St Peter and St Paul Catholic Academy

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Academy Newsletter





Wednesday 14th February is Ash Wednesday.

As it is half term the children will not be receiving the Ashes at the Academy, so it is very important that they attend a parish Distribution of the Ashes.

Funky Sock Day in support of Mission Together

So far the Academy has raised £143

Thank you for your support

Unfortunately the Missio boxes have not arrived. Therefore Missio boxes will be given out next term. The Lent one coin challenge will start as soon as the boxes arrive.

Academy Attendance:

EYFS - 98.9% Year 1 - 96.1%

Year 2 – 97.5% Year 3 – 95.7%

Year 4 – 95.8% Year 5 – 95.4%

Year 6 - 95%

Overall Academy Attendance – 96.3%

Our aim is 97%

Well done to all of the children who took part in the Young Voices concert this week, at the O2 Arena. The singing and dance moves were amazing and everyone had a fantastic time! DVDs of the concert will soon be available - please see Dr Shore or the Academy Office for a form, or alternatively visit the Young Voices website, www.youngvoices.co.uk.



Reminders from the Academy

World Book Day

This year's World Book Day falls on **Thursday 1**st **March**. The effort the children put into dressing as their favourite book character last year was inspirational. Please come and watch the procession at 9:05am. The Academy Office has started planning its joint effort already!!!

Travelling Books

The Travelling Books visit the Academy once a year with its exciting and varied pop-up bookshop. This year they will be arriving on **Tuesday 20th February** and will stay for one week. Leaflets will be going home with the children on Monday 19th February which include money off vouchers to use for a few books. Every Travelling Books Fair is carefully curated to showcase the best books to engage every type of reader. The shop will be open from 3:30pm in the main hall. Parents/Carers are to enter via the Academy Office.

It's Time for the Annual Spelling Bee!

Class competitions were held this week. The top 3 spellers from each class will be competing in the Grand Final on February 22nd in front of the whole Academy.

Parents/Carers are welcome between 11:00am – 12:00pm for the grand final.

Practise hard and good luck.



Academy Dinners

Academy dinners are to be paid for in advance for KS2 children.

Payments should be made via the Schoolcomms system or cash/cheque in the dropbox.

Failure to pay in advance for Academy dinners may result in your child/children not receiving a meal.

If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Holmes, Finance Assistant or Mr Partington Academy Business Manager.

Cost for Spring Term 2 = £63.80

Week commencing

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19<sup>th</sup> February = £11.00
26<sup>th</sup> February = £11.00
5<sup>th</sup> March = £11.00
12<sup>th</sup> March = £11.00
19<sup>th</sup> March = £11.00
26<sup>th</sup> March = £8.80
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Please join the Academy in congratulating Brodi Supple on her success with joining the British Baton Twirling team (pictured above). Brodi will be representing England at the World Baton Twirling Championship to be held in Norway this year if she can raise £1,000 towards the costs to attend. If you are able to help with fund raising for Brodi please visit the link below:

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/lacey-supple

Congratulations to the Onyx Emeralds



Results of the 2-day National Baton Twirling Association Regional Competition 2018 at Medway, Gillingham.

Brodi Supple – Basic Strut 1st
Jessica Adnett – Dance Solo 1st
Abigail Rowe and Jessica Adnett – Duet 1st
Na'imah Hudson – Fancy Strut and Pom Strut – 2nd

Team result – Team Twirl 1st

Welcome to Henrietta, Gertrude and Sybil



The Academy has been given three large hens which have come to retire here at the Academy. Sybil is a little shy and didn't want to be in the picture.

We would still appreciate any newspapers, chippings or shredding for our new ducklings that will join the chickens when they are old enough.

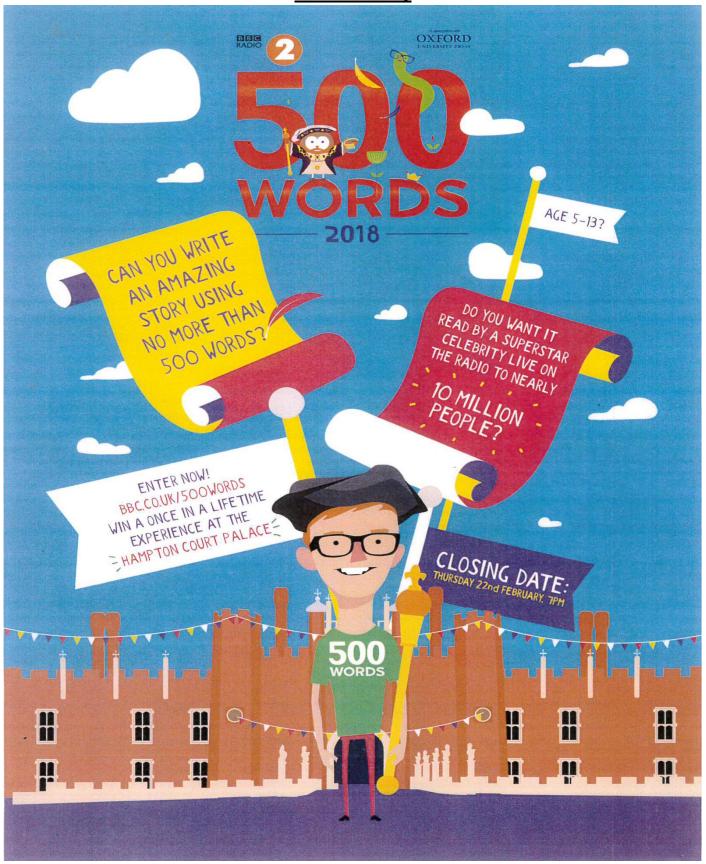
Spring Term Dates – Parents/Carers welcome

20th February	Travelling Books arrive
21st February	EYFS and KS1 Disco 3:30pm – 5:15pm
21st February	4:15pm Year 1 Phonics Meeting for Parents
22 nd February	Spelling Bee Final parents welcome 11:00am – 12:00pm
28th February	Liturgy Year 5
1st March	World Book Day
1st March	Year 2 KS1 SATS meeting for parents 3:30pm-4:15pm
2 nd March	PTA Tuck Shop 3:15pm
7th March	Liturgy Year 2
3rd March	Catholic School Cross Country – More info to follow
5 th March	Science Museum Trip Year 6 – More info to follow
7th March	Liturgy Year 2
15th March	Assembly Year 3
15 th March	Church Visit Year 2 – More info to follow
15 th March	Port Lympne trip Year 5 – More info to follow
16th March	11:15am Reconciliation Year 4, 5 and 6
16th March	PTA Tuck Shop 3:15pm
22 nd March	Assembly EYFS
22 nd March	Dress as an endangered species day
23 rd March	Easter Mass Year 1
27th March	Bunny Run – More info to follow
28th March	Easter Passion KS2
29th March	PTA Tuck Shop 3:15pm
29th March Last day of term (Stars will be finishing at 4.30pm)	
16th April	First day of Summer Term
19th April	KS2 Disco 3:30pm – 5:15pm
1st May	11:00am Crowning of Our Lady Year 2
3 rd May	Church Visit Year 1 – More info to follow
4 th May	PTA Tuck Shop 3:15pm
24th May	PTA Movie Night – More info to follow
25 th May	PTA Tuck Shop

Pease could parents send all word processed story entries to the Academy

Admin email address admin@stpeterandstpauls.bromley.sch.uk by Monday

19th February





GYMNASTICS ACRO CHEERLEADING



MORNING GYM CLUB COME ALONG AND JOIN K2K STARS FRIDAYS FROM 8am – 9am

