

Good Shepherd Newsletter

Friday 29th April 2022

Remember

Monday is a Bank Holiday so no school!

Gardening

You may have noticed that our flower beds along the path and the allotment is looking well tended now. Mrs Ishmael (our school cook) is going to be planting some fruit and vegetables with the children shortly and Mrs Saunders has returned to Good Shepherd as our gardener and has pulled up a lot of weeds from the flower bed!



We now have some Lego tables in the junior playground which children are enjoying playing with at break and lunchtime.



FROGS

The Friends of Good Shepherd would like to say a big thank you to everyone for dressing in bright colours and their support for International Dance day.

The amount raised was £168 which will go towards making the summer fair a great success.

Year 2 Assembly

Our Year 2 class led a very informative assembly yesterday for the school on Eid. Thank you to the parents who were able to join us for this. We have a number of families who will be celebrating Eid on Monday and I would like to wish them Eid Mubarak.

May Procession

This Wednesday is our May Procession where the whole school will say prayers with Fr Con on the field and then process into church with a statue of Our Lady whilst singing hymns.

It would be lovely if some children could bring in some flowers for us to bring to church as well, but please do not buy flowers especially, only bring some



in if you have them growing in your garden.

Wednesday also coincides with the next mufti day for the Friends of Good Shepherd and it seems very fitting that the children will be wearing blue for the May Procession as this is Mary's colour.

Plans are well underway for the FROGS summer fair on Friday 10th June which will have an international theme. Depending on your child's year group, please remember to send your child into school on Wednesday wearing blue and bringing:

Nursery: Multi-pack of crisps

Reception: Pack of napkins

Year 1: Pack of paper/plastic cups

Year 2: Bottle of soft drink (fizzy or still)

Year 3: Pack of paper/plastic cups

Year 4: Multipack of sweets

Year 5: Pack of plastic forks

Year 6: Pack of disposable plates

Headteacher and Kindness Awards

Well done to the following children who have worked hard, had great behaviour or have shown great kindness and thoughtfulness to others:

Headteacher Kindness

R: Charlotte, Lydiane, Zofia
Y1: Alde, Josiah, Ariella
Y2: Azariah, Chisom, Benjamin
Y3: Chinaza, Kadiann, Kacee
Y4: Daniel, Joanna, Alan
Y5: Akintaya, Christina, Britney
Y6: Danilia, Sebastian, Malachi



Art

Year 3 have been studying plant art and have produced some wonderful artwork in the style of the artist Piet Mondrian.













Design Technology

Year 5 are studying biscuits as their DT topic this term. They have discussed the function of biscuits, different textures and types if biscuit and today they got to taste them! They will be finding out about common ingredients in all biscuits and will then design and make biscuits in class.



Cafod Prayer for Peace

A prayer for Ukraine:

Loving God,

We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world.

Amen.

If you need to contact the office, please email or telephone 01689 841 771 office@goodshepherd.croydon.sch.uk

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs Day