

# Dear Parents, Carers and Pupils,

#### **Easter Service**

Well done and thank you to year two for leading a very memorable Easter Service this morning. It was a very moving and reverent service backed up by very talented musicians and beautiful singing. Well done to everyone involved and thank you to all the parents who took the time to give their lovely comments to me. Not many schools can make their parish priest very emotional and also full of pride for what he had just seen.

### Parents evening

It was lovely to see so many parents this week at the annual parents evening in the hall. Thank you to all the parents who spoke to me and thanked my staff for all their hard work. The idea of leaving your chid messages after looking at their work on a post-it note was well received. The next information about your child's progress will be their annual written report at the end of the year. However, if you feel that you need to contact school to discuss any issues please contact the school office and arrange a time. Thank you for your continued support.

# **Cross Country.**

Congratulations to all the children who took part in last weekend's cross country competition at Astley Park. It was tough going in very damp and soggy conditions. Well done to all the children who completed the course. Thank you to Miss Mair for cheering on the children too.

## **Gardening Club.**

The gardening club have asked if anyone is taking out any shrubs over Easter period please could you donate to school. The children with Mr Finch and Mr Slater have projects after the holidays and any shrubs or plant donations would be gratefully received.

#### **Martial Arts**

Well done to all the children who represented St Gregory's at the Martial Arts yesterday. They performed with a great attitude and discipline. My group in the morning worked extremely hard and may have some sore muscles this morning. Well done to everyone!

#### **Attendance**

Congratulations and well done to all the children who won their 100% attendance awards this term. School has seen a big improvement in attendance this term and I thank parents for their continued support. Thank you to Mrs Robinson and Mrs Thomas in the office for buying the Easter eggs and trying to once again improve the school attendance.

#### **Easter Help**

I would like to personally thank Mr Frank Fowler and the the members of St Vincent de Paul Society at church for supporting some families of St Gregory's with Easter gifts. The donations were gratefully received from the children and parents.

Finally, I would like to wish you all a very Holy Easter and thank everyone for all their support this term. We continue to grow as a community and encourage our children to **BE KIND**, **FAIR AND HONEST**. I look forward to seeing all the children return safely on Monday 15th April. Have a good break!

Please take your time to look over the new website and let me know your thoughts. https://stgregoryschorley.co.uk/

# **Term Diary Dates:**

Thurs 28th Mar: End of term break up

Wed 17th Apr: Rock Kidz day

Thurs 18th Apr: Year 6 parents meeting to discuss arrangements for Robin Wood

Wed 8th May: Year 6 Residential trip to Robin wood

Mon 13th May: Year 6 SATs week

Wed 15<sup>th</sup> May: Year 1 trip to Martin Mere Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> May: Reception trip to Smithills

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May: Half term break up Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Jun: Sports week in school

Tue 4th Jun: Sports Day

Sat 8th & Sun 9th Jun: First Holy Communion for year 4

Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 5 Bikeability Tue 11<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 5 Bikeability

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 4 trip to Cuerden Valley Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 5 trip to Jodrell Bank

Sat 15th Jun & Sun 16th Jun: Holy Communion for year 4

Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 2 trip to Liverpool Museum and Crosby Beach Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Jun: Year 3 trip to Deva Roman Experience, Chester

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Jul: Induction Day at Parklands
Tue 9<sup>th</sup> Jul: Year 2 trip to Anderton Centre

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> Jul: Year 6 Leavers Play at 6pm Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Jul: Annual reports to come home

Tues 16<sup>th</sup> Jul: Leavers Mass at 9.30am whole school in church.

Fri 19th July: Break up for summer holiday



£302 raised so far!

#### Dates for FOSG events below:

Tues 16th Apr: FOSG meeting 6pm at school Fri 26th Apr: Non uniform day information to follow Thurs 16th May: FOSG meeting 6pm at school Fri 24th May: Non uniform day information to follow

Wed 12th June: Bag 2 School Tue 18th June: FOSG meeting

Fri 21st June: Non uniform day information to follow Fri 28th June: Non uniform day information to follow

Sat 29th June: - Summer Fair

Fri 5th July: FOSG meeting and end of year celebration.



Have a good Easter break Mr D Darbyshire Head teacher.



PLEASE DONATE A BUSH OR PLANT!

## MESSAGE FROM GREGORY'S GANG

As we come to the end of the term, Gregory's Gang would like to thank all parents for trying to settle their accounts and outstanding debt. However can every effort be made to settle all accounts as soon as possible? Failure to do so will result in your children not being allowed to attend.

Thank you for your support Mrs Heaton.

We are: CURIOUS, REFLECTIVE, RESPONSIBLE & RESILIENT