Summer 1 Week 3 – 1.5.26

24.4.26

The Walburga Weekly

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

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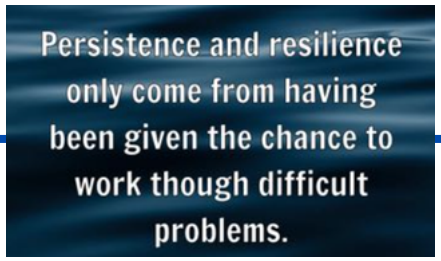
The Word

The Gospel reading last Sunday was Jesus as the Good Shepherd. He speaks of us as the sheep that He guides and leads and reminds us that, through this, we will have life and live it to the full. This means that His followers will have a strong spiritual life and inner peace. Let us listen to God's voice for Him calling us to follow Him.



Our Virtue winners

I will not give up

I will have faith and hope even when things are difficult

- Caleb - Reception
- Edward - Year 1
- Khaliana - Year 2
- Olivia - Year 3
- Robyn - Year 4
- Eco - Year 5
- Harley-Joe - Year 6

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	92%	93%	This week
Reception	91%	95%	
Year 1	90%	95%	93%
Year 2	96%	98%	
Year 3	88%	95%	Overall
Year 4	96%	96%	
Year 5	98%	97%	96%
Year 6	93%	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.

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St Walburga's Catholic Primary School

Coming up soon

PFA Bake sale after school on Friday, 15th May. Please bring donations of buns etc on the day to support this.

The final Children's Mass of the year is on Sunday, 17th May at St Walburga's at 9:15am - please join us!

Our annual May devotion will be held on Tuesday, 19th May - more info to follow regarding flowers etc.

Diary Dates:

Monday 4th May	Whole School	May Bank Holiday - school closed
Tuesday 5th May	Year 4 Year 4	Forest School First Eucharist preparation - 6:00pm
Wednesday 6th May	Year 4 Reception and Year 1 Year 3 and 4	Forest School Non Eucharistic service- 2:45pm Dance Club
Monday 11th May	Year 6 Year 4, 5 and 6	SATs week and SATs Breakfast Choir

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 - Oscar

Year 1 - Safa & Hester

Year 2 - The Whole Class

Year 3 - Jacob

Year 4 - Frank

Year 5 - Rafael

Year 6 - Emm & Verona

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.

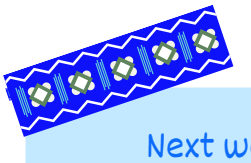
This week's winners are:

Ruby, Amirah, Dottie, Molly, Millie, Elijah & Irin

Well done and thank you to you all!

Sickness and attendance

There appears to be a sickness bug in school at the moment. Please ensure that if your child is unwell that they DO NOT return to school until they are 48 hours clear of any illness. We are practising hand hygiene and thorough cleaning in school.



Next week's lunch menu

Week 1

Staffing update

It is with great sadness that we need to inform you that Mrs Long, our School Business Manager, is leaving us at the end of this half term. Mrs Long has been with us for over 10 years and is a very valued member of staff; we will miss her expertise in finance, health and safety and as a friendly face in the office! Please see the advert sent out and share with anyone who you think would be interested.