

St Vincent's Catholic Primary School



Headteacher: Mrs A Harrop, MEd NPQH

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Dear Parents,

YEAR 3 HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to Mrs Farrell's class who made their First Holy Communion on Saturday. It was a lovely mass. Thank you to everyone involved in ensuring the day was extra special and that it ran smoothly.

INTERNATIONAL MASS

Our International Mass took place on Wednesday. It was a wonderful Mass and so good to hear some of our children speaking in their first language. It showed that we are truly united in our diversity.

HISTORY DAY

Our history day went very well. The children enjoyed learning all about their period of history and also looked fantastic in their historical dress. You can find a short video of year 4 receiving their physical instruction outside on our twitter school Newsroom @StVincentsPr

SUMMER MUSIC CONCERT

We will hold our annual Summer Music Concert on Tuesday 19 June at 6:30pm in the junior hall. Both of our choirs and our school band will be performing. We will also have a selection of our musicians taking part in the concert.

If your child is taking part in the concert you will be allocated seats to attend. More information will be sent out after the school holidays.

NEW RECEPTION INTAKE MEETING

The new reception intake meeting will take place on Thursday 21 June at 6:30pm in the infant hall.

PTA CHARITY COFFEE MORNING

Thank you to everyone who attended the Coffee Morning in aid of "Leisure for Autism". It was lovely to see people and the event raised £233 for a very good cause.

PTA FAMILY FUN DAY

Please save the date and join us for a fun filled day at our annual PTA Family Fun Day 2018, taking place on Saturday 16 June 12noon - 4pm. Hog Roast, BBQ, Bar, inflatables and climbing wall plus much more to entertain the whole family.

If you are able to help in any way we would really appreciate it. Please contact Surinder Holt, Nicola Sheldon or stvincentspta@gmail.com.



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SPORTS DAY

The school sports days are on the following dates in June:

- Junior Sports Day on Monday 18 June
9:30 – 11:30 am Year 5 and 6 Sports Day
1:30pm – 3:15 pm Year 3 and 4 Sports Day
- Infant Sports Day
9:30 – 11:30 am Year 1 and 2 Sports Day
1:45pm – 2:45pm Reception Sports Day

The PTA will be supplying refreshments, if anyone could help, even for 30 minutes please email stvincentspta@gmail.com.

SCHOOL SPORTS WEEK AND WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

National Sports Week will be here soon. We have planned a range of exciting activities for children to get involved in. National Sports Week will run from Monday 18 June until Friday 22 June.

This year we have decided to combine National Sports Week with Walk to School week. Hopefully we will see lots of people walking to school!

The week will begin with Sports Days, on Monday 18 June for KS2 and Tuesday 19 June for KS1 and Reception.

If any parents could volunteer some of their time to help with the running of Sports Day it would be very much appreciated. Please contact your child's class teacher or the office if you are able to help.

On Friday 22 June we will take part in a whole school mile run/walk (shorter distance for KS1/Reception.) As well as this, in KS2 children will have the chance to take part in activities such as: tennis, athletics, Gaelic football, HIIT sessions and skipping workshops. While in KS1, children will be taking part in HIIT sessions, mile run/walk, athletics and skipping workshops. Children will also get the chance to take part in a step challenge using pedometers. Across the school, children will get active and use their maths knowledge through our "Maths of the Day" programme.

We hope that everyone will enjoy School Sports Week and hopefully learn some new skills along the way.

WALKING BUS

Now we have this lovely weather we hope to see many more children walking to school. Please follow this link for further details. <http://www.stvincents.trafford.sch.uk/page/the-walking-bus/27905>



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OUR TWITTER SCHOOL NEWSROOM

We now have 305 followers on Twitter. We post lots of information about our school day on twitter, so if you would like to see and learn more about school life please do start to follow us. @StVincentsPr

ATTENDANCE FIGURES FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

| Attendance Percentages | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Highest infant class attendance | Y2 Miss Butler and Y2 Nicholls both 100% |
| Highest junior class attendance | Y6 Mrs Sheldon 99.7% |
| Overall school attendance | 98.45% |

*Please note that disability related absence are not taken into account when calculating best attendance

We break up today for the whit holiday. We will welcome the children back to school on **TUESDAY** 12 June. I hope you all have a good break and enjoy spending time with your family.

Yours sincerely,

A Harrop

Headteacher

