

# St Walburga's Catholic Primary School

# Newsletter



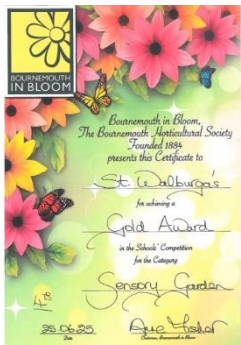
Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Number 36

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a great week! It was fantastic to see so many of you at our Sports' Events – the children had a brilliant time, despite the weather not being the best for KS2 and Year 1. Many thanks to Mrs Tomlinson and the Year 6 Sports Leaders for all their hard work and efforts to make these events so much fun for the children.

On Tuesday morning, Mrs Welch and Mrs Huntley took representatives of our Gardening club to the Town Hall for the Bournemouth in Bloom awards presentation. I am very proud to tell you that our Sensory Garden was presented with a Gold Award! Well done to all the gardeners!



Our whole community came together on Wednesday for our fantastic Summer Fair! Many thanks to all those who helped in any way – it was a lot of work to pull everything together, but so worth it for the great memories made, and the amazing sum of money raised! Special thanks to Lezete and her stalwart team of PSA helpers who have been working so hard for several weeks. Also, a special mention to the Year 6 children who organised games for everyone to play – and really gave their time and talents to serve others. Thank you all so much!!!!



On Thursday, Year 5 had a visit to the Mary Rose as part of their learning about life in Tudor times.

Also, on Thursday, we celebrated the children in school who have made their First Holy Communion this year. It was lovely to see so many parents and carers at this special celebration in school.

### Guitar and Violin showcase

There will be a showcase for those children who have been learning guitar or violin this year, parents are invited to join us on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 2.00pm – more info to follow!

### Year 5 – Secondary school

Parents of Year 5 children should have received an email this week with information about the application process for secondary school – please ensure you read all the information and note the deadline date of 31<sup>st</sup> October 2025.

### Feast Day

We are very much looking forward to our Feast Day celebrations next Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July. Thank you to those of you who were able to contribute to our new water feature – it will be 'unveiled' on Thursday and the Prayer garden will be central to our morning activities. Weather permitting, we will celebrate Mass outside at 1.30pm and parents and carers are welcome to join us for this special celebration of our school saint and our school family.

### New classes

Please see below the classes that your child will be in from September. The children will have a chance to spend time with their new teacher and teaching assistant during the transition session on Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> July, and you will have the chance to meet the team in the second week of term in September on Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> September.

Current class	New class	Staff
	RJ	Mrs Smith (Mon), Mrs Jones (Tues-Fri) <i>Mrs Akam (Mon) Mrs Kitson(Tues – Fri) Mrs Karakus (ams)</i>
	RP	Mrs Paine (Mon-Thurs), Mrs Smith (Fri) <i>Mrs Cornhill</i>
RJ	1JC	Mrs Cunningham <i>Mrs Lask(Mon-Wed) Mrs Gibson (Thurs, Fri)</i>
RP	1WH	Mrs Welch (Mon-Wed), Mrs Hills (Thurs,Fri) <i>Mrs Beech</i>
1WH	2NW	Miss Wood <i>Mrs Newbury, Mrs Arnaudy,(ams) Mrs Karakus (pms) Ms Legaspi (Fri)</i>
1JC	2MS	Miss McGuinness and Mrs Sellwood <i>Mrs Glackin, Mrs Bujak</i>
2NW	3BN	Miss Blunden (Mon- Thurs), Mrs Nolan (Fri) <i>Miss Ward, Mrs Wilson (Mon – Thurs am) Mr Sparks (Fri)</i>
2MS	3NL	Mrs Nolan (Mon, Tues) , Mrs Lee (Wed - Fri) <i>Miss Addis, Ms Honeywill(Mon-Fri am), Mrs Arnaudy(Wed)</i>
Year 3A	4PM	Mrs Mason <i>Mrs Conway</i>
Year 3B	4CM	Miss Carlson (Mon – Thurs), Mrs McCaffrey (Fri) <i>Mrs Ward</i>
4PM	5JC	Miss Cleall <i>Mrs Deans, Mrs Crispim (Tues – Thurs am)</i>
4DC	5RH	Mrs Ruffle (Mon-Wed), Mrs Huntley (Thurs-Fri) <i>Mrs Perkins</i>
5JC	6KB	Mr Browne <i>Mr Sparks (Mon, Tues) Mrs Hepplewhite (Wed – Fri)</i>
5RH	6HT	Mrs Huntley (Mon), Mrs Tomlinson (Tues-Fri) <i>Mrs Short</i>

### Well done to all our Stars of the Week:

Super role model: RJ: Joel; RP: Francis; 1JC: Oli; 1WH: Maja; 2NW: Rio; 2MS: Helena; 3NL:Ruby; 3DB:Malika 4DC: Matthew; 4PM: Elsie; 5RH:All of 5RH; 5JC:All of 5JC.

### Learning Champion

RJ: Aasiyah; RP: Aria; 1JC: Maja; 1WH: Rafi; 2NW: Elizabeth; 2MS: Jake and Ben; 3NL:Tiggy; 3DB:Krystal; 4DC: Mila; 4PM: Clara; 5RH:Nickolas; 5JC: Ariana.

### Dates for your diary:

Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	1.30pm	School Feast Day Mass – Parents and carers invited
Weds 9 <sup>th</sup> July	2.30pm	QDOS Uniform sale-KS1 reading den
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> July	6.30pm	Year 6 Leavers mass- Annunciation Church
Weds 16 <sup>th</sup> July	6.00-7.00pm	Year 6 Leavers disco
Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> July	2.50 pm	End of term for children

Wishing you a lovely weekend with your families.

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