



St Mary's Catholic Primary School

Term 3 Week 1 January 11th 2019

Celebrate Value Awards

Independent Learners

Holly P, Billy W,
Gracie-Mae S,
Philip C,
Nicolas M,
Kayla B,
Oliver B

Collaborative Learners

Aiden F,
Christopher S,
George S

Resilient Learners

Adam C,
Jason E

Creative Learners

Ilana W,
Olivia A

Responsible Learners

Evie B
Awards Outside School
Athletics

Attendance

Red Class YR: 93.3%
Orange Class Y1: 87.2%
Yellow Class Y2: 95.6%
Green Class Y3: 97.4%
Blue Class Y4: 94.4%
Indigo Class Y5: 97.0%
Violet Class Y6: 95.8%



Well Done
Green Class

On Wednesday evening after school a team of Year 5 and 6 children went to Beacon to take part in an indoor athletics competition. Everyone had a great time and tried some new activities. We were given a certificate for showing determination.



Sadie's taking a trip around... £ 2.10

17/01/19

Great Britain

Choose a Main Meal...

Roast Beef with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
or
Lentil Roast (v) with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
or
Jacket Potato with Cheese (v) or Baked Beans (v)

On the Side...

Yorkshire Pudding
Fresh Carrots
Garden Peas

For Dessert...

Jam Roly-Poly with Custard
or
Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

Please see your school for more details

Chartwell
EAT LEARN LIVE

Dates for Your Diary

Remember: PI shows parents, carers, parishioners and friends are invited to attend.

January 2019

3rd INSET Day
4th INSET Day
7th first day of Term 3
16th/17th Change of Menu - see below
18th Year2/Yellow class
Trip to Lewes Castle
18th Year 5/Indigo Cake Sale 3pm
25th Year 3/Green class
Trip to Chislehurst Caves

February

1st Mass for the Presentation of Our Lord 9.30am PI
11th-15th Using Tools Week
15th Last day of Term 3 (3.15pm finish)
25th First day of term 4

Please check dates regularly as events are added or may be changed.

Thursday 17th January 2019 Census day—Special Menu— Menu Changes

To coincide with the school census day, Chartwells are providing a special Great Britain menu on this day. We encourage as many children as possible to book as school meal on this day which has impact on the school's funding.

Thursday's previously published menu of Chicken and Tomato Lasagne or Vegetarian Tagine will now be served on Wednesday 16th January instead. Jacket potatoes and baguettes available on both days as usual.

Taken from this week's Gospel

Luke 3:15-16,21-22

Jesus is baptised by John

Baptism of the Lord Year C



~ Pray ~ Learn ~ Love ~ Enjoy ~

Please note New Office Hours

Monday: 8:40am – 4:30pm
Tuesday: 8:40am – 4:30pm
Wednesday: 8:40am – 3:45pm
Thursday: 8:40am – 3:30pm
Friday: 8:40am – 4:30pm



The office does not open until 8.40am each morning and only children on gate duty should access the office before this time.

Thank you all for your co-operation.

'An amateur performance by kind permission of Ben Crocker'

THE ROTHERFIELD PLAYERS PRESENT

Sleeping Beauty

by Ben Crocker

THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
17TH	18TH	19TH	20TH
JAN @ 7:30PM	JAN @ 7:30PM	JAN @ 2:00PM & 7:30PM	JAN @ 2:00PM

TICKETS AVAILABLE ON LINE FROM
WWW.ROTHERFIELDPLAYERS.CO.UK
& THE COURTYARD CAFE
TICKET PRICES FROM £8



Year 5 / Indigo class are holding their cake sale next Friday 18th January. Please can year 5 remember their donations of cakes be brought in next Friday and all please all remember to bring some money to support the sale and buy some yummy treats after school. Thank you

News from the Friends of St Mary's School



Friends of St. Mary's Primary School
Crowborough
@FriendsOfStMarysCrow

The friends have a new Facebook page which will keep you up to date with events and news. If you are a user of Facebook, please search for [FriendsOfStMarysCrow](#) and click **Like** to follow. This is a closed group for members only and is not open to the public. Numbers of followers are growing but please keep sharing with your friends.

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We've had a great start to the year with just two events, raising a whopping £1,309.41 already!!

We still have an unclaimed hamper from the Christmas Draw we have tried to contact the winner but had no reply, The only name we have on the ticket is Ailing if anyone knows who this is please can you ask them to contact the office.

Thanks so much to everyone involved and everyone for supporting the school and the children.

We've got some great ideas for 2019 and are really excited to get started. If anyone would like to contribute - however big or small, we would really appreciate it.

FSM are holding a New Term Meeting on **Friday 18th January** in the Waitrose Cafe at 9am. If anyone would like to join, please let one of us know. The more the merrier, but attendance is not essential. We will be discussing future events and new ideas are very welcome.



Friends of St Mary's School. We need your help! If you shop online, please could you sign up to easyfundraising to support Friends of St Mary's School - Crowborough? It's a really easy way to raise money for us – you just use the easyfundraising site to shop

online with more than 3,300 well known online stores like Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden, and M&S and when you make a purchase, the retailer sends us a free donation, at no extra cost to you. We want to raise as much as possible, so please visit our easyfundraising page at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stmaryscrowborough/> and click 'support us'. Thank you!

An Unwell Child?

When your child is unwell, it can be hard deciding whether to keep them off school. A few simple guidelines can help.

Not every illness needs to keep your child from school. If you keep your child away from school, be sure to inform the school each day of their absence.

Use common sense when deciding whether or not your child is too ill to attend school. Ask yourself the following questions.

Is your child well enough to do the activities of the school day? If not, keep your child at home.

Does your child have a condition that could be passed on to other children or school staff? If so, keep your child at home.

- Would you take a day off work if you had this condition? If so, keep your child at home.



Common conditions

If your child is ill, it is likely to be due to one of a few minor health conditions. Whether you send your child to school will depend on how severe you think the illness is. This guidance from the NHS can help you make that judgement.

Remember: if you are concerned about your child's health, consult a health professional.

Cough and cold. - A child with a minor cough or cold may attend school. If the cold is accompanied by a raised temperature, shivers or drowsiness, the child should stay off school, visit the GP and return to school 24 hours after they start to feel better. If your child has a more severe and long-lasting cough, consult your GP. They can give guidance on whether the child should stay off school.

Raised temperature. - If your child has a raised temperature, they should not attend school. As a rule, a temperature of 38C (100.4F) or above is classified as a fever in children.

Rash. - Rashes can be the first sign of many infectious illnesses, such as chickenpox and measles. Children with these conditions should not attend school. If your child has a rash, check with your GP or practice nurse before sending them to school.

Headache. - A child with a minor headache does not usually need to be kept off school. If the headache is more severe or is accompanied by other symptoms, such as raised temperature or drowsiness, then keep the child off school and consult your GP.

Vomiting and diarrhoea. - Children with these conditions should be kept off school. They can return 48 hours after their symptoms disappear. Most cases of vomiting or diarrhoea get better without treatment, but if symptoms persist, consult your GP.

Sore throat. - A sore throat alone does not have to keep a child from school. If it is accompanied by a raised temperature, the child should stay at home.

Conjunctivitis. - Children with conjunctivitis need to be kept off school until antibiotic eye ointment has been applied for 24 hours.

Impetigo. - Children with impetigo need to be kept off school until there is no more blistering or crusting, or until 48 hours after antibiotic treatment has been started.

Tell the school: - It's important to inform the school if your child is going to be absent. On the first day of your child's illness, telephone the school to tell them that your child will be staying at home. The school may ask about the nature of the illness and how long you expect the absence to last. If it becomes clear that your child will be away for longer than expected, phone the school as soon as possible to explain this.

This information was sourced from the NHS Choices Website.