

# St Teresa's Catholic Academy

## SUMMER TERM 2019

### NEWSLETTER 5

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At this point of the academic year we begin thinking about the changes that lay ahead; children moving to new classes and new schools, staff moving on to new roles, and, as with any change worry and uncertainty can set in. When this happens, we can remember the words from Joshua (1:9-10)

*"Remember that I commanded you to be strong and brave. So don't be afraid. The Lord your God will be with you everywhere you go."*

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

5th July	Year 6 Dress Rehearsal, 1.30pm
6th July	Family Festival
8th July	Year 1 & 2 to Wellington Country Park
10th July	Meet the Teacher Morning for students
10th July	Yr 6 Performance, 7pm
11th July	Yr 6 Performance, 7pm
15th July	Reports sent home
16th July	Yr 6 End of Year Celebration, 4pm
17th July	Midsummer Music, 7pm
18th July	Leavers Mass, 9.30am
19th July	End of term, 1pm (After School Club finished at 3.30pm)

#### Leavers Mass

We are very much looking forward to our Leavers Mass on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 9:30; this is always one of the most important and poignant celebrations for our Year 6 children, and their families. As such, we would like to thank Fr David for giving permission for Fr Kevin Jones to celebrate this Mass with us. Please note as the Mass will be held in the school could you please let the office know if you will be attending so we can ensure there is adequate seating. We look forward to seeing many of you there.



#### Clubs

Yoga and Racket Sports have their final session on Monday 8th July. All other clubs are now finished.

#### Inset Day

Please note that due to the change of Bank Holidays in 2020 the Inset Day will now take place on Thursday 7th May 2020.

Tomorrow we celebrate our biggest fundraising event of the year – our Fun Day. This is always a day I look forward to as I actually have the chance to have a chat and catch up with you all. However I am also slightly nervous as my bottle for the 'Stocks' currently has the most amount of money in it – I will be canvassing support on the day especially as I have a genuine fear of water on my face! A huge thank you to our amazing SA Team for all the hard work they have already put in preparing for this event; please do come along and support their efforts.

The next two weeks are the busiest in our school calendar; we are certainly not showing any signs of slowing down! Please keep an eye on the Key Dates to ensure you don't miss out on anything!

Finally, in two week's time, instead of enjoying the beginning of the school holidays I will be taking on another MacMillan Mighty Hike. This time I am walking the Thames Path from Windsor to Henley, a mere 26 miles! Sadly, so many of us have been affected by cancer and I can say from first-hand experience, MacMillan really do make a devastating situation more bearable. If you would like to sponsor me please go to my Just Giving page - [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/nikki-peters4](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/nikki-peters4) – any amount really does make a difference.

Best wishes,

*Mrs Nikki Peters*

Headteacher