



# Dispatches from Our Lady's



We're pleased to confirm that OLQOH will once again be running a Summer Camp this year, from Friday 24th July to Friday 31st July.

The camp is open to all year groups, with daily sessions running from 9.30am to 2.15pm. Cost: £25 per session. For more details or to book a place, please speak to the school office team.



Mrs Bullett (current St Margaret's Class Teacher), will be leaving OLQOH to take up a new post at Southgate Primary School from September. Mrs Bullett will be greatly missed and we wish her every future success. OLQOH is interviewing prospective new Teachers to join our team from September with details to follow.

## MATCH REPORTS

'On Monday 18<sup>th</sup> OLQOH took a group of Y5&6 children to a Tennis Festival at Crawley Tennis Club.

The festival was not competitive but an opportunity for the children to try out some tennis related activities.

There were eight stations for the children to rotate around followed by some fun games at the end.

The children had the opportunity to sample activities to improve stamina, agility, coordination, forehands, backhands, volleys and serving.

The children all individually had one minute to score as many repetitions as possible at each activity. The scores were then added together to give an overall school score.

At the end of the day, the children played some games of doubles where they were able to put the activities they learned into some game like situations.

The children all worked hard at each station with lots of energy and determination. They thoroughly enjoyed the activities and loved the games. The children all learned a lot about teamwork when playing doubles as communication was key. Their decision making improved rapidly as they learned when to hit a shot and when to leave a ball going out of the court.

Many thanks, as always, to OLQOH staff and parents for their support.'

'On Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May children from Y4 attended a tri golf competition at K2 run by young leaders from Thomas Bennett School.

There were eight different golfing activities to rotate around where points were achieved for a variety of challenges.

The activities covered driving, putting, chipping and medium range hitting. There was also a rest station so the children could have drinks and snacks as required.

The children all listened very well to instructions and worked with energy and enthusiasm. They were very well behaved and were polite and respectful to all organisers.

The winners had 288 points and we were not far behind with 264.

Despite the weather being appalling, the children displayed a great amount of resilience and carried on in good spirits throughout.' (Ann Westgate)



## Classes from September (details shared in end of year Reports on 17/12/26)

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|----------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <b>OL Class</b>      | <b>Annabel Jannece &amp; Laura McGrath</b> |
| St Joseph's Class    | Laura Baldwin                              |
| <b>St Anne's</b>     | <b>TBC</b>                                 |
| St Clare's           | Petronela Loftus & Lauren Kluge            |
| <b>St Peter's</b>    | <b>Clare Reddick</b>                       |
| St Paul's            | Bronwyn O'Donoghue                         |
| <b>St Frances</b>    | <b>Jo Johnston</b>                         |
| St Anthony's         | Frances Mwale                              |
| <b>St Teresa's</b>   | <b>Debbie Rap &amp; Michael Watson</b>     |
| St Bernadette's      | Alex Goodman                               |
| <b>St Margaret's</b> | <b>Spencer Adams</b>                       |
| St Catherine's       | Lauren Marklew                             |
| <b>St Wilfrid's</b>  | <b>Beckie Johnson</b>                      |
| St John's            | Paige Lee                                  |