



OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

14th June 2024

It is a very busy time in school at the moment and we are really grateful to all parents and carers for your support in making sure the children arrive at school with the correct clothing and equipment for their activities, trips and events. Please keep an eye on the newsletters and messages from school to ensure that you don't miss any of the events and activities.

Year 6 Fashion Show

We are excited to announce that on Monday, 1st July, at 2:30 PM, Year 6 will be holding a fashion show to showcase their handmade waistcoats.

To support our class charity, Glenhome Care Home, we will also be conducting a raffle. Tickets are available at 50p each or £1.50 for a strip. Tickets will be on sale the week before for all children to purchase and all parents are welcome to the fashion show. All proceeds will go directly to Glenhome Care Home.

Wraparound care

Please note that all bookings for breakfast club and after school club should be made using the Arbor system. Please contact the school office if you have any queries regarding this.

School Virtues

Self-control Courage Hope

Love Justice Solidarity

To love, live and learn in the light of Christ

This term's virtue is Solidarity.



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Star of the Week

Reception	Andrea	Showing amazing effort when constructing and writing sentences for her Little Red Hen book.
	Skyla	Showing amazing effort when constructing and writing sentences for her Little Red Hen book.
Year 1	Reuben	Great sounding out and focus in the phonic check this week. Reuben took his time and carefully attempted all words.
	Geona	Great reading in the phonic check this week. Geona showed confidence in sounding out lots of new words.
Year 2	The whole class	For being absolute superstars on the trip to Hartsholme. They had a fantastic time and were beautifully behaved.
Year 3	The whole class	For their hard work and determination this week whilst we sang songs at the care home. The hail during our walk did not stop them as they showed how they can work as a team.
Year 4	The whole class	Being brilliant representatives at the Mini Olympics. Mrs Taylor and the team were very proud of Year 4 as they were polite, gave 100% in every sport and were truly fabulous.
Year 5	Harry	Demonstrating an improved attitude towards his behaviour and learning this week.
	Ephraim	For listening and participating fantastically in the Science discussion on Monday during assembly.
Year 6	Sykes	For his amazing draft, editing and publishing in English. He demonstrated his Year 6 knowledge applying grammar throughout.
	Bentley	Being dedicated to his learning in lessons. Helping the class with his knowledge in History and English.



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Mini Olympics

Our mini Olympians in Year 4 and our Sports Ambassadors in Year 6 represented the school with great enthusiasm yesterday at the Mini Olympics held at Grantham South Kesteven Sports Stadium. The class took part in the event alongside other primary schools from Lincolnshire. Each school represented a country—our country was Japan and the children proudly held their banner during the opening ceremony.

During the day the children took part in a variety of events: squash, wheelchair racing, boxing, football and badminton. The children also got the chance to meet paralympic swimmer Joe Roebuck and watch freestyle footballer Stephen Gray.

The day ended with a closing ceremony with performances from bands and the dancers from the Royal Opera House.





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Diary Dates

Date	Event
Saturday 15th	Summer Fayre 12-4pm
17th to 21st	Sports week
24th to 26th	Year 6 Residential visit
July	
12th July	Reports to parents
15th July	Leavers Mass in school 10am
19th July	Leavers Assembly 9am
19th July	Family picnic—12pm
19th July	Last day of term

PLEASE NOTE—THERE WILL BE NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB ON THE LAST DAY OF TERM—19/07/24

Sports Day

Our sports day will be on Monday 17th June (weather permitting).

10:00-11:30 Reception & KS1 Sports Day

12:45-15:00 KS2 Sports Day

IN THE EVENT OF ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITONS, WILL WE SEND OUT A MESSAGE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE ON MONDAY MORNING.

Family picnic

On the last day of term, 19th July, we will be having a family picnic. This will take place on the school field from 12pm. Please feel free to bring along your chairs, blankets and of course a picnic. Once the picnic has finished you will be able to take your children home.



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NEXT EVENT SUMMER FAYRE

SATURDAY 15TH JUNE

12PM TO 4PM





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Parish News

Dates in June:

Wednesday 19th June Year of Prayer parish group--Parish Hall from 19.00.

Saturday 15th June Diocesan Walsingham Pilgrimage.

Saturday 15th June Eucharistic Ministers Renewal Day St Mary's Boston--Horncastle Road.

Sunday 16th June Little Church @ 10a.m. Mass.

Wednesday 19th June Sleaford Churches Together AGM Wednesday 19th June at 7:30pm at Riverside Church (Sleaford High Street). Refreshments will be available from 7pm. Melanie Carolle will be our guest speaker prior to the meeting starting this year. She is the Missions Enabler for Churches Together in All Lincolnshire.

Friday 28th June Requiem Mass @ 11.45-William Hanley RIP.

Saturday 29th June Women's Breakfast meeting Parish Hall from 9a.m.

Sunday 30th June Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction @ 15.00--all welcome!

A final thought ...

Someone else is dreaming of the things
we take for granted.

Have a great weekend.