



29th April 2022 St Edmund Campion Newsletter

School Parent Association News

Thank you to the Parents Association and their generous donation of £5,000 to the school to support the upgrade of our timber trail. This is due to take place in the middle of June and we know the children will look forward to the new equipment.

The following message is from the Parent Association:

The main fundraising and social event of the year is our school summer fair. We are delighted to say that our fair is returning this year after two years absence, so make sure that Saturday 2nd July 11am is in your diaries!

As always, it is our community that makes our fair so prosperous. Parents and children alike run the stalls that create the fun and welcoming environment we all love. We will be holding a summer fair planning meeting just after school on the 17th May at 3:30pm, children are welcome to stay during this time. We will have a supervised room with a DVD for the length of the meeting. We will need parent volunteers to run the stalls - if you would like to help in any way to organise/introduce new ideas and plan our fair then please come and join us on this date.

Year 2 Liturgy

Well done to year 2 for their lovely liturgy all about special people.

the children led us in their reflection about the people who are special to us, those in our families, at our school and in our wider community. We thank God for these special people. We also recognise that the children are very special too and did an amazing job.

Polite Reminder: Parking

We have had parents reporting unsafe parking around the school and particularly at the top of Cambridge Road.

We remind you all to park in a safe and considerate way. If you see any unsafe parking or anything you deem to be dangerous please report it, with a photograph,

Sports

Football:

Congratulations to one of our girls football team who were the joint winners of the Rushcliffe schools tournament last Saturday. They demonstrated fantastic skills and team spirit. Both teams were amazing and were supported by their parents cheering and encouraging on the side lines.

Tonight the boys team and the girls team will be playing in the Finals of the Rushcliffe Schools FA cup. What an amazing achievement! Two teams in the finals. We will update you next week with notification of any silverware. Good luck to them all.

This Saturday will see the boys team at the Rushcliffe Schools tournament. We wish them well and all the luck we can.

Other Faith Week

This year, week commencing 16th May, we will be focusing on the Islamic Faith. If any of our Muslim families would be willing to talk to classes, year groups or in as part of an assembly, please contact Mrs Woolley via the office (office@st-edmundcampion.notts.sch.uk). Mrs Woolley will provide further information.

It would make this part of the curriculum come to life for our children and we know that our children love it when our families come in to share their religion and culture. Please don't be frightened about coming in.

We would be very grateful and would support you in any way we could.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Jubilee celebrations

Obviously the community of St Edmund Campion will be celebrating the Queens Platinum Jubilee.

On May 27th we will be marking each of the seven decades of her Majesty's reign.

Each year group will be celebrating a decade:

Foundation: 1950's

Year 1: 1960's

Year 2: 1970's

Year 3: 1980's

Year 4: 1990's

Year 5: 2000's

Year 6: 2010's

We are asking the children to dress in clothes from their decade. We will be hosting a whole school tea party. Children will be learning a special song and dance from their decade. We hope that it will be a day to remember!

We will keep you updated.

World Maths Day

We will be celebrating World Maths Day on Friday the 6th of May.

On this day we will focus on all things wonderful about Maths.

It will be a dressing up day and we ask you to dress up at Times Tables Rock Stars.

Bring out the double denim! Release your inner rock star! It should be fun with the aim of encouraging children to really know their times tables, number bonds and really love maths.

Attendance

We take pride in our attendance at SEC and want to share this with you.

FOUNDATION	95.3%
YEAR 1	96.1%
YEAR 2	96.4%
YEAR 3	96.3%
YEAR 4	94.4%
YEAR 5	95.6%
YEAR 6	95.8%

Your support with ensuring all children have a good level of attendance is wonderful. Please remember that excellent attendance leads to amazing achievements. This week, we have achieved 95.7% attendance as a whole school. Our year 2 Pupils are overall attendance winners with 96.4%.

Looking Ahead

- 29.04.2022 - Cup Finals (If successful on Monday)
- 30.04.2022 - Boys Football
- 02.05.2022 - Bank Holiday Monday
- 04.05.2022 - Parish Statue of Mary visiting school
- 06.05.2022 - World Maths Day (Dress up as rock stars)
- 06.05.2022 - Year 1 Liturgy 09:15 (Parents Welcome)
- 07.05.2022 - Holy Communion at the Cathedral