



Newsletter 21 – 23rd February 2018

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the second half of the Spring term, let's hope the drier, warmer weather will soon start to grace us with its presence! It was lovely to see Prep 2 outside looking at the flowers that are just starting to bloom.

I do hope you had a lovely break and have come back feeling refreshed and ready for the challenges of the term ahead as it is extremely busy. Please look out for letters providing information about the events and regularly check the calendar on the website as we will endeavour to make sure the information is as up to date as possible.

On a personal note, may I take this opportunity to say a huge thank you for all the kind words and smiles that I have received on my return to work. It is lovely to be back!

Dates for the Week Ahead –

Monday 26 th February	12.45pm-1.15pm 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.30pm-4.30pm 4.00pm-5.00pm	String Group in the Hall Football Club (6) French Club (6) Prep 6 After School Study Session
Tuesday 27 th February	12.00pm-1.00pm 12.50pm-1.05pm 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Tennis Preps 4 & 5 Netball Preps 6 & 7 Judo in the Hall
Wednesday 28 th February	9.00am-11.00am 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.45pm-4.30pm	Sportathon (in the Hall if cold or wet) Infant Art Club (7) Chess Club (7) Netball Preps 6 & 7
Thursday 1 st March	12.30-1.15pm 3.30pm-4.30pm 3.45pm-4.45pm	WORLD BOOK DAY! Recorder Group in the Hall Zumbatomic (6) Junior Art Club (6)
Friday 2 nd March	7.50am-8.30am 3.45pm-4.45pm	Gymnastics Club Preps 1,2,3 &4 Street Dance (6)
Saturday 3 rd March		Catenian Cross Country – details to follow

Hockey Tournament

There is a hockey tournament at Timperley Hockey Club for Preps 3 & 4 and 5 & 6 on Monday 5th March. Mrs Brett will be giving our more details next week.



First Sacrament Preparation

Thank you to all the parents who attended the meeting last night. The girls will make their First Forgiveness on Thursday 8th March – we ask that you remember them in your prayers at this special time.

Family Fast Day

Thank you to everyone who has sent in a donation to CAFOD in lieu of break. If you haven't remembered to bring yours in there is still time to do so on Monday.



Sportathon

On Wednesday 28th February the girls will be taking part in our annual Sportathon. Sponsorship forms were sent out this week. Please do your best to support this event which raises funds for our school charities.



World Book Day

On Thursday 1st March we will be celebrating World Book Day. All the girls (and staff!) enjoy dressing us as their favourite character from a book. I very much look forward to seeing which characters they will choose. Please remember to send your daughter in her usual school coat and sensible shoes for the playground.

Open Day

Open Day is on **Saturday 10th March**. Teachers will be asking for help from some members of each class but I would like to remind you that **ALL** Prep 7 girls are expected to attend the morning. They are superb ambassadors for our school and prospective parents regularly comment on how polite and informative they are on their tours.



Prep 7 – very busy

This is an extremely busy time for our Prep 7 girls. Mrs Stiles has sent out a letter giving details of the dates the girls need to keep free for various performances etc. If you need a copy of this letter please ask Mrs Jones in the office. We are extremely grateful for your support during this time.