holiday

Monday 6th May 2024

Half-term

27.05.24 – 31.05.2024

Last day of term

Friday 19th July 2024

INSET DAYS

Monday 22nd, Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th July 2024

TERM DATES

ACADEMIC YEARS 2024 - 2025

Autumn Term 2023:

INSET DAYS:

Tuesday 27th August 2024

Wednesday 28th August 2024

First day back: Thursday 29th August 2024

Half-term

21.10.21 – 1.11.24

Last day of term

Friday 20th December 2024

Spring Term 2025:

First day of term Monday 6th January 2025

Half-term

17.02.25 – 21.02.25

Last day of term

Friday 4th April 2025

Summer Term 2025:

First day of term Tuesday 22nd April 2025

Bank Holiday

Monday 5th May 2025

Half-term

26.05.25 – 30.05.2025

Last day of term

Friday 18th July 2025

INSET DAYS

Monday 21st, Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd July 2025