#### The Week Ahead

#### There are no after school clubs this week!

## Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July

St Joseph's Church summer fair from 12 noon – everyone welcome

#### Monday 11th July

Change Over Day –children spend the day in their new class.

Mon-Wed Transition days for Y6 children moving to St Pius

Y5 Gospel assembly 2:45pm everyone welcome

## Thursday 14th July

Y6 Leavers' assembly 2pm - everyone welcome

#### Friday 15th July

Y6 Leavers' Mass 10:30am including the passing on of the candle to Y5 everyone welcome

Special Picnic themed lunch

School closes for Summer Holidays at 2pm

# Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September

Return to school.

#### Attendance last week

F2	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
96.1%	97.3%	97.9%	98.7%	98.3%	98.7%	100%

#### Congratulations to Y6 100%

#### **Changeover Day**

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July - Children moving from Y2 to Y3 should be collected from the KS2 playground on this day.

## **Summer Performances**

Thank you to all those members of friends and family who were able to join us for the performances this week. We are sure you enjoyed celebrating the culmination of the children's learning this half term with them.

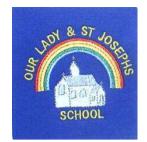
# **School uniform for September**

School uniform is white shirt, grey skirt/trousers/shorts, royal blue jumper/sweatshirt/cardigan and black shoes/boots. PE kit is white teeshirt and black or navy shorts, with a tracksuit for colder weather. Please do not purchase other items as schoolwear. Book bags and PE bags are available in the office. Book bags £4 each, PE Bags £3 each.

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## Thursday 7th July 2016

Dear parents and carers

This will be the last newsletter for this school year. Next Friday we have to say good-bye to our wonderful Year 6 children who are leaving Our Lady and St. Joseph's to go to secondary school in September. Thank you to their families who have supported them so well during their time with us. We also take this opportunity to congratulate them on their SATS results for which they worked so hard! Well done! They will be celebrating at The Bluebell tomorrow lunchtime!

# We ask God's blessing for the future on;

Lucy Andrews, Jakub Armusiewicz, Jacob Coates, Holly May Donovan, Emily Finch, Devon Freeman, Daniel Frodsham, Jayden Geilhardt, Ethan Gray, Cailtlin Harrison, Emily Hays, Ethan Humphries, Alisa Kajekere, Agata Kleba, Olgierd Krawczyk, Nyle Lambert, Catie Lincoln, Emma Mosley, Hannah Musa, Harrison Niland, Edward Parkin, Honey Probert, Bailey Rhodes, Axel Smith, Daisy Smith, Thomas Stacey, Amy Stone, Dominik Szucs, Carter Thomson and Harley Whitehouse.

#### **KS2 SATS Results**

This year's Y6 are the first to be tested under the more rigorous testing standards and the new curriculum content. They have performed wonderfully, as you can see from the comparison of their achievements next to national outcomes:

Reading 79% (66% Nationally) Writing 90% (74% Nationally) Maths 86% (70% Nationally)

### **Shakespeare Festival**

On Tuesday evening our Y3/4 children took part in the Rotherham Shakespeare Festival, performing scenes from 'A Winter's Tale.' They were outstanding.! Their performance was mesmerising and we are sure all the adults there were immensely proud! Well done!

#### **Early Finish**

Please note that school will close at 2pm next Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July. The children return to school on Wednesday 7th September.

# Party Picnic Themed lunch Friday 15th July

Reminder- There will only be the choice of a Ham sandwich picnic lunch on this day, Please send £2 in a named envelope by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July if you would like a lunch on this day.

# **Earrings**

If you wish your child to have their ears pierced please ensure it is done at the beginning of the six weeks holiday so they can be taken out for school at the start of the new school year. Children are not permitted to wear earrings for PE sessions or after school sports activities.

### **School Lunch Prices 2016-2017**

Following a decision taken by Full Council, the price of school meals is to rise by 5p from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2016.

The price of £2-05 for a Primary School Lunch remains exceptional value for a healthy, two course, freshly prepared meal. Children in Key Stage 1 continue to receive free meals through the universal free school meals scheme.

# **Staffing**

Class teachers in September will be as follows:

- F1 Mrs Pegg
- F2 Mrs Evans
- Y1 Mrs Machen
- Y2 Miss Dyson
- Y3 Miss Hall
- Y4 Mr Gouldin
- Y5 Mr Shillaw
- Y6 Miss Barker and Mrs Janvier

Sadly, at the end of this term we will say goodbye to Miss Halliday, Miss Cutler, Mrs Hocking and Mrs Wattam. We wish them all the best for the future and will be thanking them for their work at a later date.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red	Cottage Pie	Italian	Cornish Pasty	Roast	Special picnic
		Chicken Pasta		Chicken &	themed lunch-
				Sage &	this is the only
				Onion	choice on this
				Stuffing	day.
Yellow	Quorn Chilli &	Cheese &	Macaroni	Salmon Pasta	
	Rice	Tomato Pizza	Cheese	Bake	
Green	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	
	with a	with a	with a	with a	
	selection of	selection of	selection of	selection of	
	fillings	fillings	fillings	fillings	
Blue	Tuna	Cheese	Ham	Turkey	
	Mayonnaise				
	Sliced Potatoes	Garlic Bread	Creamed	Roast &	
		Potato	Potatoes	Creamed	
		Wedges		Potatoes	
	Seasonal	Seasonal	Seasonal	Seasonal	
	Vegetables	Vegetables	Vegetables	Vegetables	
	Chocolate	Jam Whirl &	Australian	Toffee Apple	
	Sponge &	Custard	Crunch	Sponge &	
	Chocolate			Custard	
	Sauce				
	Strawberry	Cookie &	Fruit Jelly	Iced Finger	
	Mousse	Milk			
	Assorted	Assorted	Assorted	Assorted	
	Desserts	Desserts	Desserts	Desserts	

We will return with week 1 choices for lunch