

The Good Shepherd Catholic Primary School

Newsletter 3 26th June 2020

Dear Parents & Carers,

This week we have a video from Mrs Smith...



F.R.O.G.S AGM – 9th July 2020

We invite everyone to join us for the Friends of Good Shepherd (F.R.O.G.S) AGM on Thursday 9th July at 8pm via WhatsApp.

If you would like to join the meeting, please e-mail: friendsofgoodshepherd@hot mail.co.uk

God Bless.

A message from our Trust Chaplain...

The things you take for granted someone else is praying for.

They say that with age comes wisdom, but I have noticed recently that with age also comes grey hair - especially with all the hairdressers being closed for so long!

It has made me realise just how much in our everyday lives we take for granted. To walk past the closed shops on the high street, day after day, week after week and then, month after month made me feel sad...even though I have walked past the same shops for years and not really paid much attention to them!

With the shops tentatively re-opening, I decided to venture out to see what the feeling was along the high street. It was as if there had been a heavy downpour and then the sun came out; everything seemed fresh and clean, people were smiling and politely keeping the 2m distance rule. Shopkeepers were overwhelmingly happy to see their customers again. I wandered first into the flower shop. It felt refreshingly calm and looked so pretty. I could feel the beginnings of a way forward from the dark and cobweb days of the virus, into a future where we remember to say good morning or good afternoon to others; where we treat those serving our needs with respect and kindness and where we have the wisdom to stand back, with patience, never taking for granted how lucky we really are.

One advantage of my hairdresser being closed for so long is that I have realised that people are not judging me on the colour of my hair! I have tried wearing a hat, a hairband, a scarf, a plait... but, at the end of the day, it makes no difference to the people who love me regardless of how grey my hair might be. They will love me anyway! This said, I will never take my hairdresser for granted again!

God Bless,

Mrs Darwin



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Miss Winks, an English teacher from Thomas Becket, worked with one of our Y6 bubbles last week. We had a lovely time welcoming her into our school, hopefully we will see her soon! In her video, we hear some great advice from her and Mrs Dodds about the Y6 transition into Y7. Click HERE to view the video.



This week, Key Worker Bubble B have been learning about angles!

The children have been demonstrating angles with actions...







This week the Year 1 Bubble have done bubble printing and created an under the sea collage. They also did some circle art with watercolours!







Don't forget to represent your year group in the latest TTRockstars Battle!

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Year 5	3,343 5,594	Year 6	



Key Worker Bubble A children created this amazing Nelson Mandela picture together!

Thank you to Mrs Hudson and Mrs Rathbone for your help.

VIRTUAL SPORTS WEEK

8 Challenges. Prizes to be won. Fancy Dress Friday

Week beginning 6th July 2020



This year it will be impossible to hold a traditional Sports Day, however Mr Pearce will be holding a 'Virtual Sports Week' week beginning 6th July 2020 instead!

We would love for you all to take part. We have created a special page on the website with all of the information you need to take part. Click **HERE** to view the page.

Some of our staff members have had a go at the challenges to show you how it's done, you can watch them by clicking on the link above.

Let's make this a week to remember!

Year 6 enjoying a drama activity linked to the Greatest Showman.



On Wednesday, Year 6 were so grateful to one of our thoughtful parents for bringing them in some ice lollies!

Thank you so much, perfect for such a hot day!



EYFS - 'The Ugly Duckling'



This week, EYFS at home and in school are learning about 'The Ugly Duckling'!









More Mayan Masks in Year 6 Bubble B!



