



# St Mary's Catholic Primary School Newsletter

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## Pentecost Term 2024 Newsletter 7



*"With Christ as our guide, we let our light shine."*

### *A Message from Mrs Yuen...*

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week there has been great excitement in our Reception class with the arrival of some new born chicks. The children have been watching closely as cracks appeared in the shells and one by one ten baby chicks were born. They have now dried their fluff and are looking very well. Next week we hope to be able to get closer, with the children being able to experience a handling session.

Yesterday we hosted our Parents meeting for the new Reception children in September. It was lovely seeing the start of new beginnings. The children will be having several taster sessions before the end of term to get familiar with the school in readiness for September.

Our Virtue focus this term is Service. This links well with the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the D Day landings and remembering the service given of so many.

Next week our Year 6 children will be going on their Residential. preparations are in place and the accompanying staff are all very much looking forward to sharing this experience.

Have a wonderful Weekend.

**Best wishes**

**Mrs Yuen**



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## Gardening with Mrs Maye

Mrs Maye's gardening group have been busy planting and tidying in the School garden. Great teamwork for the benefit of others.



## Term Dates

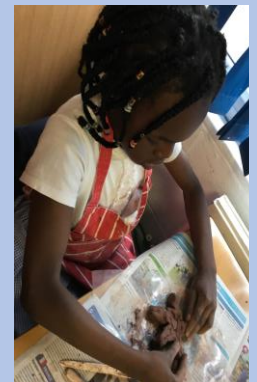
**5<sup>th</sup> June**- Year 6 Swimming starts weekly  
**Week beginning 3<sup>rd</sup> June** – Year 4 Multiplication Check  
**6<sup>th</sup> June at 5pm**- New Reception Parents' Meeting  
**Week beginning 10<sup>th</sup> June** – Year Phonics Check  
**12<sup>th</sup> June**- Athletics Tournament  
**12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 6 Residential to Alton Castle  
**19<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 2 Grace Darling Workshop  
**20<sup>th</sup> June** – Year 6 Big Bang Visit  
**21<sup>st</sup> June** – Year 3 Visit to Everdon  
**24<sup>th</sup> June** Year 4 Visit to Everdon  
**25<sup>th</sup> June** NSPCC Speak out Stay Safe Workshops  
**28<sup>th</sup> June** Sports Day (details to follow)  
**2<sup>nd</sup> July** Victorian Seaside Day – Reception and year 1  
**8<sup>th</sup> July** -Year 5 to Everdon outdoor Centre  
**9<sup>th</sup> July** – Move up day for classes

## First Holy Communion

Many pupils have received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion in recent weeks. Congratulations to them all – we hope you have enjoyed celebrating such a special event with families, friends and parish.



## Year 2 Beachcomber Art



As part of their Art Project, year 2 have been creating sea creature using the medium of clay.

## Exciting new arrivals in Receptions-Hatching Chicks!



This week, Reception children saw the arrival of ten eggs into their classroom. They have watched in wonder and awe as one by one they start to hatch. We are delighted to have ten baby chicks born safely into the world under the careful watch of our young children. There will be further updates next week as to how they are doing.

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