Spring 2 Week 5 – 27.3.26

The Walburga Weekly

Putting Others First
Let no-one seek his own good
but the good of his neighbour
(I Corinthians 10:24)

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The Word

Last Sunday, we heard about Jesus raising His good friend, Lazarus, from the dead. This is an indication of what is to come as Jesus shows His absolute power over life and death and shows the promise of eternal life for all of us. This Sunday, we will celebrate Palm Sunday as we enter the events of Holy Week with Christ - the most important week of our faith.

Attendance

Attendance at school makes a huge difference to your child's education. Please ensure your child attends school every day when they are well.

Class	This week	Overall	Whole school
Preschool	97%	93%	This week
Reception	96%	94%	
Year 1	96%	96%	96%
Year 2	99%	98%	
Year 3	96%	95%	Overall
Year 4	96%	96%	
Year 5	95%	97%	96%
Year 6	95%	95%	

If you need to request absence in term time, these will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances. Please complete the form here, in line with school policy.

Meetings with Mrs Fearnley or Mrs Higgins will take place to discuss your individual case.

Our Virtue winners

I accept God's forgiveness
I show my love for God by forgiving others and myself
I let go of hurt feelings and give myself a new start
I give others a new start

- Joseph - Reception
- Claragh - Year 1
- Harry - Year 2
- Mollie - Year 3
- Rupert - Year 4
- Ella - Year 5
- Noah - Year 6

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St Walburga's Catholic Primary School

Coming up soon

School breaks up for the Easter holidays on 1st April and reopens on 13th April.

Reception school places will be announced to parents on 16th April via email from Bradford

Year 4 Forest school will begin on 21st April. More information to follow after the holidays.

Diary Dates:

Monday 30th March	Whole School	Year 4 Easter performance 9:30am
Tuesday 31st March	Whole School Whole School	Year 3 Easter performance 9:30am Year 3 and 4 Easter performances 6:30pm
Wednesday 1st April	Whole School Whole School	Stations of the Cross 2:30pm-closed event School closes for the Easter holidays
Monday 13th April	Whole School	School opens for Summer term
Tuesday 14th April	Reception - Year 6 Whole School	Mass for Eastertide at church 9:30am PFA meeting 5:00-6:00pm

Please note there will be no edition of The Walburga Weekly until Friday, 17th April.
The half termly newsletter will be shared on Wednesday, 1st April instead.

Our Merit winners

Very well done to all our children who have been recognised for their hard work and effort. More details on the website...

Reception - Caleb & The whole class

Year 1 - Pippa

Year 2 - Eva

Year 3 - Ahana & The Whole Class

Year 4 - The Whole Class

Year 5 - The Whole Class

Year 6 - The Whole Class

Survey

We would like to apologise for the mix up in Arbor messages about the Communication Survey. A reminder message with working link, has been sent out today. Please can it be completed by Wednesday at 3:00pm. Please let your voice be heard and help us to keep improving things for you.

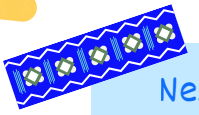
Our Mission Models

Our Mission Merits are awarded to children who live out our mission of Putting Others First based on the scripture: 1 Corinthians 10:24.

This week's winners are:

Aryaan, Alfie, Bobby, Marta, Nina, Austin & Edosa

Well done and thank you to you all!



Next week's lunch menu

Week 3

Staffing update

We have a new member of the Breakfast Club team starting with us on Monday, 13th April. Mrs Michelle Ashton will work with Mrs Barraclough to provide this service to our families. We thank Kate and Mrs Peter for stepping in to help since Maryam left a few weeks ago. We are sure that all our early risers will make Mrs Ashton feel very welcome.