



# ST CLEMENT'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th September 2019

## YEAR 6 ASSEMBLY

Today Year 6 presented their assembly about love and kindness. They told us that showing love is more important than giving each other gifts and that we should show our love and kindness through our actions.

*'Kindness is free. We should sprinkle this stuff everywhere'*

We thought about what our world would be like if we all did one random act of love and kindness every day.



## WHAT AN ENTRANCE!

There have been more transformations to our outdoor space which you may have already noticed when entering the school.

The area outside the School Office has been brightened up with lovely raised flower beds made from recycled railway sleepers. These were provided and installed by Network Rail as a community goodwill gesture to thank us for our compliance while the improvements have been taking place at Ewell West Station over the last few months.



# NEW PLAY SPACE

Over the Summer our outdoor Reception play area has been transformed! Thanks to a Government Grant made available to spend towards the improvement of school premises, we have been able to completely renovate this area. Our first group of Reception children started this week and they thoroughly enjoyed putting the new space to good use.



# CURRICULUM INFORMATION

Thank you to all those parents who came to our Curriculum Information Meeting last Wednesday. Prior to parents meeting class teachers, Mrs Kelly gave a welcome speech in the hall which provided a good opportunity for our new Headteacher to be introduced to the wider school community.

We hope parents found the evening a helpful and informative start to the new school year. Curriculum Information will be coming home today with your child so please look out for this and take time to read the information provided as it will enable you to support your child's learning this year.

# ANCHOR BOOK WINNERS

**Congratulations to the following children who received Headteacher Awards at our recent Anchor Assembly;**

<b>Year 6</b>	Hannah Lynch and Mikey Silke
<b>Year 5</b>	Jamie Thornton and Sam Cook
<b>Year 4</b>	Henry Hepburn and Sophie Collis
<b>Year 3</b>	Drew Williams and Sara David
<b>Year 2</b>	Amelia Gould and Max Jackson
<b>Year 1</b>	Harry Maker and Isabella Chaplin

**Anchor Assembly takes place every two weeks on a Thursday morning. Please return Anchor badges to your child's class teacher on the morning of the next Anchor Assembly.**

# SCHOOL COUNCIL

The School Council represents the views of all the pupils at the school. It is an important and responsible role which allows pupils to have a say in issues that affect them and to know that their opinions count.

The following pupils have been elected;

<b>Year 1</b>	Bella & Alex
<b>Year 2</b>	Emma & William
<b>Year 3</b>	Marta & Eddie
<b>Year 4</b>	Scarlett & Henry
<b>Year 5</b>	Star and Freddie



# SCHOOL REPRESENTITIVES

As part of our House System, we appoint House Reps from Years 1 - 5 who help to support the House Captains from Year 6 with events and activities. The House Reps for this year are:

	<b>St Benedict</b>	<b>St Clare</b>	<b>St Francis</b>	<b>St Margaret</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	Bailey	Harry	Lucie	Isaac
<b>Year 2</b>	Erin	Amelia	Matteo	Xavier
<b>Year 3</b>	Ben	Archie	Lily	Braeden
<b>Year 4</b>	Isla	Mia	Tom	Charlie
<b>Year 5</b>	Amischa/Joshua	Mia/Karam	Charlotte/Aidan	Kaylah/Adam





# SCHOOL NOTICES

## SCHOOL DINNER PAYMENTS

The cost of school dinners has risen slightly to £2.35 per day.  
The cost of school dinners for this half term is **£89.30** payable via ParentPay please.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

Parents of pupils in Years 5 and 6 are reminded that many Secondary Schools have their Open Days and Open evenings coming up. Please look at the individual websites of the schools you are interested in visiting for further information.

## HEALTH AND SPECIAL DIETS UPDATES

At the start of the school year we need to review all the medical and dietary information we hold for pupils.  
Please remember to inform the school immediately of **changes or any new** medical conditions or dietary requirements.

Please either phone the school office, pop in to see us or email [info@stclements.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@stclements.surrey.sch.uk)



## To Be a Pilgrim – the 400th anniversary of the sailing of the Mayflower

Saturday 21

September

1pm to 2.30pm



The *Mayflower* left England with the ship *Speedwell* on 15 August 1620. It carried Pilgrims from England and Holland. Both ships were twice forced to return to England but the *Mayflower* finally left Plymouth on 16 September 1620. On 19 November 1620, they spotted land. Their destination was the Virginia Colony but the ship was damaged so were forced to land Cape Cod in November. The passengers lived on the ship for a few months. They went ashore to build shelters in the day, then returned to the ship at night. About half the people died in the winter of 1620–1. In March 1621, there were enough shelters for everyone to live on land. Discover why the Pilgrims left their homes and families. Learn what it was like to be a Pilgrim and open up a new world.

Cost £5 per child. Contact: David Brooks, Bourne Hall  
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