



St Alban's Newsletter

17th March 2017, 3rd Sunday of Lent



Wednesday Word – GOD'S LOVE
17th March - St Patrick, 20th March-St Joseph
Happy St Patricks day to all the Irish community



Parent Consultations 22nd & 23rd March

The [website](#) is now open for you to book an appointment with the class teacher. Only one login is created for the main contact (the person you have asked to contact first). If that fails try using the second contacts details.

Survey at the Parent Consultation

We would like you to give us your thoughts on your expectations of being at a Catholic school. Please [click here](#) for the survey. This will also be available on the Parent Consultation dates on iPads before you meet teachers.

Fair Funding for Cambridgeshire

Earlier today, two letters have been sent via email regarding the fair funding for Cambridgeshire. Please go to the [school website](#) to complete the surveys.

School Uniform

Thank you very much to everyone for supporting our request to ensure the children are in school uniform.

Cafod

Congratulations to everyone involved with the Cafod fund raising event. The total amount raised was £352.

Achievement letter

[Achievement Letter February 2017](#)

Visitors from the State of Niger in Nigeria

On Wednesday we welcomed some visitors from the State of Niger, in association with the Faculty of Education. They thoroughly enjoyed their visit to our school and would like to thank the children and staff for making them feel so welcome. A special thank you to Miss Waterson for organising the event. [Photos](#) are on our school website.

Artsmark

you may have noticed that we have a new logo on our headed paper - for Artsmark. This is a nationally recognised award for achievement in the arts curriculum. We are currently working to achieve a gold level Artsmark, and over the next two years, will be developing our arts curriculum with the children to give them the best possible experience of art, dance, drama and music.

Jazzerthon -PFA News

Some of you will have heard about this event in recent PFA meetings, but to those who haven't heard about it, just to explain what we are doing...

The sponsored Jazzerthon event will take place in the school hall on 23 March. KS1 and KS2 will have separate Jazzerthons from 9.30-10.30 and 10.45-11.45. Nicola Murphy, Sammy and Grace's mum, will lead the workout. We will need volunteers to help with any issues that might arise during the event (loo visits etc.) – once we have the final details confirmed we will ask if you can appeal to your year parents for helpers... In the meantime, please encourage all parents to help their children to ask for sponsorship from friends and family. Money raised will be used to buy new books for the school. And, in case you're still confused, a Jazzerthon is a Jazzercise workout for an extended duration... Feel free to google 'Jazzercise' to find out more!

As ever, many thanks and all best wishes.

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GenR8

[Religious education support materials](#)

Costume request

If anyone has a lion costume at home that they would be prepared to lend to school, please could they bring it in for Year 5 to use in their play? We currently have 3 lions but only two costumes! Onesie, or just tail and head would be great.

Many thanks. Mrs Burrows

Japan Day - Sat 18th March

Enjoy Traditional & contemporary Japanese culture at the Kaetsu Centre - [More information here](#)

Tennis camps @ Cambridge Lawn Tennis Club

Monday 10th to Thursday 13th April, Minis (4-7 years) 9:00-10:30am, Juniors (8-16 years) 10:00-1:00pm. Please our website for an application form and prices: www.cambridgeltc.com

Cambridge Literacy Festival 21-23 April

Jam-packed weekend bursting with events for children of all ages - from Harry Potter to Star Wars, Maisy Mouse to Kipper, and illustration with Nick Sharratt to mermaid adventures with Laura Dockrill and we welcome celebrated children's author Jacqueline Wilson to share her much-loved classic books. [Click here](#) for more information.

Tennis & Multi-Sport Easter Holiday Camp

At Hills Road Sports Centre. [Click here](#) for more information.

Junior Basketball Camp 5th April

At Swavesey Sports Centre. [Click here](#) for more information.

Homework

Y3-No homework

Y4-No homework

Y5-P36 Area

Y6-No homework

Quiz

1. In the Gospel reading this week, what did Jesus ask the Lady for?
2. The lady came from Samaria. What is she called?
3. Do you know another story about a man from Samaria?

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