

# Weekly Newsletter - 11/10/24

*Our children of St. Thomas of Canterbury are inclusive.*

Dear Parents,

As you may have noticed we currently have some construction work underway at the back of the school site. We were fortunate to receive funding to decorate a classroom, revamp some toilets and improve the outdoor provision. This work has been completed to align with the Government's initiative to provide wraparound care for children in school. Our school providers, [Jules et Lis](#), use this area for breakfast and afterschool club. During the day The Hive classroom is a provision room to support students and the outdoor area is a space that a variety of pupils will be able to access throughout the day and during playtimes.

Best wishes,  
Mrs Poulteney

*We learn, achieve and love following Jesus.*



## Cross Country - 4.10.24

Last Friday, we took a team of Year 5 and 6 runners to Williams Edwards Secondary School to take place in the Thurrock SSP Cross Country Competition. All the children represented our school with such fantastic effort, sportsmanship and team spirit the whole afternoon, which was noticed by some of the other schools.

In particular, a massive well done to Sophia for finishing 2nd. She will now go on to the County Cross Country Competition. Well done to everyone, we are so proud of you!  
Go team St Thomas'.  
Mr Boulden



## Faith Council

Kamsiyonna, Caleb, Kenya, Kamsi, Maisie, Alicia, Kayla, Feyikemi, David, Korey, Tatyanna, Ivie, Kamsi, Chima, Edward, Freya, Tyler and Adannaya.



During Assembly our new Faith Council received their badges.

## Important Dates

15 & 17.10.24	Parents evening
23.10.24 - 10am	Yr 4 Mass at Church Parents Welcome
28.10.24 - 1.11.24	Half Term - No School
4.11.24	Inset Day - No School
5.11.24	Back at school
7.11.24	School Photo Day



October Reflection  
[Parent Newsletter](#)



# Parent's Evening

Tuesday 15th and Thursday 17th October 3:30 - 6:00 pm  
After visiting the class teacher come to the school hall.



## Scholastic Book Fair

Purchase a book for your child.  
Percentage of profits go to the school.

Thursday 17.10.24



Meet our  
school  
governors!

## Mental Health Support Team

Talk to Education Mental Health Practitioners about  
overcoming your child's worries and understanding their  
behaviour.

4.00pm Introduction to MHST workshop for parents and  
carers  
Tuesday 15.10.24



**UNIFORMWISE**  
Schoolwear

## Meet Friends of STOC



Have your say!  
Place your votes!  
Let's hear your voice!



Spread the word.....

St. Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Primary School



# OPEN MORNING

For prospective parents

12th & 14th November 2024

9:30am

