

LENT ACTIVITIES IN SCHOOL

Particularly for new parents, a brief explanation of ‘non-spiritual’ events during Lent.

As a school we try during Lent to support those less fortunate than ourselves by raising money through activities involving the children.

NON-UNIFORM DAY (Friday 13th March)

Children can come to school out of uniform for the day. They are asked to contribute 50p to charity for this.

CAFOD MEAL (Friday 6th March)

Children from Year 2-6 are asked to forsake their school lunch on this day. Instead of getting a lunch, school provides children with a sandwich. The dinner money for that day is donated to charity. Children who normally have sandwiches can take part, in this case we would appreciate the donation of £1.

SPONSORED EVENTS

During week beginning 16th March our children will be involved in a sponsored event. The children will be bringing home a sponsor form and are encouraged to take part – every little helps.

CHILDREN’S EVENTS (w/c 30th March)

Our older children, if they so wish, can organize their own fund raising events e.g. raffles, guess the number of sweets in a jar etc.

EASTER BONNET COMPETITION (Wednesday 8th April)

Children are invited to make Easter bonnets at home and bring them into school on the morning of Wednesday 8th April. In the afternoon the children parade for the rest of the school and any parents/relatives may attend. The prizes given for various categories are kindly donated by the Friends of St. Nicholas.

Children are also invited to take part in our Easter garden, Easter card and decorated egg competitions.

All entries for any of these competitions can be brought into school and displayed from the start of school on Monday 6th April.

Please make sure all entries for competitions have your child’s name on them.

SPIRITUAL EVENTS.

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday 1st break in school (Year 2 upwards).

Outdoor Stations of the Cross.

9.30 Wednesday 8th April. All welcome.

Lenten Services.

*Wednesday 18th March 10.30am. Ash Wednesday.
Palm Sunday.*

Wednesday 25th March. 10.30am Death and New Life.

Wednesday 1st April. 10.30am. Last Supper.

All welcome at the above services.

KS1 Lenten Activities

*Monday 9th March Easter Egg raffle tickets 10p each on sale daily until Friday
7th April when the draw will take place.*

*Friday 27th March Bun sale. – Bun/biscuit to be sent in day of sale. Please label
Lunchtime. returnable boxes*

Thank you for your help and support.

*Mr. P. Lawson
Headteacher*