



## School Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers

We are in the final half term of our school year and children have been involved in lots of exciting activities.

Congratulations to the children who made their Confirmation earlier this month.

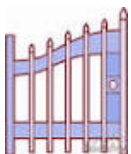
Bishop Robert Byrne visited our school and met the children. He was very impressed with the children and the school.

### Uniform

As ever, massive thanks for sending your children to school looking so smart and for following our uniform policy. A polite reminder that we do not allow hair sculpting, tramlines, engravings or patterns of any description. Please also remember that nail varnish, jewellery of any description and trainers are not allowed. Your support really is appreciated – visitors always comment on how smart, kind and well behaved our pupils are. THANK YOU!



### Children's Safety



The safety of the children is very important to us. Please can you ensure in the mornings that you drop your child inside the school gates. Please DO NOT park on the school car park as this is for pedestrians entering school.

### Sports Day

The children from years 1 to 6 participated in sports day and we are proud of the children's teamwork and sportsmanship. Well done to all the children and a big thank you parents for supporting. Nursery and Reception children will be holding their sports day on Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> June 1:15pm. Please support and come enjoy the activities.



### YES Smethwick Sports Day

Our children participated in a range of sporting events at Hadley Stadium this week. The children did extremely well in their sporting achievements. Well done to all the children who took part.

## Healthy Eating

We encourage the children to bring in healthy snacks for tuck time and also in their lunch boxes. Please support us by helping your child to choose healthy options. Thank you for your support.



## Gardening Project



We have a volunteer gardener that works with Mrs Horobin, Mrs Ghaleb and the children from year's 2 – 6, planting potatoes, onions, garlic and many other vegetables. If you have some waterproof coats or wellies that your children no longer wear, we would very much appreciate it if you could donate them to school. If your child's class is gardening that week then could you check the weather and remind the children to bring their waterproofs and wellies. Thank you.

## Dates for your Diary

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June** – Teacher training day (school closed for children)

- Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June** - Nursery and Reception sports day.
- Wednesda 25<sup>th</sup> June** - Theatre Group performing for Yrs 1-6
- Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July** – School Parish Mass
- Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July** - Summer Fayre
- Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Parents' Evening – An invitation for you to discuss your child's report .
- Wednesday 16<sup>h</sup> July** – Year 6's leavers' disco
- Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 6's leavers' mass 10:45 am in the church.
- Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July** – Year 6's Graduation. Children finish school for the Summer holidays.

Please see attached term dates for next academic Year—September 2014 to July 2015.

Thank you for taking the time to read this newsletter. Please keep it in a safe place for future reference.

*Mrs Hinton*