

## St Mary's Catholic First School

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We have had a great week at St Mary's, the weather has been lovely and the children have been working hard, swimming in the school pool and taking part in some interesting activities.



Year 2 visited the Thomas Hardye School on Monday and met the Author Laura James, they learnt about how she forms her ideas for books, how she started writing and they took part in various workshops. For information, Laura James will be at Waterstones in Dorchester this Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July at 11.00am if you would like to meet her.

It was lovely to see many of our Dads at the Father's Assembly on Tuesday morning, we hope you enjoyed it.



Year 3 were joined by three Year 3 classes from Manor Park for their Athletics morning on Tuesday, they took part in lots of different sporting activities and enjoyed meeting the children from Manor Park.

Year 4 had another Samba lesson; they are coming to the end of their musician programme with a performance for Year 4 parents next Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July at 11.00 am.

We had our Transfer Day on Thursday and all the children spent the day with the staff and in the classrooms they will be in in September.

We have a couple of exciting weeks coming up before the end of term; we are looking forward to our Sports Week next week with our Swimming Galas and Sports Day. The week next week will be finished off with our Summer Fete on Saturday 1.00-4.00 pm, we hope many of you and your families will be able to come along and support this event.

## Upcoming dates:

Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 & 4 Swimming Gala – 9.20-11.50 am – parents welcome
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 1 & 2 Swimming Gala – 9.20-11.50 am – parents welcome
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Samba Concert – 11.00 am – Year 4 parents welcome
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Non-uniform day for Tombola prizes for Summer Fete
Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Blessing of our new building – 9.00 am – parents welcome
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 Evacuee Day & Street Party
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 1 trip to Wagamama
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day – parents welcome from 10 am to join us & the races
	start at 1.00 pm
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Fete 1.00-4.00 pm
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Grandparents Assembly – 9.00 am – all grandparents welcome
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Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Leaver's Mass – 6.00 pm (child to arrive at 5.30 pm, see
July	separate letter) – Year 4 parents welcome
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Leaver's Assembly – 9.00 am – Year 4 parents welcome
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Children finish for the Summer Holidays
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> September	Children return after Summer Holidays

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Paula Fearn

**Head Teacher**