

St. Ignatius News

St Ignatius
Catholic Primary School



In God's Hands

'To live by our PEARL values' – PRAYER, EQUALITY, ACHIEVEMENT, RESPECT and LOVE.

Dates for your diary

Date	Who?	What
22. 04.16	All	Coffee Morning with Family Support Workers
W/B 25.04.16	5L	Residential Trip to Pendarren
W/B 25.04.16	All	The Big Pedal
W/B 25.04.16	All	Book Fair begins this week
26.04.16	Reception RF	City Farm visit
27.04.16	Reception RH	City Farm visit
28.04.16	5L parents	5L assembly

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you all had a restful break over the Easter period. We are now already well into our very busy summer term. It has been a productive week at St Ignatius and many of the children are preparing for tests later this term. We were delighted to see so many parents at our Year 1 Phonics workshop on Wednesday, many parents remarked how useful the workshop was.

With the improved weather comes some exciting new initiatives to get healthy including a bikeability course for our Year 5 children and 'The Big Pedal' which is happening next week. We would like as many children as possible to come to school on two wheels next week. 'The Big Pedal' is a UK initiative to encourage children to take healthier journeys to school and to also help the environment.

Finally we would like to wish 5L a great trip as they are off to Pendarren next week. Please check the website for daily updates of their adventures! We will be texting 5L parents also. We hope you have a lovely weekend and remember to 'Get Pedalling!'.

House Points

Winning Team

ASIA

Congratulations!

Lunchtimes

Next week is Week 1 of the Spring menu. Please see the school website for details.



ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS!

Year 1	Joevy	Maks
Year 2	Michelle	Carla
Year 3	Oliwier W	Treasure
Year 4	Manuella	Maria
Year 5	Dragan	Jedidiah
Year 6	Benji	PJ

Special Recognition Awards

Eli (5L) Giovanni (2E)

**Book Fair**

Next week we will be holding a book fair in the library in Anne Line. See letters for details .

Streetz Ahead

Our Dance classes will resume next week. There are still some spaces for the Monday class for Year 4-6. Please see Miss Taylor for details.

Clubs

During the summer term we will be restarting our gardening club. There are still places available for Year 3 pupils if they wish to join. Please see Miss Taylor. Lego club has also started up again in Year 3 and 4 and back with Year 1 and 2 next week.

The Big Pedal

Next week we would like as many parents/children as possible to come to school on two wheels. The children can come to school on their scooter or their bike. Each day we will tally up and add our results to a database. We will compete with other schools. Please ensure children do not scoot or cycle on the school premises. The bikes and scooters can be left in the vegetable garden if parents do not wish to take them home.

Coffee Morning

Thank you to all the parents who came along to our coffee morning today. It is a great way to get together as a school community.

**Families Support Services**

Today, at our coffee morning, we shared information about the range of services available to support our families in our local communities. These include parenting classes, English classes, computer courses, housing support, access to health services, entertainment. Many of these services are free or offer concessions. Next week, we will send out a letter detailing some of these services. Please come and see Ms Curran, Ms Taylor, Ms Hammond or Ms Ursula about anything you would like more information about.

General reminders

- School starts at 8:55 am. Please ensure that your child is in the line at this time.
- We are closely monitoring attendance – please make sure your child attends school every day unless there is a very good reason for their absence.
- Please sign and date the reading record daily.
- May Day holiday on Monday 5th May
- School breaks up for the May half term on **Friday 27th May.**

23rd April- The Feast of St George- Patron Saint of England

As we celebrate St George's Day we remember all the best things about England- tolerance, fair play and freedom. Let us pray for all those who follow St George's example and made great personal sacrifices for the faith. St George Pray for us.