

St Teresa's Catholic Primary School

By following in the footsteps of St Teresa we share Gospel values.

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An 'outstanding' Catholic Primary School

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News from pupils...

On the 16th May we had a netball match against St Nicholas School. We had 7 Year 5 children (Anita, Flo, Connie, Annabelle, Sophie, Lili-Rose and Olivia) and 2 girls from Year 4 (Freya & Sophie). This was a training match and all the children gained lots of experience. Although St Teresa's were in the lead most of the game - the final score was 2-1 to St Nicholas. It really was a superb atmosphere with lots of support. Well done to all the children.

Player of the match: Flo (good defence jumping)

Captain: Connie

School News



As May is the month of Mary, the school gathered together in a beautiful procession to honour Our Lady. It is always lovely to welcome parents to join us in this procession and we thank Fr Gerry for leading us in prayer. If you were unable to join us please feel free to spend a few moments with Our Lady and gaze at the stunning flowers our children adorned her with. We are very proud of each and everyone of our children as they all played their own special part in this event.

St Teresa's Pre-School - This week we welcomed children from St Teresa's Pre-school who joined us for some wonderful play. It was a great visit and fantastic to meet them all.



Thank you to Year 5 who have spent time weeding and tidying the garden area as you enter school. They have planted flowers and other plants to spruce up the outdoors. This has been part of their 'Our Place' science topic. Lots of green-fingered children and super teamwork!

<p>Super Stars </p>	<p>Birthdays We wish the following children a very happy birthday...</p>
<p>Reception: Isabella</p>	 <p>Callum, Kieran, Alfie, Matthew & Vinnie.</p>
<p>Year 1 : Tiana</p>	
<p>Year 2 : Lexie</p>	
<p>Year 3 : Noah</p>	
<p>Year 4 : Freya</p>	
<p>Year 5: Connie</p>	
<p>Year 6: Hayden</p>	

<p>Good to Great Awards</p>
<p>Reception: Elias - For amazing effort and progress in maths and literacy.</p>
<p>Year 1: Amelia - For super progress in reading.</p>
<p>Year 2: George - For great story writing</p>
<p>Year 3: Joseph - For writing a very persuasive letter.</p>
<p>Year 4: Sara - For super maths work on fractions and decimals.</p>
<p>Year 5: Jessica - For a very good attitude to learning in all subjects.</p>
<p>Year 6: Edward - For a fantastic improvement in arithmetic.</p>
<p>PE: Ewan (Year 5) - For showing a huge improvement in his long jump technique.</p>
<p>Special Award: Year 6 - For working very hard on their SATS and approaching them so calmly and sensibly.</p>



Attendance Well done to Year 6 for winning the Attendance Cup this week

Year Group	Attendance %	Late %
Year R	97.2	0.5
Year 1	93.8	1.2
Year 2	97.3	0.7
Year 3	97.2	2.4
Year 4	95.2	1.0
Year 5	97.0	0.3
Year 6	98.5	No Lates

Diary Dates

25th May	Non pupil Day
4th June	Back to school
4th June	Year 2 School trip to Hanningfield Reservoir
4th June	Academy Trust Consultation Meeting - 4.45pm @ St Teresa's
15th June	Father's Day Gift Shop
15th June	Junior Musical Festival
18th June	Meeting for Year 5 Parents with St Bernards & St Thomas More
19th June	Enterprise Day at KES for Year 5
20th June	Whole School Mass led by Year 3
26th June	Year 2 trip to Priory Museum
30th June	Summer Fete

FOSTS NEWS

 **SUMMER FETE!** 30th June!

Lots of great fun planned. Don't forget to save the date.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club Booking Forms for June and July are now available in the office.

Just a little reminder that sessions must be booked and paid for in advance.

Thank you.

Parish News



St Teresa's Church invites you all to Mass this weekend:

Saturday - 5.30pm

Sunday 9am (St Pius X) and 10.30am (st Teresa's).



Prayers

Dear God, we pray that all our children have a happy and restful half term holiday. May they find joy in everything they do and have a special time with their families. We pray especially for those in our school family who are poorly at this time, especially Mrs Glanville. Amen

Summer Term (Part 1) at a Glance

It has been a short half term but we have achieved so much! Together we have:

- Received confirmation of an 'Outstanding' rating from the Diocese of Brentwood.
- Hosted another successful 'Pentecost Dash' for all Catholic Schools
- Seen one of our children receive a *Citizen of the Year Award*.
- Received confirmation of our 5 grading in our Food Hygiene Inspection.
- Celebrated a Royal Wedding in style thanks to FOSTS.
- Completed our SATS assessments. We are very proud of all our involved.

Thank you for your continuing support and partnership

Mrs N Paterson