



# St Augustine's Newsletter

Friday 8th May 2026  
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Dear Parents and Carers,

This week Year R have had a lovely visit to Bockett's Farm. Many thanks to all of you who came along to help, it's much appreciated. This week the children have also been watching some chicks hatch as part of their learning about growth and life cycles.

Please say a prayer for all our lovely pupils in Year 6. Next week they have their SATs tests. We know that they have worked hard and deserve to do well.

## Upcoming Events

Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA KS1 Disco
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 SATs week
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA meeting at Pine Ridge at 8p.m.
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Y3 Camberley Museum Trip
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	Feast of the Ascension – Mass at school for pupils
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	The Crowning of Our Lady in the prayer garden - (children are welcome to donate plants to the prayer garden or bring flowers to honour Our Lady during the liturgy)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	St. Augustine's Day Mass at 1.50p.m. Parents / Grandparents very welcome to join us – weather permitting! PTA KS2 Disco / 2 <sup>nd</sup> hand uniform sale Faith in Action Pupils – Cake Sale for the Mary's Meals Charity
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Y4 Bikeability
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1 Lookout Trip
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Y3 Feet First
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	SPORTS DAY / PTA Happy Bags
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of term – finish at 1.30p.m.

<https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/28466>



With thanks for your continued support,

### SHPSSA Year 3 and 4 Cricket Tournament

On Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May, eight children from year 3 and 4 attended a cricket tournament at Camberley Cricket Club.

For a lot of the children, this was their first experience with playing cricket, for others, it was a chance to play in a team for the school. There were no winners on the day, just a really good opportunity to play competitive sport against other schools in the local area. Well done to all who participated.

***Vinnie G, Nate B, Zane M, Anthony G, Jovan S, Adam C, Alessio ZC, Oyare O***



### Year R

In Reception over the past few weeks we have been enjoying celebrating the fact we are still in the season of Easter. The children made some amazing Easter bonnets over the Easter holidays and took part in a parade around the school. They also made Easter nests.



## **Godly Play – Pupil Faith Leaders**

On Wednesday some children from Years Four and Five went to Wintershall to take part in a workshop called, 'Faith Leaders Godly Play'. Godly Play is an imaginative approach to spiritual nurture through story, wondering and play. The children had the opportunity to see and experience Godly Play in action and learn the techniques of story telling. The children then worked in small groups to create the stories of The Ten Best Ways, The Mystery of Pentecost, The Parable of the Good Shepherd, The Parable of the Mustard Seed and the Mystery of Easter. They then had an opportunity to retell these stories using the techniques that they had learnt. We hope that in the coming weeks these children will be able to share these stories to small groups of children across the school.

Many thanks to Mrs. Allan and Mrs. Chase for taking the children along to this lovely session.



## Year R – Trip to Bocketts Farm

On Wednesday the children in Reception went on a trip to Bocketts Farm. They enjoyed looking at and learning about the different animals. There were lots of baby animals including calves, piglets and lambs. The children enjoyed feeding the animals and petting them. Watching the pig race and the tractor ride around the farm was super fun. The highlight of the day was the coach ride to and from the farm. A great day was had by all!

We were really proud of all the children. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered their time to come and help on the day.

The Early Years Team



## **Mental Health Awareness Week**

Next week it is Mental Health Awareness Week. Please see below some sources of help should you ever need them.

# Support for young people

## Helplines & textlines

If you feel overwhelmed, or like you want to hurt yourself, you can:

**Text SHOUT to 85258** to contact the [Shout textline](#).

Call [HOPELINE247](#) on **0800 068 4141** or the **NHS on 111** and select option 2.

Contact [Childline](#) by using [1-2-1 chat](#) or calling **0800 1111**.

Call [Samaritans](#) on **116 123** for 24/7 support.

## Online

[Mind's information pages](#) for young people shares more about mental health, where to get support and tips for coping.

[YoungMinds](#) also offer mental health support for young people, parents and carers.

**Read our full list of useful contacts for young people.**

# Support for adults

## Mind's helplines

**Support line: 0300 102 1234**  
Monday to Friday, 9am-6pm

**Infoline: 0300 123 3393**  
Email: [info@mind.org.uk](mailto:info@mind.org.uk)  
Monday to Friday, 9am-6pm

**Welfare benefits line: 0300 222 5782**  
Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm

**Legal line: 0300 466 6463**  
Email: [legal@mind.org.uk](mailto:legal@mind.org.uk)  
Monday to Friday, 9am-6pm

## Local Minds

**Local Minds** offer face-to-face services across England and Wales. These services include talking therapies, peer support and advocacy.

## Side by Side

**Side by Side** is our supportive online community for anyone experiencing a mental health problem. The Side by Side community is available 24/7.  
[sidebyside.mind.org.uk](http://sidebyside.mind.org.uk)

## **Parking**

Reminder to please park respectfully in and around the school grounds, the safety of our children is of utmost importance. We also have staff arriving at the end of the day for after school commitments who are finding it increasingly difficult to park, please do not park in staff spaces at any time. Thank you

Have a lovely weekend  
Alison Walsh