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Thank you to our y6 for all the kindness, respect and encouragement you have shared with others during your time here. It was lovely to celebrate 'you' at the Leaver's Mass this week with your families. A particular thank you for the role modelling through your prefectships. I wish you all the best for your next step at secondary school and for your futures.

Thank you to our y6 families for the support you have given to our school over the years – it has been lovely to share the end of the Primary School phase with you at the Production and the Mass.

The Gospel this week tells us of busy, serving Martha and Mary – stopping to listen to Jesus. We reflected that it is good to welcome people and look after the them (like Martha) and it is good to make time to listen to God's Word (like Mary).

I hope you all have a restful, relaxing summer break and look forward to seeing you in September.

Mrs A M Black, Head of School

"Dear young people, always be missionaries of the Gospel, every day and in every place." **Pope Francis**

House Points: Well done to St Francis!

St Bernadette - 131 points

St Francis – 222 points

St Paul – 128 points

St Theresa – 133 points

St Thomas More – 150 points

St Anne Line – 199 points

Term Dates: New school term 2022-2023 dates are available on the school website.

Goodbye and Good Luck

Today we send our best wishes to all our y6 that are leaving for secondary school. We also give our thanks to Mr Patterson, Mrs Butler and Mr Gatulah for all their work at our school and hope they very much enjoy the nest steps in their journeys.

Congratulations!

We wish Miss Ashborn much happiness on her forthcoming Wedding Day. We look forward to welcoming her back as Mrs Patterson in September.

National Summer Reading Challenge!

Gadgeteers is the summer reading challenge at all the libraries in Harlow. Their website has lots more to engage with too – click here. Do sign up, join in and

when the challenge is complete bring

your certificate in to celebrate in Assembly at school.

Parents Survey: Please do complete the Parent Questionnaire that can be accessed here Thank you.

Parent Handbook: Do see the NEW Parent Handbook posted on our website here so that you can be ready for the new year. Parent handbook

PE KITS: Next year we will be returning to having PE Kits kept in school and children will change whilst at school for their relevant PE lessons. Parents will need to ensure their children have a full PE kit in a blue kit bag in school at the start of the term. These will be sent home half termly for washing. Please see the Parent Handbook for the uniform list.

Dinner Menu: Our Summer Term dinner menu can be located <u>here</u> on our website and next week we will be on Week 1 (Monday 18th July)- however Monday and Tuesday will be different menu as advised on Arbor Hot weather message.

Free School Meals: Automatic entitlement to free school meals finishes at the end of Year 2 and only children from low income families are eligible from Year 3. An application for your child to receive a free school meal must be made here or by calling 0345 603 2200.

Keeping children safe online:

Over the holidays, if you need to check for parental controls or are concerned about a game / conversations / reporting, please look at these sites for assistance:

- Information, Advice and Support to Keep Children Safe Online (internetmatters.org)
- NSPCC
- Parent Zone

Mass Times:

Usual Sunday Mass times are 10am and 6pm

http://www.catholicchurchoftheassumpti
on.co.uk/

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Mass times are STM Church Sunday 8.30am OLF Church: Saturday 6pm Sunday 10.30am, 12.15pm

(Polish) https://olfstm.weebly.com/

Upcoming Dates:

Fri 22nd July End of Summer Term –

All children finish 1pm

Friday 2nd Sept Year 1 to Y6 return

Monday 5th Sept Pre-School return & yR – yR please check days/ times

Attachments: Harlow Museum Community Fun Day Kids eat for FREE or less



Happy holidays everyone!

