



12TH APRIL 2024

Y6 SATs

Monday—Friday 13th—17th May



Y6 Residential Robinwood
Wednesday 12th-14th June 2024

Don't forget to log onto Parentpay to continue to make payments

MASS TIMES

Sacred Heart Church Mass Times

There are two Churches in our Parish. Holy Family in Kirkholt and Sacred Heart on Kingsway. The Parish Priest is Father Simon and he resides in Sacred Heart Presbytery.

Saturday at Sacred Heart

5.15 Confessions

6.00 Vigil Mass

Sunday

9 am at Holy Family

11 am at Sacred Heart

PENALTY NOTICES



Every student. Every day.

ASSEMBLIES

Friday 26th April 8.50 am Y5

Friday 3rd May 8.50 am Y2 Crowning of Our Lady

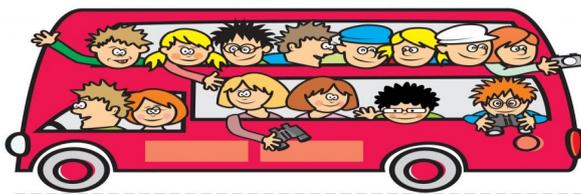
Poor attendance

Children who miss more than 20 sessions/10 school days unauthorised absence in a 12 week period will receive a Penalty Notice which is £60 per parent.

Holiday absences

Children who miss 10 sessions/5 school days unauthorised absences will receive a Penalty Notice which is £60 per parent, per child. Holiday requests will be reviewed separately and in some circumstances may be approved.

SCHOOL TRIPS



Y4 18th April Opera House Awful Auntie

Y5 17th May Blackpool Zoo

Y1 21st May Hollingworth Lake

What Parents and Carers Need to Know about ... SOCIAL MEDIA SCAMS

On any social media platform, you'll often come across links to genuine-looking websites. They might include an exclusive offer for one of your favourite shops or invite you to complete a quiz in return for a particular reward. In some cases, clicking on these links takes you to a fake website where you are asked to provide your personal details. The whole enterprise is a ploy to capture sensitive details, such as your email address and password, which the scammers then exploit at your expense.

Clickjacking for fake rewards

Here, the attacker tries to lure you into clicking a link by offering something in return, such as a free gift for completing a survey. However, when the link is clicked, it collects the details of whoever fills out the survey. This might include full names, addresses, phone numbers and email addresses. Scammers could use these to hack into your other accounts or simply sell your data to other criminals.

Malicious app downloads

Some cybercriminals design software that appears genuine or helpful (and is normally free) but has been created to steal your personal information. There may be a pop-up ad encouraging you to download and install the app. Once the app is downloaded, the attacker can see any personal credentials you enter, and could then use this information for their own gain.

'Payment first' scams

Prevalent on sites such as Depop, these scams have spread to Facebook since it added the Marketplace feature. A user lists an item for sale and requests payment up front. Most online stores work this way, but the crucial difference is that scammers ask for payment via PayPal friends and family – not goods and services. This means you can't dispute the payment: the scammer keeps your money, and you never receive the item.

Threats disguised as quizzes

Most quizzes on social media seem harmless, but many come with hidden threats. When you submit your answers, you're also agreeing to terms and conditions which – in some cases – allow the quiz developer to sell your details to third parties. This puts you at greater risk of phishing attacks and spam advertising emails. It might also give the app permission to use information from your profile.

Untrustworthy URLs

It's common on social media for URLs in posts to be shortened (to meet Twitter's character count, for instance). This may seem harmless, but it opens an avenue of attack for scammers who may be disguising a malicious link as legitimate. These links can install malware on the victim's device, which could lead to passwords being stolen or even be the precursor to ransomware attacks.

Angler phishing scams

Using a fake corporate social media account, the scammer pretends to be from customer services. When someone complains about customer service on social media, the fake account messages them asking for their name, phone number and email. If the user provides this info, they are directed to a fake website where they enter their login details. The attacker can then steal their credentials or infect their device with malware.

Advice For Parents & Carers

Set strong passwords

Always ensure that your passwords are not easily guessable. Try to use a mix of letters, numbers and special characters so that criminals cannot forcefully get control. You should also change your passwords every so often to provide further protection against your accounts being taken over. If you have any concerns about your account's privacy, change the password.

Review your privacy settings

Regularly review your privacy settings on social media. You can restrict which parts of your profile can be seen and by who. We recommended making your personal information only visible to friends, which will help to limit the information a scammer could find out about you from social media. It's also safest to only accept friend or follow requests from people that you actually know.

Protect your personal information

Never enter personal information on unfamiliar websites. If you were redirected to a site from a social media post or an email link, putting in your personal details could give key information away to a scammer. Fraudsters may pose as someone you know to try and get your address or bank details (or your family's). If this happens, block the user and tell your family, so the scammer can't try to deceive anyone else.

Avoid opening suspicious emails

When you get an email, always check the sender's address before opening it. If it's an unexpected email and the sender is a stranger, mark it as junk (in case they try again in future) and simply delete it. They could be a scammer who's simply seen your email address on your social media profile. Being aware of phishing attacks is the primary method of defence against scam emails like this.

Choose trusted download sources

Don't download apps or files from unknown sites – instead, use verified and trustworthy sources (such as Google Play or the App Store for download to mobile devices). You can recognise safe sources by their trust seals. The browser address bar on a secure site starts "https" instead of "http". A shield or lock symbol in the address bar also indicates that a site is secure.

Install anti-virus software

Another key tip is to ensure that you have robust and reliable virus protection installed on any of your devices that support it. Anti-virus programmes will help to insulate you against cyber-attacks by blocking any malicious downloads or detecting any recently downloaded malware and removing it. Update your virus protection software regularly and carry out frequent scans of your device.

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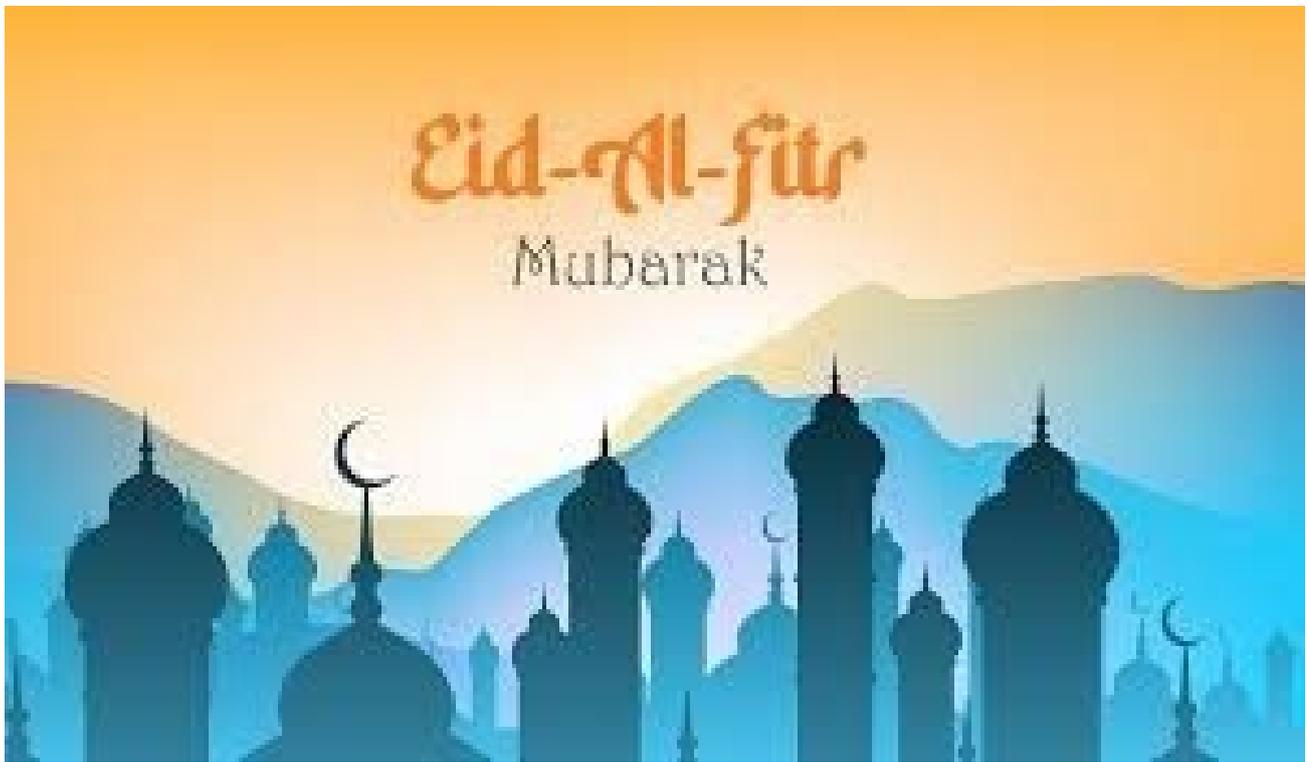
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We wished all our Muslim families and friends wonderful EID celebrations this week.

Please follow this link to The Wednesday Word. The Wednesday Word is structured around the Sunday Gospel and provides a new, weekly 'word', for families to talk about in the home

<https://sacred-heart-school.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/Easter-Special-3.pdf>

GIFT TEAM

This week, the GIFT team have been planning their final term. They have concentrated on preparations to celebrate the month of May as the month of Mary. They have started to plan for prayer services, sharing the Rosary and craft activities for the whole school.



Congratulations to this weeks Golden Hearts winners Hallie for always showing respect and for being a kind friend and helping others and to Daniel for demonstrating a mature attitude towards democracy and sharing class



Due to Eid celebrations attendance percentages will not be calculated this week. Lets see who can hit 100% first.



Dear Nursery and Reception Parents/ Carers,

Our CARITAS workers, Jayne and Louise, are hosting 'Positive Parenting' sessions in the Summer Term.

The sessions will include activities, ideas and strategies to support positive parenting, as well as the opportunity to seek advice or ask questions from our CARITAS workers. It is also a lovely opportunity to chat with other parents. The session dates and themes are as follows:

15th April- play

22nd April- routines sleep, mealtimes and bedtimes

29th April- rewards and consequences

The sessions are from 9-10.30am.

Parents will then be invited to join their child in class from 10.30-11am to complete play and activities linked to the weekly theme.

Thank you for your continued support,

HEADTEACHERS AWARD

Headteachers award children awarded this week in Nursery to Connor for always being super helpful in the classroom and being a kind friend and to Hallie for always taking part in activities and for putting lots of effort in her work.

In Reception Year to Archie for putting lots of effort into everything he does and to Lola for showing so much kindness to her teachers every day .

In Year 1 to Lottie for producing excellent work in all subjects and to Kayani for beautiful handwriting in phonics and taking pride in all other work.

In Year 2 to William for trying hard to improve his letter formation and to Charlie for a great improvement in his reading

In Year 3 to Oliver for being a good friend and playing with children who are by themselves and to Nabeel for a huge improvement in his handwriting

In Year 4 to Joel for demonstrating an excellent attitude to his learning in class, no matter how hard and to Tilly for growing in confidence in Maths

In Year 5 to Rhys for always being kind and helpful in the classroom and to Leah D for working hard with her spellings and acting upon feedback.

In Year 6 to Reggie for demonstrating a mature and positive attitude to all aspects of class work and to Fajr for always showing sheer determination to achieve in all aspects of learning.

Well done everyone.



Well done to Aurora, Evie Mae, Charlie and Riley all chosen this week for beautiful lining up and good table manners. Trying hard to remember all of the dinner time good manners, determination to use his knife and for eating quietly