



*Ad Majorem Dei
Gloriam
To the Greater Glory
of God*

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Flowers for Mary



May is the month that we dedicate to Our Lady. It is a time when we remind ourselves just how special she is just as our own mothers are. In school we have been saying prayers to remember these wonderful people and thinking about all that they do for us. It was lovely to see boys from all classes helping Fr Page with Mass this week, along with Mrs Gell reading a bidding prayer too. The boys brought flowers to be placed at our statue of Mary and please do come and see how beautiful it is. Fr Page then crowned our statue with roses whilst the Schola sang Ave Maria. It was a beautiful and moving moment as the boys proceeded past Mary and said thank you to her, said a prayer or reflected on the roles mothers have in the world today.

We treasure all that our mothers do for us; from the younger boys telling me that their Mummy's hugs are the best to the older boys explaining how supportive and caring their mothers are. Never take your mothers for granted boys as just like Mary they are some of the most special people in the world. Mrs K Anthony

Come and see what we're doing!

On Wednesday we welcomed an inspector from the Diocese of Brentwood to join our school to find out about Collective Worship, Religious Education and Catholic Life at Loyola. The boys and the staff demonstrated what an incredible school we have, from the behaviour of the boys and the way they answered questions (including our amazing school council & Sacristan prefects), to the work the boys are doing, our weekly Mass and how supportive our Governors and parents are. We will be sent the report and the outcome of the inspection next half term. It will be published on the school website once we receive it.

Word of the Week

"ablaze"



Well done to Felix for being awarded the first Bronze star of the term for 9 Golden Books!



Chicks in Pre-Prep 2

In Pre-Prep 2 we are lucky enough to have adorable chicks to look after. When we left school on Wednesday evening we only had a crack or two in some of the eggs but to our surprise we came into school on Thursday to 7 cute chicks. We saw two hatch whilst working in class and we can't wait to hold them.

By Ethan and Ryan

As a school, each term, we will focus on different values and qualities which will help us become aware of how we can make the world we live in a better place. Our focus for May is:

"to know that many small steps can make a difference"

Pupils who have demonstrated that they are upholding their responsibilities of being a Loyola boy are:

Oliver (Ruds) : for always being kind and supportive to the younger boys at Mass.

Spotted by: Mrs Lai (parent)

Brian (Prep): for coming to speak to an adult to help his friend. Spotted by: Mrs Anthony

House Points

This week :

1st : Garnet (1470)
2nd : Owen (1065)
3rd : Southwell (780)
4th : Champion (600)

This term :

1st : Southwell (3370)
2nd : Garnet (3240)
3rd : Owen (3175)
4th : Champion (2270)

Coming up next week.....

Monday 20th

Rudiments Activity Week – Parliament Trip
Figures to Brentwood School (Taster Day)

Tuesday 21st

Rudiments Sailing at Fairlop Waters (all day)
12.15 – 12.45pm Lego Club – (Second half of the register) PP1 & PP2
2pm U9 Cricket vs Forest (Ret'n approx. 5pm)
3.15 – 4.15pm Schola

Wednesday 22nd

Rudiments Canoeing & Mountain Biking (all day)
10.15am Certificates Assembly
10.30am Mass led by Fr Bemand-Quereshi and PP1
Lunchtime Sketch Club
12.15 – 12.45pm French Club – Prep
2.50 – 3.20pm French Club – Elements
3.15 – 4.15pm Choir

Thursday 23rd

Rudiments trip to Kidzania (all day)
12.45pm – 2.25pm Elements Tennis
3.15 – 4.30pm U11 Cricket training (On Astro pitch)

Friday 24th

Rudiments trip to Laser Mayhem (all day)
9.00 – 10.50am Chess Tournament at Bancroft's
2pm U 11 cricket vs Bancroft's (Ret'n approx. 4.45pm)
3.15 – 4.15pm U11 Squad Football Training
Finish school for Half Term

Did you know?

School Fact : Did you know that we are the 6th best independent school in the country at football?

(Thanks to our amazing U11 team!!)

Fun Fact or strange fact: It is against the law to die in the town of Longyearbyen in Norway!

By: Julius (Literacy Prefect)



It was lovely to hear from James (Figs), Kieran and Sebastian (Prep) about making their First Holy Communion last weekend. What a special time for you and your families.

Interhouse Chess

Competition

Last week 35 boys (9 from each house) played 3 games each to try and help their house to win.

1st place = Campion

2nd place = Southwell

3rd place = Owen

4th place = Garnet

(extra housepoints will be added to the scores next week)



Congratulations to Lucas (who plays for Watford FC) when he recently travelled to Germany for a football tournament. There were only 2 British teams to get this far and amazingly Watford FC came second! Furthermore, Lucas has been signed up for next year too!

Cricket Results

U11 Loyola (234 runs)
vs Chigwell (289 runs)

A very good performance against a strong Chigwell team. Loyola tried hard with their team made up of boys from Rudiments, Figures & Elements.



17th May - 23rd May

Adam M (Rec), Ayaan (Rec)

and Laurence (PP2)

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