



# St Edmund's Catholic Primary School

Diocese of Westminster

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## Newsletter to Parents

Wednesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2022

### Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal



We would like to say a huge thank you for giving so generously to this appeal. We have managed to raise £1154.56 as a school and will be sending this money to the Disasters Emergency Committee. The government has also pledged to match fund our donations.

### Dragon's Den



Year 5 recently took part in the HSBC Dragon's Den Project which required each team of six pupils to create their own business idea and present it to two HSBC bankers. The aim of this project is to help students with financial awareness, IT skills, presentation skills and boost to their confidence.

The winning 'Let's Reuse' team will be attending the grand finale where they will compete against six other schools next week. We wish them lots of luck!

### Scoot-a-thon

On Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> March we will be taking part in a scoot-a-thon in school. We will be raising money for the Catholic Children's Society and will be sending out sponsorship forms soon.

### Warmer Weather

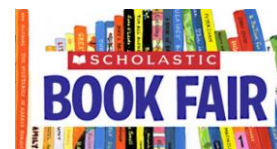
Now that it is warming up, it is important for your child to wear sun cream on sunny days. Please apply sun cream before your child comes to school and also provide your child with a sunhat for hot days.

### Trip to School Parliament meeting



Last week the School Councillors from Years 3,4,5 and 6 attended the Isle of Dogs School Parliament meeting. They discussed ideas around our joint task for this year which is "acts of kindness" and will be coming up with ideas in school in order to help promote this. They were fantastic ambassadors for the school.

### Book Fair



The book fair is coming and will be taking place during the school day for the children from Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> to Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup>

April. A letter has already been sent out with the dates your child will be attending. If you would like your child to buy a book, please ensure that they have money in a sealed and named envelope on the relevant days.

Thank you.

### Dates for the diary

**Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> March:** Whole school Scoot-a-thon

**Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> - Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> April:** Book fair at school

**Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> April:** Last day of term. Please see end of school day timings below:

Foundation Unit: 1.45pm

Years 1 & 2: 1.50pm

Years 3 & 4: 1.55pm

Years 5 & 6: 2pm

There will be no after school care on this day.

**Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> April:** INSET day **School closed**

**Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> April:** Children return to school