



ENGLISH MARTYRS

CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY



Newsletter

25th September 2026

COMING UP

Mon 28th Sep	Y3 Swimming AM Y6 Forest School PM	Rock Steady/LAMDA PM 3.30pm -5.00pm Drama Club
Tues 29th Sep	Flute Lessons AM/PM	12-12.30pm Menphys Club 3.30-4.30pm Y4-6 Football Club
Wed 30th Sep	Drum/Piano Lessons PM 3.30-4.30pm Y1-2 Coding Club	3.30-4.30pm Y4-6 Basketball Club 3.30-4.30pm Y3-6 Cooking Club
Thurs 1st Oct	Guitar Lessons AM Piano/Drum Lessons PM	3.30-4.30pm Y1-3 Football Club Y5/6 Girls Football @ Royce 4.30pm -6pm
Fri 2nd Oct	9.15am Coffee and Conversation	3.00pm Celebration Assembly

NOTICES

• **Lost property**

Please ensure all school uniform and water bottles are named. We already have a collection of lost property of un-named items!

• **School carpark**

A reminder please that children should not be scooting or cycling across the car park. Please can you remind children to walk their bikes/scooters down the path. Thank you.



QUIZ AND CHIPS IS BACK!

Mr Hodgson is back as Quizmaster for FEM's Quiz and Chips on Thursday 8th October at 7.30pm. This adult only event is always lots of fun and a great way to support FEM's fundraising for school. Please click below to sign up. Either arrange your own team or join a team on the night!



BIRTHDAYS

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**

EYFS - Charlie

Y3 - Oliver

Y6 - Noa, Rafferty



Congratulations to Charlie in Y3 and his family on the birth of a new little sister!



English Martyrs 2026 Open Days

Saturday 10th October (9.30-11.30am)
Thursday 5th November (9.30-11.30am)

Or call 01572 722 400
to arrange a time to suit you

**Warning
ZONE...**
LIFE SKILLS CENTRE

Our Y6s had a great trip to the Warning Zone today. Thank you to FEM and the Windmill Trust for funding this important session for the children where they learn about personal and online safety.

They are always looking for volunteers at the Warning Zone. For more information please click [here](#).

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK

Love

If your child has shown the weekly virtue out of school, please post a picture on their portfolio on Class Dojo so the teacher can see!

COOKING CLUB

The children in Cooking Club have enjoyed their sessions so far. They have made pizza, sticky blobs and Tweetie Pie flapjacks!



MUSIC

The children in EYFS have enjoyed playing with the musical instruments this week. We already have some budding musicians in there!



Y4 SCOOTER SKILLS

Miss Moseley's class had a fantastic scooter skills session this week where they learnt how to use a scooter safely.



PRAYER

Loving Father,
Thank you for loving us so completely.
Help us see those blessed moments
when your love shines through others.
Fill us with the gifts to let your love
shine through us.
We ask your help in this mission of
love.
Amen



St Joseph's Church

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

FOOTBALL

Well done to the Y5/6 boys who played at the Football tournament at Royce Rangers this week. They worked well as a team, were resilient and determined.



FEM UPDATES

Following from the AGM, the new FEM committee is as follows:

Chair:	Emma Harkins
Vice Chair:	Kim Baxter
Treasurer:	Tiffany Hussain
Secretary:	Emma McAuley
Co-Opted Member:	Megan Scott

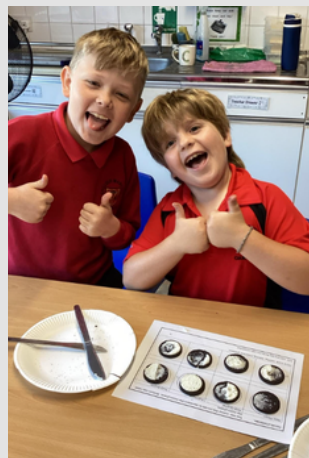
Class reps are:

EYFS: Chelsea Evans	Yr 1: Melissa Hull
Yr 2 : Emma McAuley	Yr 3: Emma Harkins
Yr 4: Nicky Dooley	Yr 5: Sarah McConnell
Yr 6: Laura Meadows	

There is also a FEM Whatsapp group for anyone who wants to be involved or help out at events. Please email femoakham@gmail.com if you would like to join.

Y5 SCIENCE

The Y5s loved learning about the phases of the moon this week as it involved eating Oreos!



TESCO BLUE TOKENS

Don't forget to vote for English Martyrs in Tesco Oakham! Pop your blue tokens in our box to help us get the maximum donation!





OPEN EVENING

WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2026

FROM 5.00PM UNTIL 7.30PM



COME AND JOIN US

We are delighted to invite prospective students and their families to join us at our Open Evening on Wednesday 30 September 2026 from 5.00 - 7.30pm where you will be able to experience our unique educational offer and have a guided tour of our outstanding facilities. Staff and students will give you a flavour of College life and answer any questions you may have. Information will be available regarding extracurricular activities, the Duke of Edinburgh's Award, Electives, music and sport as well as classroom demonstrations in science and art. You will also have the opportunity to watch performances by our music and drama students. Our Principal, Stuart Williams, welcomes you to his presentation at 5.45pm and 6.45pm, along with our head students, there is no need to book for the presentation.

If you are unable to attend, we are also offering tours with our prefects the week commencing Monday 5 October. Please email office@catmosecollege.com if you would like to arrange this or if you have any questions. Further information can be found on our website, including the prospectus www.catmosecollege.com/online/prospectus/

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OCTOBER ACTIVITY CAMP



UPPINGHAM SCHOOL SPORTS CENTRE

Monday 19th October – Friday 30th October

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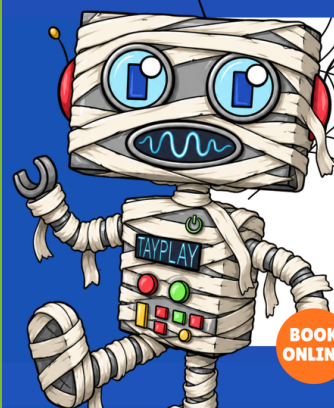


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