



# St Clement's Catholic Primary School

Newsletter

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### REFLECTION

On Wednesday the whole school received their ashes to mark the beginning of the Lenten season. We ask that, during this Lenten journey, Jesus helps us to follow in his footsteps.

#### Ash Wednesday Prayer

*O Lord, who hast mercy upon all,  
take away from me my sins,  
and mercifully kindle in me  
the fire of the Holy Spirit.  
Take away from me the heart of stone,  
and give me a heart of flesh,  
a heart to love and adore Thee,  
a heart to delight in Thee,  
to follow and enjoy Thee,  
for Christ's sake,  
Amen.*



### PARKING

Thank you to all the parents who continue to park considerately or walk to school. On Tuesday morning this week access to the school via Fennells Mead was blocked and families with blue badges were unable to get through.

### ANCHOR BOOK WINNERS

Congratulations to the following children, who received Headteacher Awards this week:

Yr 6: Freddi Green &  
Emma Bright

Yr 5: Ruby Meeson &  
Isaac Matthews

Yr 4: Thomas Finan &  
Rachel Kobia-Amanfi

Yr 3: Eoin O'Donovan &  
Tom Patrick

Yr 2: Leo Nelson &  
Arthur Rees-Harris

Yr 1: Isla Forrestal-Williams &  
Dan English

Rec: Archie Meeson &  
Sara David



## EPSOM & EWELL YOUNG AMBASSADORS

Our Year 6 pupils wrote some very persuasive letters to put themselves forward to be Young Ambassadors for the Surrey Youth Games.

Congratulations to Niamh Flaherty, Billy Downer, Rebecca Pidwell and James Daly who were chosen from our school to be Young Ambassadors at the Surrey Youth Games in June this year.

They presented a very informative assembly to the rest of the junior children to try and persuade them to apply to take part in some of the many sports available. All the children brought home a flyer outlining how to apply to take part.

If you need further information please look at the SYG website: [www.activesurrey.com](http://www.activesurrey.com)



### GUIDES' COFFEE MORNING

1st Ewell (St Clement's) Guides are hosting a coffee morning in St Clement's Church hall after 10.30am Mass this Sunday, 5th March. Donations of cakes and raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated, please bring these to the church hall by 10.20am. If you can help with setting up, serving or clearing away, it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.



### INTERNET SAFETY

The following websites are useful for parents to access information on keeping children safe on the internet:-

- Vodafone Digital Parenting: [vodafone.com/parents](http://vodafone.com/parents)
- Internet Matters: [www.internetmatters.org](http://www.internetmatters.org)
- UK Safer Internet Centre: [www.saferinternet.org.uk](http://www.saferinternet.org.uk)
- Swiggle search engine: [www.swiggle.org.uk](http://www.swiggle.org.uk)
- CEOP: [www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/parentsguide](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/parentsguide)
- ParentPort: [www.parentport.org.uk](http://www.parentport.org.uk)

The Vodafone Digital Parenting magazine is currently out of print but may be downloaded from the following website:- [www.vodafoneparenting.co.uk](http://www.vodafoneparenting.co.uk)

### MATHS WORKSHOP/MATHS EQUIPMENT

We have now distributed the Maths equipment to parents who placed an order following our Maths Workshop. Quite a few parents have expressed an interest in ordering the Maths equipment as they missed out on the first order. If you would like to order the Maths equipment demonstrated to parents at our Maths Workshop last month, please let us have £10 in cash in an envelope with your child's name and class on it by Friday 10th March.

### WORLD BOOK DAY

Today we celebrated World Book Day. The theme this year was bedtime stories and children came to school in their pyjamas and slippers, with their teddy and their favourite story to share with other children. Throughout the day the children participated in a range of activities, such as researching and creating posters on famous authors, taking part in quizzes, reading with children from other year groups and much, much more. The children were even treated to a book themed lunch!

# WORLD BOOK DAY PHOTOGRAPHS

