



NEWSLETTER



15th May 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to start by offering a huge congratulations to all of our Year 6 pupils who completed the KS2 SATs examinations this week. They all have been working extremely hard over the last few months to prepare for this moment, and we are all so proud of what they have achieved.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of our upcoming Family Rosary session with Deacon Michael on Monday 18th May, 9.00-9.15am in the KS1 playground. This will be a wonderful opportunity to partake in Collective Worship as a school community.

We are now midway through the Summer Term and would like to thank all families for their continued support in ensuring children attend school regularly and arrive on time each day. Please read our attendance notice below.

Beyond the classroom, our calendar is bursting with opportunities for the children to explore and grow. Please see our **updated events calendar** below.

Kind regards,
Jared Brading
Executive Headteacher



MARIAN ARTWORK DISPLAY!

As part of our celebrations for May, the month of Mary, each class has produced a piece of artwork based on global depictions of the Mother of God.

These depictions include Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, Our Lady of Guadalupe, the Black Madonna, and the Virgin Mary Hodegetria (Our Lady of the Way).

These pieces of art will be displayed at Sacred Heart Church throughout the month, so please go and take a look!

HILARY HOUSE VISITS THE OVAL

Last week our students from Hilary House took a trip to the Oval cricket ground. This event was called Oval Disability Day, and offered the children an opportunity to take part in fun activities such as face painting, target hitting and meeting two alpacas!

The day was a huge success and all of the children thoroughly enjoyed themselves.



ATTENDANCE NOTICE

We are now midway through the Summer Term and would like to thank all families for their continued support in ensuring children attend school regularly and arrive on time each day. Good attendance and punctuality are essential for children's learning, wellbeing and sense of belonging within our school community. Every school day matters, and even small amounts of missed learning can have an impact on children's progress, confidence and friendships.

The Summer Term is always a particularly important and exciting time in school life, with many trips, events, celebrations and enrichment opportunities taking place across all year groups. It is also a key period for statutory and school assessments, where consistent attendance is especially important in helping children feel prepared, confident and successful. These experiences and opportunities play a valuable part in children's personal development, helping to build confidence, friendships, independence and cultural understanding, whilst strengthening their connection to the life and community of the school.

We are aware that the Summer Term can sometimes bring requests for holidays or overseas trips during term time. We would like to remind parents that holidays taken during school time cannot be authorised. Family trips, visits abroad and cheaper travel arrangements do not meet the criteria for authorised absence.

We kindly ask families to plan holidays during the school holiday periods wherever possible. Your support helps us ensure that all children can make the most of every learning opportunity and continue to thrive both academically and socially.

Thank you for working in partnership with us and for your continued commitment to your child's education.

OUR CATHOLIC LIFE: FAMILY ROSARY

As many of you are aware, May is the month of Mary.

Please join us and Deacon Michael for a Family Rosary on Monday, May 18th, from 9:00 to 9:15 am in the KS1 playground.

If you have a rosary, please bring it along. This will be a wonderful opportunity to partake in Collective Worship as a school community.

We look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.



RUN SACRED HEART RUN!

We are really excited to be taking part in Run Kids Run on Sunday 7 June 2026 at Battersea Park — a brilliant community event for Sacred Heart children and families. This event is a fantastic opportunity to raise money for the school simply through participation:

Over 30% pupil participation = £5,000 for Sacred Heart

The money raised will go towards continuing improvements to the school's outdoor spaces and facilities for all of our children to enjoy. To take part, there are TWO steps:

Please register your child using the Google Form below sent out via ParentMail. If you would like to sponsor or donate, please use our JustGiving also sent out via email.



ATTENDANCE SCOREBOARD

BSC = 93.6%

GMB = 96%

N = 100%

RN = 91.6%

1B = 98.8%

1L = 96.5%

2C = 93%

2R = 94%

3L = 96.1%

3M = 99%

4O = 92.9%

4P = 94%

5L = 94.6%

5T = 95%

6G = 99.2%

6S = 97.6%

OUR WINNERS ARE...



WELL DONE!

THE WEDNESDAY WORD IS...

FRIENDSHIP

"There is nothing on this earth more to be prized than true friendship." - St Thomas Aquinas



SEND Coffee Morning

- Connect with other parents and carers
- Enjoy a cuppa and a chat
- A friendly atmosphere

Tuesday 19th May 2026
9am - 9:45am

Please complete the Google form as this will help indicate numbers for the day





Summer Term Events 2026

Date	Event
18 th May	AFC Wimbledon Football tournament
18 th May	School Food Matters Chutney Masterclass at Ashcroft Academy
18 th May	Hilary House dance show (RAD)
19 th May	SEND Coffee Morning 9.00-9.45
20 th May	Half termly Celebration Assembly
20 th May	Come Dine with Me 12.00-12.30 (bookable)
21 st May	Crowning of Mary Service 9.30am (Children Y2-6 to bring flowers)
3 rd June	Come Dine with Me 12.00-12.30 (bookable)
3 rd June	Hilary House Polka Theatre
4 th June	Dynamos Cricket Competition
Sunday 7 th June	Run Battersea Event – open to all
8 th – 12 th June	Phonic Check Week Y1
9 th June	Rashmi Sirdeshpande author visit
9 th June	Girls Dynamo Cricket Competition
10 th June	London Youth Games Rugby Final

12 th June	Feast of Sacred Heart Mass at Sacred Heart Church (End of year school mass) 10.00am. All parents welcome to join Y2-Y6
15 th June	Y4 BAC visit
17 th June	EYFS and Y1 End of Year Service with Deacon Michael 2.45pm. All parents welcome.
17 th June	Y6 Dynamo Cricket Competition
17 th June	Y4 Garson's Farm Trip
17 th June	Come Dine with Me 12.00-12.30 (bookable)
17 th June	Sacred Heart Sports Award Evening
18 th June	Y5 District Girls Football Competition
24 th June	KS2 Sports Day at Battersea Park
24 th June	EYFS Welcome Meeting for September 2026 admissions 5.30pm
25 th June	Choir - Wandsworth showcase event
26 th June	Y4 Cricket Festival
26 th June	Boys Football Competition
26 th June	Y1 Wandsworth Music Performance at Tooting
29 th June	Volunteers Tea Party
30 th June	New EYFS Pupil Parent Teacher Interviews (September 2026)
1 st July	EYFs and KS1 Sports Day (morning staggered times)
1 st July	Y5 Sacred Heart Parish Mass
3 rd July	Nursery Stay and Play session for new starters
6 th July	Y1 music performance to parents 2.30pm
8 th July	Y6 Show – 2 performances (timings TBC)
9 th July	Marie Metcalfe Reading Assembly
9 th July	Music Concert 2.00pm – all parents welcome
10 th July	Reception Stay and Play session for new starters
13 th July	Hilary House Concert 2.00pm

14 th July	Final Assembly
15 th Assembly	Half Termly Celebration assembly
15 th July	Hilary House trip to Polka Theatre
15 th July	Y6 Leavers Mass and Party (Mass 4.00pm)
16 th July	Y6 Clap Out at 3.00pm
17 th July	Last Day of Term. School closes at 1.30pm