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DIARY OF EVENTS – SPRING 2009

MARCH

23 rd	Yr 2 Parents Meetings
25 th	Yr 5 Parents Meetings
26 th	Yr 1 Trip – Hall Place
27 th	2.00 pm Yr 3 and Yr 4 Easter Production
31 st	Easter Bonnet Competition

APRIL

3 rd	END OF SPRING TERM
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6th – 20th April 2009

Children return on Tuesday 21st April 2009

Dear Parents

The dates above cover the important events in the schools calendar for the second half of the spring term. You will also find all newsletters on St Joseph's website

Spring Bulb Competition

Congratulations to all the children who entered the spring bulb competition. The daffodils made a lovely display in our reception area.

Sponsored Event

Thank you to all who have sent their Sponsor money in so far. The total sponsorship money collected to date is £400. Please could you send all outstanding contributions to the office as soon as possible. We are looking forward to refurbishing our school library with new books and also the class book area.

Uniform

Summer uniform can be worn when the children return from the Easter holidays. Blue school uniform polo shirts can be worn by boys. These are available to purchase from the school office for £7.50 each. Blue blouses for Years 5 and 6 girls. These are available to order from the school office.

We have made some enquiries regarding the summer striped dresses for Years R-4 girls and we have got 2 sample dresses in the office for you to look at. If you would like to order these, please contact the school office. Orders will need to be in no later than Wednesday 1st April 2009. Alternatively Marks and Spencers are stocking the stripey dresses and prices range from £6.00 - £9.00 and also Matthews School Shop in Welling.



Easter Bonnet Competition

The Easter Bonnet Competition is here again on Tuesday 31st March. We hope that the whole family will contribute towards the Easter creations giving the judges some difficult decisions to make! Good luck!

Free School Meals

If you are entitled to free school meals for your child please notify the office even if they are presently bringing a packed lunch. Yearly funding allocations are based on the number of free school meal entitlements and not the actual number who receive them. The rules for applying for this award have changed, if you are receiving any **one** of the following allowances you are entitled to a free lunch for your child/children.

- * Income Support
- * Income-based Job Seekers Allowance
- * Child Tax Credit, but not Working Tax credit, and have an annual income (as assessed by the Inland Revenue) of £15,575 or below.
- * Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit

Active Kids 09 Sainsbury's Tokens

Thank you for your tokens so far. Please continue to send them into school. We are looking to use them for outdoor playground equipment.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Miss P Reen
Head Teacher

