



Well done to our Yr6 pupils who have completed their SATS tests this week. All pupils gave it their all and had a fantastic attitude to the challenge. We are very proud of them. Next week we have pupils participating at the Catholic Schools swimming gala on Wednesday and we have our 2<sup>nd</sup> S.A.S.A film night on Friday. Have a lovely weekend.

## Purley Pool News

We were delighted to read this week that the new Croydon Mayor Jason Perry has already begun planning work on reopening Purley Pool. Although provisional plans had been made to have swimming lessons elsewhere next year if the pool did not reopen, this news is a great boost for our swimming provision. We look forward to getting classes back to Purley pool as soon as it reopens.



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## Mayor Perry to reopen Purley Pool and Leisure Centre



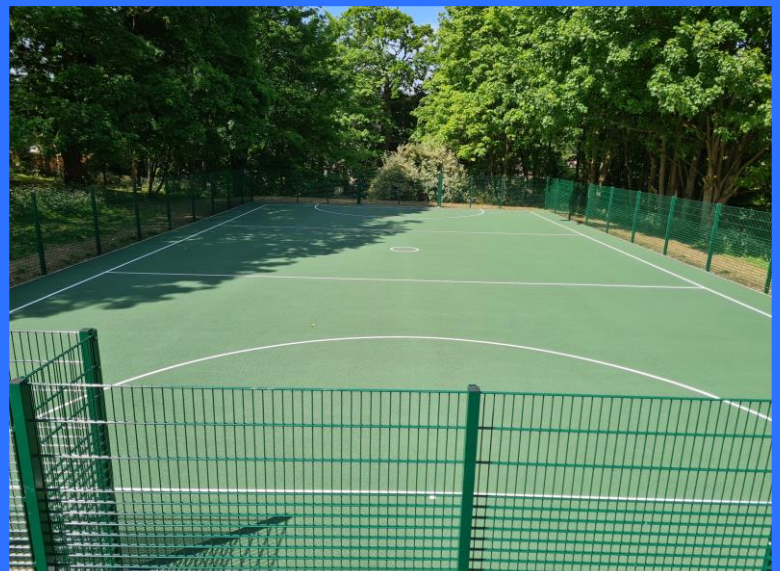
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## MUGA Completed

Our MUGA (Multi Use Games Area) has had its final layer and markings applied today. We are really pleased with the outcome and we can really see the improvement in our ability to provide high-quality outdoor PE sessions.



## Catholic Netball & Football

After a gap of two years, the annual Catholic schools netball & football tournament at Margaret Roper returns this Saturday. We will have four teams in action, two each in netball and football. Thanks to all of the pupils and their parents who have given over their Saturday morning to enable them to attend and to the members of staff who have volunteered to help out with the teams.

## Year 5 class assembly

Next Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May we will have Year 5 class assembly. The assembly will begin at 9.15am and parents are welcome to join us from 9.05am, as soon as pupils are off the playground.

## Access Disruption on Monday

Over the weekend, repair work will be happening around the pedestrian entrance to the school and at the paved area at the top of the entrance pathway. The work will be continuing on Monday (but hopefully not beyond that) so we will be using the car park entrance for entry and exit throughout the day (this includes breakfast and after school club). When you enter at the end of the day, you will need to come right up to the library/office entrance before crossing back onto the playground outside Yr1. This may create a bit of a bottleneck at the end of the day so please be patient.



St Mary: Gabrielle Newman  
St. Francis: Caelan Bleach-Thorne  
St. Joseph: Josiah Batte  
St. Bernadette: Lana Nelson  
St. Theresa: Sophia Bradley  
St. Peter: Beatrice Clark  
St Paul: Matthew Lehane



St Mary: Isabella Whittaker  
St. Francis: James Campbell  
St. Joseph: Langazye Kaluba  
St. Bernadette: Tom Ransom  
St. Theresa: Francesca Shaw  
St Peter: Caitlin Mulligan  
St Paul: Rahmani Nsiah



### London Air Ambulance Cake Sale



Matthew in Year 6 would like to say thank you to all the parents and friends who supported the cake sale last Friday. We have received the following message from London Air Ambulance.

*Matthew raised an awesome £167.10 from the raffle and cake sale – THANK YOU so much! We are going to get a special thank you for him, as well as an official letter of receipt and thanks. What an amazing job he did, and he should feel very proud at what he has achieved.*

### Yr 6 Rhubarb Crumbles

Year 6 were busy making rhubarb crumbles after their busy morning doing SATS on Tuesday. Our very own Mary Berry (younger version!) Mrs Whitmarsh came in to help the class cook up some tasty treats which were then sold on the playground after school. As usual, it was a quick sell-out.



### Football News

Last Friday after school our football team played Atwood in the league winners play-offs. Our team put in a great performance, especially considering their late finish the night before at the O2. After going 1-0 down we came back really strongly before half-time to level the game before Atwood got a goal against the run of play early in the second half, and added a 3<sup>rd</sup> goal near the end when we were chasing an equalizer. Well done to all the boys who played and also to Coach T for his great work in preparing the team.



### Achievement

Well done to everyone who celebrated individual achievements in assembly this week. We had everything from Blue Peter badges to football player of the season awards. Sorry, too many names to mention individually this week. Well done to all of you.

