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PTFA UNIFORM SALE ON MONDAY 9th MARCH AFTER SCHOOL

World Book Day

What a fantastic day we had yesterday, from the catwalk in the morning to reading with pupils in other classes in the afternoon, and lots in between. Thank you for the huge effort and don't forget to use those vouchers!



Attendance

This week has seen one of the highest levels of attendance so far in this academic year. This has meant that more of our pupils have been present for all the wonderful learning that happens every single day at St Catherine's, which makes us very happy indeed. ☺

Catholic Life

Last week, Miss McGonigle led a beautiful Celebration of the Word to mark the start of Lent, bringing the story of the time Jesus spent in the desert to life. That afternoon, pupils wrote their Lenten Promises. Why not ask your child what their promise was and how it is going? This Lent we are fundraising for the Catholic Children's Society. If you have any suggestions at home of other worthy causes that the school could raise money for, please do get in touch.



St Catherine's Hub

We have had great feedback about our Hub sessions so far and are looking forward to three more before the end of the school year. You can book a space at one of these sessions by contacting the office.

12th March 9.15am - 10.30am

Anger

Dr Nathalie Hojka (Bosco Educational Psychologist)

22nd April 9.00am - 9.40am

Healthy Relationships and Friendships

Craig Barton (Designated Schools Team)

18th June 9.00am - 10.30am

Emotion Coaching

Jaimie Mc Broom (Thought-Full)

Parent Survey

Alongside Parent Consultations next week, we will be sending out our annual survey. This year, if you take the time to share your opinion, not only will you be helping the school to develop and improve, you will also be earning house points for your child's house team!

Diary Dates

March

- Tues 10 & Thurs 12 Parent Consultations
- Thurs 12 Parent Workshop - Anger
- Y5 Swimming
- Fri 13 Y5 Science Day
- Y1 Class Liturgy 2.45pm
- Thurs 19 Y5 Swimming
- Fairtrade Cake Competition & Sale
- Fri 20 EYFS Wetlands Trip
- PTFA Discos
- Fri 27 Y5 Mayan Workshare 2.40pm
- Last day of term

April

- Mon 13 **INSET day**
- Tues 14 Return to school

Playground Development Update

We have come across some unexpected planning permission hurdles in our way but are still expecting the development to be completed before the end of this academic year. We will continue to keep you informed.

Matthew 17:1-9

'This is my son, whom I love, with him I am well pleased.'