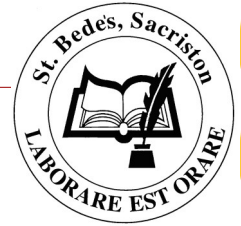


Weekly Dates Letter



Week commencing 01.04.19 Week 12 Spring term

Mother's Day, Plastic Free Pledge and a New Bishop!

We had a lovely week last week!

On Tuesday two of our children went with Mrs Alderson and Mrs Spratt to St Mary's Cathedral to take part in the welcome celebration of our new Bishop, Robert Byrne. They had a wonderful afternoon and were a credit to their parents and to school. We wish Bishop Seamus well in his retirement.



The rest of the school watched the BBC 'Blue Planet Live' on Tuesday afternoon and saw one of our questions being answered by Steve Backshall-'why do sharks blink?'

We are proud to say we are the first school in Durham to sign the Durham County Council 'Single Use Plastic Pledge.' We hope to inspire others to do the same and to help save our seas! #plasticfreeschools



We had a lovely Mother's Day lunch on Wednesday for our Infants. Miss Embleton in our kitchen cooked a wonderful lunch. Mother's Day lunch for our Junior classes will be on Wednesday this week.

On Wednesday afternoon Class 3 took part in pedestrian training with the road safety team from County Hall. The second part of this training will be on Wednesday this week.



On Thursday afternoon Class 4 joined Sacriston Methodist Church for their Easter journey. Many thanks to them for always making us so welcome.

On Friday we had our Mother's Day Liturgy and Mother's Day Market. Many thanks to all who attended the liturgy and donated to the market. We hope you all had a wonderful Mother's Day and enjoyed your presents and cards!



Just a note

The new lunch menu will begin when we return to school after Easter and we will start on Week 2. This is because we return to school a week later than other schools.

As this week is national Autism Week children can wear a bright coloured accessory on Friday with their own clothes to support this. The non-uniform day is also for Easter Eggs for our Easter Coffee Morning/Easter Egg Competition on Thursday 11th April.

This week we will be hosting a Book Fayre every day after school, from 3:00—3:30 in the hall. Please call in with your children after school.

The new after school clubs list will be sent out tonight, if your child will be taking part in a club next term please ensure you send the form back to school no later than the first day of term otherwise your child will be unable to take part in club. We will not assume that because your child has taken part in a club in the past that they will continue to do so.

We are currently advertising for a Caretaker, 30 hours a week. See <http://www.stbedesacrison.co.uk/community/vacancies/> for info.

Key dates for the next week

Tuesday 2nd April

11.00am Year 5 swimming—please remember kits.

Wednesday 3rd April

12:00 in Hall—Mothers Day Lunch for Juniors/Classes

1:00pm Pedestrian Training for Class 3

3:30—6:00 Class 3 Parents' Afternoon

No FISCH Club Tonight

Thursday 4th April

Guitar lessons in School—don't forget your guitar

1:30pm - 6:30pm Parents Afternoon—Whole school

3:20 First Holy Communion Session 7

Friday 5th April

Non Uniform day for Easter Eggs

9:30—11:30 Year 5 hockey festival and Edmondlse school—Children will need tracksuit bottoms, waterproof coat, trainers and a water bottle

Head Teachers Award—Ava

Stars of the Week

Jack, Bella, Amy, Lilly, Faye, Faye, Erin, Leighton

Best Behaviour

Catherine, Kayla, Violet, All of Class 4

Best Writing

Charlie, Charlie, Mia, Thomas T

Best Presentation

Hannah, Belle, Holly

Whole School Attendance

96.84%

Weekly attendance Winners—

Class 1—100%

Right of the Month

'The Convention applies to everyone.'

Article 2, UNCRC