



ENGLISH MARTYRS

CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



Newsletter

10th July 2026

COMING UP

Mon 13th July	Y6 Leavers' Mass 1pm @ school Rock Steady Performance 2.15pm Y3 End of Year Awards 3pm	3.30-4.30pm Dodgeball 3.30-5pm Drama Club Performance Y6 Production 6pm
Tues 14th July	EYFS/Y1/Y2 trip to Burghley	
Wed 15th July	Talent Show AM - Children only	Drum Lessons PM Piano Parties PM
Thurs 16th July	9.30-11.30am KS1 Sports Day Guitar Lessons AM	Drum Lessons PM 2pm Y6 Affirmations
Fri 17th July	Coffee and Conversation 9.15am	School Closes at 2.45pm

NOTICES

- **School closes at 2.45pm on Friday.**

- **Parking**

Please do not park in or in front of the bungalow resident bays on Willow Crescent. Thank you.

- **Weather**

Please make sure children have hats, sun cream and water bottles in school. Also a rain coat! Thank you.



RUTLAND SPORTS AWARDS

Well done to all of those who were nominated for awards at the Rutland Sports Awards this week. William (Y6) was a runner up in Sporting Talent. Our New Age Kurling, Level 4 Gymnastics and Quick Sticks hockey teams were all nominated for Best Team and Mrs B received an Unsung Hero Award for her work with the Netball Team. We won the Fair Play Award as a result of a nomination from Tugby Primary School, for which we are very grateful.

It was a lovely evening and it was fantastic to see so many of our athletes attend. A big thank you to Mr Hodgson for all his support with our sporting events this year. Another great year for sport at English Martyrs!





END OF YEAR AWARDS



Well done to all the children who received end of year awards in assembly today! We had awards for Kindness, Faith, Love of Learning, Confidence, Resilience and Sport. Well done also to Rowan who received our Virginia Barwell Award for Kindness.



On Monday children were also presented with reading and STEM awards.



BIRTHDAYS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Y1 - Dougie, Arthur



SUMMER FAIR

A big thank you to FEM and all the staff and volunteers who helped at the Summer Fair this year. It was a great event once again, filled with fun, delicious food and fabulous music. Thank you to everyone who attended too. We look forward to hearing the grand total soon!



KS2 SPORTS DAY

What a brilliant KS2 sports day we have had! Our children embraced the challenge of competing in the heat and showed incredible resilience, determination and team spirit throughout the morning, as did the parents who kindly supported! Thank you to year 5 for their delicious scones too.



Y3 RESIDENTIAL

Mrs Topping's class have had an amazing couple of days at Fenlands for their residential. They took part in lots of fun activities, had a much needed water fight and managed to keep cool in the shade! A huge thank you to Mrs Topping, Mr Hodgson and Mrs Green for accompanying the children.



St Joseph's Church

Keep up to date with the Parish news [here](#).

UNIFORM SWAP

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10am - 11am

Please donate school uniform

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