



St. Joseph's RC PS Linlithgow

School News March- April 2025

Message from Mrs Smith : Thank you to all parents, carers and extended family who were able to join us for a breakfast blether and stay, play and learn session recently that focused on our topic work across the school. It was also wonderful to celebrate our school Feast day with Mass and a visit from the ice-cream van that was much enjoyed by our pupils. To celebrate the Jubilee year within the church we are looking to promote the theme of Pilgrims of Hope across our school community so please look out for our padlet which outlines our plans to support the spiritual journey of our young people. Please take the time to complete our parent ethos survey the link for which was shared with you last week. Your feedback is always appreciated. Two of our P6 pupils have organised a Dress Down Day for this Friday 28th March for SCIAF our Lenten charity and we hope as many pupils will participate as possible. We are now very excited to be at show week and I hope to see as many of you as possible at the Wizard of Oz – It really is not to be missed! Mrs Smith



EURO QUIZ 2025

Congratulations to our P6 pupils who took part in the West Lothian heat of the Euro Quiz.

Our team did extremely well finishing 3rd overall.

Great effort by all and we are proud of all of them for their hard-work and dedication in learning a wide range of information about Europe.

Parent Council Meeting

Our next PSC meeting is Monday 12th May at 6.15pm.

We are looking for a new chair-person and treasurer - if you feel this is something that you could take on then please come along. Thank you to Indra Wan & Cat Finnegan our outgoing chair and treasurer for their dedication to our school.

First
Reconciliation



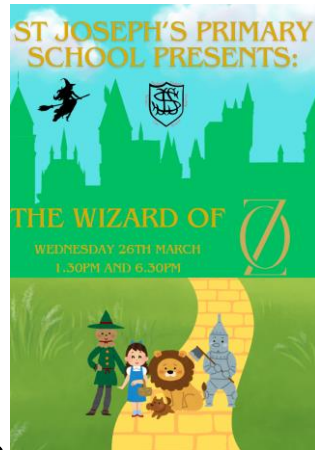


Our Parents Night will take place on Tuesday 1st April from 4-8pm. We have over 90% of our parents booked. Please contact the office asap if you still want to make an appointment



Our parish will be holding a Lenten Penitential Service on Saturday 29th March at 10.30. This will be a service that will be especially suitable for children.

Wizard of Oz - Upper school show



Do not miss this incredible show on Wednesday 26th March when performances will be at 1.30pm and 6.30pm. There are still spaces available for the afternoon show for anyone who would like to attend

Latest Roof update

I will continue to update the school community on the roof through our regular newsletter updates. The next phase of work will be during the Easter holidays when the 3 classrooms that are currently sealed off will have complete building surveys completed on them and work will start to strip out these rooms.

The time frame for the section of the roof to be replaced is still scheduled for the summer holidays with the classrooms being refitted and available to use again in the new sessions 2025/26. I will update on this after the holidays.

We have worked with the loss adjustors to replace vital items needed for the classes who were re-located and will continue to do so to ensure that any items lost are replaced for our pupils.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding around this.