



St. Philomena's Catholic Primary School

Headteacher: Miss V Maher

Newsletter – 01 April 2022 Spring Term

Walk Against Hunger for CAFOD

The children enjoyed participating in our sponsored walk (a total walk of 200km) to contribute to CAFOD's 40,000km walk around the world. Thank you to everybody who sponsored our children, your money will go towards tackling hunger and supporting our brothers and sisters around the world. Your generosity has been amazing and together we can help the 200 million children around the world who are at risk of malnutrition.



Here is a breakdown of sponsorship per class:

| | £ |
|--------------|----------------|
| Reception | 141.00 |
| Year 1 | 297.25 |
| Year 2 | 124.00 |
| Year 3 | 80.00 |
| Year 4 | 180.00 |
| Year 5 | 53.00 |
| Year 6 | 233.00 |
| Total | 1108.25 |

Year 1 will get a small prize as they were the class that raised the most money



SCHOOL CLUBS AFTER THE EASTER BREAK

Please keep an eye on your emails, as booking forms for school clubs after the Easter break will be sent by Schoolcomms on Monday 11th April 2022. Spaces are allocated on a first come first served basis. Enrolment instructions will be included in the message.

Platinum Jubilee - Lighting of the beacon - tickets available to book

As part of HM Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations this year we are lighting a beacon in Crystal Palace Park. This is part of a national event with 1,500 beacons being lit across the country on the evening of Thursday 2nd June.

The event is free but ticketed and numbers are being limited to 7000.

Further information can be found here: [Get your tickets to the Platinum Jubilee beacon lighting | London Borough of Bromley.](https://www.getyourtickets.com/tickets-to-the-platinum-jubilee-beacon-lighting-london-borough-of-bromley)

See also the related tweet

[https://twitter.com/LBofBromley/status/1508830220673073157.](https://twitter.com/LBofBromley/status/1508830220673073157)



Rock Steady Concert

This morning Rock Steady performed their end of term concert – some very talented children we have ! Well Done was a great concert.



Year 6 Easter Egg Hunt

Some of our Year 6 hosted an Easter Egg hunt for all year groups this week - they have worked really hard organising the event and decorating eggs and children had great fun finding them!



PTA Event

Thank you to Mrs Miller and Mrs Anderson for organizing the Easter Hunt – prizes and certificates were given out today. The amount raised was £325.00.

St Philomena's Science Week and Science Fair Exhibition

This year the theme of our Science Week is 'Growth'. The week, beginning April 25th 2022, will be filled with exciting activities, events, visitors and competitions.



Please note payment online of £2 per child towards the cost of running our Science Week activities. This can be made using our online payment system – Products / Events / Science Fair Exhibition.



Year 3 - Swimming Lessons 2022

Reminder - Swimming lessons will commence for all Year 3 children on Wednesday 27th April 2022. Year 3 Children are to wear their PE kits on swimming day. Payment can be made in full or in part payment on line via our Pay360 system – Products / Transport / Swimming.



Easter Raffle

All funds raised will go into School Fund - which is spent on enhancing school life for the pupils in many different ways. Thank you for your support. The amount raised was £512.00.

Winners

| | |
|-------------|---------------|
| Athena | Reception |
| Belle | Reception |
| Aria | Year 1 |
| Ryan | Year 1 |
| Cheruni | Year 1 |
| James | Year 1 |
| Jessica | Year 1 |
| Caleb | Year 2 |
| Chloe | Year 2 |
| Dolly | Year 2 |
| Camilla | Year 3 |
| JJ | Year 4 |
| Zehira | Year 4 |
| Jimmy | Year 6 |
| Chinedu | Year 6 |
| Carey | Year 6 |
| Mrs Grieves | School Office |



TERM DATES

Spring Term 2022:

Last day of term Friday 1st April 2022

(Good Friday 15th April 2022 and Easter Monday 18th April 2022)

Summer Term 2022:

First day of term Tuesday 19th April 2022

Bank Holiday 02.05.22

Half-term 30.05.22 – 03.06.22

Bank Holiday 15.06.22

Last day of term Thursday 21st July 2022

***Staff Training Day** Friday 22nd July

ACADEMIC YEARS 2022 – 2023

TERM DATES

Autumn Term 2022:

Inset Days: Tuesday 30 August

Wednesday 31st August 2022

First day back: Thursday 1st September

Half-term 17.10.22 – 28.10.22

Last day of term Wednesday 21st December

Spring Term 2023:

First day of term Tuesday 3rd January 2023

Half-term 13.02.23 – 17.02.23

Last day of term Friday 31st March 2023

Summer Term 2023:

First day of term Monday 17th April 2023

Bank Holiday 01.05.23

Half-term 29.05.23 – 02.06.2023

Last day of term Friday 21 July 2023

Have a wonderful Easter break and look forward to seeing you all return on Tuesday 19th April 2022.

Miss Veronica Maher
Head Teacher

