



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Schools across the UK took part on Wednesday in a 'Day for Ukraine' and the children were asked to wear blue and yellow and bring a donation. Thanks so much for your generosity. We raised £200 towards the appeal.

The children are bringing home a 'Sponsored Walk' form today for the whole school walk to the Halo on Thursday 14th April (the day we finish for Easter). We are giving the children time to collect as much sponsor money as possible to raise money for Ukraine. As always, we will have some prizes for the children who raise the most money.

Cartin-Shackleton Awards

Today, the day after St Patrick's Day, we presented our annual 'Cartin-Shackleton' awards. These awards are for effort, attitude and achievement and are given each year to children in Year 2 and Year 6. It is always extremely difficult to choose an overall winner as we have **so** many children who work hard at St Mary's. However, after much deliberation, the staff chose the following winners for each key stage:

The winner for KS2 is Mitchell Scott. In KS1 the winner is Darcey Ball. A huge congratulations to them both!

Food Bank Friday

Thank you to all families who have already sent in food donations. During Lent, we are asking the children to donate food items each Friday to help those in the community less fortunate than ourselves. We have a shopping trolley in the entrance hall and food can be brought in each week which will then be distributed to families.

Purple Monday

A reminder that Monday is our third 'Purple' Monday in Lent and the children are invited to again wear a purple item of clothing. Next week's theme is 'Praying'.



Stars of the week

Well done to this week's winners who received their awards today!

R	Scarlett (Class 1)
E	Oliver F (Class 5)
A	Benjamin (Class 4)
C	Alice (Class 3)
H	Saoirse (Class 2)
Miss McNicoll's 5Ws award	Sam E

Star Writer Award

Class 1: Harley

Class 2: Ruby

Class 3: William

Class 4: Harry

Class 5: Sam

Malcolm's Attendance Award

Well done to Class 5, who have the best attendance this week.

Finally, Class 1 had a fantastic day yesterday at Blackpool Zoo. And they had the added bonus of beautiful sunshine! It looks like it's going to continue over the next few days, so I hope you all have a wonderful weekend !

Yours sincerely,

Miss D McNicoll

Headteacher